

DAKAR, SENEGAL

Arrive: 0800 Saturday, October 31
Onboard: 1800 Tuesday, November 3



Brief Overview: French-speaking Dakar, Senegal is the western-most city in all of Africa. The capital and largest city in Senegal, Dakar is located on the Cape Verde peninsula on the Atlantic. Dakar has maintained remnants of its French colonial past, and has much to offer both geographically and culturally. Travel north to the city of Saint Louis and see the Djoudj National Bird sanctuary, home to more than 1.5 million exotic birds, including 30 different species that have made their way south from Europe. Take a trip south from Dakar to the Delta de Saloum and enjoy the rich vegetation and water activities, like kayaking on the Gambie River. Visit the Pink Lake to see and learn from local salt harvesters. Discover the history of the Dakar slave trade with a visit to Goree Island, one of the major slave trading posts from the mid 1500s to the mid 1800s, where millions of enslaved men, women and children made their way through the “door of no return.” Touba, a city just a few hours inland from Dakar, is home to Africa’s second-largest mosque. Don’t leave Senegal without exploring one of the many outdoor markets with local crafts and traditional jewelry made by the native Fulani Senegalese tribe.



Highlights:

Cultural Highlights:

Day 1: DAK 401-101 Casamance & Mandigo Country
Day 1: DAK 101-101 Goree Island
Day 1: DAK 103-103 Welcome Reception
Day 2: 201-201 La Petite Cote & Senegalese Naming Ceremony
Day 2: DAK 107-301 Holy City of Touba & Thies Market

Art and Architecture:

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Day 3: DAK 108-301 Art Tour with Lunch

Nature & the Outdoors:

Day 2: DAK 302-201 Toubacouta & Saloum Delta
Day 2: DAK 303-201 Nikolo Park & Eastern Senegal
Day 2: DAK 102-201 Bandia Reserve & Saly

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Day 1: Saturday, October 31

IMPORTANT: If you registered in one of the following courses, you have a field lab on this day. Do not make any other travel plans as this is a designated class day in port for your course:

COURSE#	FACULTY	DAY 1 Thursday 31 October
SEMS 3500 106	Professor Gayle Allard	Development Economics
SEMS 3500 109	Professor Melinda Cain	Development Communication
ARTS 2511 502	Professor Paige Critcher	Documentary Photography (Section 2)
HIUS 2559 101	Professor Louise Harmon	History of US Immigration Law
WGS 3500/PLCP	Professor Donna LeFebvre	Multiculturalism and Women's Rights

DAK 401-101

CASAMANCE & MANDINGO COUNTRY

4 DAYS/ 3 NIGHTS



Banjul, the capital of Gambia.

This overnight program provides the unique opportunity to explore Casamance, the renowned southern region of Senegal watered by the winding Casamance River, lush with mangroves and lagoons, and rich in local culture and traditions. You will also be able to cross borders and visit

Leave Dakar for Ziguinchor, the capital city of Casamance, stopping briefly at the Baobab forest of Sindia, the town of Kaolack and its market, and Fulani villages along the way. Cross the western side of the Gambia River into Gambia to visit a Mandingo Village. Arrive in Ziguinchor in the late afternoon for dinner and overnight at your hotel.

Breakfast at the hotel will help prepare you for a special day; you will venture deep into Casamance culture and tradition meeting the traditional chief of the Mandingo ethnic group "the king of Oussouye" and interacting with the Diolas, Bainuks, and Mankagne ethnics groups. In the afternoon discover the Mandingo style of architecture so respectful of nature. Visit the "impluvium houses" of Enampore and the one storied-mud houses of Seleti. Return to your hotel in Ziguinchor for dinner and overnight.

After breakfast, head out to discover Lower Casamance and the island of Karabane. You will go through the most typical villages of the Diola ethnic group and visit the fishing port of Elinkine. From Elinkine, board a motor canoe to the island of Karabane meandering through the Casamance River with its wonderful birds, mangroves, oyster banks and picturesque canoes of local fisherman. Arrive in Karabane and have lunch at the convent restaurant. After lunch, tour the island full of history and testimony of the slave trade era in southern Senegal. Return to Ziguinchor at the end of the day for dinner and overnight.

