

Terms & Conditions

These Terms & Conditions apply to your registration and participation in **Paris Design Tour 2026**, the “Trip”. By submitting payment, you confirm that you have read, understood, and agree to these Terms.

1. Parties and Roles

The Trip is curated and promoted by **Marla Baker** in collaboration with **Maritime Travel Inc.**

Travel-related services, including accommodation and any travel arrangements identified in the itinerary, are arranged through **Maritime Travel Inc.** Toronto Financial District Branch TICO# 50012931

Marla Baker is not an airline, hotel, insurer, transportation provider, or travel supplier. Our role is to curate the design experience, coordinate programming, support communications, and provide group experience planning.

2. Trip Inclusions and Exclusions

The Trip includes only the items listed on the official Trip website page (see sections: What’s Included and What’s Not Included). Anything not specifically listed as included is excluded. Participants are responsible for reviewing the Trip details carefully before submitting payment.

3. Pricing and Currency

All prices are listed in **Canadian dollars**.

Prices are based on current supplier rates, estimated group size, accommodation assumptions, taxes, exchange rates, and availability at the time of publication. Prices may change if supplier costs, taxes, currency exchange rates, group size, or itinerary requirements change before final payment.

A participant’s spot is not confirmed until payment has been received and accepted.

4. Payment Schedule

The payment schedule is as follows:

- Deposit due at registration: **\$2,500**
- Final payment due July 15, 2026: **\$4,000**

Failure to make payments by the stated deadlines may result in cancellation of the participant's registration and loss of some or all amounts paid, subject to the cancellation terms below.

5. Deposit and Cancellation Policy

A non-refundable deposit of \$2,500 CAD is required to secure your place for the Paris Design Immersion + Sourcing Experience.

Remaining balance is due by July 15, 2026.

Cancellation Terms

- Cancellation on or before August 4, 2026:
Any payments made beyond the deposit will be refunded.
- Cancellation between August 5–20, 2026:
50% of the total payment beyond the deposit will be refunded.
- Cancellation on or after August 21, 2026:
No refunds will be issued.

Due to the curated nature of the experience and advance commitments with hotels, transportation, restaurants and partners, these policies are necessary.

Registrations may be transferable upon approval.

Refunds, where applicable, will be based on recoverable amounts after any committed program costs, supplier charges and administrative expenses have been deducted.

No refunds will be provided for missed activities, late arrivals, early departures, travel delays, illness, personal circumstances, denied boarding, denied entry, or failure to obtain appropriate travel documentation or insurance.

6. Mandatory Emergency Medical Travel Insurance

Emergency medical travel insurance is **mandatory** for all participants. Each participant must provide proof of valid emergency medical travel insurance no later than **60 days prior to departure date**.

Coverage must be valid for the full duration of the Trip, including travel dates to and from France. Participants are responsible for ensuring that their policy provides adequate coverage for emergency medical care, hospitalization, emergency evacuation or

repatriation, and any personal health needs. Failure to provide proof of emergency medical travel insurance by the required deadline may result in cancellation of the participant's registration without refund.

Trip cancellation, trip interruption, baggage, and personal effects insurance are strongly recommended but are not mandatory unless otherwise stated.

7. Travel Documents and Entry Requirements

Each participant is responsible for ensuring they have a valid passport and all documents required to enter France and any countries travelled through in connection with the Trip.

Participants are responsible for confirming passport validity, visa requirements, entry authorization requirements, health documentation, and any other travel rules that apply to them.

Failure to obtain proper documentation, entry authorization, insurance, or identification does not entitle the participant to a refund.

8. Transfers and Substitutions

If a participant is unable to attend, they may request to transfer their spot to another eligible participant.

Transfers are not guaranteed and are subject to approval, supplier rules, payment status, administrative requirements, and any applicable name-change or change fees.

9. Minimum Group Size

The Trip requires a minimum number of paid participants.

If the minimum group size is not reached by **July 15, 2026**, the Trip may be cancelled, postponed, repriced, or revised.

If the Trip is cancelled by the organizers because the minimum group size is not met, participants will receive a refund of amounts paid, less any non-refundable third-party costs that have already been committed, unless otherwise confirmed in writing.

10. Itinerary Changes

The itinerary is curated in advance but remains subject to change.

We reserve the right to modify hotels, visits, speakers, venues, timing, transportation, restaurants, or activities due to supplier availability, safety concerns, weather, strikes, closures, transportation delays, or other circumstances outside our control.

