



LE GRAAL

CORTINA

Experiences & Activities Guide



EXPERIENCES & ACTIVITIES

The Dolomites offer an extraordinary setting where nature, silence, and light become part of the stay. At Le Graal Cortina, each activity is a bespoke journey through the landscape - privileged perspectives, personal rhythms, a deep connection with surroundings.

From the first light of dawn to legendary sunsets over iconic Alpine peaks, our experiences explore the mountain at its most authentic and refined. Conceived exclusively for Le Graal Cortina and not accessible elsewhere, each can be tailored to your desired intensity and adapted to the season and prevailing conditions.

Discover them all.

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Vintage Dolomites Sunset Tour

Set out aboard an elegant vintage car, following the most scenic mountain passes of the Dolomites at a leisurely, contemplative pace. Along the way, you stop at iconic panoramic viewpoints to admire the landscape, enjoy a glass of champagne at sunset, and, upon request, capture the moment with private photography.

As daylight fades, you arrive at an exclusive location where the experience continues with either a fine dining dinner curated by a Michelin-starred chef or a traditional show cooking, set in a warm and convivial atmosphere. A journey suspended in time, where alpine glamour meets local tradition.

EXPERIENCE

Panoramic vintage car tour, sunset stops with champagne, gourmet dinner or traditional show cooking

OVERALL DURATION

Half day / evening experience

SEASON

Depending on the time of year and weather conditions

PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel with private transfer

PERSONALISATION

Itinerary and pace tailored to your preferences





Vintage Dolomites Sunset Tour



Floating Above the Dolomites: Private Ballooning

Experience the Dolomites from a rare and privileged vantage point, suspended high above their iconic peaks and vast alpine valleys. A hot-air balloon flight offers a sense of stillness and awe unlike any other mountain activity, no engines, no fixed route, only the wind guiding your path across an extraordinary natural landscape. As you gently ascend, the scenery expands in every direction: dramatic rock formations, forests, meadows, and distant summits unfolding beneath you on a breathtaking scale. The silence at altitude enhances the sensation of floating, creating a profound connection with the surrounding environment. Each flight follows its own natural course, making every journey entirely unique. The experience concludes with a celebratory alpine refreshment, a refined and convivial moment to mark an adventure that combines elegance, emotion, and the pure beauty of flight. A timeless and unforgettable way to encounter the Dolomites through the extraordinary feeling of drifting above one of the world's most spectacular mountain landscapes.

EXPERIENCE

Private hot-air balloon flight over the Dolomites
with celebratory alpine refreshment

OVERALL DURATION

Half day

SEASON

Depending on weather conditions

PICK UP

Departure from the hotel with private transfer to the take-off area

PERSONALISATION

Timing and overall experience tailored to your preferences

Private Gourmet Lunch in the Heart of the Forest

Step into a secluded woodland setting, where nature becomes the backdrop for an extraordinary culinary moment. Surrounded by the quiet rhythm of the forest, you will enjoy a bespoke private gourmet lunch crafted with the finest regional ingredients, thoughtfully interpreted in a refined and creative menu. Every element - from the location to the table setting and presentation - is carefully curated to create a sense of intimacy, authenticity, and a deep connection with the surrounding landscape. An experience designed to slow the pace and heighten the senses, where elevated cuisine and nature come together in perfect harmony.

EXPERIENCE

Private gourmet lunch in a secluded forest setting, with a bespoke menu crafted from regional ingredients

