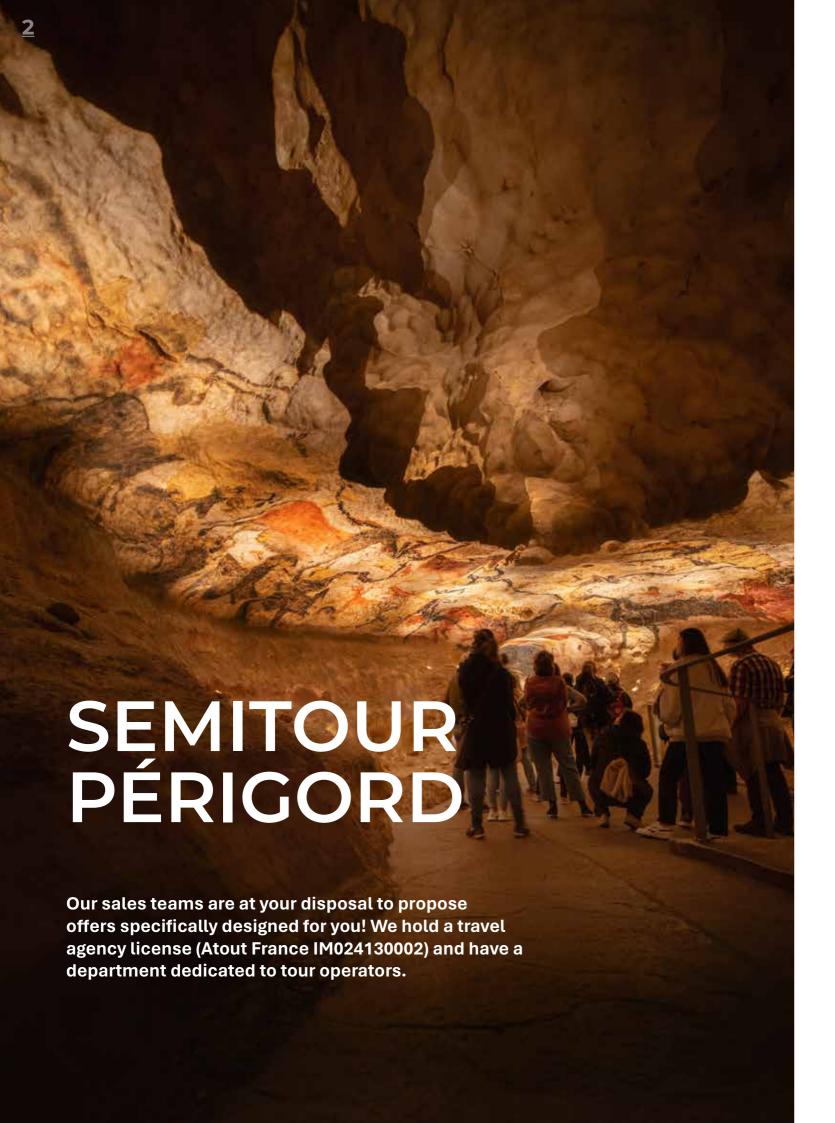


LASCAUX IV & the MUST-SEES of PÉRIGORD

2026 SALES MANUAL







reasons to entrust us with your project

1. Accessibility

Free bus parking available near every site.

2. Availability

A team of professionals is at your disposal to assist in organizing your trip and to let you benefit from their knowledge of the local offer. A dedicated sales department, available Monday to Saturday from 9:00am to 5:30pm non-stop at +33 (0)5 53 05 65 60.

3. Flexibility

Our opening hours and periods for sites from February to December are accessible on our website.

4. Offers

Preferential rates exclusively reserved for tour operators. See page 30.

5. Know-how

We are pleased to offer customizable day trips and short stays centered on Prehistory, medieval heritage... as well as outdoor nature activities.

