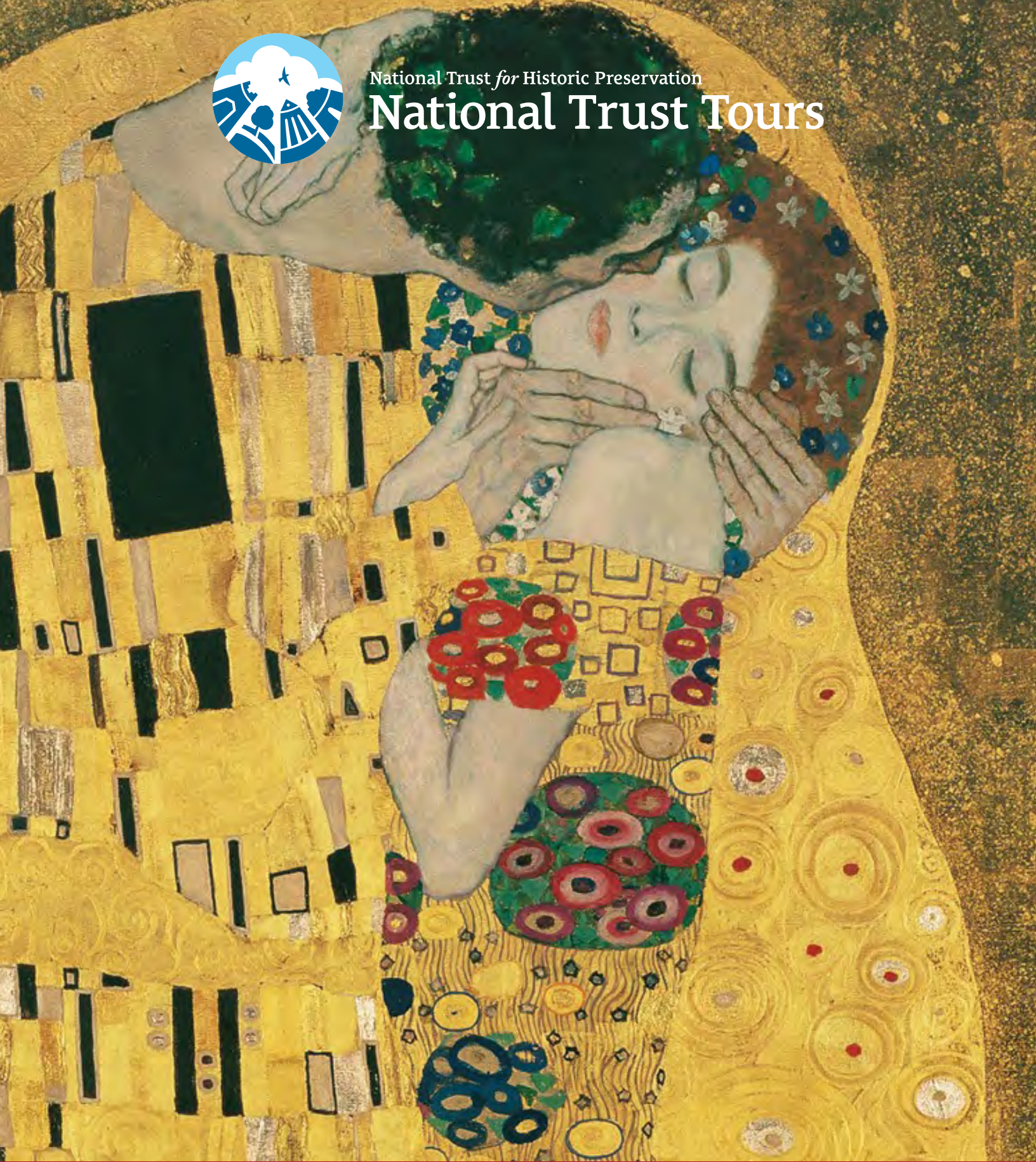




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## MONDAY, OCTOBER 7: DEPARTURE

Depart for Vienna, Austria's elegant capital, on an overnight flight.

## TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8: VIENNA, AUSTRIA

Arrive in Vienna, home to some of Europe's most treasured music, art, and architecture. Our home for the next six nights is the centrally located Steigenberger Hotel Herrenhof. After lunch at leisure, a guided walking tour introduces us to the historic city center, including St. Stephen's Cathedral, considered Austria's most important Gothic masterpiece. We will also visit Mozarthaus, the composer's only surviving residence in Vienna, and the Frauenthuber Café, where Mozart and Beethoven performed. This evening, gather at the hotel for introductory remarks followed by a welcome dinner. D

## WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9: VIENNA

Following a lecture, discover the magnificent Schönbrunn Palace, summer residence of the Habsburgs. It was here, in the Mirror Room, that six-year-old Mozart first performed for Empress Maria Theresa. Our visit includes the Bergl Rooms, whose murals of exotic landscapes are one of the jewels of the palace. After lunch, tour Salesianerkirche before returning to the hotel. The balance of the day is at leisure, perhaps to dine at one of Vienna's fine restaurants or attend a performance at the Vienna State Opera. B, L

## THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10: VIENNA

Today a tour highlights Vienna's splendid Art Nouveau architecture, such as the Secession Building and Majolica House. Visit the Beethoven Pasqualatithaus before a behind-the-scenes tour of Musikverein, home of the Vienna Philharmonic. After lunch, drive to the edge of the Vienna Woods to visit the remarkable Kirche am Steinhof, completed in 1907. Decorated with mosaics and stained glass by Koloman Moser, it is a prime example of Viennese Art Nouveau architecture. This evening enjoy a private reception and piano performance at the home of a distinguished pianist. B, L, R

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11: VIENNA

After a lecture, visit the renowned Spanish Riding School to witness the morning exercises, which are accompanied by classical music. Gain insight into the training of the Lipizzaner stallions, and meet a representative of this prestigious institution for a special welcome. After lunch at Vienna's classic Demel Café, take a curator-led tour of the Museum of Fine Arts, with its unrivalled collection of Old Masters as well as the impressive Collection of Historic Musical Instruments. Dinner is at leisure. B, L





## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12: VIENNA/EISENSTADT/ VIENNA

This morning, drive to Eisenstadt to see Esterházy Palace. The head of its collections will guide us through this beautiful Baroque structure, where Joseph Haydn composed and premiered many works. Lunch and the afternoon are at leisure. This evening, enjoy a wine tasting and dinner at Mayer am Pfarrplatz, a typical Austrian wine tavern in Vienna's Grinzing District. It was also home to Beethoven in 1817 as he worked on both the *Eroica* and *Ninth Symphonies*. B, D

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13: VIENNA

On Sundays the celebrated Vienna Boys' Choir sings at the Hofburg Chapel. This morning you may wish to hear the angelic voices accompanying the mass and performing a few classics from their repertoire. Then, gather at the State Opera House for a behind-the-scenes tour. In the afternoon discover the Upper Belvedere, the summer residence of Prince Eugene of Savoy, with works by Schiele, Munch, and Klimt. This evening say *auf Wiedersehen* to Vienna at a festive farewell dinner. B, D

## MONDAY, OCTOBER 14: VIENNA/RETURN

Transfer to the airport this morning for flights home. B

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## RESERVATION INFORMATION

To secure your place, please call  
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**888-484-8785.**

A deposit of \$1,000 per person (of which \$500 is non-refundable for administrative fees) is required.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

### STEIGENBERGER HOTEL HERRENHOF

Only a few steps from the Hofburg Imperial Palace, the Steigenberger Hotel Herrenhof is located in Vienna's historic center. Built in 1913, it has retained its stately façade and some beautiful touches like the cast-iron railing on the staircase. Most of the interior has been tastefully modernized by Viennese atelier Einwallner, and the spacious rooms are comfortably furnished with contemporary interpretations of Art Deco. The hotel's spa has two saunas and a steam room, a small fitness area, as well as an array of treatments.

### PROGRAM RATE

**\$5,499 per person, double rate**

**\$6,399 single rate**

### RATE INCLUDES

- Six nights hotel accommodations as per itinerary
- Meals as indicated in the itinerary (B=Breakfast, L=Lunch, R=Reception, D=Dinner). Bottled water and coffee/tea with all meals, house wine/beer at welcome and farewell dinners
- Enrichment program of lectures and talks
- Airport/hotel/airport group transfers for those on suggested flights
- Escorted sightseeing by private motor coach and entrance fees for included visits
- Taxes, service, and portage charges
- Gratuities to local guides and drivers

**NOT INCLUDED IN RATE** International airfare; meals not specified; alcoholic beverages other as noted in inclusions; baggage in excess of one suitcase; personal items and expenses; airport transfers; trip insurance; any other items not specifically mentioned as included.