OVERALL DURATION

Half day / evening experience

SEASON

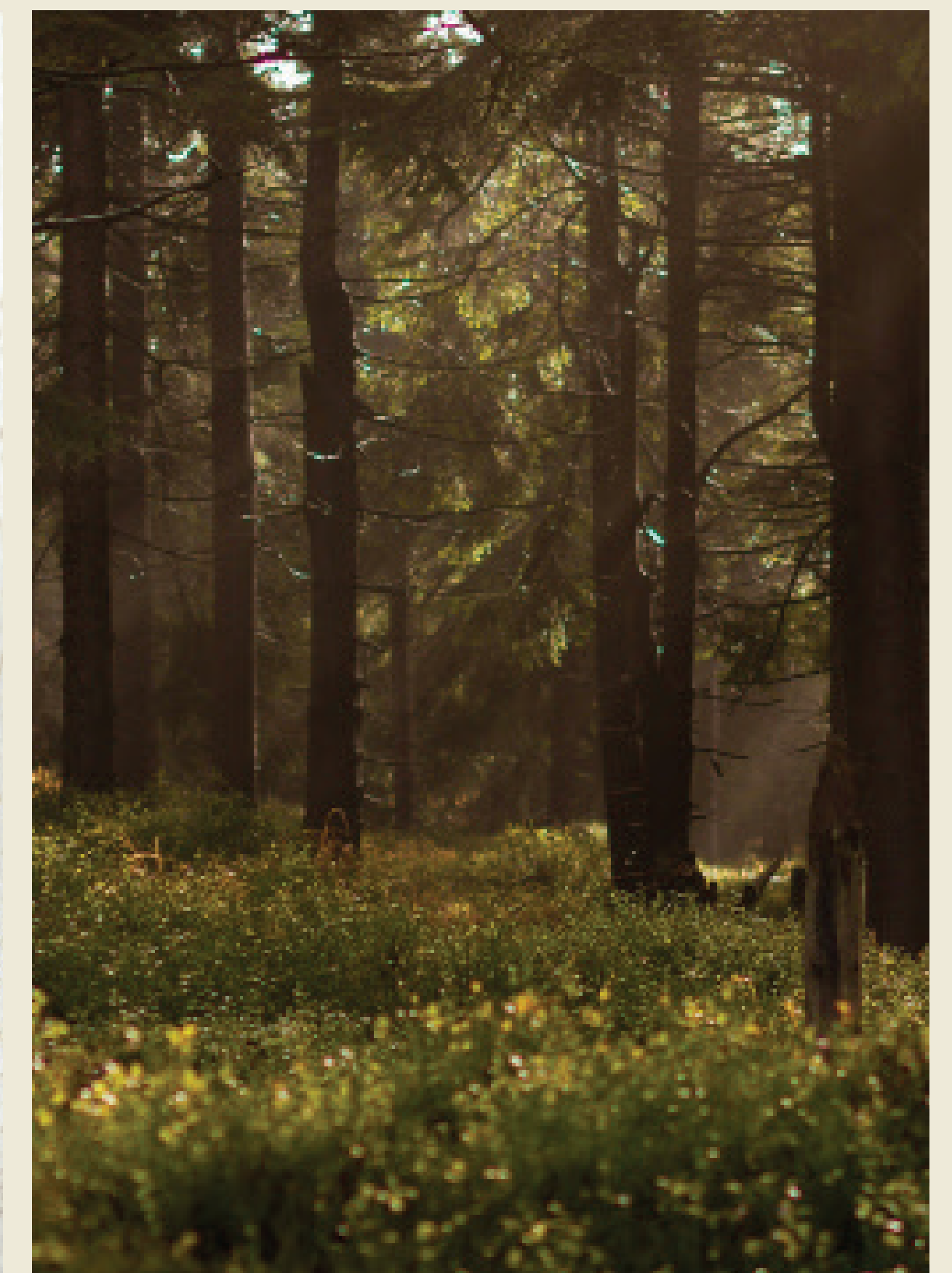
Spring / Summer

PICK UP

Departure from the hotel with private transfer to the location

PERSONALISATION

Menu, setting, and overall experience tailored to your preferences





Winter Alpine Escape: Snowshoeing & Sleigh Ride

Step into a pristine winter landscape in the heart of the Dolomites, where silence, snow, and soaring peaks create an atmosphere of pure enchantment. Accompanied by an expert guide, you will explore gentle alpine trails on snowshoes, moving through powdered forests and wide valleys framed by dramatic mountain backdrops. The experience unfolds at a relaxed pace, allowing you to fully connect with the stillness and beauty of the surroundings. The journey continues with a refined lunch in a cozy mountain setting, where authentic regional flavors offer warmth and comfort in perfect harmony with the landscape. To complete the experience, a traditional horse-drawn sleigh ride carries you smoothly across the snow, wrapped in blankets as the rhythmic sound of hooves accompanies the quiet majesty of the mountains.

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EXPERIENCE

Guided snowshoeing along alpine trails, mountain lunch, traditional horse-drawn sleigh ride

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OVERALL DURATION

Half day

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SEASON

Winter (subject to weather and snow conditions)

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PICK UP

Private transfer directly from the hotel

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PERSONALISATION

Route, pace, and activity level can be tailored to your preferences



Dolomites First Light

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Set out before dawn for a gentle walk accompanied by a private alpine guide, heading towards one of the most breathtaking viewpoints in the Dolomites. As the first light of day breaks, you will reach the peaks during the magical Enrosadira - the natural phenomenon in which the rising sun paints the mountains in soft shades of pink and gold - and will experience a moment of rare beauty and stillness.

In this extraordinary natural setting, a gourmet breakfast is served, featuring carefully selected local delicacies paired with fine sparkling wine. A truly intimate experience, where light, silence, and landscape come together to create an unforgettable beginning of the day.

