

A Peaceful Journey to the High Seas

Raja Ampat Expedition

12 Day 11 Nights

Welcome, to the Peaceful Intrepid!

Welcome onboard!

On behalf of the Aman family, I am pleased to welcome you to your Aman Indonesia journey through Amandira.

We have suggested an itinerary for you to make the most of your stay and get a feeling for Indonesia's unique experience and setting, a retreat into the history, culture, and spectacular scenery of Indonesia. Of course, we also hope that you will take time to relax and experience our yacht in your own way.

Amandira is thrilled to welcome guests on board for a venture through Raja Ampat. Known as the Four Kings, these 40,000 square kilometres of the Indonesian archipelago in the northeast seas are where the Pacific and Indian Oceans collide.

These nutrient-rich waters nurture magnificent coral reefs and marine life unlike anywhere else. Scuba diving around Raja Ampat is an exceptional experience: spy over 1,300 species of fish and hundreds of hard corals – three-quarters of all known types of coral flourish here, as well as scores of mantis shrimp and rare mammals.

As beautiful above water as it is below, the islands are cloaked in exotic flora and fauna such as karst forests of endangered orchids – look up to see sea eagles and the famed birds of paradise. Explore the hidden jungle caves of Tolomol, kayak through giant sea caverns and discover the treasures of a pearl farm, too.

Tailor-made Journeys

Kindly note that this itinerary is provided as a sample for inspiration of the region and experiences that are possible aboard an Aman Private Yacht. Prior to embarkation, guests will have the opportunity to discuss specifics with their Cruise Director to ensure that the experience is catered to specific interests and expectations.

If there are any activities in would like to partake beyond what is detailed, or if you have any special requests, please do not hesitate to let our guest assistants know.

We're delighted to have you here and wish you a fantastic trip with us.

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Day One

Arrival

Day Two

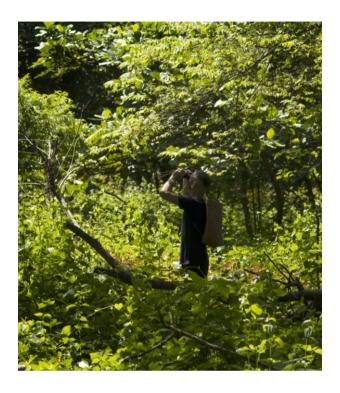
Bird Watching



Embark on Amandira

Your journey begins as you embark on Amandira in Sorong, West Papua. Once the crew has welcomed you aboard your new home and you've comfortably sttled in, enjoy a sumptuous breakfast as we cruise away from the hustle and bustle of the city.

After a short rest from the overnight flight, arrive and dive at Mioskon gardens for your first dive or snorkel. Later enjoy the thousands of bats departing 'bat island' to nearby Waigeo after sunset and rest early ahead of the next morning's activities.



Birds of Paradise

Depart early morning to see your choice of either the red Bird of Paradise or the Wilson's Bird of paradise – two of the mythical bird species which have captivated the globe for centuries and helped to drive the discovery of Biology's greatest theory – evolution by natural selection.

After re-embarking head to Cape Kri for a dive or snorkel before continuing on to the tiny village island of Arborek. Take a short walk to view this picturesque village, then snorkel at their famous jetty to see many fish and even a possibility of Manta rays.

Day Three

Beach Hoping



Wayag Lagoon

Awake, as we enter the gates of Wayag. This iconic and remote location is a place that will live forever in your memory with its paradise beaches and multi-hued waters.

Spend the day beach hoping and exploring endless labyrinth of dreamy lagoons by kayak, paddleboard or dinghy, or hit some of the dive sites on the outside. In the evening allow us to prepare our unique Aman style beach BBQ you won't be ready to forget.

Day Four

Hiking and Diving



Encounters with Mantas

Waking once more in Wayag, take the short but slightly challenging hike up to the top of Mount Pindito for the most stunning panoramic of all Raja Ampat, perhaps even catching the sunrise. Bring your sturdy shoes for this climb up the sharp coral rocks-but it's totally worth it for the early morning views.

Enjoy breakfast as we cruise back south moving towards the equator and "Eagle Rock", a famous Manta ray cleaning station. Shortly after lunch we'll lift the sails so you can admire and enjoy Amandira in all it's splendor as your cruise southwards through the night towards Penemu and the Fam islands.

Day Five

Paddleboarding

Day Six

Exploration



Landscape of Baibulol

Awake with the imposing black limestone landscape of Balbulol. Enjoy the morning diving one of many lively sites before lunch.

When the heat dissipates, hop in the tender to go explore the dreamy maze of lagoons taking advantage paddleboards. After a few cocktails and canapes, have dinner al fresco in the moonlight.



A Day of Relaxation & Exploration

Behold for a day of mysterious cave exploration in Farondi both above and below the water! After superb brunch, continue unravelling its deepest secrets the area has to offer.

If you haven't night dived yet, the calm waters with an unimaginable diversity will be the perfect place to try. After dinner, we'll comfortably set you up for stargazing on the top deck

Day Seven

Stingless Jelly Fish

Day Eight

Full Bloom



Private Paradise

Enjoy a light breakfast before we take off to visit a hidden stingless jelly fish lake. On the way back from this rare sight, we'll stop at a stunning white powder sand island where you'll feel alone in the world.

During lunch we relocate towards a pearl farm for our next adventure. That afternoon. We'll explore a massive cathedral like cave by kayak.



Kaleidoscopic Reef

This morning finds us in Pele at the famed Kaleidoscope reef. Conditions permitting, watch as the crew pull up the sails and experience Amandira in full bloom.

