

OFFICIAL RIVER CRUISE

NAMED ONE OF THE
"TOP 10 TOURS IN THE U.S."
BY TRIPADVISOR REVIEWERS



CHICAGO'S
FIRST LADY

CHICAGO'S FINEST FLEET

2017

112 E. WACKER DRIVE

DEPARTING FROM MICHIGAN AVE & WACKER DR ON CHICAGO'S RIVERWALK

WHAT THEY'RE SAYING!

“The very best city tour I have been on in my life! We were in America for a month and this was our best morning.”

JURRASICBILL, TRIPADVISOR, UK

“Our docent was fantastic, providing us with a non-stop fascinating history of the architects and architecture of this great city.”

JANIS E, YELP, WISCONSIN, USA



“The boats are spotless and feel very safe. I have taken this three times and I love it so much!”

JULIE S, YELP, OKLAHOMA, USA

“Easily one of the best tours taken in 50+ years of travel.”

FISH2HOOPS, TRIPADVISOR, CALIFORNIA, USA

SPECIAL CRUISES



TWILIGHT CRUISE

May 20 - October 7

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sun at 7:30pm

Experience our daytime cruise at the magical hour of twilight. Enjoy breathtaking views as Chicago transitions from day to night.



CAPTURE CHICAGO PHOTOGRAPHY CRUISE

May 20 - October 7

Sat and Sun at 9:00am

Enjoy our popular tour in the early morning light. The vessel pauses at three picturesque points allowing you to capture that perfect shot!



CHICAGO ARCHITECTURE FOUNDATION RIVER CRUISE ABOARD CHICAGO'S FIRST LADY CRUISES

The official Chicago Architecture Foundation River Cruise aboard **Chicago's First Lady Cruises** is a must for out-of-town visitors and Chicagoans alike. Highly trained and passionate volunteer guides - called docents - provide a detailed narrative of Chicago's various architectural styles and the stories of the people who designed and built our city. It's an experience you will never forget - accept no substitutes!

- This is the only river cruise led by the Chicago Architecture Foundation
- Cruise travels all three branches of the Chicago River
- Full service bar and well-appointed restrooms aboard
- Group pricing and reservations available - call **312-322-1130** or email groupsales@architecture.org for groups of 10+.



Chicago's First Lady's fleet is available for private parties, weddings & corporate events for groups up to 250 guests.

Learn more at CruiseChicago.com.

Cost: \$43.53 + tax
(\$46.37 + tax Twilight Cruise)

Duration: 90 minutes

Departure Location:
Chicago's Riverwalk
112 E. Wacker Dr.
(Michigan Ave. & Wacker Dr.)
Look for our blue awning!

Limited Mobility Access:
Access Chicago Riverwalk via an ADA accessibility ramp at State Street and Wacker Drive.

For riverwalk-level drop-off instructions, visit: CruiseChicago.com/accessibility

Parking: 111 E. Wacker Drive
Discount parking up to 4 hours available with validation at ticket window.



CHICAGO'S FIRST LADY



CHICAGO'S FAIR LADY



CHICAGO'S LEADING LADY



CHICAGO'S CLASSIC LADY

MEET THE FLEET





DISCOVER THE STORIES BEHIND THE BUILDINGS

For over 20 years the Chicago Architecture Foundation River Cruise aboard Chicago's First Lady Cruises has been presented by CAF-certified docents to millions of visitors and Chicagoans, all on the city's most luxurious fleet.



Expert volunteer CAF docents undergo hundreds of hours of training. Docent learning continues all year as development of the downtown architectural landscape progresses.

As a non-profit organization, CAF inspires people to discover why design matters through public programs, education, exhibitions and more than 85 walking, bus, bike, train and boat tours of the city. A portion of the river cruise proceeds support the Chicago Architecture Foundation's mission.

Visit [Architecture.org](https://www.architecture.org) for other tours and exhibits.