EXPERIENCE

Early-morning guided walk with a private alpine guide,
Enrosadira viewing, gourmet breakfast

SUGGESTED LOCATION

Lagazuoi

OVERALL DURATION

Approximately 3/4 hours

SEASON

Variable (subject to weather conditions)

PICK UP

Private transfer directly from the hotel

PERSONALISATION

Pace and experience details can be
tailored to your preferences







Dolomites by Night

Travel through silent, snow-covered forests as night falls, moving gently across the winter landscape by horse-drawn sleigh or private snowmobile. Guided through illuminated clearings and hushed forest paths, the journey unfolds at a slow, atmospheric pace, heightening the sense of intimacy with the surrounding mountains. The route leads to a mountain refuge, where a gourmet dinner by candlelight awaits, offering warmth and comfort in a secluded alpine setting. The return takes place beneath a star-filled sky, accompanied by the quiet rhythm of the snow and the stillness of the Dolomites at night - an experience defined by atmosphere, tradition, and the quiet magic of winter.

EXPERIENCE

Nighttime journey through snow-covered landscapes by sleigh or private snowmobile, candlelight gourmet dinner at a mountain refuge

OVERALL DURATION

Approximately 3 hours, evening experience

SEASON

Winter

PICK UP

Departure from the hotel with private transfer

PERSONALISATION

Route, means of transport, and dinner experience tailored to your preferences

Sunset at Cinque Torri

As the afternoon light softens, a panoramic mountain terrace opens onto the legendary Cinque Torri, framing one of the Dolomites' most iconic views.

Here, you enjoy a refined aperitivo with champagne, local wines, and carefully curated gourmet bites, as the sun slowly sets behind the peaks and the landscape shifts in color and mood. The experience unfolds at an unhurried pace, allowing you to fully absorb the atmosphere and the exceptional setting - an encounter with the mountains shaped by light, silence, and perspective

EXPERIENCE

Sunset aperitivo at a panoramic mountain terrace overlooking the Cinque Torri

OVERALL DURATION

3-4 hours, late afternoon

SEASON

Spring, Summer, early Autumn

PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel with private transfer and accompaniment

PERSONALISATION

Location, aperitivo selection, and timing tailored to your preferences





Exclusive Alpine Views & Village Charm

Directly from your Cortina accommodation, meet your private driver and expert guide and set off on a full-day journey through the soaring mountain passes of the Dolomites arriving at Pordoi Pass, home to the iconic Sass Pordoi cable car. Ascend by cable car to the legendary Terrazza delle Dolomiti at 2,950 meters, where panoramic views of the Marmolada, Sella Group, and countless dramatic peaks unfold. With your guide, take gentle walks along the summit paths, capturing photographs and fully immersing yourself in this high-altitude sanctuary. Enjoy lunch at a panoramic mountain hut at the top, savoring alpine flavors against one of the Dolomites' most breathtaking backdrops. In the afternoon, descend and continue with your private driver through stunning valleys, visiting the alpine villages of Selva di Val Gardena and Canazei. Stroll through cobblestone streets lined with traditional chalets, browse elegant boutiques, and enjoy a stop at a café or artisan shop, sampling local delicacies and espresso while absorbing the authentic mountain atmosphere. Conclude your day with a relaxed private transfer back to your Cortina hotel.

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EXPERIENCE

Panoramic alpine journey with cable car ascent, summit walks, mountain-hut lunch, and visit to traditional Dolomite villages

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SUGGESTED LOCATION

Passo Pordoi, Terrazza delle Dolomiti, Selva di Val Gardena, Canazei

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OVERALL DURATION
Full day

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SEASON
Late Spring, Summer, early Autumn

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PICK UP
Departure directly from the hotel with private driver and guide

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PERSONALISATION
Itinerary, pace, and stops tailored to your preferences

Tailor-Made Dolomites Trekking Experience

Discover the breathtaking beauty of the Dolomites through a private trekking experience tailored entirely to your interests and abilities. The adventure begins in Cortina d'Ampezzo, where you will set off with a certified alpine guide specialised in local trekking itineraries of varying difficulty levels. The Dolomites offer an extraordinary variety of trails, making them an ideal destination for all types of hikers. From challenging routes with elevation gains leading to iconic peaks and panoramic summits, to shorter and more scenic paths perfect for relaxed walks, there is a trekking option for everyone.

What makes this experience truly special is its personalized approach. The guide will meet you the day before the trek to discuss preferences, fitness levels, and expectations. Together, you will select the most suitable itinerary, ensuring both comfort and enjoyment throughout the day. If needed, the guide will also assist with the rental of all necessary trekking equipment, allowing guests to enjoy the experience with complete peace of mind. On the day of the hike, immerse yourself in pristine alpine scenery, dramatic rock formations, and unforgettable views, guided safely through one of the most spectacular mountain regions in the world.

