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EXPERIENCE all three branches of the Chicago River on the only cruise led by Chicago Architecture Center docents, about Chicago’s various architectural styles and the people who built and designed our city.

LEARN cruising in comfort and style aboard Chicago’s finest boat, complete with full-service bars and climate-controlled salons.

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Accept no substitutes! Explore Chicago’s iconic architecture aboard the only river tour partnered with the Chicago Architecture Center. See why visitors and locals alike consistently name our tour the best way to see Chicago.

EVERYDAY RIVER CRUISE

Experience our renowned Chicago Architecture Center River Cruise in the glow of the setting sun. Serene and bathed in a softer light, the city’s architecture takes on a whole new life as it begins its transition from day to night. Savor the views with friends and family as you enjoy a relaxing evening on the water with cocktail in-hand.

Know Before You Go

PRIORITY BOARDING tickets start at $66.77 plus tax
• Exclusive early boarding period
• Skip the queue during general boarding
• Chicago Architecture Center admission included
• CEREBRAL ROADING: tickets start at $55.85 plus tax
• Include a visit to the Chicago Architecture Center for $5 more
• CHILDREN UNDER 3 tickets start at $23.62 plus tax

DEPARTURE LOCATION: 112 E. Wacker Dr.
Access Chicago Riverwalk via stairway at NE corner of Michigan Ave. and Wacker Dr.

DISCOUNT PARKING available at 111 E. Wacker Dr.
Validation required
CRUISECHICAGO.COM/PARKING

LIMITED MOBILITY ACCESS

Access Chicago Riverwalk via ADA pedestrian ramp at State St. and Wacker Dr. or use Riverwalk-level drop-off.
CRUISECHICAGO.COM/ACCESSIBILITY

Tickets & Arriving

• Purchase in advance - cruises often sell out!
• Go paperless with mobile tickets
• Pick up “Will Call” tickets at our dockside box office
• Arrive 30 minutes prior to departure
• All passengers, including children of all ages, require a ticket
• Cruises depart rain or shine; no refunds or exchanges

Seating & Tips

• Outdoor seating is guaranteed
• All seating is general admission (no assigned seats)
• Climate-controlled interior
• Bring sunblock (also available for purchase at bar)
• Bring sunglasses, visor or cap

Groups & Private Events

• Pricing and reservations available for groups of 20+ (312-322-1132) | GROUPSALES@ARCHITECTURE.ORG
• Discounts are available for private parties, weddings and corporate events for groups up to 250 guests.
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FINISH TIMES 2023 DEPARTURES

ALL CRUISES 90 MINUTES
A FEW HIGHLIGHTS OF THE 50+ SIGNIFICANT SIGHTS SEEN FROM OUR AWARD-WINNING CRUISE

4 WAYS TO PURCHASE
1. Riverwalk box office (112 E. Wacker Dr.)
2. Chicago Architecture Center (111 E. Wacker Dr.)
3. Reserve through your hotel concierge
4. Purchase tickets via Ticketmaster

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VIEW OUR BAR MENU
Snacks, beer, wine, alcoholic and non-alcoholic cocktails, lemonade and soft drinks are available for purchase anytime during your cruise.

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BUNDLE AND SAVE

Visit the CAC for just $5 (regularly $25) before or after any Chicago River Cruise! Before or after you cruise, complete your Chicago architecture experience at the Center. Upgrade at time of purchase or online through Ticketmaster.com/RiverCruise. Valid only with Chicago Architecture Center tickets purchased at the CAC Box Office or via ticketmaster.com/RiverCruise.

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