Smart Tips & Deals

- Special rate guaranteed for groups of fewer than 20 people.
- Complimentary access: 1 driver + 1 guide for groups of 20 people or more.
- Booking modification allowed up to D-7 before the visit by contacting the sales department.
- Interested in multiple visits? All these tours can be combined, and we can propose packages.
- A complimentary coffee is offered to the bus driver upon arrival at Café Lascaux at Lascaux IV.
- Café Lascaux is a brasserie open 7 days a week.

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DORDOGNE and SEMITOUR PÉRIGORD

1.2 million visitors per year

across all sites managed by Semitour

Dordogne Périgord is one of the jewels of Nouvelle-Aquitaine, as much for the richness of its cultural and natural heritage as for the delights of its gastronomy. Périgord evokes marvelous landscapes and a gentle way of life. It constitutes an ideal destination for group stays: rolling landscapes, vast green spaces, sunshine, but also water and shade... And in terms of activities and shared experiences, it proves inexhaustible. Périgord abounds with prehistoric sites, castles, cloisters, and caves, inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage list or classified as Historic Monuments.

Who are we?

As the leading tourism company in Dordogne, Semitour Périgord contributes to the territory's economic development through the management of various high-profile cultural sites that drive the destination's image. A benchmark in tourism innovation, Semitour's mission is to transmit, preserve, and sustainably promote the various cultural and heritage sites it manages so that everyone can fully appropriate all their riches. Contact us to create the stay of your choice together. We will send you a proposal adapted to your group and your desires.

HOW TO GET HERE



BY BUS

Paris/Toulouse: A20 motorway Lyon/Bordeaux: A89 motorway

4h Paris - 3h Toulouse - 1h15 Bordeaux - 4h Lyon



BY PLANE

Bergerac Dordogne-Périgord Airport Brive-Vallée de la Dordogne Airport Bordeaux Airport (2h)

Toulouse Airport (2h)

BY TRAIN



Périgueux Station

Brive-la-Gaillarde Station

Périgueux > Paris 4h by TGV via Bordeaux

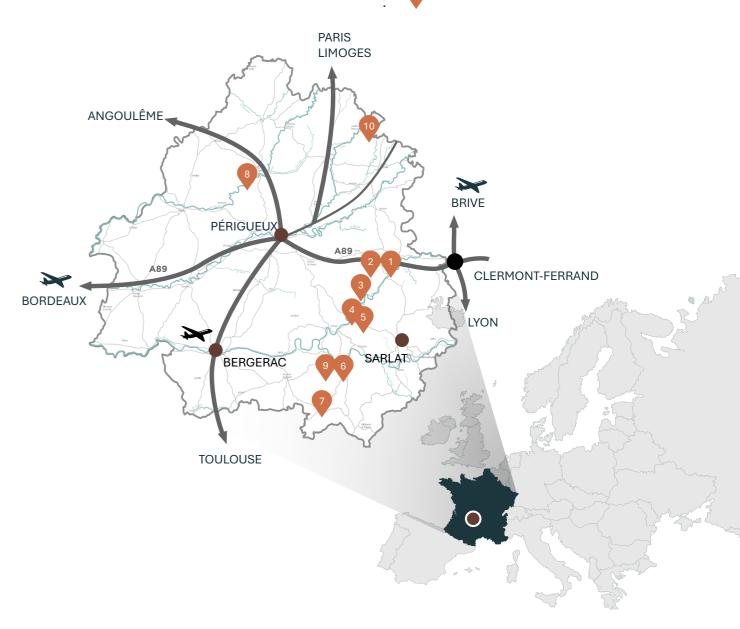








10 La Base de Loisirs de Rouffiac



LASCAUX IV

International Centre for Cave Art



Located in Montignac, in the Black Périgord, Lascaux IV lies at the heart of a region rich in prehistoric sites, within the Vézère Valley, listed as a UNESCO World Heritage site for its 147 deposits dating back to the Paleolithic and its 25 decorated caves. This location offers a unique context for discovering prehistoric art.

Thanks to its proximity to the original site, the International Centre for Cave Art allows visitors to relive the emotion of the discovery while preserving this fragile treasure.

