

Venetian Carnevale Extravaganza

Celebrate like a local with the help of our Venetian guide, as the whole city dons 19th century clothing and traditional masks to celebrate an historical tradition that has become a world renowned event – the Carnival of Venice. Attend the highlight of the whole carnival, *Il Ballo del Doge*, wearing traditional masks and unique costumes made by famous designer Antonia Sautter – hand-tailored to suit you.

This journey is especially for those with a lust for glamour and deception, yearning to feel invigorated by the spirit of *Carnevale di Venezia*.

- Enter *Antonia Sautter's* atelier for a fitting session as you settle on a traditional costume and mask pairing of your choice. Her assistants will hand-tailor the garments to suit you perfectly.
- Attend *Il Ballo del Doge*, defined by Vanity Fair as the 'the most sumptuous and exclusive, famous and sought after social event in the world' and mingle, dance and dine with the other 250 guests for an evening of a lifetime.
- Rest at the *Centurion Palace*, a 5 star hotel with an antique exterior hiding a modern interior design with all expected luxuries.
- Explore the streets and canals of Venice on foot or on a gondola with your local guide, who is also your contact person and social etiquette teacher throughout the whole trip.
- Eat at Michelin restaurants *Quadri* and *Il Ridotto*, and experience the true culture of Venice at a local *Bacaro* or *Osteria* – and enjoy *Un Ombra Di Vino*, a glass of shadow.
- Extend your trip to visit *the Dolomites* in northern Italy, and attend cooking classes held by Michelin-starred chefs and take skiing lessons from professional athletes – only available due to our close personal relationship with them.
- Or stay longer in Venice and utilize more of our connections here. Share stories and stay with old noble Italian families or rent a palace for your wedding or similar social gathering. Visit local Artisans that our guides know on a personal level.