CHANGING TIDES OF HISTORY
CRUISING THE BALTIC SEA

Aboard the deluxe M.S. Le Boréal

Sweden • Finland • Russia • Estonia
Latvia • Poland • Denmark • Norway

With
Dr. Sergei N. Khrushchev

June 9 to 20, 2011
Dear Alumni and Friends,

We are delighted to offer this spectacular 10-night cruise on the Baltic Sea, featuring eight countries and, by special arrangement, the rare opportunity to hear enriching speeches by two historic world leaders—former President of the Soviet Union Mikhail Gorbachev and former President of Poland Lech Walesa. Brown University Professor Sergei N. Khrushchev, son of Nikita Khrushchev, former Premier of the U.S.S.R., will cruise with us from Stockholm to Bergen and share his historical perspectives.

Join us aboard the exclusively chartered, deluxe M.S. Le Boréal to experience the cultural rebirth of the Baltic States, the imperial riches of St. Petersburg and the picturesque fjords of Norway. In the tradition of ancient Viking mariners and medieval Hanseatic merchants, cruise under the glistening White Nights of summer from Stockholm, Sweden, to Bergen, Norway. Spend two days in St. Petersburg, including an early-opening tour of the world-acclaimed State Hermitage Museum and a visit to the Peter and Paul Fortress; discover the stunning architecture of Helsinki and Copenhagen; delight in the medieval charms of Tallinn, Estonia, and Riga, Latvia; and immerse yourself in the historic epicenter of the Solidarity movement in Gdańsk, Poland.

To complement your cruise program, we offer the special two-night Stockholm Pre-Cruise Option and the two-night Bergen Post-Cruise Option.

For Notre Dame,

Charles F. Lennon, Jr. ’61, ’62 M.A.
Executive Director, Alumni Association

Marc D. Burdell and his wife, Jeannette, host this exclusive adventure. Marc, a 1987 graduate of the University of Notre Dame, is the senior director of the newly created alumni programs department of Notre Dame’s Alumni Association. Burdell, who earned a bachelor’s degree in the Arts and Letters Program for Administrators at Notre Dame, joined the Alumni Association team earlier this year. Before returning to Notre Dame, Burdell was the acting CEO and Vice President of Sales and Marketing of Humana Inc. of Arizona. Prior to that, he was a national vice president of PhDX e-Systems, a spine and orthopedic outcomes measurement company. Over a 15-year period, he held various other positions with major healthcare insurers before joining Humana in 2003. He has served as vice chairman of the board for the AK Foundation in Phoenix, Arizona, a group dedicated to serving uninsured single mothers and their children; he also served on the board of the Suns Nite Hoops Organization, an affiliate of the Phoenix Suns that focuses on getting troubled teens back on the right track. Burdell and his wife, a 1987 Saint Mary’s College graduate, returned to Notre Dame from Phoenix, Arizona. They have three children, Michael, Courtney and Geoffrey. Michael is a graduate of the Class of 2010 and Courtney is a proud member of the Class of 2013.

Kate Telesca, ’97
Travel Program Director, Alumni Association
Stockholm, Sweden
Friday, June 10
Transfer to the deluxe M.S. LE BORÉAL upon arrival and set sail for Helsinki, Finland, this afternoon.

Helsinki, Finland
Saturday, June 11
On the afternoon tour of Finland’s dynamic capital, see Helsinki’s stately Senate Square, lively Market Square, the diplomatic quarter of Kaivopuisto and the old fortifications of Suomenlinna, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Visit Sibelius Park, where Eila Hiltunen’s remarkable sculpture honors Finland’s most beloved composer, Jean Sibelius, and tour the modernistic Temppeliaukio Church, or “Church of the Rock,” impressively hewn out of natural bedrock. Attend a private concert at the prestigious Sibelius Academy before returning to the ship. This evening, join the Captain for a special welcome reception and dinner.

St. Petersburg, Russia
Sunday, June 12
Peter the Great founded the majestic city of St. Petersburg in 1703 as his “Window on the West.” Today, see one of the world’s greatest art repositories on the specially arranged, early-opening tour of the incomparable State Hermitage Museum, former czarist palace of Catherine the Great. The spectacular collection is rivaled only by the museum’s ornate interiors.

This afternoon, you can choose to join the optional excursion to the imperial compound of Pushkin and Catherine the Great’s elaborate rococo palace, highlighted by a special visit to the extraordinary Amber Room. Alternatively, skim over the Gulf of Finland by hydrofoil for the optional tour of Petrodvorets, the splendid parklands and palace commissioned by Peter the Great and a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

This evening, you may choose to attend an optional ballet performance in the Hermitage or Palace Theater or an optional Russian folklore show in the Nikolaevsky Art Center.

