



LAGUNA BEACH

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MONTAGE LAGUNA BEACH LAUNCHES “EXPERIENCE CALIFORNIA SERIES”

These four seasonal offerings are part of the new ‘Montage Expeditions’ from Montage Hotels & Resorts, providing exclusion excursions for guests

MARCH 1, 2016 (LAGUNA BEACH, Calif.) – Montage Laguna Beach has unveiled a new collection of experiential room packages that offers guests the opportunity to truly “Experience California.” This series is part of “Montage Excursions,” an exclusive program designed to provide guests with once-in-a-lifetime opportunities at each Montage destination. Featuring **four extravagant seasonal packages**, the “Experience California” series invites Montage Laguna Beach guests to partake in exclusive West Coast adventures to destinations throughout the state. Whether it be a luxe coastal helicopter ride or experience, an exploration of the state’s National Parks, a sky-high Napa Valley wine tasting tour, or the thrill of a snowy ski escapade, there is an adventure for every type of traveler.

Launching for the spring 2016 season, Montage Laguna Beach’s “Experience California” offerings include:

- **Luxury Coastal Picnic Experience (Spring)**
This experience allows guests to indulge in a picnic that showcases the best coastal views and cuisine in Southern California. The day starts with a **private helicopter** tour of the Southern California coastline, followed by an afternoon **picnic atop a cliff** catered by renowned Montage Laguna Beach chefs. Guests will end the day with more culinary artistry at Montage Laguna Beach’s oceanfront, signature restaurant, **Studio**, with a private dining experience and a visit from **Studio’s Executive Chef Craig Strong**. The following morning, guests will end their adventure with a **Coastal Shores Stone Massage** at **Spa Montage**. *Pricing begins at \$6,465; available April 1, 2016 to June 15, 2016.*
- **Montage Laguna Beach’s National Park’s Centennial Experience (Summer)**
This over-the-top package celebrates the **100th anniversary of the National Parks Service**. Guests will be chauffeured by private transportation to one or more of California’s National Parks, where they will choose from a **Jeep/ATV tour in Death Valley**, **Horseback ride in Joshua Tree**, **Stargazing at Yosemite Park**, or **Snorkeling at Channel Islands**. Back at the resort, guests will unwind with a California-inspired spa treatment at Spa Montage, and the following evening, they will indulge in Studio’s Private **Chef Table** where Executive Chef Craig Strong finishes the evening with a culinary adventure. *Pricing begins at \$9,695; available May 30, 2016 to September 5, 2016.*
- **Sky High California Food & Wine Experience (Fall)**
This interactive and locally-rich food and wine excursion brings autumn’s bounty to center stage. Guests check into luxurious accommodations at Montage Laguna Beach before taking a **private jet** from **Orange**

County to Napa Valley. Once they arrive in wine country, a **hot air balloon** tour over Napa Valley will lead to a **champagne brunch** catered by Montage Laguna Beach's culinary team. Following brunch, a **private wine tour** will take guests to a **blending experience** where they make their own wine. At the end of the day, a private jet charters guests back to the resort for a sunset **Studio Garden tour with Executive Chef Craig Strong**, featuring cocktails and lite bites made with ingredients from the garden. To top off the day, guests will attend a private and interactive **Chef's Table** dinner at Studio restaurant. *Pricing begins at \$9,795; available September 1, 2016 to December 1, 2016.*

- **SoCal Beach-to-Ski Excursion (Winter)**

This experience allows guests to experience California's iconic beaches and ski scene in one memorable trip. The private beach-to-ski excursion begins with luxury beachfront accommodations, followed by a **private jet** chartered from **Orange County to Mammoth Mountain** the next day. Gourmet in-flight breakfast is served to help travelers fuel up for a full day of skiing, and on the way back to the resort, guests will enjoy **après-ski cocktails, hot cocoa and lite bites**. In the evening, guests will indulge in specially designed après-ski treatments at Spa Montage to wind down and soothe sore muscles from day's adventures. The following day, guests will have the chance to relax at the resort's **private poolside cabana** and enjoy a seaside dinner Studio restaurant. *Pricing begins at \$9,995; available now through November 15, 2016 to February 28, 2017.*

For signature images of Montage Laguna Beach, please click [here](#).

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About Montage Laguna Beach

Montage, set on a coastal bluff overlooking the Pacific in the heart of the vibrant arts community of Laguna Beach, offers 30 acres of oceanfront luxury. The 248-room craftsman-style resort features beachfront accommodations; a 20,000-square-foot spa; destination dining at Studio; a wealth of outdoor recreation, including three pools, beach and water sports; a fine art collection; and more than 20,000 square feet of indoor and outdoor meeting space. For information and reservations, please contact Montage, toll-free, at 1-888-715-6700; or visit the Web site at www.montagelagunabeach.com.

About Montage Hotels & Resorts

Montage Hotels & Resorts is a hotel and resort management company founded by Alan J. Fuerstman. Designed to serve the luxury traveler and homeowner, the company features an artistic collection of distinctive hotels, resorts and residences in stunning settings that offer comfortable elegance, a unique sense of place and spirit, impeccable hospitality and memorable culinary, spa and lifestyle experiences. The portfolio of hotels, resorts and residences includes Montage Laguna Beach, Montage Beverly Hills, Montage Deer Valley, Montage Kapalua Bay, and The Inn at Palmetto Bluff, a Montage Resort. In 2014, the company launched Pendry Hotels, a second brand that will marry the culture of service for which Montage is renowned with an inspired, fashion-forward and design-driven approach to hospitality. The first Pendry Hotel, Pendry San Diego, will open late 2016. In addition, the company also operates some of the country's premiere golf courses including Spanish Peaks Mountain Club in Big Sky, Montana and The May River Golf Club in Bluffton, South Carolina. For more information, please visit www.montagehotels.com.

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