



EGYPT: TRIP ITINERARY

TIME TO GET THE CAMERAS WET: FROGFISH IN EGYPT

SHARM EL SHEIKH/ DAHAB/ SHARM EL SHEIKH

18th to 25rd October 2010 (7 nights)

Egypt's Sinai Peninsular is a name that resonates across history from the turquoise mines of the Pharaohs, through biblical revelation to modern international politics. This trip focuses on the less well known charms of the Gulf of Aqaba and a spectacular introduction to the world of scuba diving.

Your guide, Nick Robertson-Brown LBIPP will dedicate his extensive Red Sea diving and underwater photography expertise to ensuring that you truly see this bit of Egypt from a different angle.

You are free to join the group to simply dive, but this is also the opportunity to complete a course in underwater photography designed by Nick especially for this trip for the special, introductory price, of £150.00 per person.

Your pictures will never be the same again.

THE TRIP

Day 1

16/10/10

Fly from the UK, landing in Sharm el Sheikh, you will be driven north the short distance to the quieter resort of Dahab and The Bedouin Moon Hotel, your home for the next week. Settle in and enjoy the stars of a desert night.

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Day 2 to 7

17/10/10 to 22/10/10

10 Dive Package (with option to do 3 to 4 dives per day if you wish)

Six days that take in some of Egypt's most famous dive sites, creating memories that will remain long into your next cold British dive.

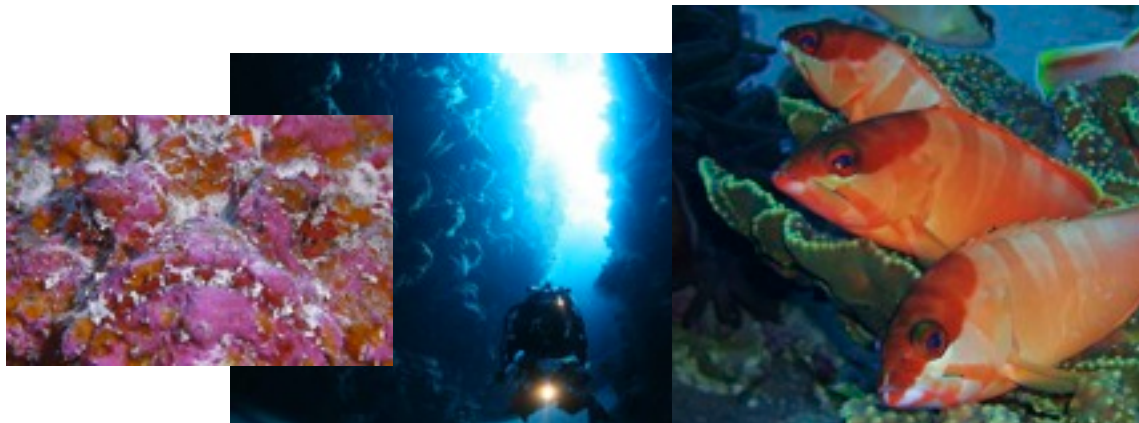
The Blue Hole, The Canyons, deep wall dives, The Eel Gardens, Ras Abu Hilal reef and Gabr El Bint all wait to reveal themselves to you and your lens.

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Day 8

23/10/10

Transfer to Sharm el Sheikh in time to catch your return flight home to the UK.





THE COURSE

The activities and tuition will run throughout the days with evening sessions of about one hour each, after return from that day's diving and before dinner. Having checked in on 16th October, the initial briefing will lead you into the world of macro composition, strobes, subject matter, depth of field and white balance. You will be told about the delights that await you in the morning.



Day 1

Dive 1: The 'check out' dive. This one is not about the fish - they will come later. This one is all about approaching underwater photography, buoyancy and positioning.

Surface interval: 10 minute one to one with Nick for each group member.

Dive 2: Macro photography

Evening: Macro workshop and critique - each group member selects 3 photos for critique to identify techniques and an improved approach.