Lascaux IV provides a complete immersion into prehistoric art. The modern building, designed by the Norwegian architectural firm Snøhetta, integrates perfectly into the natural landscape of the Lascaux hill, respecting the relief and environment of the valley.

Inside, the immersive route faithfully reproduces the original cave, with lighting and circulation designed to recreate a mysterious atmosphere.



"Our intention for Lascaux IV was to make references to prehistoric art accessible through contemporary architecture and art carefully adapted to the surrounding landscape. The replica and the center are creations of our time, yet deeply anchored in the precise revelation of history. We are very honored to receive this recognition from the Houen Foundation."

Kjetil Trædal Thorsen, co-founder of Snøhetta

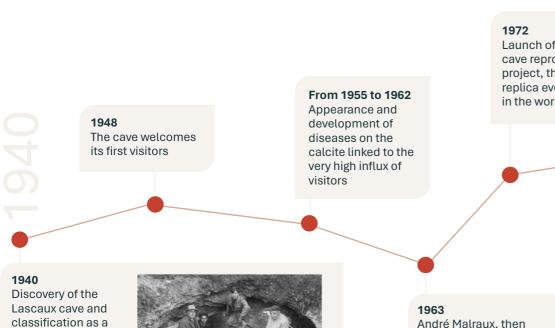


to the public

Opening of Lascaux II

THE HISTORY of LASCAUX

Lascaux, the most famous decorated cave in the world - a must-visit!



Launch of the cave reproduction project, the first cave replica ever created in the world

> 1979 Inscription of the original cave on the UNESCO World Heritage list



Launch of Lascaux III, a traveling exhibition touring the world to reveal the paintings of the most famous decorated cave



2026

Lascaux IV

celebrates its

10th anniversary

2016 Opening of

public

Lascaux IV to the

Lauch of the construction of Lascaux 4, a replica of the original cave, and construction of the

International Centre for

Cave Art

With its approximately 2,000 engraved and painted figures revealing its incredible bestiary, it is considered one of the most important decorated caves of the Paleolithic period and undoubtedly one of the most famous. Its discovery by four intrepid teenagers in September 1940 also played a role in its fame. Also known as the Sistine Chapel of Prehistory for the quality and density of its representations, it stupefies and deeply moves anyone who admires it.

Historic Monument

At Lascaux IV, one can today discover the replica of the cave in its entirety with a degree of precision never before equaled! Cave paintings and engravings dating back more than 20,000 years are unveiled before the visitors' eyes, marveling both young and

Minister of Cultural

the cave and forbid

the paintings

access to the general public due to the degradation suffered by

Affairs, decides to close

Thanks to the resources and technologies deployed, everyone can live a unique and immersive experience, exchange with the mediators, admire this extraordinary architecture, and have fun discovering the links between cave art and contemporary art... Lascaux is universal and can be explored in a thousand ways through the different visits proposed.

During a stay in Périgord, a visit to Lascaux IV is essential to question our origins, and it is the perfect introduction for a journey into prehistory in the heart of the Vézère Valley.

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MAP of LASCAUX IV

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Shop & Café Lascaux : extend the pleasure by bringing back souvenirs and having lunch in a modern and friendly setting.



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Immersion Room: your visit will end in style with a visual and sound experience! This space offers a journey to the origins of art in a whirlwind of works coming to life on the walls, through several immersive shows offered throughout the year.



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Gallery of the Imaginary: this room invites you to explore the links between different artistic works from cave art to contemporary art. Around you, a wall of 90 screens, composed of images and works by renowned artists such as Miró, Tàpies, or Picasso, constitutes this unusual exhibition.



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Reception & Ticketing: get your tickets and start your



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Belvedere & Shelter: you access the belvedere

overlooking the Vézère Valley and then the shelter, which presents the environment of the cave during Prehistory.

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Lascaux and the World: watch a film on multi screens, putting the Lascaux cave and its relationship with cave and rock art in perspective, on multi-screens and in 3D.