EXPERIENCE

Private trekking experience with certified alpine guide,
tailored to your abilities and interests

OVERALL DURATION

Half day or full day, depending on the chosen itinerary

SEASON

Late Spring, Summer, early Autumn

PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel with private transfer if required

PERSONALISATION

Route selection, pace, duration, and level of difficulty
adapted to your preferences





Tailor-Made Dolomites Trekking Experience



From Steam to Breath: Biking on the Former Railway

Set out on a gentle bike journey along the former railway line of the historic Trenino delle Dolomiti, following a route that once connected Cortina to Dobbiaco. The path winds through a scenic alpine valley framed by majestic peaks, offering a quiet and immersive way to explore the landscape. As you ride, you pass old railway buildings, cross an iron bridge suspended above a dramatic gorge, and cycle through a historic tunnel once travelled by steam locomotives. Along the way, small details reveal the layered history of mountain life, including a centuries-old church standing as a witness to the region's long-established communities. Today, this former rail line invites you to retrace the past at a slow pace, surrounded by nature and open views, with the freedom to turn back whenever you wish and return to Cortina along the same evocative path.

EXPERIENCE

Guided bike ride along the former Dolomites railway

OVERALL DURATION

Half day

SEASON

Late Spring, Summer, early Autumn

PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel with private transfer to the starting point

PERSONALISATION

Pace, route length, and stops adapted to your preferences

Dolomites Sky Safari

A full day of skiing from Cortina to Alta Badia, crossing one of the most spectacular areas of the Dolomites at your own pace and rhythm. Leave from Cortina accompanied by a private guide, who will lead you through the immaculate slopes and beautiful mountain scenery. At midday, stop by a panoramic refuge reserved exclusively for you, where a gourmet lunch with reinterpreted alpine dishes and selected wines will be waiting.

The return journey is not simply a ride back: it is a private helicopter flight over the magnificent Tofane and Lagazuoi mountains, snow-covered valleys and immaculate forests. The trip culminates with landing in Cortina at sunset, when the peaks acquire shades of pink and gold. A full day in balance between awe and movement, offering an unforgettable point of view on the majestic beauty of the Dolomites.

EXPERIENCE

Guided ski day and helicopter flight over the Dolomites

OVERALL DURATION

Full day (9 am – 4 pm)

SEASON

Winter

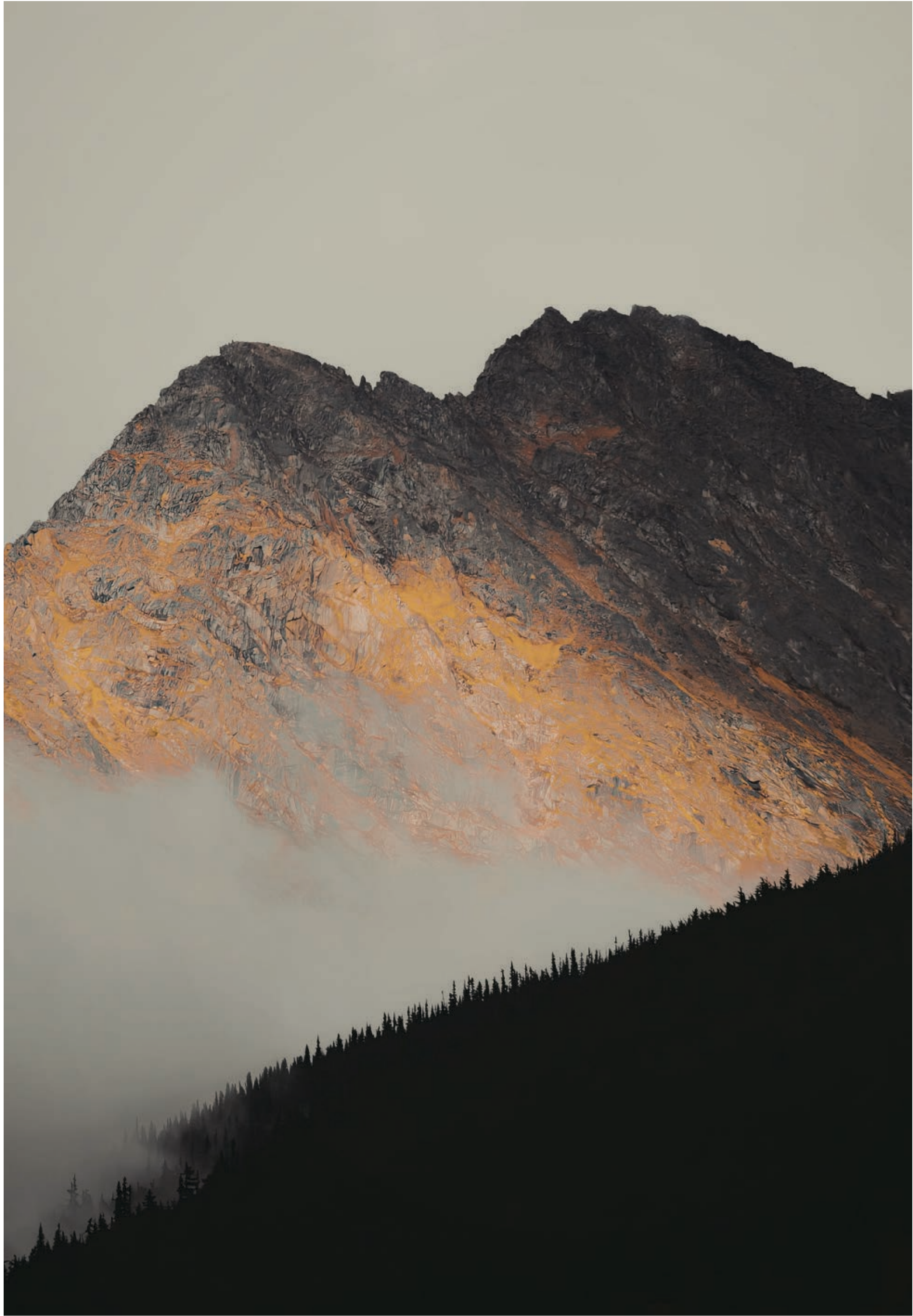
PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel with private guide