Day 2

Dive 1: Macro photography

Surface interval: 10 minute one to one with Nick for each group member.

Dive 2: Macro photography

Evening lecture: Wide angle composition, using a model, natural light and torch light (held by model).

Day 3

Dive 1: Wide angle photography.

Surface interval: 10 minute one to one with Nick for each group member.

Dive 2: Wide angle with model

Evening: Wide angle workshop and critique - each group member selects 3 photos for critique to identify techniques and an improved approach.

Day 4

Dive 1: Wide angle photography

Surface interval: 10 minute one to one with Nick for each group member.

Dive 2: Wide angle photography

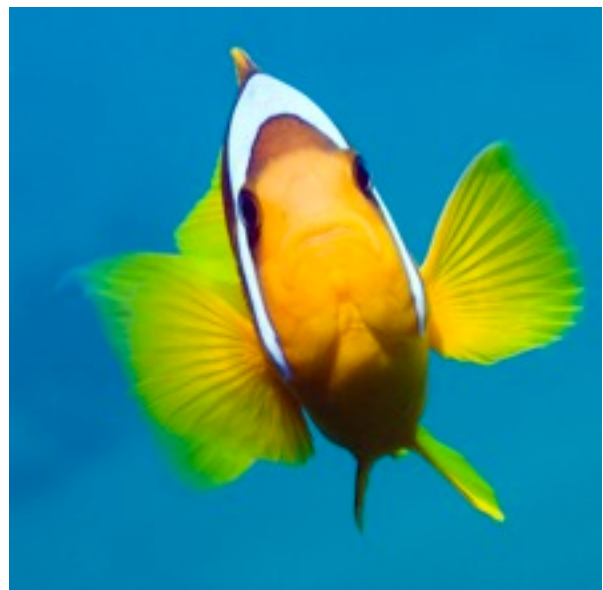
Evening: Competition photography

Day 5

The culmination of the course. Today you will have three dives during which you may take as many shots as possible, with the aim of getting THAT image - the competition winner.

Evening: Judgement time. Bring on the honour and the prizes.....

..... a half day one to one training session with Nick, including pool time.



THE DETAILS

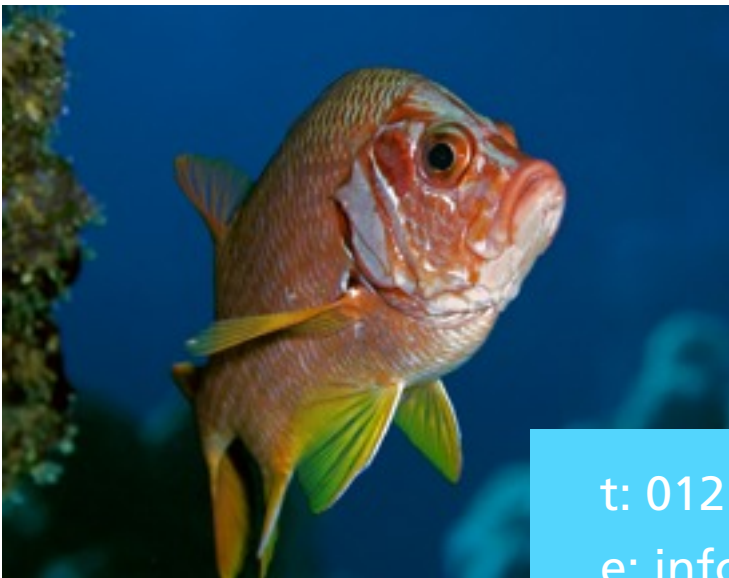
Your price

£445.00 per person (excluding international flight) based on two people sharing.
£525.00 per person (excluding international flights) single supplement

£150 per person Underwater Photography Course

Includes: bed and breakfast accommodation at the Bedouin Moon Hotel in Dahab, airport transfers, 10 dives (more optional).

Excludes: non-specified activities, transport to and from non-specified activities, drinks and tips.



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