



How I Fly First Class on a budget
and you can do it too!



Traveled to 45 countries

Lived in Belgium, Germany, UK, Dubai, Shanghai

Blog to inspire people to travel more

Work full time as software engineer



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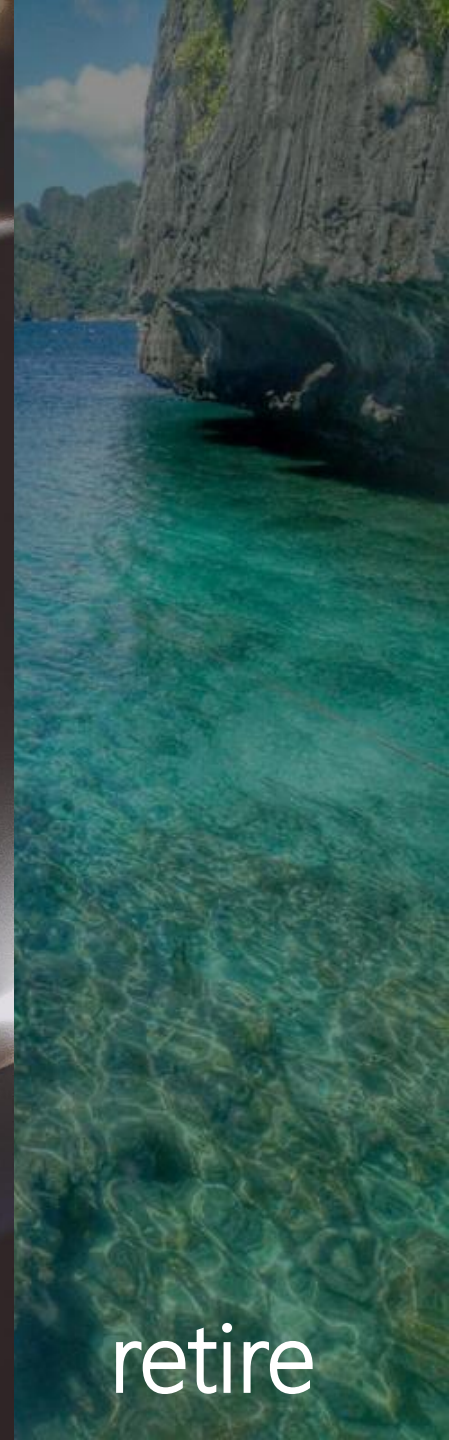