PERSONALISATION

Pace, length, and helicopter route tailored to your preferences







Giau Private Snow Retreat

A slow and silent snowshoe hike towards Passo Giau, where the landscape becomes essential and snow absorbs every sound. Accompanied by an alpine guide, you will reach a private hut immersed in snow, where the experience can evolve into a traditional lunch or a cooking class of *casunzei ampezzani* with a local chef, followed by a convivial tasting. An authentic immersion into Ladin culture and untouched nature, among spectacular views of the Dolomites.

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EXPERIENCE

Guided snowshoe hike and lunch or cooking class in a private refuge

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OVERALL DURATION

Approximately 5 hours (10 am – 3 pm)

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SEASON

Winter

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PICK UP

Departure from the hotel with private guide

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PERSONALISATION

Pace, length, stops, and culinary experience tailored to your preferences

Armentarola and the Hidden Valley

A unique skiing experience starting in Cortina and heading towards Passo Falzarego, where the Lagazuoi cable car rises above 2,700 metres. From the summit begins one of the most spectacular descents of the Alps: the Hidden Valley, a silent gorge of frozen waterfalls, sheer walls and pristine nature.

At the foot of the slope the valley flattens, and you will begin a unique traditional experience: a team of horses awaits to pull you across the snow while on skis, gliding towards the Armentarola lifts in Alta Badia. A crossing between untamed nature and living heritage, for an unforgettable day immersed in the beauty and culture of the Ampezzo territory.

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EXPERIENCE

Ski day in Lagazuoi and traditional horse-drawn ski experience

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OVERALL DURATION

Full day (9 am – 4 pm)

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SEASON

Winter

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PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel

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PERSONALISATION

Pace, route length, and stops adapted to your preferences





Sellaronda the Four Passes

A full loop on skis around the legendary Sella massif, accompanied by a private guide. One of the most representative itineraries of the Dolomites, linking four mountain passes and four Ladin valleys – Pordoi, Sella, Gardena and Campolongo. You will descend from one valley into the next around the same towering massif, revealing a different facet at every turn. Halfway through the circuit, lunch is set on a panoramic table in an exclusively reserved refuge, with refined alpine dishes and selected wines. By late afternoon you will fully close the circle along the Four Passes, drawing a single long line across the mountains and completing one of the most iconic ski routes of the Alps.

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EXPERIENCE

Guided ski day around the Sella massif

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OVERALL DURATION

Full day (9 am – 4 pm)

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SEASON

Winter

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PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel with private guide

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PERSONALISATION

Pace, route length, and stops adapted to your preferences

Ski Touring to the Hut

A climb on sealskins through silent woods, where the only track is the one you draw. Accompanied by an alpine guide, you will walk through a snow-capped forest trail of about an hour and a half.

As the trees grow thinner and the light opens, you will access a secluded area that can only be reached by skis.

Here, you will experience the warmth and welcome of a lit fireplace and a table set for a few. The dinner proposal reflects the genuine alpine spirit: local ingredients, slow cooking, and selected wines, for a convivial break from trekking. The return journey crosses the same forest, gently descending through untouched snow and the quiet, powerful atmosphere of mountains in winter.