CHICAGO
ARCHITECTURE
FOUNDATION



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plus tax

7:30pm TWILIGHT CRUISE \$46.37 plus tax

2017 DEPARTURES

90 MINUTE CRUISES

OPENING WEEK

APRIL 1 - APRIL 13

Mon-Sun: 10a, 12p, 2p, 4p

EARLY SPRING

APRIL 14 - MAY 3

Mon-Thurs: 10a (11a Thurs), 12p, 1p, 2p, 3p, 4p

Fri-Sun: 10a, 11a, 12p, 1p, 2p, 3p, 4p, 5p

LATE SPRING

MAY 4 - MAY 18

Mon-Thurs: 10a, 11a, 12p, 1p, 2p, 3p, 4p, (5p Thurs)

Fri-Sun: 9:30a, 10a, 11a, 11:30a, 12p, 1p, 1:30p, 2p, 3p, 3:30p, 4p, 5p

SUMMER

MAY 19 - OCTOBER 8

Mon-Thurs: 10a, 11a, (11:30a Thurs), 12p, 1p, 1:30p, 2p, 3p, 3:30p, 4p, 5:30p, (7:30p Mon, Tues & Thurs)

Fri-Sun: (9a Sat & Sun), 9:30a, 10a, 10:30a, 11a, 11:30a, 12p, 12:30p, 1p, 1:30p, 2p, 2:30p, 3p, 3:30p, 4p, 5p, 5:30p, (7:30p Fri & Sun)

*Wed 7:30p cruise available from September 6 - October 4

EARLY FALL

OCTOBER 9 - OCTOBER 29

Mon-Thurs: 10a, 12p, 1p, 2p, 3p

Fri-Sun: 10a, 11a, 11:30a, 12p, 1p, 1:30p, 2p, 3p, 3:30p, 4p, 5p, 5:30p

LATE FALL

OCTOBER 30 - NOVEMBER 19

Mon-Thurs: 10a, 12p, 2p, 4p

Fri-Sun: 10a, 11a, 12p, 1p, 2p, 3p, 4p, 5p



112 E. Wacker Drive (Michigan Ave. & Wacker Dr.)

Discounted parking available at 111 E. Wacker Drive

Advanced reservations recommended!

- Visit our Chicago Riverwalk box office at 112 E. Wacker Drive
- Purchase at the CAF Shop & Tour Center (224 S. Michigan Ave)
- Reserve through your hotel concierge
- Visit TicketMaster.com/RiverCruise or call 1-800-982-2787

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JUST A FEW HIGHLIGHTS OF THE MORE THAN 50 SIGNIFICANT SIGHTS SEEN FROM OUR TOUR



MARINA CITY



WILLIS TOWER



150 NORTH RIVERSIDE



AQUA



333 WEST WACKER

DISCOVER CHICAGO

CHICAGO ARCHITECTURE FOUNDATION



Experience 90 Minutes of Amazing.™
The first stop for any trip to Chicago!

Reserve your seat early and don't miss the tour that showcases all three branches of the Chicago River.

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CAF Shop & Tour Center
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Presenting walking, bus & 'L' tours,
exhibitions & programs all year round!

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TOUR TIPS



TICKETS & ARRIVAL

- Purchase in advance! Tours often sell out
- Go paperless with e-tickets
- Pick up "Will Call" tickets at our dockside box office
- Arrive 30 minutes prior to departure



SEATING & TIPS

- All passengers, including children of all ages, require a ticket
- Cruises depart rain or shine; no refunds or exchanges
- Check departure board for queuing information
- Outdoor seating is guaranteed
- Climate controlled interior salons
- All seating is general admission (no assigned seats)
- Bring your sunblock (available for purchase at bar if you forgot!)
- Bring sunglasses, visor or cap as the sun may interfere with the view of the buildings



VISIT THE BAR! Snacks, beer, wine, cocktails, lemonade and soft drinks are available for purchase anytime during your cruise.

Get your tickets now at [TicketMaster.com/RiverCruise](https://www.ticketmaster.com/RiverCruise) or call 1-800-982-2787