Hop in the tender and distance yourself from the vessel to get a full picture of Amandira in all its splendors! For the evening, let the crew prepare a special beach BBQ with all Aman's hallmarks.

Day Nine

Diving

Day Ten

Dining



Raja Ampat

Awake at the celebrated Four Kings pinnacles awaiting your exploration. A bit later we'll reach the ideal spot for anyone wanting try diving for the first time.

After lunch, let yourself drift away along Neptune's channel either snorkeling or diving. After some rest, we'll have the opportunity to hike to view an otherworldly heart shape lagoon from high above.



Secret Dinner

Kick off the day with the revered Shadow reef with a chance to spot giant manta rays cruising through.

During breakfast we'll slowly make our way towards your exclusive beach set up where you'll be comfortably nestled to lounge below the umbrellas soaking in the beauty. At dusk, jump in for an exhilarating sunset dive before dinner below the stars.

Day Eleven

Beach Day

Day Twelve

Departure



Drift Diving

Wake up early and indulge in some of the top dive sites in remote Daram. We'll later take you to the most beautiful of beaches for you to lounge or perhaps enjoy a massage in the shade.

During your final night, indulge with a special feast and performance not to be forgotten.



Debarkation in Sorong

Once you've had breakfast, disembark after a heartfelt farewell from the crew. We'll accompany you to the airport for your onwards travels at the end of the most unique and memorable of journeys aboard yours truly, Amandira.



















Terms and Conditions

The above itineraries are proposed day-by-day activities during expedition at Amandira. Itineraries are custom-made and tailor-made to suit your convenient.

Preferred routes of tour can be discussed when you are here. For more information, please contact Amandira team at aman.voyages@aman.com

Other facilities and services

The Ship

Inspired by the Phinisi sailing vessels of old, twin-masted Amandira was custom designed then handcrafted from local hardwoods by Konjo artisans. Travelling under sail as well as by motor, she combines the ancient romance of the spice trade with cutting-edge contemporary amenities. Offering three spacious king-bed cabins and two bunk bed cabins, Amandira can accommodate up to 10 guests. The three king-bed cabins each have a living area, as well as a large bathroom with a shower and twin vanities.

The Crew

Amandira's crew of 14 includes a private chef and waiters, a dive master and a spa therapist, each of whom is accomplished at providing intuitive, seamless service. Experienced guides accompany guests onshore and can arrange kayaking and hiking expeditions. Amandira caters to weddings, honeymoons and other special events.

- Underwater Exploration

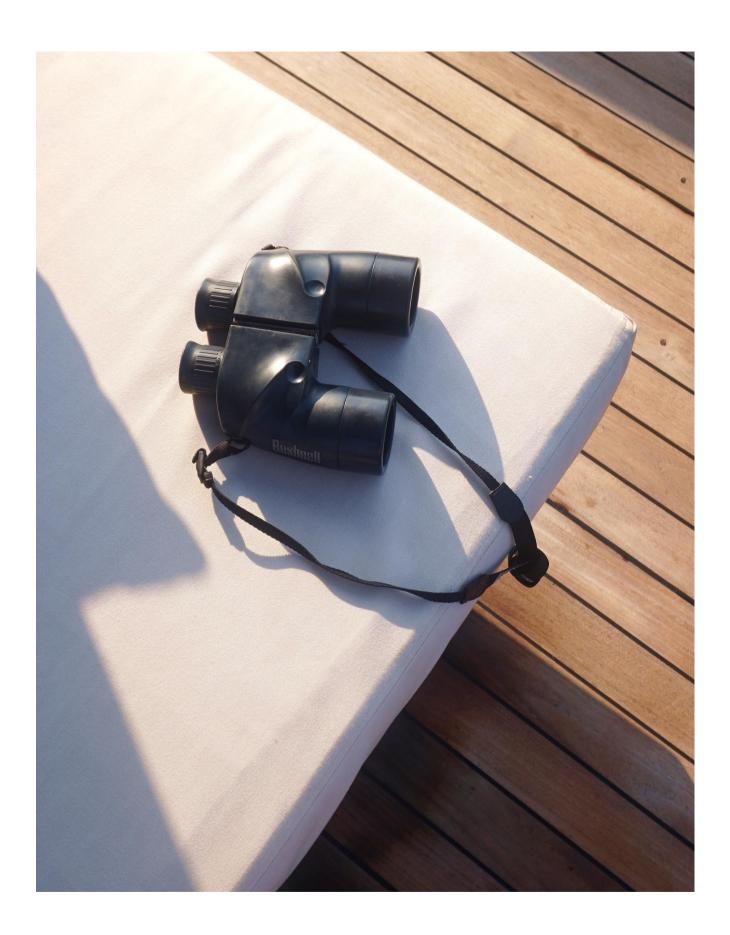
State-of-the-art onboard diving equipment includes nitrox, which enables experienced divers to enjoy more time exploring the region's exceptional dive sites. New divers have the opportunity to gain PADI certifications under the guidance of a certified instructor.

A Culinary Journey

The yacht offers multiple dining options – al fresco evenings under the stars on the front deck, covered dining in the galley or once-in-a-lifetime destinations on deserted beaches surrounded by crystalline seas.

Wellness Onboard

From on-board massages to yoga on the beach, wellness with Aman translates beautifully onto the high seas. Amandira features an onboard masseur and a broad sundeck for sun salutations, and meals can be catered for a wellness-focused menu. Specialty wellness cruises are also available for bespoke foci and interests.



Our Aman Voyages team are always available to help you with your travel planning from booking a single night to multi-resort itineraries.

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