EXPERIENCE

Guided sealskin climb through the forest and dinner in a private refuge

OVERALL DURATION

Approximately 4 hours (5 pm – 10.30 pm)

SEASON

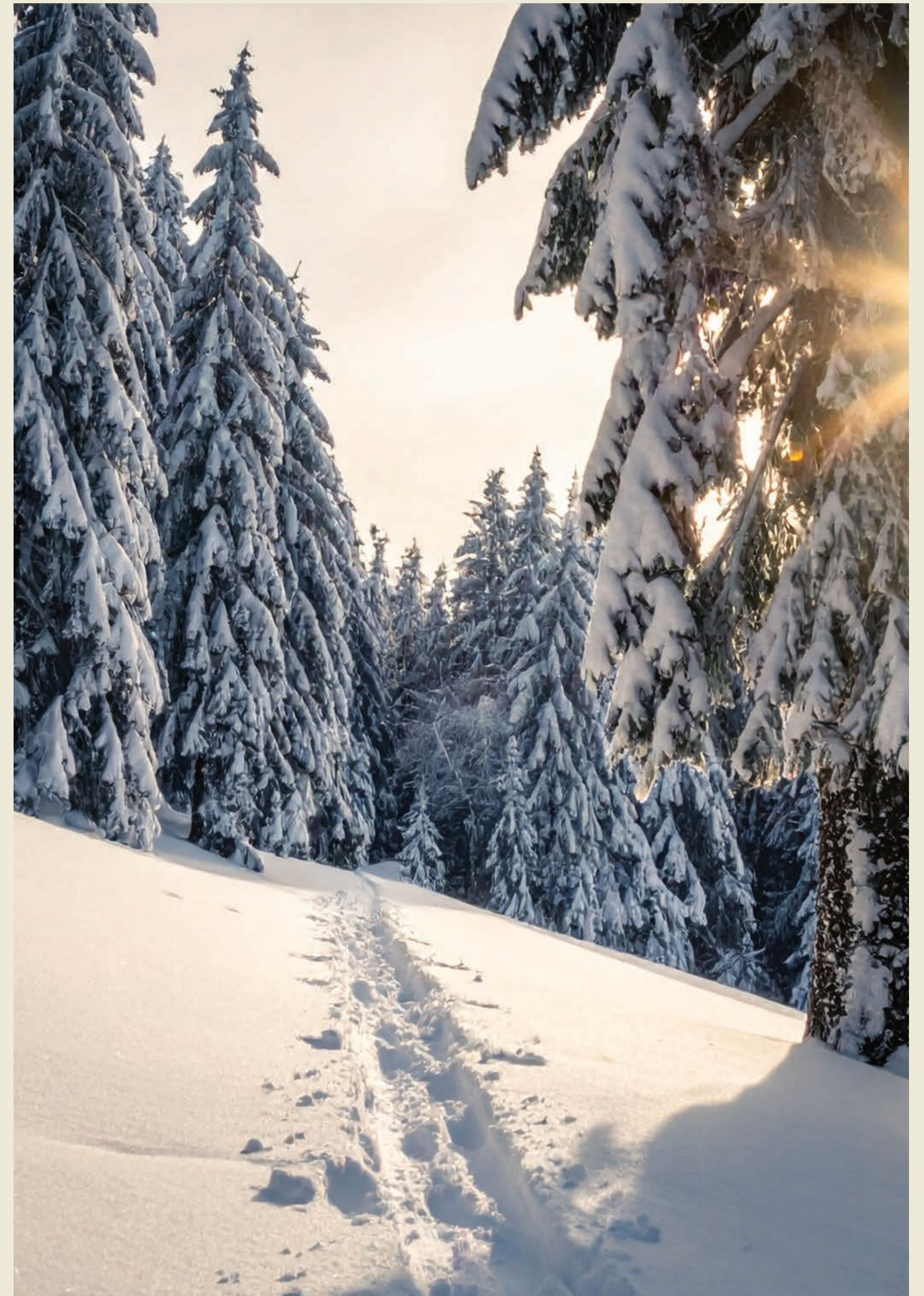
Winter

PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel with private guide

PERSONALISATION

Pace, route length, and stops adapted to your preferences





Husky Sled Experience

A private sled-dog adventure across the snow-covered Dolomites, guided by expert mushers – among the most renowned in the area – to discover the world of the Siberian husky. The day starts with a moment of preparation and connection with the pack, slowly getting in touch with the animals. Then the excursion begins, exploring the surroundings of Cortina at a new pace, the silence of the valley broken only by the sound of the sled gliding over fresh snow.