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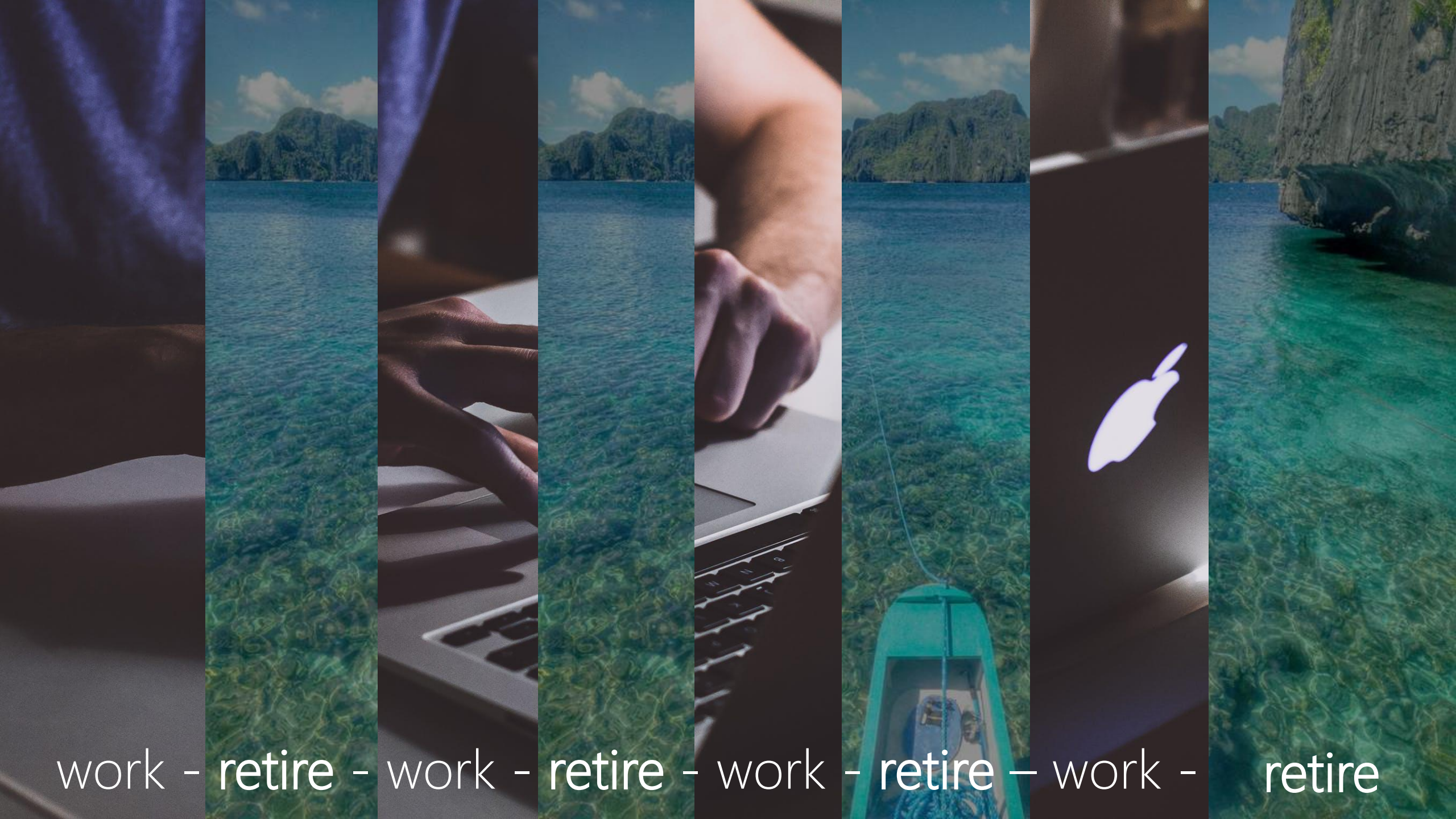
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Which life do you want to live?



