

## PANAMA CANAL

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# Embark on an immersive journey through culture and history.

📍 Costa Rica

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## Sail through history

Experience one of seafaring's greatest rites of passage — a transit of the mighty Panama Canal. Since the SS Ancon first sailed in 1914, over a million ships have followed, guided by tugboats and locomotives through massive gates and twin-lock systems. Conceived as early as the 16th century and realized after Theodore Roosevelt revived the project in 1904, this 51-mile shortcut through jungle and mountains saves nearly 8,000 miles at sea — and offers travelers a thrilling passage through maritime history.

## Best experienced by ship

Powered by gravity using the water from the world's largest man-made lake, the Panama Canal is a must-see, and there's no better way to witness it than aboard a Princess ship. Each of our five guest-favorite ships is custom-built to navigate the locks, gliding through the colossal gates as they raise and lower with precision. In 1967, we became the first cruise line to transit the Canal, and today, we elevate your journey with live expert narration from the ship's bridge, a Princess exclusive. As you cross, you'll hear captivating stories of history and engineering feats for a truly immersive experience.

## See cities, celebrate colorful cultures

Step into the vibrant tapestry of history as you explore Spanish and Dutch cities steeped in the Age of Exploration. Each expertly curated Princess itinerary brings you closer to the region's vibrant blend of cultures and centuries-old charm. Discover Panama City's delightful shops, framed by stunning city views. Enjoy access to seven UNESCO World Heritage Sites — including the Port Fortress of Cartagena, The Archaeological Site and Historic District of Panamá (from Puerto Amador) and Antique Guatemala (from Puerto Quetzal).

## Nature's wonders await

Immerse yourself in the verdant rainforests of Costa Rica, home to incredible ecological wonders and, of course, adorable tree-dwelling sloths at the nearby sanctuary. Soar over this lush landscape in an open aerial tram, or dive into adventure and explore the Antilla shipwreck, one of the largest shipwrecks in the Caribbean, off Aruba's coast. And when you just want to relax, you'll love unwinding on the stunning white-sand beaches.

*With **More Ashore** late-night stays in Cartagena, Aruba and Puerto Amador, plus the chance to see all three sets of Panama Canal locks in action, this voyage is a true bucket-list experience.*



📍 Gamboa, Panama



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