On your final day, depart Ziguinchor for Banjul capital city of the Gambia. You will also visit upper Casamance villages and interact with the local people. Upon arrival in Banjul enjoy a short city tour and lunch. In the afternoon, you will cross the Gambia river by ferryboat and continue on your way to Dakar through the Saloum region. Arrive in Dakar in the late afternoon

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$692	\$659
Child	\$346	\$340
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	October 31	0800
Return	November 3	1800
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gambia and Mandigo village Casamance River and island of Karabane Ethnic villages 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION:10		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY:80		



Day 1: (L, D)

- leave Dakar
- visit baobab forest of Sindia, Kaolack, Fulani villages
- lunch
- arrive Ziguinchor; dinner and overnight

Day 3: (B, ,D)

- visit lower Casamance and island of Karabane with stop at fishing port of Elinkine
- arrive Karabane lunch at convent restaurant
- tour the island and learn history of the slave trade era
- dinner and overnight in Ziguinchor

Day 2: (B, L, D)

- meet the Mandigo ,Diolas, Bainuks, Mankagne ethnic groups
- lunch
- discover Mandigo architecture in Enampore and Seleti
- dinner and overnight in Ziguinchor

Day 4: (B,L)

- depart Ziguinchor for Banjul, capital of Gambia
- arrive Banjul for short city tour and lunch
- return to Dakar



The island of Gorée lies off the coast of Senegal, opposite Dakar. From the 15th to the 19th century, it was the largest slave-trading center on the African coast. The island was ruled in succession by the Portuguese, Dutch, English and French and the architecture found on the island presents a sharp contrast between the grim slave-quarters and the elegant houses of the slave traders. The traces of slave trading have been kept alive on the island and it is classified by UNESCO as a "Monument of the World Cultural Patrimony"

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$55	\$52
Child	\$27	\$26
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	October 31	0900
Return	October 31	1300
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The House of Slaves • The Fort with the Memorial to the Martyrs • The Historical Museum 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 15		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 350		



Dakar, the capital of Senegal, is the center of economic and administrative activity. This modern city of more than three million inhabitants is also an important university town and cultural center.

Dakar reconciles harmoniously its old African traditions (traditional markets, typical handicraft centers etc....) and the need of modern life. It is a lively city with the popular Medina quarter so picturesque and welcoming and its political quarter with the majestic President's Palace and "red spahi guards". You will also admire the "Door of Millennium", the new Monument of African

Renaissance unveiled in March 2010 and standing now as the tallest statue in the world.

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$50	\$48
Child	\$25	\$24
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	October 31	1400
Return	October 31	1800
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • President's Palace • African Renaissance Monument • Library of Dakar University (Le Corbusier style) • Grand Mosque of Dakar 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 25		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 600		



Cheikh Anta Diop University, also known as the University of Dakar and the oldest university in Senegal, welcomes Semester at Sea with a reception at the university. Both faculty and students from the University of Dakar will be there to introduce you to their school, their city and their country. Light refreshments will be served.

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$28	\$26
Child	\$14	\$13
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	October 31	1900
Return	October 31	2200
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The oldest university in Senegal Opportunity to meet local students and faculty 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 50		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 600		

Day 2: Sunday, November 1

IMPORTANT: If you registered in one of the following courses, you have a field lab on this day. Do not make any other travel plans as this is a designated class day in port for your course:

COURSE #	FACULTY	DAY 2 Sunday, 1 November
RELG 1005 502	Professor John Nemec	World Religions (Section 2)

DAK 301-201

SAINT- LOUIS & TOUBA

3DAYS/2NIGHTS



This program combines St Louis, the French colonial town and former capital of Senegal, with the holy city of Touba. You will also have the opportunity to see the Pink Lake and the famous handicrafts of Thies as well as visit villages of the Fulani and Wolof people

From Dakar you will head to Pink Lake Retba famous for its salt harvesting as well as being the finish line for the

famous Paris to Dakar Rally. After seeing the lake you will ride through the dunes to visit and interact with the Fulani ethnic group living in the surrounding area of the lake. Next, you will proceed to Thies, the 2nd largest city of Senegal, to visit the Market of Thies with its beautiful African fabrics and to enjoy a typical lunch. In the afternoon continue toward St Louis stopping at a traditional Wolof village and picturesque weekly markets on the way. You will arrive in Saint-Louis at the end of the day and enjoy a welcome drink at your hotel followed by dinner and overnight.