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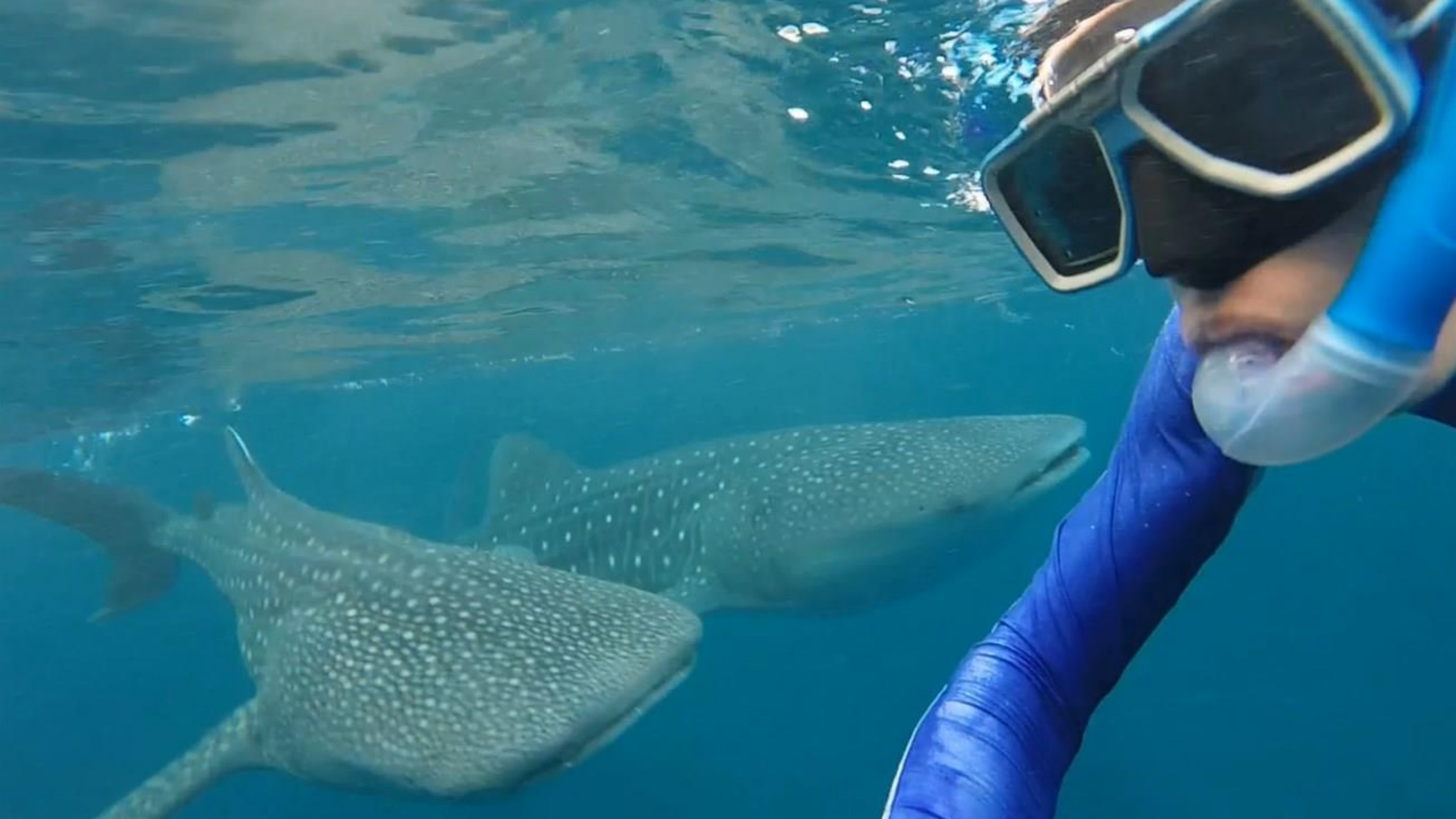
retire



work - retire - work - retire - work - retire - work - retire

Take mini retirements
Pursue your passions

















The Pyongyang Times

Supreme Leader Kim Jong Un oversees test fire of super-large multiple rocket launcher



TODAY



인민의 나라









45 countries and counting

ASIA, CHINA, SHANGHAI, TRAVEL

+20 Amazing things to do in Shanghai – From an expat who lives there

DECEMBER 23, 2018

BY GINGER AROUND THE WORLD

4 COMMENTS



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Fly high in *Etihad First*

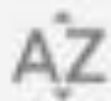
A time and place to call your own. Step into your private suite, unwind with a drink in your leather armchair or let us prepare your bed whilst you take a shower on board our A380. Choose when and how you'd like to dine with an extensive a la carte menu, boutique wine list and Inflight Chef.

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Pick your flight



2:35 AM – 7:35 AM **\$17,639**

Nonstop · 8h 00m · AUH–LHR

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8:10 AM – 1:00 PM **\$17,639**

Nonstop · 7h 50m · AUH–LHR

Etihad



1:50 PM – 6:45 PM **\$17,639**

Nonstop · 7h 55m · AUH–LHR

Etihad



6 months later

I managed to book
Etihad First Class Apartment
For just 185 USD





Cigar Lounge



Free bites, bar & à la carte dining



Etihad A380 (2 levels)



Welcome Champagne



Onboard chef, à la carte dining



Same leather as used in Ferrari cars



Etihad's spacious apartment







Welcome on board

We are delighted to offer you our signature Christian Lacroix amenity bag featuring a selection of carefully chosen Omorovicza luxury skincare products and comfort items.

