

India's Golden Triangle

with Pushkar Camel Fair and Ranthambore Tiger Preserve

October 27-November 14, 2025

19 days from \$6,987 total price from Boston, New York (\$6,095 air & land inclusive plus \$892 airline taxes and fees)

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Dear Brown Alumni and Friends,

Greetings from College Hill. Inspired by Brown University's Open Curriculum, the Office of Alumni Relations is dedicated to providing lifelong learning and exploration opportunities for alumni, enriching our intellectual journeys. Through diverse programs and experiences, we curate impactful "moments that matter," fostering curiosity, connection, and belonging in our vibrant alumni community. Our alumni travel program embodies these values, offering enriching travel experiences worldwide.

Join fellow Brown alumni on an exclusive 19-day small group journey to Northern India. Together, you will discover sites steeped in history, with art and architecture that reveal myriad influences on India's culture. Our exclusive journey includes visits to the historic districts of Old and New Delhi, one ancient and the other built by the British; 3 nights in the "pink city" of Jaipur in the princely state of Rajasthan; and Agra, stronghold of the medieval Mughal Empire and home to the sublime Taj Mahal. Take game drives in Ranthambore National Park in search of the elusive Bengal tiger and visit pastoral Gadoli where we meet Meena tribespeople in their homes. Finally, experience life along the sacred Ganges in Hinduism's holiest city, Varanasi. Witness a traditional *aarti* ceremony and Hindu pilgrims performing their rituals and visit the Buddhist pilgrimage site of Sarnath. At the conclusion of the tour, an optional 6-day/4-night post-tour Himalayan extension offers you the chance to experience the beauty of Nepal. With room for only 24 guests on this popular program, we expect that our limited space will fill quickly. I encourage you to make your reservations today.

Sincerely,

Zack Langway '09 Vice President, Alumni Relations

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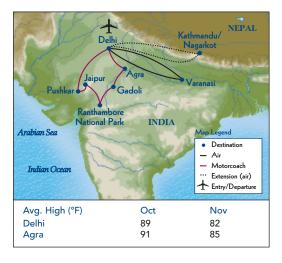
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Ancient and modern, beautiful and complex, India overflows with a kaleidoscope of sights. While staying at excellent hotels, we travel the classic Golden Triangle: bustling Delhi; Agra, home of the sublime Taj Mahal; and Jaipur, great city of the Rajput. We also search for elusive Bengals at Ranthambore Tiger Preserve, explore exotic Pushkar Camel Fair, and absorb the holiness of Varanasi.



Physical Activity Level –

2 *****) Easy/Moderate

Walk 1-3 miles per day, often on uneven terrain; potential for substandard air quality on some days; need to take shoes off to enter various temples and sites

Your Tour at a Glance

| Day | Itinerary | Hotel | Rating | |
|-------|----------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| 1 | Depart U.S. fo | r Delhi | | |
| 2-4 | Delhi | Taj Palace, New Delhi | Deluxe | |
| 5-6 | Pushkar | Ananta Spa & Resort | Deluxe | |
| 7-9 | Jaipur | Taj Amer | Deluxe | |
| 10-11 | Ranthambore | Aamaghati Wildlife Resort | First Class | |
| 12 | Gadoli | Dera Village The Clement Retreats | Not rated | |
| 13-14 | Agara | Taj View - IHCL SelecQtions | Sup. First Class | |
| 15-17 | Varanasi | Taj Ganges | Sup. First Class | |
| 18 | Delhi | Pullman New Delhi Aerocity | Deluxe | |
| 19 | Depart Delhi f | or U.S. | | |
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Ratings are based on the Hotel & Travel Index, the travel industry standard reference. Unrated hotels may be too small, too new, or too remote to be listed.

Days 1-2: Depart U.S. for Delhi, India We arrive in India's hyperactive capital late in the evening and transfer to our hotel.

Day 3: Delhi After a morning at leisure followed by a briefing about the journey ahead, we set out to discover Old Delhi. Our first stop is Qutb Minar, the 379-step tower dating to 1192. We continue on to Gandhi Smriti, a museum dedicated to the Indian icon; and pass by India Gate, the majestic arch honoring the 90,000 Indian soldiers who died fighting alongside the British in World War I. Late this afternoon we return to our hotel, where tonight we enjoy a welcome dinner together. *B*,*D*

Day 4: Delhi We encounter more of this pulsating city today, beginning at Raj Ghat, the simple black marble slab honoring Mahatma Gandhi. After stopping for photos at Lal Qila, the Red Fort complex of palaces, we visit a Sikh Temple followed by lunch at a local restaurant. This afternoon's sights include the red sandstone and marble Jama Masjid, India's largest mosque; and the colorful Chandni Chowk market, where we ride rickshaws. Then the remainder of the day is free for further exploration and dinner on our own. *B*,*L*

