

How to Enroll

Please call Road Scholar toll free at (800) 322-5315 and reference Program #3734, "Canadian Odyssey: Quebec City to Toronto," from Aug. 20-30, 2018 and say that you are a member of Cincinnati OLLI.

Enrollment Deadline is Friday, December 1, 2017.

Program Prices Per Person

Double-occupancy price: \$2,599

Single-occupancy price: \$3,369

Registration & Cancellation Information

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Cancel Schedule:

Should you need to cancel from this program, please refer to the chart below for schedule and refund information.

Payment Schedule	
Deposit Payment <i>(due upon enrollment)</i>	\$250
Final payment due	June 4, 2018
Cancellation Policy	
Fee per person	
Cancel 67 days prior to program start date <i>(applies after date of enrollment)</i>	\$250
Cancel 66 to 30 days prior to program start date <i>(applies after June 15, 2018)</i>	50% of order total
Cancel less than 30 days prior to program start date <i>(applies after July 22, 2018)</i>	100% of order total
<i>Non-attendance fee will be applied if you do not call Road Scholar Participant Services at least one business day prior to the program start date. (applies after Aug. 19, 2018)</i>	100% of order total

* Road Scholar recommends that you purchase the optional Trip Protection Plan to protect your investment.

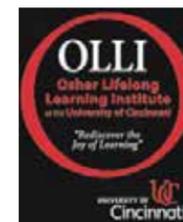
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An Exclusive Learning Adventure for Cincinnati OLLI Members

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Experience Canada

Overview

Discover the grand beauty and historical significance of some of the great cities of Eastern Canada: Québec City, the last walled city in the Americas north of Mexico; Montréal, a cosmopolitan center of culture; Ottawa, the national capital; and Toronto, the largest city in Canada. Compare the distinctive architecture and mood of each city. Explore grand cathedrals, stroll cobblestone streets and visit world-class museums. And enjoy discussions with local experts on the history, culture and art of Canada.

Activity Rating:  Keep the Pace

Walking up to two miles per day; uneven surfaces, cobblestones; some hills and stairs; some standing in museums and historic sites.

Highlights

- Visit the magnificent Notre Dame Basilica, a masterpiece of Gothic revival architecture.
- Discover upper and lower town in Old Quebec, exploring fortifications that date from 1745.
- Journey from Ottawa's Parliament Hill to Old Town Toronto and the historic St. Lawrence Market.

About Our Lodging

Hotel Manoir Victoria, 3 nights
European-style hotel, situated inside the walls and in the heart of historic Old Québec.

Holiday Inn Select Montreal Centre-Ville, 2 nights
Centrally located hotel.

Novotel Hotel, 2 nights
Located in the heart of the nation's capital – close to Parliament, the National Arts Centre, and the National Gallery

Courtyard by Marriott Toronto (Downtown), 3 nights
Large, full-service hotel.

This Ten Day Adventure through Canada Includes

- 10 Nights of accommodations
- 24 Meals (10 Breakfasts, 8 Lunches, 6 Dinners)
- 6 Expert-led lectures
- 16 Field trips
- 1 Performance
- Group travel and transfers throughout the program
- A Group Leader to accompany you throughout the program to handle all logistics
- Modest gratuities, taxes and destination fees
- Road Scholar Assurance Plan, which provides 24-hour assistance in the event of an emergency during your program and insurance for emergency medical evacuation

About Road Scholar

This Canadian Odyssey experience is offered through **Road Scholar**, formerly known as Elderhostel, a not-for-profit organization founded in 1975. Road Scholar inspires adults to learn, discover and travel. Our learning adventures open minds to new ideas and deepen understanding of oneself and of the world's peoples, places, cultures, history and environments. A true university of the world, Road Scholar's meaningful — often transformational — educational adventures engage people for whom learning is the journey of a lifetime.

Trip Itinerary

Day 1: Monday, August 20 Check-in, Registration, Orientation, Welcome Dinner

Check-in begins at 3:00, followed by Program Orientation and Welcome Dinner.