After breakfast at the hotel, get to know this charming town with its cultural monuments and original colonial architecture. You will stop at the Governor's palace, visit the old colonial houses with their forged iron balconies, the typical fishermen cemetery and the picturesque district of Guet Ndar. The visit of the historic center will be in a horse-drawn carriage. Lunch will be hosted by a local family in order to socialize and interact. In the afternoon, visit the traditional village of Makhana where you will attend a folklore ceremony given in your honor in order to welcome you. You will enjoy a variety of songs, dances, and a demonstration of Senegalese wrestling. Return to your hotel at the end of the afternoon for dinner and overnight.

The third day you will leave St Louis for the holy city of Touba to see the Great Mosque. You will be hosted by a leader of the Mourid brotherhood, and under his personal guidance, visit the holy city founded by the wise Cheick Ahmadou Bamba. Enjoy a tour of the Mosque, the biggest and most beautiful in West Africa, and meet other leaders of the community before enjoying a hospitality lunch.

In the afternoon, continue to Dakar passing by Louga the home town of the former Senegalese President Abdou Diouf. You will also visit some villages to meet the chief and other notables who will share history of the battles which took place between French colonists and the national freedom fighters.

Please Note: Conservative attire required to enter the Mosque. No bare legs or shoulders are allowed and women should have a head cover.

Day 1: (L, D)

- leave Dakar for Pink Lake
- visit this: visit market and have lunch
- travel from Thies to Wolof Village
- 1500 visit Wolof village
- arrive St Louis for dinner and overnight

Day 2: (B, L, D)

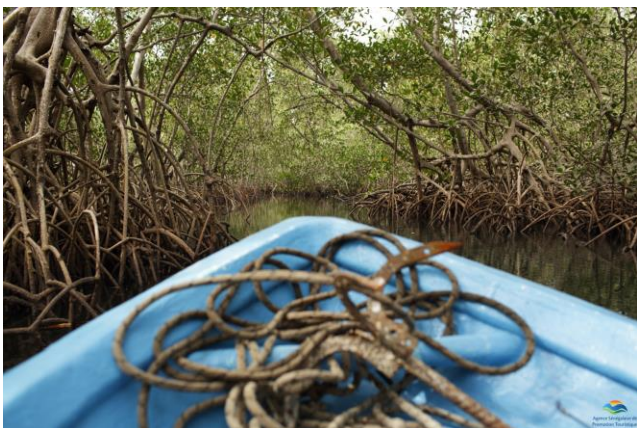
- depart for tour of St Louis: visit historic center in horse drawn carriage with stop at Governor's Palace: visit fisherman cemetery
- Lunch hosted by local family
- visit Makhana: folklore ceremony and demonstration of Senegalese wrestling
- return to hotel for dinner and overnight

Day 3: (B,L)

- depart for Touba
- visit Great Mosque; library;
- hospitality lunch
- depart Touba for Dakar ; pass by Louga; visit local villages
- arrive Dakar

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$440	\$419
Child	\$220	\$210
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	November 1	0900
Return	November 3	1800
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pink Lake Retba • Town of Thies • St Louis and Makhana Village 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 15		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 100		

One of the most beautiful places in Senegal is the Saloum River Delta with its abundant wildlife and lush mangrove forests. You will have the opportunity to explore the river by boat and also to visit small villages in the Toubacouta area and along the way to and from Dakar.



Leave Dakar in the morning passing by the old colonial city of Rufisque, the baobab forest of Sindia and the "Petit Cote" (small coast). Stop at the small fishermen town of Mbour with its fish smokeries before arriving at the typical Serer village of Joal

Fadiouth. The Serer are the third largest ethnic group in Senegal. You will visit a shell cemetery, meet the "Council of Elders" at the village of Fadiouth and have lunch at "Le Finio" restaurant.

In the afternoon continue to Foundiougne on the southern bank of the Saloum River. Visit more Serer Villages before proceeding to Toubacouta in the Saloum River Delta, part of the UNESCO Man and Biosphere (MAB) program. Dinner with folklore dances and overnight at the Keur Saloum Lodge.

In the morning you will tour the Saloum River by boat to discover the birds sanctuaries, the island-villages, and to meet the Niominka fishermen. Enjoy a fish barbecue in one of the deserted islands with time to relax on the wild beach. In the afternoon visit other sites of the Saloum Delta and Missirah where you will meet a renowned woman who is the traditional healer of the area. She will tell about traditional medicine and its social impact. Return to your hotel for dinner and overnight.

After breakfast in your hotel you will depart for the return journey to Dakar. Today you will visit the Senegalese bush villages and meet various ethnic groups. Stop at the small city of Fatick where you will meet the Saltigues, healers and soothsayers. Lunch will be in a coastal town with free time to relax on the beach before driving back to Dakar at the end of the afternoon.

