



Signature Sabbatical Itinerary: Indonesia

Introducing LiNGER

We are an independent travel company, specialising in tailor-made sabbatical travel and extended holidays throughout the world.

Whether you are a solo traveller on holiday, a family with children on sabbatical, friends seeking an epic break or a couple celebrating a milestone, we would be thrilled to plan your trip.

LiNGER was born out of a passion for travel and a desire to do a little more to help protect our planet. Our philosophy is to engage you in a richly authentic and contrasting travel experience which balances meaningful, active and altruistic experiences.

Our travellers LiNGER longer, travel responsibly, immerse themselves in the culture, absorb, engage and explore.

Call, e-mail or request a call-back from us. We love to talk about travel and inspire you with our knowledge.

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Introducing Indonesia

As a kaleidoscope of cultures, languages and landscapes spanning 17,000 islands, it's hard to pinpoint what makes Indonesia special but beautiful surf beaches, world-class dive spots, wildlife rich rainforest and active volcanoes make up a chunk of its highlights.

Java is the beating heart, where people and cultures define every experience, from adventures across the patchwork of rice paddies to the capital city, Jakarta, and the impressive temple of Borobudur. Perhaps better known are the islands of Bali and Lombok, famed for their beaches, while the white sands and coral reefs of the Gili Islands attract snorkellers and divers in abundance.

Indonesia also offers unforgettable wildlife encounters - watch orangutans and macaques along the banks of the rivers and lumbering komodo dragons emerging from the trees. Whether exploring one island or ten, you're bound to have a reason to return.

How to Get to Indonesia

You can travel here by ferry from Malaysia and Singapore. Most will fly here though and arrive at Jakarta (Sukarno-Hatta) or Bali (Ngurah Rai), Indonesia's 2 busiest airports. There are other international hubs too. Direct flights from the UK take approx. 15 hours; from the US, expect around 18 hours.

Once here, you can island hop by ferry or a domestic flight. Within the islands themselves, expect to travel by bus, boat or train. Delays are common, whichever means of travel you choose, so keep your schedule flexible.

When & Weather – Indonesia

The whole archipelago is tropical, generally hot, humid and sunny. As a rule of thumb, May to October is the Dry Season and November is wetter.

Temperatures range between 17°C (75°F) and 33°C (62°F).

Who will Indonesia Appeal To?

Indonesia's stunning natural scenery and fascinating mix of cultures is particularly suited to: Honeymooners - Culture lovers - Adventure lovers - Families - Solo travellers - Keen photographers

Accommodation

We work with luxury hotels, boutique guesthouses, villa rentals, beautiful beach resorts and simpler beach cabanas.

Off The Beaten Path –

There's world-class surf at the tiny fishing village of Grajagan on Java
Dive amongst pristine corals at Raja Ampat

Lake Sentani on Papua is home to indigenous tribes with fascinating traditions.

Watch the Bajau people free dive in Kabalutan.

Wildlife

Indonesia is one of 17 'megadiverse' countries in the world.

The world's smallest primate, the nocturnal tarsier, clings to the trees in Sulawesi.

Spot wild elephants and tigers in the Sumatran jungles

Watch Komodo dragons wrestle in Komodo National Park

Indonesia Experiences you shouldn't miss

Visiting Bali's rice terraces and artisanal shops.

Climbing Gunung Rinjani rising above turquoise crater lakes (Lombok).

Just offshore from Lombok are the blissfully unspoilt Gili Islands

Exploring the volcanic landscapes of Bromo-Tengger-Semeru National Park (Java)



Life Experiences & Encounters in Indonesia



Indonesia - Journey Map



Flight Details

Day	Airline & Flight Number	Departure City	Departure Time	Arrival City	Arrival Time	Class	Baggage Allowance	Journey Time
1				YOGYAKARTA		TBC		
8		SEMARANG		KARIMUN JAWA		ECONOMY		40 MINS
11		KARIMUN JAWA		SEMARANG		ECONOMY		40 MINS
12		SEMARANG		KALIMANTAN		ECONOMY		1 HR 10 MINS
14		KALIMANTAN		SURABAYA		ECONOMY		1 HR 40 MINS
40		LOMBOK		LABUAN BAJO		ECONOMY		1 HR 15 MINS
45		LABUAN BAJO		DENPASAR		ECONOMY		1 HR
45		DENPASAR		SUMBA		ECONOMY		1 HR
50		SUMBA		DENPASAR		ECONOMY		30 MINS
50		DENPASAR				TBC		

