

# **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

#### **Payment**

This workshop is costed in Euros and that is thus the only constant price due to the fluctuations of the exchange rate prices in other currencies.

In order to secure your place on this workshop a deposit of €1500,00, payable via wire transfer, is required. Please note that your spot on the workshop is not confirmed until we have received the deposit payment.

Full payment must be made 90 days prior to the start of the workshop when we will send out an invoice for the full amount to clients. If payment isn't received and we receive no communication from you within 7 days of sending the request for payment, we reserve the right to consider your booking as cancelled by the participant.

When booking within 90 days of the start of the workshop, immediate full payment will be required to secure your place. The sender assumes responsibility for all charges when making the transfer.

#### **Cancellation**

Up 32 days prior to departure all payments, including the deposit are fully refundable. If canceled within 32 days of the start of the workshop we will retain 50% of the deposit to cover non-refundable bookings with all the third parties (accommodation, transport, etc.) that will have been paid by us. The remaining 50% of the deposit and balance will be refunded. We are unable to offer any refund for participants who, for any reason, leave a workshop already in progress as we will already have made full payments towards accommodation, vehicle hire etc.

We reserve the right to cancel a workshop in case of insufficient enrolment which might make the tour financially unviable, or due to concerns about the potential safety and welfare of participants. In these instances we offer a full refund of all payments made to us (Andy Mumford or Andrea Livieri) by current participants of the workshop, or people who have cancelled within 7 days of our cancellation of the workshop. In the highly unlikely case that we need to cancel a trip in progress due to concerns about the safety and welfare of workshop participants, you will receive a refund proportional to the amount of time remaining on the workshop.

We aren't responsible for any refund of airline tickets purchased directly by the participant.

#### Health

This workshop is designed to be within the capabilities of the average person in good health. Participants will be required to walk over uneven terrain or trails and may occasionally need to hike to a destination while carrying their camera equipment. Any physical condition requiring special treatment should be communicated to us before enrolling in the workshop. If you have concerns about your own capabilities and/or fitness as it relates to this workshop, please contact us to clarify any uncertainties.

### **Itinerary**

While we will make every effort to follow the itinerary laid out in the workshop documentation, we reserves the right to make changes or modifications due to weather conditions or other unforeseen circumstances.

#### Insurance

We do not provide insurance and strongly recommend you take out adequate travel insurance, health insurance, accident insurance, mountain rescue insurance, personal liability insurance for the duration of your journey. This insurance should be valid for the location and time where and when the tour is to be held.

All participants to the workshops should be aware that by taking part in a tour you may run certain risks related to travel, transportation, outdoor activities, eventual remoteness of medical facilities, etc. You must therefore, bear all risks you may be involved with (injuries, property damage, death, medical expenses, repatriation expenses, transportation costs for abandonment of the tour, economic losses, etc.), and hereby release us and agree to not hold us responsible for any and all liability, actions, causes of actions, debts, claims, and demands of every kind and nature in connection with your participation in any tour arranged by us. The terms hereof shall serve as a release and assumption of all risk by you, your heirs, executors and administrators, and for all members of your family.

## **Special Requirements**

If you have any dietary requirements or requests you should inform us at the time of booking. We will advise the lodges/hotels but we do not assume responsibility for the delivery of such special dietary requirements.

# Responsibility

While we ensure that we work with reliable and trustworthy providers who have a history of providing first class care to their customers, we assume no responsibility for injury, medical care, death, damage or loss of property caused by an act or failing of any of our providers.

We cannot be responsible for any theft, accident or loss that may occur during the course of a tour.

Participation in a tour is done at your own risks. You are responsible for yourself and your own material and equipment.

We will not bear any responsibility for services that are beyond our control, such as lifts, huts, mountain cabins, hotels, restaurants, airlines, guides and transportation companies. We also assume no responsibility for loss or damage to property, injury or death caused by participant's failure to comply with local laws, or by impossible to foresee occurrences including, but not exclusive to, natural disasters, war, political unrest, strikes, incidents caused by terrorist activity, evacuations, maintenance problems of means of transportation, schedule changes, fires, technical problems beyond the control of us, airspace congestion, bad weather, safety measures, failure, etc. causing delays and/or changes in itinerary, for which you will bear any additional costs associated with such events but not those relating to the provision of the original contractual benefits or agreed to replace them.

You agree to indemnify us and our affiliates, and any of our Suppliers, and any such parties' officers, directors, employees and agents from and against any claims, causes of action, demands, losses, damages, or other costs, (including reasonable legal and accounting fees) brought by you or third parties as a result of (a) your breach of this Agreement, (b) your violation of any law or rights of any third party, or (c) your use of our website.

Participants are responsible for their transport to and from the designated meeting point for the workshop (airport, hotel, train station, etc.), and for arriving on time. While we will attempt to ensure that all participants are collected, in the case of very late arrival this may not always be possible as we have to maintain the timely running of the workshop. In such cases it is the responsibility of the client to join the workshop and assume the costs of doing this, and in such instances we are not liable for any portion of the workshops missed.

The participants are responsible for their baggage, photographic equipment and personal items at all times during the workshop.