It is not only a sled run, but an encounter built on trust, instinct and shared movement. An experience suitable for everyone, unfolding in total privacy and crowned by a convivial moment on the snow: a warm break amid the peaks, between the adrenaline of the path and the stillness of the landscape. The most authentic and engaging way to explore the winter Dolomites.

EXPERIENCE

Husky sled-dog excursion

OVERALL DURATION

Approximately 3 hours (10 am - 1 pm)
Alternatively, in the afternoon (2 pm - 5 pm)

SEASON

Winter

PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel

PERSONALISATION

Route length and stops adapted to your preferences



Visit to a Historic Alpine Farm

A relaxing walk through the forests surrounding Cortina leads to a renowned *malga ampezzana*, a historic alpine farm dating back to 1931. Life follows the rhythm of nature and seasons, and every ingredient is produced or sourced locally.

You will take part in a private, tailor-made workshop: a cheese-making course, exploring the art of preparing the well-known local dairy products, or a bespoke cooking class to learn the secrets of traditional recipes. Guided by expert hands, everything is carefully curated around your personal preferences.

In these alpine farms, cuisine becomes a narrative of the mountains: each dish is born from seasonal, local produce and tasting journeys evolve throughout the months of the year. A fascinating exploration of the territory through its culinary culture, craftsmanship and taste, in perfect harmony with the landscape.

EXPERIENCE

Visit to a historic alpine farm and personalised workshop, choosing between cheese-making or cooking class

OVERALL DURATION

Theoretical Cheese Experience:

Approximately 3 hours (10 am – 1 pm)

Practical Cheese-Making Experience:

Approximately 5 hours (9.30 am – 2.30 pm)

SEASON

Late Spring, Summer, early Autumn

PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel with private guide

PERSONALISATION

Timing, workshop, ingredients and menu tailored to your preferences



Cinema Under the Stars

A gentle walk through the night landscape leading to a secluded alpine refuge, where an open-air cinema is set beneath the starry sky. During the screening you will enjoy a refined fine dining dinner, paced in harmony with the surroundings and transforming the evening into an immersive experience that engages all the senses. The deeply intimate setting is softly lit by crackling fire braziers, accompanied by the natural tranquility of the landscape to create an enveloping atmosphere for an extraordinary movie night.

EXPERIENCE

Cinema under the stars with refined fine dining dinner

OVERALL DURATION

Approximately 4 hours (7 pm – 11 pm)