Day 5: Delhi/Pushkar Today we depart Delhi very early by express train for the half-day journey to Ajmer. We continue by motorcoach to Pushkar and our deluxe resort. Late afternoon we gather for a camel cart ride and orientation tour of the Pushkar Camel Fair, where Indians come from near and far for this part bazaar and trade fair, part religious pilgrimage. We return to our resort for dinner together tonight. *B,L,D*

Day 6: Pushkar Camel Fair We start our day with a morning tour of Pushkar village, where thousands of devotees experience a religious resurgence by swimming in the sacred waters of Pushkar Lake. Then we return to our resort for lunch before an afternoon at leisure to explore Pushkar independently. *B*,*L*,*D*

Day 7: Pushkar/Jaipur Today we travel by coach to the "pink city" of Jaipur, one of the great cities of the Rajput, with historic forts, palaces, and gardens. We reach our hotel late afternoon. *B*,*L*,*D*

Cover photo: Visit the Taj Mahal, a UNESCO site considered one of the world's most beautiful buildings.



Visit Amber Fort, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

Day 8: Jaipur Our first stop is the stunning Hawa Mahal, the elaborately carved pink sandstone "Palace of the Winds." We continue on to Amber Fort, built by the Kachhawah Rajputs as their capital from 1037 to 1728; Jantar Mantar, the open-air observatory; and City Palace Museum, housing the magnificent art collections of the Maharajahs of Jaipur. *B*,*L*

Day 9: Jaipur/Sanganer This morning we visit the village of Sanganer to see traditional block printing and handmade paper industries. Later we see local life up close as we explore an outdoor market. Tonight we are dinner guests in the home of a multi-generational Rajasthan family. *B*,*D*

Day 10: Jaipur/Ranthambore We travel today to Ranthambore National Park, the former hunting ground of the Maharajah of Jaipur and now a 512square-mile natural preserve that is home to hundreds of species of birds, reptiles, mammals, and of course, Bengal tigers. This afternoon we take our first game drive through the park. *B*,*L*,*D*

Day 11: Ranthambore We take both morning and afternoon game drives today to see not only game (though tiger and leopard sightings are not guaranteed), but also picturesque ruins of forts and palaces. *B*,*L*,*D*

Day 12: Ranthambore/Kalakho We depart early for Kalakho, where we set out on a village walk to meet local Meena tribespeople in their homes. Tonight we enjoy a traditional folk dance performance. *B*,*L*,*D*

Day 13: Kalakho/Agra En route to Agra, we stop in the ancient village of Abhaneri to see the fortified Chand Baori step well (c. 800 CE), whose 3,500 steps descend some 13 stories into the ground. Continuing on, we reach the ancient Mughal stronghold of Agra, where this afternoon we visit Itimad-ud-Daulah, the two-story marble "Baby Taj" that inspired the Taj Mahal. *B*,*D*

Day 14: Agra This morning we visit the Taj Mahal, the magnificent tomb built by Emperor Shah Jahan

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- 4 nights' accommodations: 2 nights in Nagarkot at Club Himalaya Nagarkot (Superior First Class), 2 nights in Kathmandu at The Soaltee Kathmandu (Superior First Class), day room in Delhi
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- Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
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There is no happiness in the person who does not travel."

– Brahmann

in memory of his beloved wife Mumtaz. Then we take an Indian cuisine cooking lesson and enjoy the results for lunch. Later: imposing Agra Fort. *B*,*L*

Day 15: Agra/Delhi/Varanasi We depart by coach this morning for Delhi, where we board a late afternoon flight to Varanasi, Hinduism's holiest city. *B*,*L*,*D*

Day 16: Varanasi/Sarnath Before breakfast today, those who wish can join in a private yoga session. Then we visit nearby Sarnath, where the Buddha first taught after achieving enlightenment. One of Buddhism's four holiest sites, Sarnath draws pilgrims from the world over. We see some of the temples and stupas then tour Sarnath Museum, housing a superb collection of Buddhist artifacts from excavations here. Late afternoon we attend a traditional aarti ceremony: as we cruise along the Ganges, we watch as devout Hindus offer their lit lamps to the deities. *B*,*D*

Day 17: Varanasi Early this morning we return to the Ganges where Hindu pilgrims perform their



Bengal tiger rests in Ranthambore.

Your Tour Price Includes

- Round-trip air transportation from listed cities; all flights within India
- 17 nights' accommodations in Deluxe, Superior First Class, First Class, and unrated hotels
- 38 meals: 16 breakfasts, 10 lunches, 12 dinners
- Extensive sightseeing as described, including all entrance fees
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rituals along the *ghats* (steps) leading to the river. We visit several *ghats* by boat as we experience for ourselves the spiritual aura of the hallowed Ganges waters. Then we return to our hotel with time to rest before this afternoon's walking tour and private performance of classical sitar. Tonight we celebrate our journey at a farewell dinner at our hotel. *B*,*D*

Day 18: Varanasi/Delhi We fly this afternoon to Delhi, where the evening is at leisure. B

Day 19: Return to U.S. Very early this morning we transfer to the airport for our return flight to the U.S.

| Tour Departs: October 27 Prices include int'l airfare and all taxes, surcharg | | |
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