

Ultimate Birds of Prey

Synopsis

For the best ever birds of prey photography workshop, join us in the Czech Republic where we will spend two days photographing a wide range of raptors, including golden eagle, sea eagle, peregrine falcon and a variety of owls, both in-flight and posed in stunning, natural settings. Nowhere else can we replicate the diversity of opportunities this location provides. The course culminates in a unique opportunity to photograph at eye level eagles gliding above a natural pond. On our return, we will spend a further day photographing the architecture and culture of Prague, one of Europe's most picturesque cities. Course price includes flights and accommodation.

Highlights

- Wide variety of birds of prey
- Flights over natural pond
- Stunning natural backdrops
- Additional time to photograph Prague city
- Includes flights, transfers & accommodation
- Fully escorted, with English speaking guide
- Extensive photographic tuition

Description

The workshop begins with a morning flight from Stansted to Prague. On arrival we transfer to our hotel and check in and for the next two days you will enjoy a unique and rare opportunity to photograph some of northern Europe's most charismatic birds of prey, both in flight and perched in authentic natural settings.

Using professional falconers and trained birds, you will have the chance to photograph species such as golden eagle, sea eagle, peregrine falcon, tawny owl and eagle owl, as they fly amidst the wild landscape of the Czech Republic. We will fly the birds in appropriate habitat, including over water, enabling you to capture natural-looking and spectacular pictures that would be almost impossible to achieve with wild birds without months of work.

Guidance and tuition on how to get the best from each situation will be available throughout both days from a professional photographer.

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On the third day, we transfer back to Prague where you will have the opportunity to photograph the architecture and culture of this beautiful and picturesque city. An English-speaking guide will escort you and point out all the photographic hot-spots.

On our last night we will enjoy an evening out, an opportunity to reflect on the tour and each other's photography, and soak in the atmosphere of Prague.

Over the four days, you can expect a packed workshop of great photography, great company and great food in the beautiful Czech Republic.

Itinerary

Day 1

Depart Stansted to Prague (06:25).
Transfer to hotel.
Full afternoon of photography (raptors).
Dinner at hotel (included)

Day 2

Breakfast at hotel (included)
Full day of photography (raptors)
Dinner at hotel (included)

Day 3

Breakfast at hotel (included)
Transfer to hotel in Prague
Full afternoon and evening photography in Prague

Day 4

Breakfast at hotel (included)
Morning at leisure
Transfer to airport for return flight (departs 15:30)

The cost of the workshop is £480 per person, based on twin sharing. Book with a £110.00 deposit, balance due 10-weeks prior to departure. Price includes flight, transfers, accommodation and meals as described.

Course leader: Peter Watmough

Group size: 10

Location: Czech Republic