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Onboard shower!!



Onboard bar!



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							GuestSeat	OpenSeat	
From	✈	To	Stops Trip duration	Flight number	Operated by	Aircraft	Guest First i	First i	The Residence i
AUH 02:30	✈	LHR 06:45	0 8hr 15min	EY 11	Etihad Airways	A380 ▶	Sold out	Miles 553211 + AED 1950	Miles 2093797 + AED 120
AUH 08:00	✈	LHR 12:05	0 8hr 5min	EY 19	Etihad Airways	A380 ▶	Sold out	Miles 553211 + AED 1950 + <i>6 seats left</i>	Miles 2093797 + AED 120

+500.000 miles and 500 usd



							GuestSeat	OpenSeat	
From	✈	To	Stops Trip duration	Flight number	Operated by	Aircraft	Guest First	First	The Residence
AUH 13:45	✈	LHR 17:45	0 8hr 0min	EY 17	Etihad Airways	A380	 Miles 88048 + AED 680 + <i>2 seats left</i>	 Miles 553211 + AED 1950	 Miles 2093797 + AED 120

Just 88.000 miles and 185 usd





Credit card

Earn points

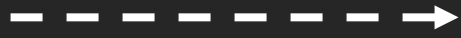


Covert to miles



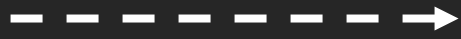
Credit card

Earn miles



Fly

Earn miles



26 hours in Qatar Airways First Class



صالة الصفوة للدرجة الأولى
Al Safwa First Lounge







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Gewürztraminer

Gesteira Laroze

Blanc de 2012
Alsace, France

This wine is a blend of Gewürztraminer and Pinot Gris. It is a dry wine with a light body and a delicate, floral aroma. The palate is clean and crisp, with a subtle hint of spice. It is a perfect accompaniment to light, delicate dishes.

Food & wine pairing
Light, delicate dishes, such as seafood, poultry, and soft cheeses.



Assemblage Cabernet & Merlot

Château Brane-Cantenac

Blanc de 2012
Bordeaux, France

This wine is a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot. It is a dry wine with a full body and a rich, complex flavor. The palate is smooth and velvety, with a subtle hint of spice. It is a perfect accompaniment to hearty, rich dishes.

Food & wine pairing
Hearty, rich dishes, such as red meat, game, and hard cheeses.





Price: 1000 USD

Experience: 26 hours in First class

How: Error fare from Cairo

Singapore Airlines First Class
Double Bed Suite





















CHATEAU LAUZAN-SÉGLA
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2015

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2015

CHATEAU
2015
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2015











DOM PERIGNON 2009 VINTAGE CHAMPAGNE REVIEW

Champagne: Dom Perignon 2009 Vintage

Building on the experience the maison gained during the challenging 2003 vintage, the 2009 perfectly showcases how obstacles are overcome, and ambitions fulfilled.

Size: 750ML

Proof: 25 (12.5 % ABV)

Origin: France

Distillery: Moët et Chandon



\$214.99

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Detailed Description



Krug Vintage Brut 2004

Vintage Sparkling Wine from Champagne, France

JS 97 D 97 RP 97 W&S 94



750ML / 12% ABV

2003 WS 95 JS 95 D 94

2002 WE 100 W&S 100 JS 100

2000 JS 98 WS 97 W&S 97

All Vintages

\$329⁹⁹

Ships Mon, Nov 18

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Found a lower price?