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Theatre of Cave Art: you are invited to enter a modern theatre, or rather a suite of small scripted rooms organized in three acts, recounting the discovery and the associated scientific studies.



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Path of Discovery: the guide introduces the tour, supported by immersive sound effects.



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Cave: the replica represents the entirety of the original cave accessible to the public, reproduced with the techniques and art of the Perigord Replica Workshop.



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Patio: you can exchange with the guide and conclude your guided tour before continuing freely.



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Lascaux Workshop: discover four scenographic displays offered: The Objects of Lascaux, The Model, The Art Experience, and The Fragile Balance. But also several reproduced walls or representations broken down using video mapping. In this space guides are available to answer questions and propose discussions on various themes.







The Workshop

Included in the visit route, the Workshop prolongs the cave experience and offers your clients a deeper understanding of cave art. A true space for exploration, it allows for a new perspective on Lascaux thanks to four thematic modules and several immersive devices.

The Objects of Lascaux

Presentation of tools and pigments found in the cave, testifying to the know-how of prehistoric artists.

The Model

A faithful reconstruction of the cave's morphology to better visualize its complex structure.

The Art Experience

A participatory module, ideal for families and young audiences: visitors can experiment with cave painting and reproduce an animal using tools inspired by those of Lascaux.

The Fragile Balance

A sequence explaining how human visitation disrupted the ecosystem of the original cave, leading to its closure due to CO₂ saturation.

The Workshop also presents other reconstructed walls, allowing observation of certain Lascaux panels in detail and access to scenes invisible in the cave, such as the famous Shaft Scene, which is particularly emblematic.

Finally, a video mapping device breaks down the gestures and techniques of the prehistoric artists, offering a finer understanding of the creation of the works.

The Immersion Room

Included in the visit, the Immersion Room offers a spectacular audiovisual experience in the heart of Lascaux IV. Thanks to 360° projections, sound and light mingle to bring the history of humanity to life through three immersive shows.

New 2026 Film "One Single Humanity"

This brand-new show invites your clients to a universal reflection on our common identity: we are all Homo sapiens, originating from a single source, Africa.

A poetic and inspiring journey, carrying a strong message - to unite rather than divide, by highlighting that our similarities are far greater than our differences.

The two previous shows also remain available, allowing visitors to (re)discover the richness of Lascaux from different angles.

A unique sensory and emotional experience, ideal for touching all audiences and concluding the visit with a message of openness and humanity.



Visits at Lascaux IV

Lascaux, now visible in its entirety, offers you numerous options to discover it. We make every effort to guarantee optimal visit conditions for your groups and propose tours adapted to the time you have available, or even fully designed on a bespoke basis.



The Complete Tour of Lascaux IV

1 hour guided tour (+ free time in other spaces and experiences)

During this visit, your clients will discover a true exploration of Lascaux and its link with humanity. The route begins on the belvedere and in the shelter with an introduction to the context and landscape of the Vézère Valley 20,000 years ago, before continuing to the cave for nearly an hour. Inside the reproduction, the mediator leads them to question these representations created by the hand of our ancestor Cro-Magnon. After this timeless moment, they traverse five different spaces, equipped with a digital tablet, all complementary to the cave visit: the Workshop, the Theatre, the "Lascaux and the World" cinema, the Gallery of the Imaginary, and the Immersion Room. Find the visit route and its different spaces on pages 10 and 11.



Self-Guided Audio Tour Your clients will be able to visit the cave at their own pace and in 9 languages!



1 hour audio-guided tour

(+ free time in other spaces and experiences)

Do your clients prefer to discover the cave at their own pace? No problem, our digital tablets are there to accompany them and offer a commentary - discovery of the cave in the language of their choice. You then continue your journey in the immersive spaces.

















"Bespoke" Formula



This formula will be yours, and we are at your disposal to invent it with you. Contact our sales department, who will listen to your project and deliver a formula truly adapted to your wishes.