Day 2: Tuesday, August 21 Quebec History, Walking in Old Quebec, Ursuline Museum

A presentation will introduce us to the history of Quebec City followed by an expert-led walk through Old Québec to enhance the lecture and provide an excellent overview of Québec City. Learn about the principal historical events that occurred here. Following lunch, explore the Ursulines Convent and Museum with a museum expert and learn about the educational mission of the Ursuline nuns and their way of life. The Chapel dates from the early 20th century and preserves the interior decor of the original 1730s chapel. Tonight, enjoy dinner at a local restaurant.

Day 3: Wednesday, August 22 Quebec's Evolution, Plains of Abraham, Musée des Beaux Arts

A presentation at the hotel will look at Quebec's evolution, from a traditional to a modern society. Then travel by coach to National Battlefields Park, also known as the Plains of Abraham with commentary provided by our local expert. Then, visit Musée National des Beaux Arts du Québec for an exploration of the exhibits with a museum expert. Dinner tonight will be on your own to explore local cuisine.

Day 4: Thursday, August 23 Coach to Montreal, City Exploration, Pointe-a-Calliere

Coach to Montreal to pick up our local expert and explore the landmarks and historic sites of Montreal by coach. Following lunch, embark on an expert-led exploration of the birthplace of Montréal, Pointe-à-Callière Museum. Pointe-à-Callière delves into the past to foster a debate on urban issues both local and global, and to encourage us to reflect on the future. Dinner this evening will be at a local restaurant.

Day 5: Friday, August 24 Notre Dame Basilica, Walking in Old Montreal

Enjoy a visit to the magnificent Notre Dame Basilica, a jewel of Montreal. This masterpiece of Gothic revival architecture is renowned for its interior, sculpted in wood, paint and gold leaf. Following lunch, explore the architectural history of the city, walking the cobbled streets of Old Montreal with a local expert. Dinner is on your own tonight to explore local cuisine.

Day 6: Saturday, August 25 Museum of History, Ottawa Highlights

After breakfast, check out and depart by coach for Ottawa, Canada's capital city. Explore this country's cultural and architectural treasures

with curatorial staff at the Canadian Museum of History. Explore the history of Canada's Aboriginal peoples, learn about their fight for cultural survival and admire the wealth of their contributions to Canadian society. Following lunch at the Museum, explore Ottawa on a coach exploration with a local expert.

Day 7: Sunday, August 26 Canada's National Capital, Parliament Hill, Boat Cruise

This morning's presentation will focus on Ottawa, the nation's capital, and the evolution of Canada from colonial days to the present day. Then visit Canada's Parliament Buildings and the center stage of Canadian democracy on an expert-led visit through the Centre Block. From the top of the Peace Tower, get an incredible view of Ottawa, the Rideau Canal, the Ottawa River and the Gatineau Hills beyond. Following lunch at a local restaurant, embark on a boat cruise on the Ottawa River. Dinner on your own this evening to explore local flavors.

Day 8: Monday, August 27 Transfer to Toronto, Fort Henry

This morning, depart by coach for Toronto with a stop in historic Kingston, Canada's first capital. Step back in time as we explore the grounds and buildings of Fort Henry National Historic Site, part of a UNESCO World Heritage Site, with a local expert. Fort Henry is the largest fortification west of Quebec City. Once inside the fortification's wooden gates visitors enter a marvelous reproduction of 19th-century military life. Following lunch at Fort Henry, travel to Toronto, and check in to our hotel in the late afternoon followed by dinner at the hotel.

Day 9: Tuesday, August 28 Old Town Toronto, Market, Elgin Winter Garden Theatre

Join Bruce Bell, a local Torontonion, author and well-known historian for an entertaining and enlightening presentation on the city of Toronto, past and present, and how it went from here to there. Then set out on foot to discover the city on foot. Explore Old Town Toronto with stops at St. Lawrence Hall, Toronto's First Post Office (1834), St. James Cathedral as well as various historical sites along the way. Following lunch, enjoy an exploration of the beautiful Elgin and Winter Garden Theatre with a local expert. Dinner on your own this evening to enjoy local fancy.

Day 10: Wednesday, August 29 Royal Ontario Museum, Free Afternoon

This morning, travel by public transit to the Royal Ontario Museum for an exploration with a museum expert. Enjoy lunch on your own followed by some free time to explore the city. Tonight, we will reconvene for our Farewell Dinner.

Day 11: Thursday, August 30 Program Concludes Following Breakfast