Price: 46 USD

Experience: 7 hours in First class

How: Sweet spot with Miles

Other Experiences in First & Business Class



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champagne

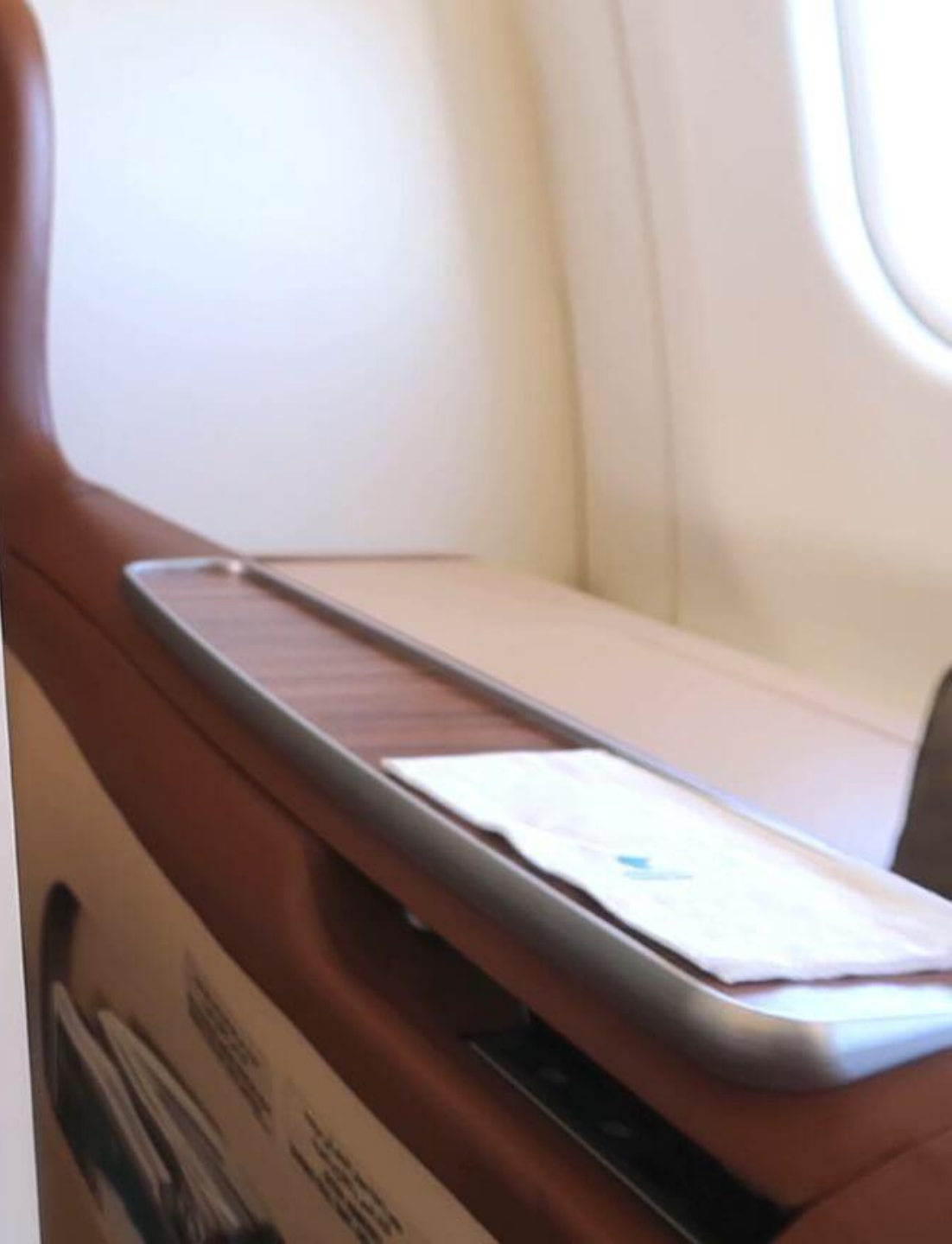
Laurent - Perrier Brut

Maison Fondée
Champagne, France

Laurent-Perrier Brut is the standard-bearer for the house style of Laurent-Perrier. Its style is defined by its very high proportion of Chardonnay, which provides a natural purity, freshness and elegance.