The Cave in the Heart of Contemporary **Architecture**



(<) 1.5 hour guided tour

(+ free time in other spaces and experiences)

This visit will focus on the building and its astonishing architecture, whose primary vocation is to blend into the protected landscape of the Lascaux hill. A fault in the rock, symbolizing the gateway to the cave, you will wander from the exterior to the summit of the building, without forgetting the cave, of course. A rich and original formula that will allow you to understand how we can conceive the preservation of our heritage today.



9 years after the construction of Lascaux IV, the Norwegian architectural firm Snøhetta receives the most prestigious Norwegian architecture award: the Houen Prize.

Storytelling Tour

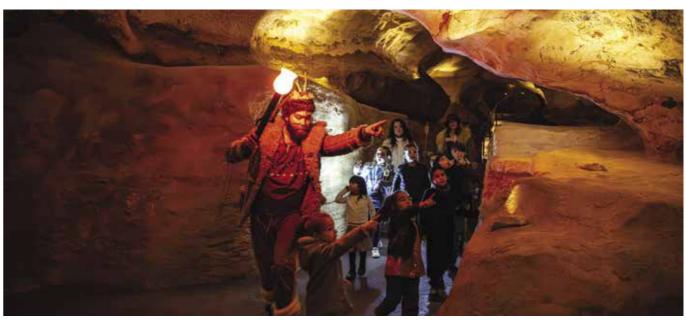


1 hour guided tour

(+ free time in other spaces and experiences)

Children follow a very special tour with an explorer guide who takes them to discover the cave and then to the workshop to conclude this moment with games about the life of Cro-Magnon. A tour designed to marvel children and let them experience a journey into the heart of prehistory that they will not forget! Accessible for children aged 5 to 10.

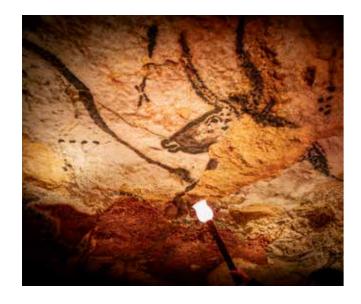






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Our High-End Offers

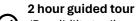


Cave Art & Gastronomy Evening

Who hasn't dreamed of enjoying such an iconic place as Lascaux after it closes to the public and experiencing a suspended moment? This is now possible thanks to the Cave Art & Gastronomy Evenings: a beautiful opportunity to experience an exceptional, timeless moment at the crossroads of the origins of Humanity and Gastronomy.

Perfect for prolonging the experience of your Prestige Tour, your clients will be seduced by a gourmet dinner signed by a Michelin-starred chef, in the heart of one of Lascaux IV's spaces, for an even more immersive experience.

Prestige Tour



(Possibility to discover other spaces and experiences beforehand)

Offer your clients an exclusive and timeless experience: a confidential interlude in the heart of the cave, away from the usual pace of visits.

By the light of a torch, they rediscover Lascaux in an intimate atmosphere, conducive to emotion and contemplation.

During a 2 hour guided tour, a guide accompanies the group on a complete route: the belvedere, the shelter, the path of discovery, the cave, the workshop and the inventors' panel.

- This unique experience takes place at the very beginning or end of the day, offering the rare privilege of being alone in the cave
- Duration: 2h guided tour
- Capacity: Up to 30 participants
- Timing: First or last visit of the day

As an option, offer your groups the possibility to extend their visit with an exceptional meal, specifically designed to sublimate their immersion at Lascaux. A sure way to transmit a unique and unforgettable memory to your clients







Private Events

Offer your clients the rare opportunity to experience Lascaux in an exclusive and personalised setting.

Between contemporary architecture, cultural ambiance, and immersive technology, Lascaux IV makes available several spaces adapted to all types of events: seminars, conferences, cocktails, dinners, product launches, or exceptional evenings. Our Seminars & Events team supports you in creating a bespoke event, combining elegance, comfort, and originality, in the heart of Périgord.