Reasonable efforts will be made to provide a comparable experience where changes are required. No refund will be provided for reasonable itinerary substitutions.

11. Flights and Independent Travel

Flights are not included unless expressly stated in writing.

Participants are responsible for booking their own flights and ensuring they arrive in time for the Trip start.

We are not responsible for flight delays, cancellations, missed connections, lost baggage, denied boarding, or related expenses.

Participants are strongly advised not to book non-refundable flights until the Trip has been confirmed to proceed.

12. Health, Mobility, and Fitness to Travel

Participants are responsible for determining whether they are physically and medically able to participate.

The Trip includes walking tours, stairs, uneven surfaces, standing for extended periods, public transportation, group transfers, and a full schedule of activities.

Participants must advise us in writing before booking of any mobility limitations, dietary restrictions, allergies, medical needs, or accessibility requirements.

Reasonable efforts will be made to accommodate requests, but we cannot guarantee that all venues, transportation providers, hotels, or tour locations will be accessible.

13. Participant Conduct

Participants are expected to behave respectfully toward hosts, organizers, suppliers, speakers, fellow participants, hotel staff, guides, and the public.

We reserve the right to remove a participant from the Trip, without refund, if their conduct is disruptive, unsafe, discriminatory, unlawful, damaging to the group experience, or harmful to the reputation of the organizers, partners, or suppliers.

Any additional costs resulting from removal are the participant's responsibility.

14. Assumption of Risk

International travel involves risks, including but not limited to illness, injury, theft, lost property, transportation delays, supplier disruptions, civil unrest, weather events, strikes, accidents, public health issues, and changes to travel advisories or entry rules.

By registering, participants acknowledge these risks and agree that participation is voluntary.

15. Limitation of Liability

To the fullest extent permitted by law, **Marla Baker**, its owners, directors, employees, contractors, partners, hosts, and representatives are not liable for injury, loss, delay, damage, expense, inconvenience, disappointment, or other claim arising from acts, omissions, delays, changes, cancellations, or failures by third-party suppliers, including airlines, hotels, restaurants, transportation providers, venues, guides, insurers, government authorities, or other independent providers.

Nothing in these Terms limits liability where such limitation is not permitted by law.

16. Force Majeure

We are not responsible for failure to perform or delays caused by circumstances beyond our reasonable control, including but not limited to weather, strikes, labour disruptions, supplier insolvency, pandemics, epidemics, border closures, government restrictions, acts of terrorism, war, civil unrest, natural disasters, transportation disruptions, or other force majeure events.

If the Trip is cancelled, postponed, or materially changed due to a force majeure event, refunds will depend on amounts recoverable from suppliers and any applicable insurance coverage.

17. Room Occupancy

Trip pricing is based on the room occupancy stated at booking.

If a participant selects shared accommodation and a roommate becomes unavailable, cancels, or is not assigned, the participant may be responsible for a single supplement or revised accommodation cost.

18. Photography, Video, and Marketing

Photos and videos may be taken during the Trip for marketing, social media, educational, or promotional purposes.

By participating, participants consent to being photographed or recorded unless they advise us in writing before the Trip that they do not wish to be included in identifiable promotional images.

19. Privacy

Personal information collected during registration will be used to administer the Trip, process payments, communicate with participants, coordinate travel-related services, and share necessary information with suppliers, partners, and the travel agency.

Payment information is processed through Wix Payments and is subject to the [Wix Payments Terms of Service](#).

20. Errors and Omissions

We make reasonable efforts to ensure that all Trip information is accurate. However, errors, omissions, supplier changes, and pricing changes may occur.

We reserve the right to correct errors and update Trip information at any time.

21. Governing Law

These Terms are governed by the laws of the Province of **Ontario** and the applicable federal laws of Canada, unless otherwise required by mandatory consumer protection laws or supplier terms.

22. Acknowledgement

By submitting payment, the participant confirms that they:

- Have read and understood these Terms & Conditions
- Have reviewed the Trip inclusions and exclusions listed on the Trip website page
- Understand the payment, cancellation, and refund terms
- Understand that emergency medical travel insurance is mandatory
- Agree to provide proof of emergency medical travel insurance by the required deadline
- Are responsible for their own flights, passport, entry requirements, and optional insurance
- Understand that international travel involves risk
- Agree to participate respectfully and responsibly