

Long Beach City College Foundation

# Netherlands, Belgium & Paris

## Featuring historic Bruges & Floriade

April 9 - 19, 2012

\$4,249 double occupancy including airfare



This 11-day tour begins in Amsterdam, the 800-year old capital of Holland. We will tour Amsterdam & the millions of flowers at the Keukenhof Gardens. Then we visit the world-famous Floriade horticultural exhibition, held only once every 10 years. Next we travel to Brussels, Belgium where we will enjoy a panoramic tour. Then it's on to the imperial city of Bruges, a World Heritage site. We will travel through the French countryside to the "City of Lights", Paris, France. Following a tour of Paris where we will have the opportunity to appreciate the breathtaking architecture, we will visit Claude Monet's home in Giverny. On our last evening, we will enjoy a fabulous dinner in the Eiffel Tower & a romantic cruise on the Seine River.



### Our tour will include:

- Round trip airfare from Los Angeles International Airport.
- Air taxes, fees/surcharges & hotel transfers.
- Double room accommodations - 3 nights at the Convent Hotel, Amsterdam; 3 nights at the Crowne Plaza, Brussels & 3 nights at the Les Jardins du Marais, Paris.
- 13 meals including 9 breakfasts & 4 dinners.
- A comprehensive tour of Amsterdam includes visits to the city center, the Royal Palace, a diamond-cutting artisan workshop & the world famous Keukenhof Flower Gardens with seven million blooming flowers.
- Visit the world-famous Floriade horticultural exhibition, featuring flora from around the world. Enjoy the 300+ cultural & green-tech presentations, & living cultural exhibitions representing 30+ countries from around the world.
- A tour of Brussels, Belgium includes the Royal Gardens & castle, Atomium, Arch of Triumph, & the Grand Palace.
- Travel to the imperial city of Bruges, a World Heritage site, lined with typical patrician houses. Enjoy a walking tour of one of Europe's most perfectly preserved medieval cities with a local guide
- Free time to explore Brussels. Join an optional excursion to the Belgian & French countryside for an artisanal afternoon visiting various local farms & food producers.
- Travel through the Ardennes forest & French countryside to Paris, the "City of Lights". Upon arrival, there will be free time to relax or explore the city. Join an optional dinner & cabaret show.
- Enjoy a panoramic tour of Paris including the breathtaking architecture of the Arc de Triomphe, the Gothic cathedral of Notre Dame, the historic Place de la Concorde, Place Vendome, & the Champs-Elysees. Visit to Claude Monet's home & palatial gardens in Giverny.
- Time on your own to explore Paris. Take an optional excursion to the world-famous Louvre Museum or Louis XIV's magnificent Palace of Versailles. Fabulous farewell dinner in the Eiffel Tower. Then enjoy & relax on a romantic Seine River cruise.



Bruges, Belgium

For more information regarding this trip, please contact Ginny Baxter at (562) 938-4634. To reserve your space, send a \$250 per person deposit made payable to: Collette Vacations, LBCC Foundation, 4901 E. Carson St. B-12, Long Beach, CA 90808. Travel insurance at \$200 per person is highly recommended.

**Yes! Sign me up for "Netherlands, Belgium & Paris".** Enclosed is my \$250 per person deposit plus \$200 travel insurance per person (optional) made payable to Collette Vacations. I understand that final payment is due February 9, 2012.

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