Spaces at your disposal::

The Immersion Room

A unique place where your guests dive into the universe of the cave, surrounded by monumental projections. Ideal for exceptional conferences, dinners, or receptions.

The Gallery of the Imaginary

An artistic and scenographic space, perfect for a cocktail, an intimate dinner, or a participatory workshop in an unusual atmosphere.

The Fault

A spectacular place bathed in natural light, suitable for receptions, screenings, or dinners with musical ambiance.

Meeting Rooms (Ochres, Hematite, Manganese)
Functional, luminous, and fully equipped, they adapt to your study days and sub-committees.

The Hall & The Forecourt

Spacious and modular spaces, perfect for your product launches, conferences, or large-scale receptions.

The Conference Room

Modern and connected, it hosts your conventions, seminars and conferences in optimal conditions.

Pluses:

- Connected and air-conditioned spaces, all accessible to PRM (Persons with Reduced Mobility).
- Modular capacities up to 220 people. Turnkey or bespoke events according to your needs.
- Catering options: cocktails, dinners, or gastronomic experiences with partner chefs.

Shop and Dining

Café Lascaux

Café Lascaux welcomes you during Lascaux IV opening hours and offers a menu blending tradition and modernity: aperitif boards, cooked dishes, or simply a drink with friends.



Shop

The official Lascaux IV shop prolongs your visit experience with a varied selection of souvenirs. Decorative objects, books, toys... discover a rich range of "Made in France" and "Made in Périgord" products, designed for all ages. You will also find unique creations made by the Périgord Facsimile Workshop - a beautiful way to take a fragment of the cave home with you!



Practical information

Opening Hours

The International Centre for Cave Art is open at different times depending on the time of year. For more information, please refer to the dedicated page on our website:

https://lascaux.fr/fr/horaires-et-tarifs-lascaux-iv/

Languages

Multilingual staff for a welcome adapted to international clientele.

Parking

You have free access to the Lascaux IV parking spaces.

Parking P1:

Has spaces reserved for persons with reduced mobility.

Parking P2:

A space is dedicated for camper vans.

Parking P3:

Reserved for buses.



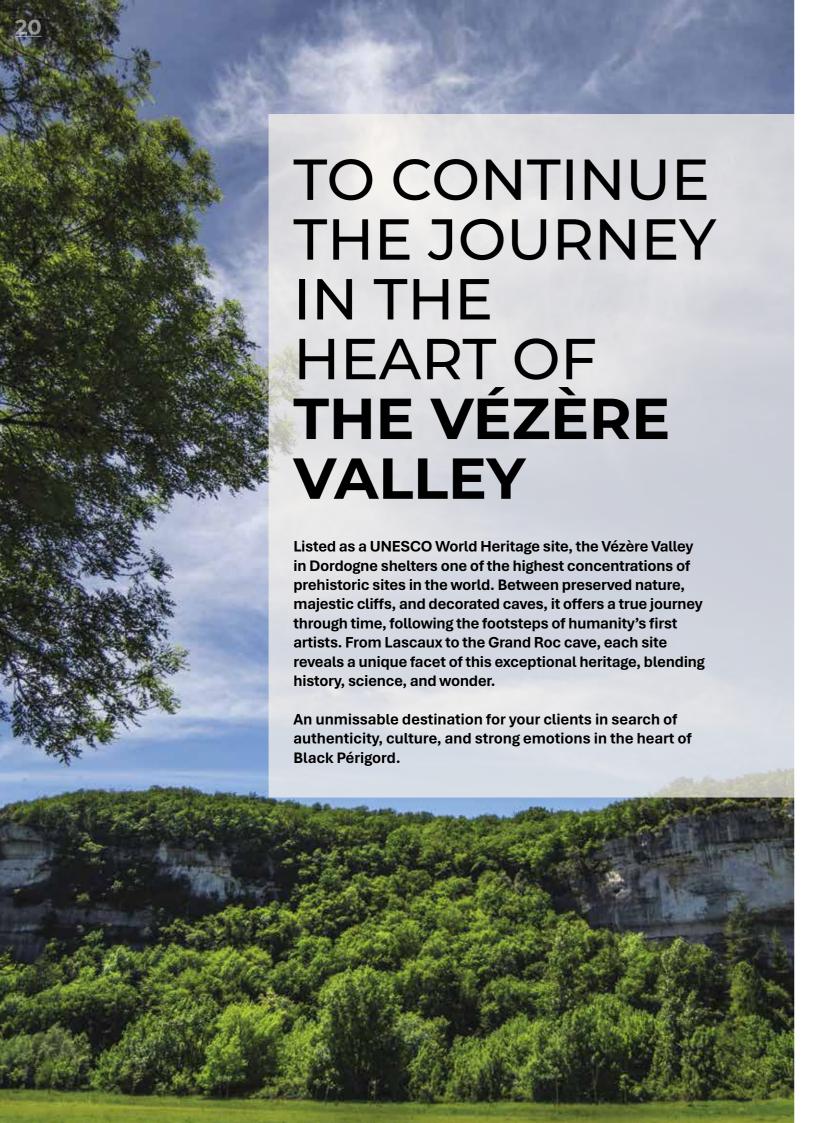
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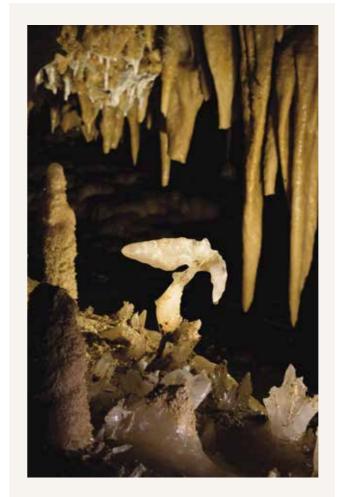