St. Petersburg/
Mikhail Gorbachev
Monday, June 13
Enjoy exploring the city’s legendary landmarks, which are scattered across more than 100 islands linked by six times as many bridges. St. Petersburg’s main thoroughfare, Nevsky Prospect, showcases exquisite examples of Russian Baroque and neoclassical architecture. On the morning tour, see the beautiful Church of...
Our Savior on Spilled Blood (Church of the Resurrection of Christ), built on the site of Emperor Alexander II’s assassination, and the 19th-century St. Isaac’s Cathedral, with a striking golden dome that is one of the glories of the city’s skyline. Tour the city’s first building, the Peter and Paul Fortress, constructed to defend Russia against invasion and to secure the country’s access to the sea. The impressive Baroque Cathedral of Sts. Peter and Paul contains the tombs of 32 czars, from Peter the Great to Nicholas II, the last of the Romanovs.

By exclusive arrangement, meet with former President of the Soviet Union and Nobel Peace Prize winner Mikhail Gorbachev on board the ship. Following lunch, President Gorbachev will speak about the Soviet Union’s evolution into modern Russia, with time to answer questions. Enjoy personal interaction with President Gorbachev during a meet-and-greet reception. The ship departs St. Petersburg early this evening.

TALLINN, ESTONIA
Tuesday, June 14
Having largely escaped the ravages of World War II, Tallinn’s Old Town has remained virtually unchanged for the past 600 years and has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site. During the walking tour, see Toompea Castle, the landmark Alexander Nevsky Cathedral and the 13th-century Church of St. Nicholas and visit the medieval Town Hall, the only surviving Gothic-style hall in Europe. The afternoon is at leisure in Tallinn.

RIGA, LATVIA
Wednesday, June 15
Once a member of the Hanseatic League, Riga has been listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site for its eclectic combination of national romantic, art nouveau, neo-Gothic, neo-Baroque and ultramodern architecture. The tour begins with a specially arranged organ recital in St. John’s Church, one of Riga’s oldest buildings, which was originally a Dominican chapel consecrated in the 13th century. Then see the Great Guild Hall Square, the Swedish Gate and the artfully designed Blackheads House, completely rebuilt after World War II into a striking duplicate of the original 14th-century guild house. Depart Riga early this afternoon.

GDAŃSK, POLAND/LECH WALESA
Thursday, June 16
The historic city of Gdansk features some of Poland’s finest medieval and Renaissance architecture. Walk by elegant patrician mansions with late Renaissance and Baroque façades in the Old Town and see the famous Neptune’s Fountain. Tour the historic Lenin Shipyard, where in 1980, workers led by Lech Walesa founded the Solidarity movement, the first independent trade union in Eastern Europe and the key factor in the Polish struggle against Communism. See the focal point of Petrodvorets, Peter the Great’s summer residence, the waters of which start at the Great Palace and flow down...
Cruising the Baltic and North Seas
Saturday, June 18
Spend the day at leisure cruising from the Baltic to the North Sea.

Cruising the Norwegian Fjords
Sunday, June 19
Norway’s fjords offer some of the most stunning coastal scenery in Europe. Cruise over cobalt blue waters past traditional farms and villages and along the mountainous coastline of Talge Fjord and Riska Fjord.

This evening, join the Captain for a special farewell reception.

Bergen, Norway/U.S.
Monday, June 20
Disembark and continue on the Bergen Post-Cruise Option, or transfer to the airport.

Stockholm Pre-Cruise Option*
Begin your Baltic experience with two nights in Sweden’s capital and cultural epicenter, with deluxe accommodations in the Sheraton Stockholm. Visit City Hall, site of the Nobel Prize Banquet since 1930, explore the historic Gamla Stan (Old Town) and see Viking artifacts in the Vasa Museum and the Museum of National Antiquities.

Bergen Post-Cruise Option*
Extend your tour with two nights in the deluxe Radisson Blu Norge in Bergen. The city tour includes the colorful medieval houses of the Bryggen district, and the tour of composer Edvard Grieg’s former home features a specially arranged recital.

*Pre- and Post-Cruise Options are available at an additional cost. Complete details will be included with your reservation confirmation.
STATE-OF-THE-ART DESIGN
The M.S. Le Boréal represents the newest generation of deluxe small ships and features distinctive French sophistication.

SPACIOUS SUITES AND STATEROOMS, MOST WITH BALCONIES
The 120 large, deluxe, air-conditioned, outside Staterooms and Suites range in size from 200 to 484 square feet. Ninety-five percent of the accommodations feature private balconies.

Most Suites and Staterooms feature two twin beds that convert to one queen-size bed, a private bathroom with shower (some with bathtub) and the luxurious amenities of a fine hotel, including individual climate control, satellite flat screen television, wireless Internet access, safe, minibar, full-length closet, writing desk/dressing table and plush robes.