Your trip in a nutshell

Day 1

Arrive in Yogyakarta and road transfer to your beautiful resort. Check in for a 3-night stay and spend the rest of the day at leisure *Plataran Borobudur Resort & Spa*

Day 2

Day at leisure to enjoy the extensive facilities at the resort *Plataran Borobudur Resort & Spa*

Day 3

Sunrise over Borobudur Temple, the world's largest Buddhist temple & visit to a traditional Javanese village *Plataran Borobudur Resort & Spa*

Day 4

Day at leisure & transfer by road further into the lush landscapes of Central Java. Check in at MesaStila for a 4-night stay *MesaStila Resort & Spa*

Day 5

Cycle through Javanese countryside to the Majapahit Royal Baths for a relaxing dip *MesaStila Resort & Spa*

Day 6

Journey by traditional cog steam train through rice fields & plantations *MesaStila Resort & Spa*

Day 7

Day at leisure to relax at the resort *MesaStila Resort & Spa*

Day 8

Fly to the Karimunjawa archipelago, a national marine park. Continue by boat to your private island resort & check in for a 3-night stay *Kura Kura Resort*

Day 9

Day on Robinson Crusoe Island, a tiny uninhabited islet with beautiful beaches *Kura Kura Resort*

Day 10

Day at leisure for snorkelling, sunbathing & relaxing *Kura Kura Resort*

Day 11

Fly back to Semarang for 1 night. Day at leisure to explore Central Java's capital *Gumaya Tower Hotel*

Day 12

Morning flight to Kalimantan. Board a 2-night river cruise through the Bornean rainforest & look out for proboscis monkeys *Private Deluxe Houseboat*

Day 13

Observe an incredible array of wildlife as you cruise along the river and trek through Kalimantan's jungle *Private Deluxe Houseboat*

Day 14

Disembark your houseboat and fly to Surabaya, continuing to Malang. Check in for 2 nights and spend the evening at leisure in this laidback city *Tugu Malang Hotel*

Day 15

Explore the highlights of Malang by bike, learning about the Dutch-colonial history and visiting some of the most important Hindu temples *Tugu Malang Hotel*

Day 16

Cycle through villages to the ornate temples of Jago and Kidal. Stop for lunch by a waterfall and end at the volcanic crater of Mount Bromo *Plataran Bromo Resort*

Day 17

Soak in sunrise over Mount Bromo and trek through a beautiful valley to the eternal waterfall *Plataran Bromo Resort*

Day 18

Enjoy sunset over Mount Bromo, admiring the crater from another nearby peak for an alternative view *Plataran Bromo Resort*

Day 19

Morning at leisure and train to Banyuwangi on the eastern coast of Java *Ijen Resort*

Day 20

Hike to the crater of active volcano, Mount Ijen, where you can see blue-coloured flames emerge from the crater *Ijen Resort*

Your trip in a nutshell

Day 21

Enjoy a safari-style experience on the savannahs of Baluran National Park
Ijen Resort

Day 22

Take the ferry to Bali and continue to your resort in the West Bali National Park, home to a mix of ecosystems and beautiful beaches
Plataran Menjangan Resort

Day 23

Explore some of the best snorkel or dive spots off the coast of Menjangan Island
Plataran Menjangan Resort

Day 24

Become a park ranger for the day as you hike through West Bali National Park, learning about conservation of the different ecosystems
Plataran Menjangan Resort

Day 25

Day at leisure to enjoy the facilities and water activities available at the resort
Plataran Menjangan Resort

Day 26

Road transfer to Ubud, stopping to explore the lakes, volcanoes and rainforest at Lake Tamblingan
COMO Uma Ubud Resort

Day 27

Cycling adventure through Ubud's rural villages, visiting a mandarin plantation, temples and artist studios. Afternoon white water rafting
COMO Uma Ubud Resort

Day 28

Experience a traditional purification ceremony at Sala Waterfall
COMO Uma Ubud Resort

Day 29

Spend the day with a Balinese priest in his local village and learn about the local culture. Enjoy a cookery lesson in the home of a local
COMO Uma Ubud Resort