Grotte du Grand Roc

Halfway up an impressive cliff inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage list, the panorama is breathtaking, and the discovery of the mineral forest inside is just as much so. Inside, your clients will admire a tremendous variety and density of crystallizations and concretions: eccentrics, calcite flows, stalactites, stalagmites.



Your clients will love

Exclusive Storm Lantern Tour

Equipped with a storm lantern, your clients will explore the cave in conditions close to those of its discovery by Jean Maury in 1924. A second exploration with a brand-new lighting design will unveil the beauty of this mineral jewel.





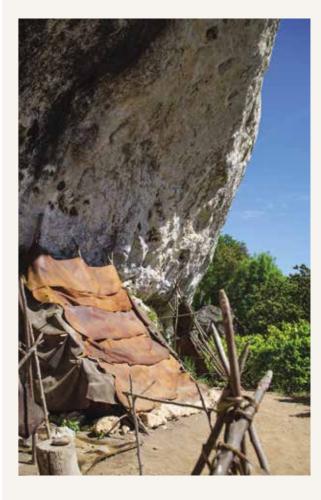
Laugerie-Basse Prehistoric Shelters

Your clients will walk under a real shelter occupied by Man since the Magdalenian era. This major archaeological site, inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage list, is a reference for prehistorians worldwide. On this cliff of the Vézère Valley, the shelters are just a few meters from the Grand Roc cave. Guided tour upon request or self-guided digital route.



Your clients will love

The brand-new visit route that will allow them to understand why and how Man lived here.

