

INCLUDED FEATURES

Accommodations

(with baggage handling)

- 6 nights in Marrakech, Morocco, at the deluxe Sofitel Marrakech Palais Imperial Hotel.
- **2 nights** in Casablanca at the deluxe Sofitel Casablanca Tour Blanche.

Extensive Meal Program

- 8 breakfasts, 3 lunches and 3 dinners, including a Farewell Dinner; tea or coffee with all meals, plus wine with dinner.
- Opportunities to sample authentic cuisine and local flavors.

Your One-of-a-Kind Journey

- Discovery excursions highlight the local culture, heritage and history.
- Expert-led **Enrichment programs** enhance your insight into the region.
- **AHI Connects:** Local immersion.
- Free time to pursue your own interests.
- Welcome Reception to mingle with fellow travelers.
- Tipping of guides and drivers.
- Complimentary travel mementos.

Itinerary

Day 1	Depart gateway city★
Day 2	Arrive in Marrakech
Day 3	Marrakech
Day 4	Marrakech
Day 5	Atlas Mountains
Day 6	Marrakech
Day 7	Marrakech
Day 8	Marrakech Casablanca
Dav 9	Rabat Casablanca

Day 10 Depart for gateway city +

 \bigstar Transfers and flights included for AHI FlexAir participants.

Note: Itinerary may change due to local conditions. Walking is required on many excursions.



SMALL GROUP Maximum of 28 Travelers

LAND JOURNEY

Morocco

Land of Enchantment

Inspiring Moments

- ► Thrill to Morocco's captivating fabric of colors, intricate architecture and African, Arab and European cultures.
- Listen to the song of Jemaa el-Fnaa square, home to storytellers, musicians and snake charmers.
- Marvel at Casablanca's Hassan II Mosque, an architectural wonder.
- Lose yourself in the lush beauty of Marrakech's tranquil gardens.
- Explore Rabat's Islamic ruins, ancient citadel and splendid Hassan Tower.
- ► Visit with a Berber family during an outing to the Atlas Mountains.
- Savor delicious cuisine and music at a traditional Moroccan feast.
- Experience two UNESCO World
 Heritage sites.
 Spice market



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MOROCCO

Discovery

AHI Connects: Calligraphy and **Cuisine.** Uncover the ancient tradition of calligraphy during a lesson with a local expert. Then taste treats and learn about Morocco's colorful spices, herbs and more during a culinary tour through Marrakech's main square and souks.

The Red City. Explore the old medina, beginning at the 14th-century Ben Youssef Medrasa, noted for its latticework and interior décor. Stroll through the winding souks, passing merchants selling textiles, leather, jewelry and spices, and experience the vast Jemaa el-Fnaa square where locals, travelers and traders have gathered for centuries. Continue to Dar El Bacha Palace, which boasts a fine display of woodwork.

Gardens and Monuments of

Marrakech. Witness the Jardin Majorelle, a botanical oasis designed by French painter Jacques Majorelle. Nearby, visit the Yves Saint Laurent Museum and marvel at its impressive facade and collection of haute couture. Step into the Bahía Palace, home to a lush Moorish-style garden and marvel at the gardens and towering minaret of the famous Koutoubia Mosque.

Atlas Mountains. Journey through a captivating landscape into the foothills of the Atlas Mountains. At a traditional Berber village, gain insight into the history and culture of the Berbers, the original inhabitants of North Africa. Join a local family for traditional mint tea and tafernout, a delicious Berber bread. Later, enjoy lunch with a stunning view.

Moroccan Feast. Gather to savor Moroccan cuisine accompanied by the ancient music of the Berbers.

Casablanca. Witness the city's elegant buildings and Art Deco architecture. See the Place Mohammed V and gaze at the striking Hassan II Mosque. Overlooking the Atlantic, this place of worship is an architectural wonder with exquisite details, fine carvings and colorful tiling.

Rabat. See the elaborate Royal Palace and thrill to the spectacular Hassan Tower. Stroll through Kasbah des Oudaïas. Perched over the ocean. this neighborhood's colorful streets hold the story of Rabat's pirate past. Visit the Mausoleum of Mohammed V and Chellah necropolis, a collection of ancient. medieval ruins on the edge of the city.

Enrichment

Moroccan History. From the Berber dynasty to modern day Morocco, gain insight into the fascinating history of this remarkable country.

Moroccan Culture. Learn how a blend of Arab. European and African influences, religions and traditions created Morocco's captivating culture.



Water seller in Marrakech

AHI Travel Expertise

Passenger Service Representative Helps with everything from arranging flights to fulfilling special requests.

Travel Director | Manages all details to ensure a memorable trip.

Travel information | Prepares you fully for your journey.

Expert local guides | Provide friendly, knowledgeable service.

Lecturers | Share their knowledge of and passion for their country.

Accommodations

Sofitel Marrakech Palais Imperial Hotel | Marrakech

http://bit.ly/sofitelmarrakechpalaisimperial

Sofitel Casablanca Tour Blanche Casablanca

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Hassan II Mos



Maiorelle Garden

UNESCO World Heritage

- 1.Rabat, Modern Capital and Historic City: a Shared Heritage
- 2. Medina of Marrakesh

Let us arrange your flights!

AHI FlexAir | Our personalized air program offers incredible advantages:

- price guarantee
- arrival and departure transfers
- flexibility to change or cancel
- **assistance** with changes or delays
- flight insurance



Atlas Mountains