CHIC AND CASUAL DINING
International and regional cuisine is served in the stylish, spacious Dining Room in single, unassigned seatings, alfresco in the casual indoor-outdoor Grill Restaurant or from 24-hour Room Service. Continental and buffet breakfast, buffet lunch, afternoon tea and a four-course dinner are served daily. Complimentary wine and beer are served with lunch and dinner. Bar service is available throughout the ship.

SPACIOUS PUBLIC AREAS/
WORLD-CLASS SERVICE AND FACILITIES
Inviting and spacious public areas accommodate all passengers comfortably. Enjoy views from the Panoramic Lounge, nightly entertainment in the Main Lounge and lectures, cultural performances and film screenings in the state-of-the-art theater. There is a library, Internet salon, Sun Deck, swimming pool, beauty salon, spa, Turkish bath-style steam room, full range of fitness equipment and two elevators. The infirmary is staffed with a doctor and nurse. The highly trained and personable English-speaking international crew provides attentive service.

RESPECT FOR THE ENVIRONMENT
The state-of-the-art propulsion system provides an exceptionally smooth, quiet and comfortable voyage by creating little vibration and significantly reduced engine noise. The ship is designed to prevent contact with environmentally sensitive seabeds and meets the latest “Clean Ship” standards. The ship has two tenders.
**INCLUDED FEATURES**

Once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for exclusive presentations by and discussions with Mikhail Gorbachev and Lech Walesa.

Dr. Sergei Khrushchev will travel with the group and share his personal perspectives on Nikita Khrushchev’s legacy and the Cold War years.

**ON BOARD THE DELUXE M.S. LE BORÉAL**

♦ Ten-night cruise from Stockholm, Sweden, to Bergen, Norway, with port calls in Helsinki, Finland; St. Petersburg, Russia; Tallinn, Estonia; Riga, Latvia; Gdańsk, Poland; and Copenhagen, Denmark.

♦ Spacious and elegant outside accommodations with private bathroom and individual stateroom climate control.

♦ Captain’s welcome and farewell receptions.

♦ All meals—continental breakfast, buffet breakfast, buffet lunch, afternoon tea and dinner—throughout the cruise, featuring fine international and regional cuisine, served at single, unassigned seatings.

♦ House wine, beer, soft drinks, mineral water, coffee and tea with lunch and dinner.

♦ Excursion in Helsinki, highlighted by a visit to Temppeliaukio Church, a private concert at the Sibelius Academy and a drive along the old fortifications of Suomenlinna, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

♦ City tour of St. Petersburg, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, featuring a visit to the Peter and Paul Fortress.

♦ Specially arranged, early entry to the world-renowned State Hermitage Museum.

♦ Walking tour of Tallinn’s historic and medieval quarters, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

♦ Architectural tour of Riga, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

♦ Tour of the historic Polish port of Gdańsk.

♦ Copenhagen city tour and canal cruise.

♦ Cruise through the picturesque Talge Fjord and Riska Fjord.

**ENHANCED TRAVEL SERVICES**

♦ All transfers and luggage handling abroad for all participants who have made their international air arrangements through Gohagan & Company and whose arrival(s)/departure(s) coincide with the scheduled group transfer(s).

♦ All excursions and visits, as outlined in the itinerary, led by experienced, English-speaking local guides.

♦ Gratuities to local guides and drivers on included excursions and transfers.

♦ Hospitality desk aboard the ship.

♦ Experienced Travel Director to accompany you throughout the travel program.

♦ Travel document wallet, name badge and pre-departure information.

♦ Automatic $250,000 flight insurance policy for each participant ticketed on flights by Gohagan & Company.

**DISTINGUISHED GUEST SPEAKERS**

**MIKHAIL GORBACHEV**

Meet Mikhail Gorbachev, former President of the Soviet Union (1985-1991) and one of the 20th century’s most pivotal leaders, having ended the 50 years of nuclear brinkmanship known as the Cold War. During our private engagement, President Gorbachev will speak about the Soviet Union’s evolution into modern Russia and his introduction of glasnost and perestroika, catalysts for the inception of democracy in Russia and Eastern Europe. Gorbachev built an extraordinary relationship between the Soviet Union and the United States at that time, and in so doing was awarded the 1990 Nobel Peace Prize. Retired from politics, Gorbachev continues to strive toward achieving his global vision of peace through the Gorbachev Foundation, founded in 1992 and dedicated to addressing the challenges of the post-Cold War world, and Green Cross International, founded in 1993 with the mission of securing a just and sustainable future through global interdependence and shared responsibility in humanity’s relationship with nature.