Pale gold colour with fine and persistent bubbles. The aroma is delicate yet complex, fresh and well-balanced with hints of citrus, white fruits and spice. The palate is subtly rounded with expressive flavours. The fruit progressively emerges to reveal a finely balanced champagne displaying great length on the finish.

Laurent-Perrier Brut makes a pleasant aperitif. Its perfect balance, crispness of flavours and finesse also make it the ideal companion for fish, poultry and white meat. A true vin de plaisir — wine of pleasure.



à la carte

dine at any time, when you want, and tailor your preferences in any order from our extensive à la carte menu

soup

roasted tomato and red pepper
herb croutons

appetiser

seasonal salad
"chef's vinaigrette" or thousand island dressing

traditional arabic mezze
a selection of hot and cold appetisers

linguine pasta
tossed with roasted cherry tomatoes, zucchini and herbs
enhanced with garlic, chili and olive oil

mains

grilled fish fillet
with soy beurre blanc, asian greens
steamed rice

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والاصناف تناسب جميع الأذواق



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吉祥航空



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FOR YOUR SAFTY, PLEASE READ SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.

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NO Smoking during the entire flight.



禁止使用锂电池移动电源以及
不带有飞行模式功能的手机。
Do not use lithium battery mobile power.
Do not use mobile phone without flight mode



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Please switch on flight mode when using mobile phone
notebook and other PED.

起飞与着陆 Take-off and landing



调整座椅至
TTL位置
Rest position to TTL



请系紧安全带和肩带
Please fasten your seat belt and shoulder belt



收起耳机以及大型便携式电子设备
Do not use headphone and large PED
(大型便携式电子设备：长宽高三边之和大于31cm)
The total dimensions of any large PEDs exceed 31cm







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头等舱套票为同一航线多次往返，一次往返计为一套；
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深圳 ¥7,380
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成都 ¥9,300
上海 ⇄ 三套原价 25,500

重庆 ¥8,160
上海 ⇄ 三套原价 23,460

销售日期：即日起-2019年12月31日
承运日期：2018年8月1日—2019年12月31日
(春运2019年1月21日-3月1日；国庆2019年9月30日-10月1日除外)



服务热线
juneyao
温暖随行

Flight	Departure	Arrival	Flight detail	Business cabin	Economy cabin
HO1111	07:35 HONGQIAO	10:05 BAOAN	Direct Flight 2 Hour30 Mins	<input type="radio"/> \$272 Few seats: 4	<input type="radio"/> \$167
HO1109	08:35 PUDONG	13:10 BAOAN	Transit Flight 4 Hour35 Mins	<input type="radio"/> \$223 Few seats: 4	<input type="radio"/> \$120
HO1201	14:55 HONGQIAO	17:35 BAOAN	Direct Flight 2 Hour40 Mins	<input checked="" type="radio"/> \$267 Few seats: 6	<input type="radio"/> \$192
HO1155	17:30 HONGQIAO	20:15 BAOAN	Direct Flight 2 Hour45 Mins	<input type="radio"/> \$267 Few seats: 2	<input type="radio"/> \$192
HO1151	21:00 HONGQIAO	23:30 BAOAN	Direct Flight 2 Hour30 Mins	<input type="radio"/> \$259 Few seats: 2	<input type="radio"/> \$167

Select Returning Flights

SHENZHEN → SHANGHAI, 25 Nov, Sun

Thu 22 Nov	Fri 23 Nov	Sat 24 Nov	Sun 25 Nov	Mon 26 Nov	Tue 27 Nov	Wed 28 Nov
\$1,066	--	--	--	--	--	--

Flight	Departure	Arrival	Flight detail	Business cabin	Economy cabin
HO1152	07:35 BAOAN	09:55 HONGQIAO	Direct Flight 2 Hour20 Mins	<input type="radio"/> \$236	<input type="radio"/> \$94 Book
HO1112	11:20 BAOAN	13:40 HONGQIAO	Direct Flight 2 Hour20 Mins	<input type="radio"/> \$248 Few seats: 4	<input type="radio"/> \$120 Book
HO1110	14:25 BAOAN	20:05 PUDONG	Transit Flight 5 Hour40 Mins	<input type="radio"/> \$223 Few seats: 4	<input type="radio"/> \$95 Book
HO1202	19:00 BAOAN	21:15 HONGQIAO	Direct Flight 2 Hour15 Mins	<input checked="" type="radio"/> \$248 Few seats: 4	<input type="radio"/> \$130 Book


