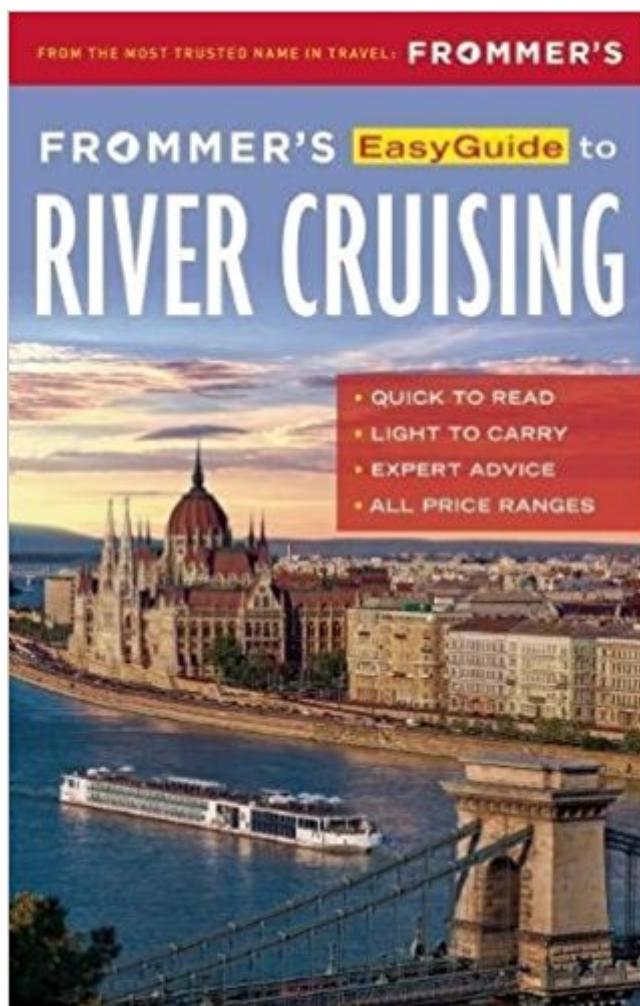


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# Frommer's EasyGuide To River Cruising (Easy Guides)



## Synopsis

Frommer's EasyGuide to River Cruising is the first book on the market to cover this wildly popular vacation activity. The book contains opinionated, no-holds-barred reviews of all of the major, and many of the smaller, river cruise lines (including specific reviews of their varying ship classes). These include advice on which boats offer the best value, which are best for luxury seekers, which will do the trick for foodies, which have high tech amenities, and which don't. One chapter is only on booking: where can one find discounts, why one should use a travel agent, what's the timing for reserving your cruise and more. In addition, the book will aid cruisers trying to choose the right river to sail, in chapters that span the globe. What are the highlights of the , the Irrawaddy (in Myanmar), the Mississippi, the Nile, the Seine, the Volga or the Upper Danube (to name just a few)? The book answers these questions and many others, discussing what are the best shore excursions along all the major waterways of the world; what are the most rewarding destinations to add on, either before or after a cruise; and what are the most fun off-the-beaten-path activities and

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David Molyneaux, and when they are not at sea they make their home in Cleveland. Michelle Baran is a senior editor at Travel Weekly, where she has been reporting on the travel and river cruise industries since 2007. She has covered everything from the Arab Spring in Egypt to Colombia shedding its cocaine past, from traveling alone as a woman abroad to traveling on a cruise ship along many of the world's most well-known rivers. Baran has sailed the Danube, Rhone, Volga, Mekong, Yangtze, Nile, , and Irrawaddy, among others. Her cover story about women traveling the globe solo, "Courage and Caution," was a 2014 finalist for a Folio magazine Eddie Award. Baran has also written about river cruising for Travel + Leisure, Travel + Leisure Southeast Asia and Budget Travel. Prior to Travel Weekly, Baran covered the fashion industry at Conde Nast's Footwear News. She received her Masters in Journalism from Northwestern University. Baran lives in San Francisco.

Very useful in detailing to differences between the many cruise firms traveling the European rivers. I enjoyed my cruise of the Rhine River by AVALON at a reasonable price for a single and this guide provides information on other lines and rates. Also, the level of services and room descriptions, both plus and negative. Will be consulted before my next River cruise/

As a travel agent that focuses on River Cruises, this is a great review and has terrific information on all of the major linesAs well as details on the ports of call. Will use this a lot!

It would be good for someone who wants to learn about river cruising in general. I wanted something more specific about itineraries.

This is a good comprehensive guide to river cruises.

I found this one easier read than Berlitz.

Everything you need to know about river cruising. A good idea to check this book out if you are considering a river cruise. In and out of the U.S. Company reviews and what to look for.

I am so glad I bought this book! I've been wanting to take a river cruise and this book answered all the questions I was nervous asking a travel agent (since they always seem to want to sell me what they get the highest commission for). The book had up-to-date, detailed information on each and

every cruise line, including what's not so great about some of them. And REALLY helpful advice on which rivers are best, giving helpful information on what's different one to the next so I could find an itinerary that jived with my interests. I'm going to be recommending this book to all my friends.

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