

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



BASED ON  
**TRIPADVISOR**  
REVIEWS



CHICAGO ARCHITECTURE FOUNDATION



CHICAGO'S  
**FIRST LADY**

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CHICAGO'S FINEST FLEET

**2018**

CHICAGO RIVERWALK | MICHIGAN AVE & WACKER DR | 112 E WACKER DR

# WHAT OUR GUESTS ARE 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. ”

JURASSICBILL, TRIPADVISOR, DORSET, UK

“ Amazing! The docent was incredibly knowledgeable and the views from the river are unparalleled! ”

KIM K, YELP, MASSACHUSETTS, USA

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

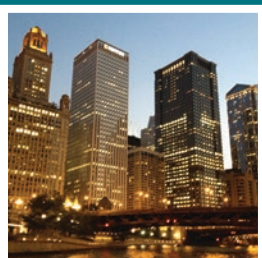
JULIE S, YELP, OKLAHOMA, USA



“ If you do only one thing in Chicago this should be it. ”

MARK B., TRIPADVISOR, VERMONT, USA

## SPECIAL CRUISES



### TWILIGHT CRUISE

**May 18 - October 8**

Sunday - Friday 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 18 - October 8**

Saturday and Sunday 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](mailto: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](http://CruiseChicago.com).

**\$ Cost:** \$44.48 + applicable tax  
*Twilight Cruise: \$49.21 + applicable tax*

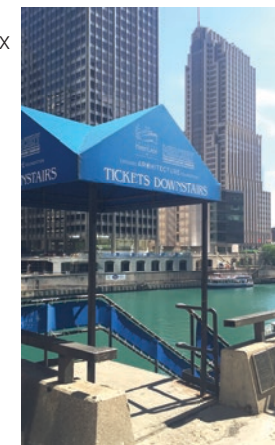
**🕒 Duration:** 90 minutes

**📍 Departure Location:**  
Chicago 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](http://CruiseChicago.com/accessibility)

**P Parking:** 233 N. Michigan Avenue  
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





**COST:**

**\$44.48**

plus applicable tax

**7:30pm TWILIGHT CRUISE \$49.21** plus applicable tax

## 2018 DEPARTURES

**90 MINUTES**

### OPENING WEEK

**MARCH 31 - APRIL 12**

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

### EARLY SPRING

**APRIL 13 - 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 - 17**

**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 18 - OCTOBER 8**

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

**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)

### EARLY FALL

**OCTOBER 9 - 28**

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

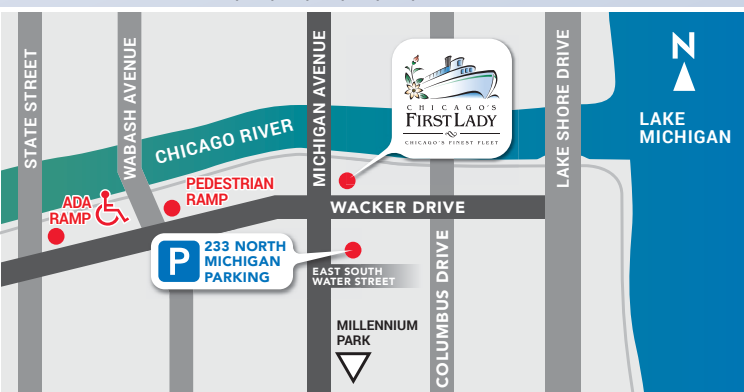
**Fri-Sun:** 10a, 11a, 11:30a, 12p, 1p, 1:30p, 2p, 3p, 3:30p, 4p, 5p, 5:30p

### LATE FALL

**OCTOBER 29 - NOVEMBER 18**

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

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



### Advance reservations recommended!

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

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## DISCOVER THE STORIES BEHIND THE BUILDINGS

For 25 years, the **Chicago Architecture Foundation River Cruise aboard Chicago's First Lady Cruises**, hosted by CAF-certified docents, has introduced the city to millions of visitors and Chicagoans on the city's most luxurious fleet.



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

## THE NEW CHICAGO ARCHITECTURE CENTER *Coming to 111 East Wacker Drive, summer 2018*

This summer, the Chicago Architecture Foundation debuts its new Center, located directly above the CAF River Cruise dock at Michigan Avenue and East Wacker Drive.

The Center will celebrate architectural luminaries and their awe-inspiring creations. It will feature new, interactive exhibits, including an expanded 3D Chicago City Model and a stunning display of model skyscrapers. It's also your gateway to exciting programs and more than 85 tours led by extraordinary docents and educators.

Learn more at [architecture.org/center](http://architecture.org/center)





A FEW HIGHLIGHTS OF THE 50+ SIGNIFICANT SIGHTS SEEN FROM OUR AWARD-WINNING TOUR



MARINA CITY



WILLIS TOWER



150 NORTH RIVERSIDE



AQUA



333 WEST WACKER



**DISCOVER CHICAGO**

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**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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#CFLcruises #CAFcruiise

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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 forget!)
- 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](http://Ticketmaster.com/RiverCruise) or call 1-800-982-2787