Other ways to book cheap tickets

Round trip One way **Multi-city** Economy 1 adult


Brussels (all airports) +	Dubai (all airports) +	31 Mon, Oct 2 ◀ ▶ ✕
Dubai (all airports) +	Tokyo (all airports) +	31 Sat, Oct 7 ◀ ▶ ✕
Tokyo (all airports) +	Dubai (all airports) +	31 Tue, Oct 17 ◀ ▶ ✕

Add a flight

Stops ▾ Price ▾ Emirates ▾ Times ▾ More ▾ Clear

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Sort by price ▾

Prices total. [Additional bag fees](#) may apply.


\$2,633 total	 3:05 PM – 11:40 PM Emirates	6h 35m BRU-DXB	Nonstop
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\$924 total	 3:05 PM – 11:40 PM Emirates	6h 35m BRU-DXB	Nonstop
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Adding flights to your ticket can reduce the price

Dubai to Bangkok in Business Class

Emirates	22:30 DXB	6h 30 Direct	08:00 (+1) BKK	4 deals from \$2,599 Select
Emirates	02:25 BKK	6h 10 Direct	05:35 DXB	

Cairo to Dubai to Bangkok in Business Class

Emirates	12:05 CAI	14h 55 1 stop DXB	08:00 (+1) BKK	4 deals from \$1,075 Select
Emirates	02:25 BKK	13h 1 stop DXB	10:25 CAI	

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Cebu Pacific Air
5J15

Dubai → Manila
za, 17 feb, 2018

23:10 — 11:20 (18 feb)
8166666666666666h 100m,
Non—stop

AED 163 **NON REFUNDABLE**
1 adult (fare breakup)



Cebu Pacific Air
5J14

Manila → Dubai
di, 27 feb, 2018

16:05 — 21:40 (27 feb)
9583333333333334h 350m,
Non—stop



50 USD for 18 hours in economy, my taxi to the airport was more expensive

Guardar 193 €
Ahorra hasta un 11%
 173 €
 eDreams

Philippine Airlines

- 19:40 DXB → 8:50 MNL 9h 10m
- 13:20 MNL → 15:45 MFM 2h 25m
- 16:35 MFM → 3:00 DXB 14h 25m

Air Asia

- 10:40 MNL → 12:05 CEB 1h 25m Direct
- 06:55 CEB → 08:15 MNL 1h 20m Direct

2 deals from **47 €**
 Select

I did 5 flights for 245 USD by nesting super cheap flight deals!

Can I earn miles to both my Etihad Guest and Etihad BusinessConnect accounts, for the same flight?

Yes. **You can earn miles for yourself and miles for your company** Just make sure to enter both your Etihad Guest and BusinessConnect account numbers when making your booking.

Will a portion of my Etihad Guest Miles will be given to the company's Etihad BusinessConnect account?

No. All miles earned in your Etihad Guest account will remain in your Etihad Guest account, until redeemed.

Can a business earn miles for flights taken on Etihad codeshare partners?

Alitalia is the codeshare airline partner participating in the Etihad BusinessConnect programme. Etihad BusinessConnect accounts will earn miles on codeshare flights as outlined in the '**How to Earn**' section of the website.

Can a business earn miles for bookings its employees make via travel agencies?

Yes. Please **ensure your travel agent enters your BusinessConnect account number in** the booking, as otherwise miles will not be credited to your account.

You can earn double miles by opening a company account.



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May 28 at 12:30pm · ✨

****ERROR FARE**** #BusinessClass from Moscow, Russia to Tokyo, Japan for only €539 roundtrip.

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