Day 30

Road transfer to the rural village of Sidemen which overlooks a lush valley. Check in for a 3-night stay. Rest of the day at leisure
Wapa di Ume Sidemen Hotel

Day 31

Challenging trek through Sidemen's rice terraces to the viewpoint at Temple Hill
Wapa di Ume Sidemen Hotel

Day 32

Downhill cycling through beautiful valley scenery, visiting villages, observing local weavers and sampling local fruits
Wapa di Ume Sidemen Hotel

Day 33

Board a speed boat to the surf paradise of Lombok & check in for 1 night, spending the rest of the day relaxing
Hotel Tugu Lombok

Day 34

Day 1 of Mount Rinjani Trek, crossing savannah to reach your campground overlooking a volcanic crater
Mount Rinjani Camping

Day 35

Day 2 of Mount Rinjani Trek, departing early to reach the summit for incredible, far-reaching views
Mount Rinjani Camping

Day 36

Day 3 of Mount Rinjani Trek, descending through the rainforest to the village of Senaru. Return to your hotel for a 4-night stay
Hotel Tugu Lombok

Day 37

Day at leisure to enjoy the beach at the hotel or head out and explore Lombok's many natural attractions
Hotel Tugu Lombok

Day 38

Snorkelling adventure out on the rich coral reefs of the Gili Islands
Hotel Tugu Lombok

Day 39

Day at leisure on the beaches of Lombok
Hotel Tugu Lombok

Day 40

Fly to Labuan Bajo and board your private liveaboard for a 5-night cruise, exploring Komodo Island, dive spots & rugged national parks
Kelana Private Boat Charter

Your trip in a nutshell

Day 41

Explore the vibrant sands of Pink Beach & trek across the island in search of Komodo dragons
Kelana Private Boat Charter

Day 42

Dive amongst manta rays and turtles at some of the island's best dive spots
Kelana Private Boat Charter

Day 43

Day at leisure on the large, deserted beaches of Padar Island
Kelana Private Boat Charter

Day 44

Final day of snorkelling and diving from secluded bays in the Komodo Islands
Kelana Private Boat Charter

Day 45

Disembark and fly to the wild island of Sumba for the final part of your trip
Nihi Sumba Resort

Day 46-49

Days at leisure to enjoy the facilities at Nihi and explore the rugged beauty of Sumba
Nihi Sumba Resort

Day 50

Depart Indonesia

Travelling Responsibly

At LiNGER we firmly believe that in travel we can do more to help protect our planet.

We take our responsibilities to the environment, local communities, customers, suppliers, partners and employees very seriously and our intention is to constantly review our policies and strive to make improvements where we can.

We offer the opportunity to Give Back by partaking in a meaningful activity in an area that matters to you or where you may have a skillset.

This could be as simple as a beach clean in Sri Lanka to help protect our oceans or caring for orphaned sloths in a wildlife sanctuary in Costa Rica.

LiNGER longer on a sabbatical and devote time to teaching in a village school in Nicaragua or help with a conservation project researching plant species in the Amazon. LiNGER and Enrich Life through Travel.

Our Responsible Travel Policy can be viewed on our website:

<https://linger.co.uk/responsible-travel/>



The Nitty Gritty

Included

- Accommodation on a double/twin basis
- Daily breakfast
- Other meals as described
- Local English speaking private guides
- Private and shared transfers with air-conditioned vehicles
- Entrance fees for included activities
- Private and small group excursions

Excluded

- International flights
- Domestic flights
- Visas
- Tips / Gratuities
- Items of a personal nature - minibar, laundry, etc
- Any activity listed as optional
- Early check-in & late check-out at all hotels
- Meals and drinks where not mentioned in the itinerary
- Travel Insurance

Quotation

- From £23,884.00 per person, based on two travelling together.

Booking Terms & Conditions:

www.linger.co.uk/terms-and-conditions/

Start Planning

Our experienced team will guide you through a number of ideas based on how you would like to experience Indonesia.

No matter how long you wish to travel, we'll guide you through the planning process to ensure a trip is carefully pieced together to suit your interests, pace of travel and budget.

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“Unrivalled, intimate knowledge of destinations way beyond the obvious, with a genuine focus on sustainability”.

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