**LECH WALESA**

By exclusive arrangement, Lech Walesa, Polish hero and international symbol of the pursuit of freedom and democracy, will meet with our group in Gdańsk to discuss the Solidarity movement and his perspective on Poland after the revolution in 1989. A worker in Gdańsk’s Lenin Shipyard, Walesa emerged as a worldwide symbol of the resistance against Communism during the shipyard workers’ strike of 1980 and the establishment of the Solidarity labor movement. Despite winning the right to form an independent union, Walesa and Solidarity were forced to continue their struggle against the Soviet-backed regime of General Jaruzelski, which jailed Walesa and imposed martial law in Poland in December 1981. In 1983, Walesa received the Nobel Peace Prize, a watershed moment widely considered to have been the first crack in the Iron Curtain of Soviet Communism that crumbled with the Berlin Wall in 1989. Only the third foreign dignitary, after the Marquis de Lafayette and Winston Churchill, to address a joint session of the U.S. Congress in 1989, Walesa served as President of Poland from 1990 to 1995.
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CHANGING TIDES OF HISTORY RESERVATION FORM

CRUISE TARIF (per person, based on double occupancy)

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<th>Stateroom Category</th>
<th>Staterooms and suites range from 200 to 484 sq. ft. and must have two twin beds that convert to make one queen bed. All feature a private bathroom and individual climate control.</th>
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An Owner's Suite (Deck 6, Le France) is available upon request at a cost to be advised, on a first-come first-served basis.

Singles are available in category 6 at $13935 and in category 4 at $17535 on or before November 29, 2010.

Add $1000 for reservations made after November 29, 2010. (very limited availability)

Taxes are an additional $195 per person and are subject to change.

M.S. Le Boréal has been specially contracted for this tour, and the applicable deck plan is available on request from Gohagan & Company and reflects the only valid cabin categorization of the vessel.

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Call the Notre Dame/Gohagan Travel line at 877-406-3263 and ask for the Passenger Services Coordinator handling this program.

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Admire the neoclassical and contemporary architecture of Helsinki, Finland, the “White City of the North.”

CONTRACT: TERMS & CONDITIONS

NOT INCLUDED: Taxes; passport fees; visas and fees for obtaining them; personal expenses such as laundry and telephone calls; accident/sickness, trip cancellation, and baggage insurance; gratuities to service persons; optional sightseeing excursions; excess baggage charges on aircraft; local departure taxes; airfare and associated local taxes; airport facility taxes and federal inspection fees not listed in the “Included Features” section; transfers and baggage handling to/from airport/ship on day of arrival and/or departure; if you are arriving earlier or later than and/or departing earlier or later than the scheduled group transfer(s); meals and alcoholic beverages not listed in the “Included Features” section; and all other services not specifically mentioned in the “Included Features” section.

AIRFARE: Airfare is subject to airline availability and is nonrefundable. Your airline ticket constitutes a contract between you and the airline (not Thomas P. Gohagan & Company), even if purchased through Thomas P. Gohagan & Company.

LUGGAGE: Luggage allowance policies are set by the airlines and may change without prior notice. Please contact your airline(s) for the current luggage allowance policy.

HEALTH: Any physical or mental condition that may require special medical attention (for example, the need for a wheelchair) should be reported in writing when you make your reservation.

DISCOUNTED RESERVATIONS: Discounts apply only to those reservations received in the offices of Thomas P. Gohagan & Company in writing, accompanied by the required deposit, by November 29, 2010. In the event a “discounted” reservation must be cancelled, no “replacement” reservation can be substituted at the discounted rate. A “replacement” reservation is, in effect, a new reservation and can be submitted only at the full-fare tariff. Change and/or cancellation fees apply as outlined in this “Contract: Terms and Conditions” for the “replacement” reservation and the cancelled reservation.

CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS: Cancellations for all or any part of the trip will not be effective until received in writing in the office of Thomas P. Gohagan & Company. Should you have to cancel, the following terms will apply: reservation cancellations are subject to a $150 per person administrative fee from the time of booking through 120 days prior to departure; from 95 through 119 days prior to departure, $500 per person; from 60 through 94 days prior to departure, $500 per person; from 30 through 59 days prior to departure, 50% of your trip cost; cancellations 19 days or less prior to departure, a no-show, or early return from the trip will result in forfeiture of 100% of your trip cost. In addition, any applicable airfare cancellation fees and administrative fees will be assessed.

PRE-CRUISE AND POST-CRUISE CANCELLATIONS: Should you have to cancel, the following terms will apply: reservation cancellations are subject to a $50 per person administrative fee from the time of booking through 120 days prior to departure; from 95 through 119 days prior to departure, $200 per person; from 60 through 94 days prior to departure, 50% of your trip cost; cancellations 19 days or less prior to departure, a no-show, or early return from the trip will result in forfeiture of 100% of your trip cost. In addition, any applicable airfare cancellation fees and administrative fees will be assessed.

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