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$471	\$449
Child	\$236	\$225
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	November 1	0800
Return	November 3	1800
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Joal Fadiouth and shell cemetery Visit to small villages and towns Exploration of Saloum River Delta by boat 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 10		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 100		



Day 1: (L, D)

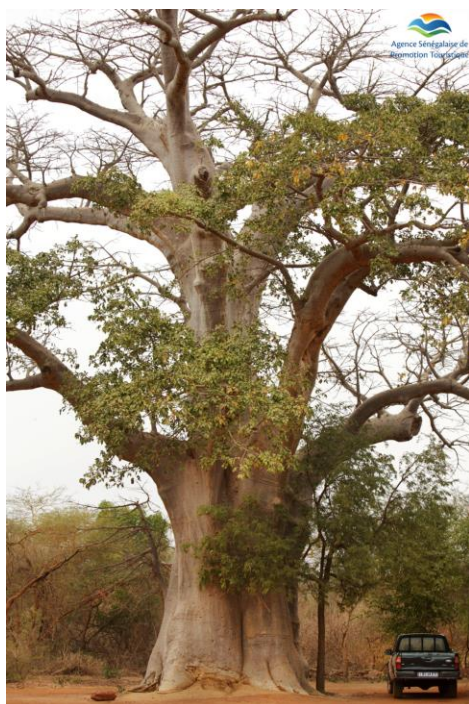
- leave Dakar for Joal Fadiouth
- arrive in Joal; visit shell cemetery; meet council of elders in Fadiouth
- lunch at Le Finio
- continue to Foundiougne; visit Serer villages
- arrive Toubacouta; dinner with folklore dances and overnight Keur Saloum Lodge

Day 2: (B, L, D)

- Saloum river tour to include: bird sanctuaries; Niominka fisherman village
- barbeque on deserted island beach
- visit other sites in Saloum Delta and Missirah to meet traditional healer
- return to hotel for dinner and overnight

Day 3: (B,L)

- After breakfast begin return journey to Dakar. Stop in Fatick.
- Lunch in Ndagane with free time to relax on the beach
- return to Dakar



La Petite Cote is a coastal area between Dakar and the Saloum River Delta with beautiful beaches, seaside resorts and fishing villages.

Leave Dakar for the traditional Wolof village of Bambilor. Meet the Village Chief and notables and learn about the meaning and process of a Wolof naming ceremony from the village griot (traditional historian). About noon, leave Bambilor for the National Park of Bandia. Enjoy lunch in Bandia in the baobab forest of Sindia. The rangers of the park will share their knowledge about park residents such as green vervet monkeys, giraffes, gazelles, the rare Elands, wart-hogs, and rhinos. In the park you will also see the millennium old baobab trees that mark the final resting place of celebrated Serer story tellers. Arrive in Saly towards the end of the afternoon. Accommodations are at the hotel “Les Bougainvillées”. Enjoy dinner with folklore dances.

After breakfast at the hotel, leave for a visit of Joal and Fadiouth. On the way, visit the fishermen town of Mbour. Upon arrival in Joal, in dug-out canoes, visit the granaries on piles and the shell cemetery. Visit the island village of Fdiouth where you will meet the “Council of Elders” for a talk on “the Elders in the Senegalese society”. You will have lunch in Joal followed by a traditional naming ceremony in a native Serer village of the “Petite Côte”. Return to the ship in the late afternoon.

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$356	\$339
Child	\$178	\$170
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	November 1	0900
Return	November 2	1600
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bandia Nature Reserve • Petite Cote town of Saly • Joal and Fadiouth • Serer naming ceremony 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 10		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 150		

Day 1: (L, D)

- depart ship for Wolof village of Bambilor. Learn about naming ceremony
- head to Bandia Reserve
- lunch in Bandia in baobab forest
- arrive in Saly. Accommodation at Les Bougainvillées. Dinner with folklore dances

Day 2: (B,L)

- leave for Joal and Fadiouth with stop in Mbour. Visit shell cemetery, Fadiouth island to meet Council of Elders
- lunch In Joal
- naming ceremony in Serrer Village
- return to ship

The Nikolo-Koba National Park is an endangered UNESCO World Heritage site located along the banks of the Gambia River in south-eastern Senegal. It is very rich in fauna including Derby elands, chimpanzees, lions, leopards and a large population of elephants as well as many birds, reptiles and amphibians.