SEASON

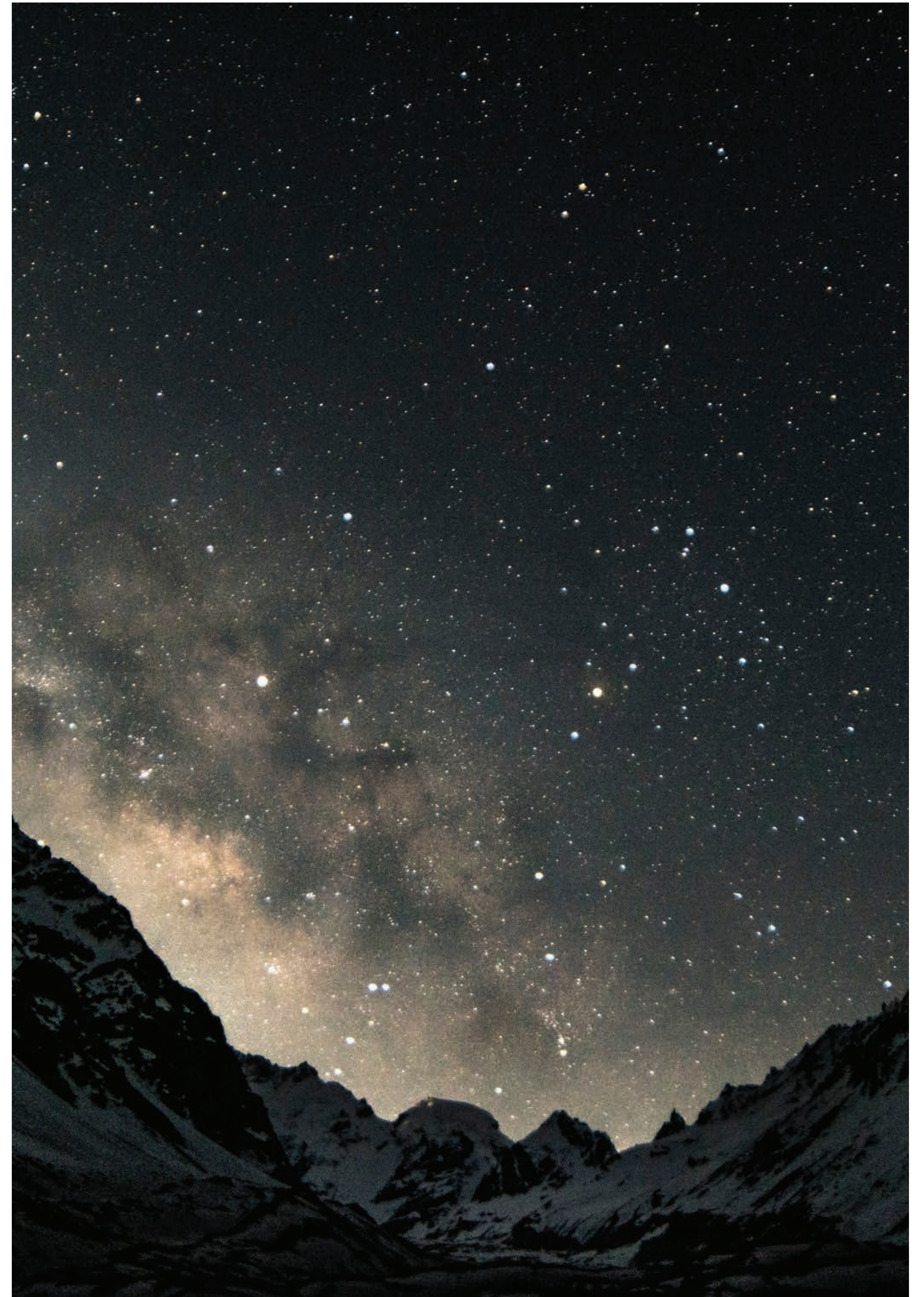
Summer

PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel

PERSONALISATION

Timings, menu, and setting and movie choice tailored to your preferences





Heli-trek to the Dolomites

The day begins with a morning panoramic trekking ascending towards the breathtaking landscapes of the Cinque Torri and Averau peak, accompanied by an expert guide. Upon reaching the summit, a private helicopter awaits, ready to elevate the experience into something truly extraordinary. You will embark on a panoramic flight over the majestic peaks and valleys, revealing the Dolomites from a privileged and awe-inspiring perspective. The journey continues towards the region of Alta Badia, where a curated lunch is served in a traditional mountain setting, celebrating the finest alpine cuisine. After a restorative break, the experience continues with a scenic helicopter flight back, offering another unforgettable view from above.

EXPERIENCE

Morning trekking and panoramic helicopter flight over the mountains

OVERALL DURATION

Approximately 6 hours (9.30 am – 3.30 pm)

SEASON

Late Spring, Summer, early Autumn

PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel with private guide

PERSONALISATION

Pace, route length, and helicopter route tailored to your preferences

Contemporary Art Gallery Dinner

An exclusive evening hosted in a contemporary art gallery, exceptionally closed to the public for an intimate experience. You will be welcomed by an aperitivo, followed by a guided visit through the exhibition to offer a deeper understanding of each extraordinary artwork and the vision behind it. The gallery then turns into a sophisticated dining space. Set among the artworks, a Michelin-starred dinner begins.

Available for small groups of 2 to 10 guests, this experience allows for a rare evening of cultural immersion in complete privacy. Art and cuisine intersect in a unique journey that touches all senses, in which every detail is carefully curated.

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EXPERIENCE

Private visit to a contemporary art gallery and seated dinner among the artworks

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OVERALL DURATION

Approximately 3 hours (7 pm – 10.30 pm)

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SEASON

All seasons

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PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel with private transfer

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PERSONALISATION

Timings, menu, and setting tailored to your preferences





Giau and Cinque Torri Gourmet Hike

A guided hike unfolding between Passo Giau and the Cinque Torri, among alpine meadows and some of the most iconic Dolomites views. This specific area also bears a profound historical significance, as Cortina d'Ampezzo became a key site during World War I. The Lagazuoi and Cinque Torri open-air museum winds through trenches and war paths retracing the war fought in high altitude, though much remains to be discovered.

At the end of the trail, a private mountain refuge welcomes you for an exclusive cooking class. A dedicated chef will teach you the secrets to traditional recipes reinterpreted with a contemporary touch, creating a convivial atmosphere for a gourmet lunch overlooking the peaks.

Routes can be fully tailored to your preferences and experience, with varying intensity and starting from Lagazuoi, Cinque Torri or Passo Giau.

EXPERIENCE

Panoramic trekking to visit WWI landmarks with private cooking experience and lunch

OVERALL DURATION

Approximately 5 hours (10 am – 3 pm)

SEASON

Late spring, summer, early autumn

PICK UP

Departure directly from the hotel with private guide

PERSONALISATION

Pace, route length, and stops tailored to your preferences

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