



Big news this August! Vietnam now offers **45-day visa-free stays** for travelers from 12 more European countries. In this issue, discover what's new: from cruising Ha Long Bay and strolling Hoi An's lantern-lit streets to venturing into the **untamed Central Highlands** with cultural encounters, nature escapes, and even golf in Dalat.

ITS NEWS

Vietnam Says "Come On Over!" - 45 Days Visa-Free for More European Travelers



Great news for European visitors! Starting August 15, 2025, Vietnam will welcome travelers from **12 more European countries with visa-free entry for stays of up to 45 days.**

According to the Government's Resolution No. 229/NQ-CP (issued August 8, 2025), citizens of **Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, and Switzerland**, can now explore Vietnam without a visa, means discovering Vietnam's treasures has never been easier.

This policy will be in effect for three years, until August 14, 2028 - giving you plenty of time to:

- Stroll through Hanoi's Old Quarter
- Cruise among the majestic limestone peaks of Ha Long Bay
- Relax on Da Nang's golden beaches and admire the lantern-lit Ancient Town of Hoi An
- Try delicious street food in Saigon

Vietnam is ready when you are, just bring your passport and your sense of adventure!

ITS TRAVEL & GOLF

Venture into Vietnam's Untamed Heart - The Central Highlands



Looking for something off the beaten path?

Kon Tum in Vietnam's Central Highlands is a dream for nature lovers and culture seekers alike. Picture misty mountains, lakes, coffee plantations, and tropical rainforests, all still refreshingly untouched by mass tourism. Compared to nearby Pleiku or Buon Ma Thuot, Kon Tum remains raw and authentic, offering something truly special.

Here's the perfect 5 Days/4 Nights itinerary for Da Nang - Hoi An - Kon Tum:

This itinerary blends Vietnam's beautiful central coast with the remote charm of the highlands

Theme: War history, cultural encounters, and breathtaking natural landscapes

Ideal for: Veterans, history enthusiasts, and small group tours seeking meaningful connections and scenic adventures.

Day 1 ARRIVAL DANANG

Arrive in Da Nang, transfer to Hoi An, and explore the Ancient Town.

Day 2 HOI AN

Free day in Hoi An: Beach time, countryside cycling, or cooking class.

Day 3 HOI AN - DAK TO (Approx. 280 km / 7 hrs)

Transfer from Hoi An to Dak To via the scenic Lo Xo Pass.

Travel historic Highway 14B through Da Nang and Dak Glei. Visit Dak To battlefield memorial and former Kon Tum prison before heading to Kon Tum (1 hour further).

Day 4 KON TUM - HISTORY & ETHNIC VILLAGES

In the morning, visit Kon Tum's colonial-era Wooden Church and optionally the Vinh Son orphanage. In the afternoon, explore Bahnar or Jarai villages, meet elders, see Rong houses. Gong show available on request.

Day 5 KON TUM - PLEIKU & DEPARTURE

Drive south to Pleiku. From here, take a domestic flight back to Da Nang, Ho Chi Minh City, or Hanoi, and the home flight.

Or continue your journey to Buon Ma Thuot or Dalat.

For golf enthusiasts



Golf & Nature Extension: **Dalat** (4 Days / 3 Nights)

End your adventure in Vietnam's "City of Eternal Spring". Picture cool mountain air, French villas, pine forests, cascading waterfalls, and a round (or two) at the legendary Dalat Palace Golf Club.

Best Travel Season

Plan your trip between November and March, dry, cool, and perfect for both hiking and golf.

ITS Recommends: Overnight Wild and Sustainably in Style!



Make your journey unforgettable with a stay at Lak Tented Camp near Buon Ma Thuot, an eco-retreat nestled by a serene lake, where comfort, culture, and nature meet in perfect harmony.

Each tented villa is thoughtfully crafted from recycled wood and built with sustainability in mind, blending beautifully into the lush landscape while conserving energy.

With 15 lake-view eco tents, 4 lakeside bungalows, 4 wooden houses, and a spacious shared lodge, plus a restaurant, exhibition area, and meeting room, Lak Tented Camp is perfect for solo travelers, families, retreats, or special events.

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