Leave Dakar in the morning and drive to the Eastern part of Senegal. On the way, visit traditional native villages of different ethnic groups. Visit the medicine center of Malango and meet traditional healers. After lunch in Kaolack, proceed to Tambacounda visiting Fulani villages. Arrive in Tambacounda and visit the market rich in local handicraft. Proceed toward Niokolo Park for dinner and overnight at Wassadou Camp.



After an early breakfast at the camp, head out on a safari in the park to discover its fauna: various monkeys, gazelles, buffaloes, Derby elands, wart-hogs, hippos etc...

Return to the camp at noon for lunch. In the late afternoon take another safari in the other side of the park. You will have dinner and overnight at the camp.

After breakfast, begin the trek back to Dakar, stopping at Soninke village to visit a traditional rural market, always picturesque and alive. Enjoy lunch in Ndangane on the Saloum river and arrive back in Dakar late in the afternoon.

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$503	\$479
Child	\$251	\$240
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	November 1	0700
Return	November 3	1800
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ethnic villages Market in Tambacounda Safaris in Nikolo-Koba Park 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 10		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 50		



Day 1: (L, D)

- leave Dakar for Eastern Senegal
- visit traditional medicine center of Malango
- lunch in Kaolack
- continue to Tambacounda visiting Fulani Villages on the way and stop at handicraft market.
- arrive Nikolo Park with dinner and overnight at Wassadou Camp

Day 2: (B, L, D)

- early breakfast at camp
- safari in park
- lunch at camp
- afternoon safari in another part of the park
- Dinner and overnight at the camp

Day 3: (B,L)

- depart for Dakar with stop at Soninke Village
- lunch in Ndangane
- arrive in Dakar

DAK 104-201
PINK LAKE AND VILLAGE VISIT GROUP A
FULL DAY

About 20 miles north of Dakar, you will find a marvel of nature known throughout the world as Pink Lake Retba. It is famous for its remarkable pinkish color water due to a micro-organism and its high salt density, one of the highest in the world. Depending on the intensity of the sun rays, the color may even turn to purple. Lake Retba was also the final stage of the world famous "Paris -Dakar" Car Rally. Around the lake, different ethnic groups



have developed different ways of living. You will visit one of the villages traveling across the sand dunes surrounding the lake. A ceremony with traditional songs, dances and Senegalese wrestling will take place to honor your visit and to allow you to experience authentic Senegalese hospitality.

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$86	\$82
Child	\$43	\$41
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	November 1	0900
Return	November 1	1700
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit of the Pink Lake • Lunch at Keur Salim restaurant near the lake • A 4-wheel drive through the sand dunes and wild beach 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 15		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 200		

DAK 105-201
DAKAR ART WORKSHOP
FULL DAY


Sand painting and Under-glass painting are the two main popular arts in Senegal. With much creativity, Senegalese artists have developed these art forms to achieve international recognition. The program begins with a short panoramic orientation tour of

Dakar. Upon arrival at the Sand Painting gallery you will meet the artists and start your sand painting course. You will be provided with all that is necessary to make your own sand painting that is yours to keep after the lesson.



Next, you will drive to Loutcha's restaurant of Dakar where you will enjoy a Senegalese lunch. After lunch, you will head to the popular district of Medina to meet your masters of under-glass painting. You will make your own painting to take home with you.

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$94	\$90
Child	\$47	\$45
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	November 1	0900
Return	November 1	1700
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lessons in sand painting and under-glass painting • Lunch in local restaurant • Take home your work of art 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 15		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 100		



Leave Dakar for the one hour drive to the National Park of Bandia. The rangers of the park will share their knowledge about park residents such as green vervet monkeys, giraffes, gazelles, the rare Elands, wart-hogs, and rhinos. In the park you will also see the millennium old baobab trees that mark the final resting place of celebrated Serer story tellers. After visiting Bandia you will travel to the beautiful seaside resort town of Saly. Enjoy lunch in a local restaurant followed by free time to relax on the beach or explore the town.

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$94	\$90
Child	\$47	\$45
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	November 1	0830
Return	November 1	1700
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Banida Nature Reserve Lunch In Saly Free time to explore 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 11		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 250		



Leave Dakar for Keur Moussa in the northern outskirts of the Senegalese capital. In this small Serer Village is the Benedictine monastery of Keur Moussa. Mass is celebrated accompanied by traditional African music and the Gregorian songs are replaced by

songs from the local folklore, mainly Serer. You will have the opportunity to attend the Sunday mass.

