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## Stargazing At One of the Four Corners of the Earth

## Available All Seven Seasons



Explore the skies at the edge of the Earth over Fogo Island. The delightful disorientation of stargazing excursions will reorient guests to the natural world as they come to know Fogo Island's place in the unknowable universe. Guided activities include a Dark Sky hike to lookout points, late evening strolls around the harbor, and daily sunrise and sunset hikes. Independent stargazing from the Inn's best vantage points with binoculars will bring the magic and marvels of the night sky into sharp focus, and private, self-guided dark sky viewing by the naked eye from the rooftop's outdoor hot tubs is, of course, encouraged. Indoor and outdoor sing-alongs of songs about the sun, moon, stars and planets with Community Hosts often turn out to be soundtracks of the weekend.

The **Stargazing at One of the Four Corners of the Earth** two- or three-night itinerary (depending on the season) at Fogo Island Inn includes all meals, an Island Orientation with a Community Host, and a range of outdoor activities and excursions. To reserve, call International Reservations at +1 709 658 3444, or US & Canada Reservations at +1 855 268 9277, or email reservations@fogoislandinn.ca.

## Sample 2-Night Itinerary

DAY 1

| AFTERNOON      | Arrive on Fogo Island and allow the Island to<br>reveal itself on the drive through outport<br>communities as you make your way off to<br>your refuge, Fogo Island Inn. Take time for<br>exploration.  |
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|                | Check into Fogo Island Inn, a traditional yet<br>contemporary masterpiece of modern<br>architecture and design. The Inn was named<br>as Travel & Leisure's Best Resort Hotel in<br>Canada, 2017 and 2018 – among the<br>country's best hotels from coast to coast.                             |
| LATE AFTERNOON | Relax in your room after your long journey,<br>gazing outside the floor-to-ceiling windows at<br>the powerful North Atlantic crashing<br>seemingly at your fingertips. When you're<br>ready, make your way down to the Lounge<br>for a warm beverage by the fire or a pre-<br>supper cocktail. |
| 6-9PM          | Supper is served in the Dining Room, where<br>the provenance of every menu is inspired by<br>the seasonal tastes of the outport terroir.<br>Everything coming out of the kitchen is<br>intended to feed more than your hunger.   |
| EVENING        | It's time to unwind as you head to the<br>rooftop for a soak in the hot tubs, stargazing<br>as Fogo Island's dark skies fill with an infinite<br>number of celestial bodies.   |

| DAY 2          |   |
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| EARLY AM       | For early birds: embark on a sunrise hike<br>and marvel as night turns to day and the sun<br>illuminates the Island's otherworldly<br>landscapes.   |
| DAYBREAK       | Find a handmade wooden Daybreak Tray<br>outside your door filled with coffee, tea and<br>fresh pastries. Linger.  |
| 7-10AM         | Breakfast is served in the Dining Room at your leisure.   |
| 10AM           | Meet your Community Host in the Lobby for<br>your Island Orientation. Be prepared for fresh<br>perspectives and insights, stories and<br>laughter during your half-day outing being<br>led in your discovery of this "salty Narnia" by<br>the people of the place, whose sense of self<br>comes from deep historical ties to landscape<br>and seascape.                         |
| DINNER (LUNCH) | Lunch is served in the Dining Room at your leisure.   |
| AFTERNOON      | Take in the comforts of the Inn itself: delve<br>into the extensive collection of<br>Newfoundlandia in our Heritage Library, take<br>in a special celestial screening in the 37-seat<br>in-house Cinema, or gaze through the first-<br>floor telescope for passing icebergs,<br>migrating whales, and swooping seabirds<br>that come and go with the Island's seven<br>seasons. |

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| 6-9PM        | Feast on a meal prepared by the Inn's<br>Executive Chef Jonathan Gushue in the<br>Dining Room.  |
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| EVENING      | Join us in an optional sing-along for some<br>astronomy-themed songs Here Comes the<br>Sun, Venus and Mars, Sundown, Drops of<br>Jupiter, Bad Moon Rising, Aquarius, and<br>more favourite tunes sung around a roaring<br>bonfire by the Inn's iconic stilt legs (weather<br>and season permitting), or to the musical<br>stylings of live local entertainers in the<br>Lounge. |
| LATE EVENING | Join our Outdoor Adventure Guide on a late<br>evening stroll around the harbour or a night<br>hike to lookout points across the Island,<br>whose skies are unmarred by light pollution.   |
| DAY 3        |   |
| DAYBREAK     | Meet another day with your Daybreak Tray.<br>Ease into the morning gradually.   |
| 7-10AM       | Farewell breakfast at your leisure in the<br>Dining Room.   |
| DEPARTURE    | Prepare for your departure from the Inn and the journey homeward.   |

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