After the mass, you will proceed to the Serer Village for lunch in a local restaurant and in the afternoon you will attend a demonstration of Serer dances accompanied by songs and music typical of this ethnic group.

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$93	\$89
Child	\$47	\$44
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	November 1	0800
Return	November1	1430
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mass at Keur Moussa Lunch in a local restaurant Cultural performance 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 11		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 300		

One of the most famous restaurants in Dakar is “Just 4U” frequented by Senegalese artists, musicians, singers, sculptors, painters and writers. The setting is an outdoor covered patio and the atmosphere is friendly and laid-back. Enjoy a 3 course dinner with a live performance from a popular Senegalese singer or band. Take advantage of the opportunity to meet and interact with local members of the artistic scene.

Please Note: If you chose to linger after the SAS bus leaves, you are responsible for your own transportation back to the ship.

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$49	\$46
Child	\$24	\$23
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	November 1	1930
Return	November 1	2330
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 course dinner • Live performance • Senegalese artistic scene 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 11		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 30		

DAY 3: Monday, November 2



This full day program provides the opportunity to see the Great Mosque of Touba as well as Thies, the third largest city in Senegal known world-wide for its African tapestries.

Leave Dakar for the 3 hours ride to Touba founded by Cheikh Ahmadou Bamba in 1887. Upon arrival in Touba, a Serigne, a member of the Khalif's family, will welcome you. He will then conduct your tour of the Great Mosque with its very impressive decorations of silver, gold and crystal. You will attend a lecture on the “Mourid Brotherhood” and the life of Cheikh Ahmadou Bamba. Lunch will be hosted by a dignitary of Touba.

After lunch, you will head to Thies. Visit the rich market of Thies with medicinal herbs and colorful African fabrics. You will have the opportunity to meet healers and herbalists and to engage in discussion with them.

Please Note: Conservative attire required to enter the Mosque. No bare legs or shoulders are allowed and women should have a head cover.

STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$110	\$105
Child	\$55	\$53
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	November 2	0700
Return	November 2	1900
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tour of the Great Mosque with a member of the Khalif's family • Lunch hosted by a dignitary of Touba • Thies market 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 11		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 100		

This program will show you one of the most authentic and deepest aspects of Senegal life: its culture through artistic expression. Begin with a visit to the IFAN Museum with pieces from ancient West African kingdoms and empires as well as traditional African religious pieces. Your visit to the museum is guided by an African Art specialist. Next, you will observe the techniques used in Senegalese sand painting and under-glass painting. These art forms are considered “Art Naif” and examples can be found in most Senegalese houses and public buildings. You will then head to the Kenbourny Art gallery with exhibits of ancient masks and statues from various ethnic groups.

The next stop is the Almadies district, a gathering place for Senegalese artists, to enjoy lunch in a very artistic environment. After lunch, you will head to the Art Village where you will be welcomed by folklore and ballet dancers. Visit the artists’ workshops to see their work and to engage in discussion with them. Your last stop of the day will be the National Art Gallery featuring contemporary Senegalese artists.



STANDARD PRICE		Early Booking
Adult	\$93	\$89
Child	\$47	\$44
TIME		
	Date	Time
Depart	November 2	0900
Return	November 2	1630
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ifan Museum • The Art Village • Kembourny and National Art Galleries • Sand painting and under-glass painting 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 10		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 100		

Please Note: Shorts and mini-skirts are not forbidden during this tour but they are not recommended.

Day 4: Tuesday, November 3

IMPORTANT: If you registered in one of the following courses, you have a field lab on this day. Do not make any other travel plans as this is a designated class day in port for your course:

COURSE#	FACULTY	DAY 4 Tuesday, 3 November
SEMS 2500 106	Professor Mary Ropka	Fundamentals of Epidemiology

DAK 104-401

PINK LAKE & VILLAGE FEAST GROUP B

FULL DAY

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throughout the world as Pink Lake Retba. It is famous for its remarkable pinkish color water due to a micro-organism and its high salt density, one of the highest in the world. Depending on the intensity of the sun rays, the color may even turn

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	Date	Time
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Return	November 3	1700
HIGHLIGHTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit of the Pink Lake • Lunch at Keur Salim restaurant near the lake • A 4-wheel drive through the sand dunes and wild beach • Celebration at the village of Bambilor 		
MINIMUM REGISTRATION: 15		
MAXIMUM CAPACITY: 200		