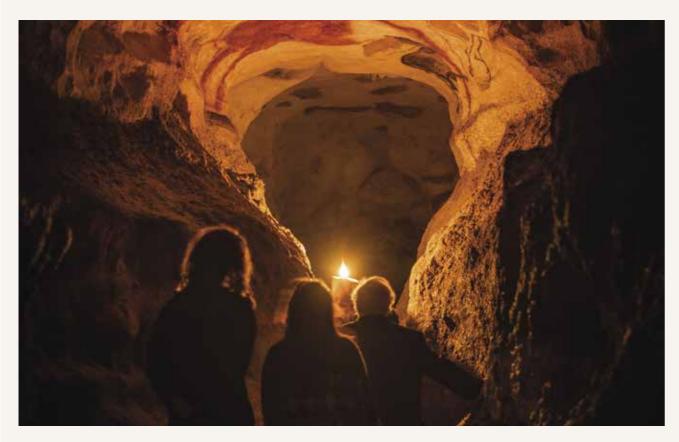








IN THE **HEART** OF THE VÉZÈRE



Lascaux II

Your clients will discover the technical and artistic feat of Lascaux II, located just a few steps from the original cave, which celebrated its 40th anniversary of opening in 2023! Since 1983, more than 10 million visitors of all nationalities have been moved by this unforgettable experience. Nestled in a peaceful and protected setting, in the heart of the forest, this site transports you into the history of the most famous decorated cave in the world.



Your clients will love

Exclusive "Origins" Tour

For an even more intense emotional journey, we propose this event-tour that will dazzle with the beauty and richness of the works coming to life to the rhythm of a flickering flame.

The Theories Tour

This tour will take you to the heart of the multiple theories of cave art. From the possibility of ritualized art to shamanic practices, passing through totemic or magical hypotheses, each painting of Lascaux opens a unique field of reflection

Le Thot Animal Park

At Le Thot Park, your clients will discover who Cro-Magnon Man was and the period of the large mammals of the last ice age. After meeting extinct species through the Temporal Mirror, an augmented reality animation, your clients will walk through the animal park and observe the species represented on the walls of the Lascaux cave or their descendants.







Your clients will love

Thematic Visits "From Prehistory to Present Day" Want to know more about European wildlife? Our mediators offer mini-conferences "From Prehistory to Present Day".

Highlights

Feeding of the deer or the park's wolves and meeting the animal keepers, who will be delighted to answer all questions.

Don't Miss

Throughout the visit, sound stations are present near the enclosures. Simply adopt an almost meditative posture, close your eyes, listen carefully, and let yourself be carried away by the whisper of the forest and the enchanting song of its inhabitants, not forgetting the large mammals that roam our regions and all of Europe! A true sensory journey through time awaits your clients.

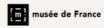




Château de Bourdeilles

In the heart of the village of Bourdeilles, this remarkable site unites two castles built in different eras: a 13th-century medieval fortress, a symbol of power, and a 16th-century Renaissance dwelling, more refined and elegant. Visitors can climb to the top of the keep to enjoy a panoramic view of the Dronne Valley, then discover an exceptional collection of period furniture and objects in the Renaissance rooms. A visit that combines history, architecture, and the art of living, ideal for groups in search of authentic heritage.









Your clients will love

Theatrical Tours

Offer your clients a unique immersive experience thanks to theatrical tours of the Château de Bourdeilles, where history and performance meet to reveal the castle from a lively and captivating angle.

Night Tours

Propose a unique experience to your clients: a night tour of the Château de Bourdeilles, revealing the site from a new and fascinating angle.



Périgord, a region with a rich historical heritage, abounds with true medieval jewels. Its imposing castles and peaceful cloisters testify to centuries of history, from the power of local lords to religious traditions anchored in daily life.

Semitour, a key player in tourism in the region, proposes discovering these treasures through guided tours and immersive experiences, offering visitors the opportunity to dive into the heart of Périgord's medieval jewels.



IN THE LAND OF **BASTIDES**



Château de Biron

This visit will immerse your clients in the discovery of the history of the site and its exceptional architectural ensemble, making Biron the largest castle in the Southwest. Here, the landscapes of Périgord, Quercy, and Agenais combine, as well as terroirs, architecture, lights, history, and arts... Nearly 1,000 years of history have sculpted this stone giant, presenting a castle that is at once Medieval, Renaissance, and Classical!







Your clients will love

- The breathtaking panorama
- The Pietà and the Entombment of Christ returned to the chapel, an incredible story from New York to Biron!
- The incredible timber frameworks
- For art and architecture lovers: the contemporary art exhibition to discover every

Cloître de Cadouin

Your clients will marvel at this masterpiece of Flamboyant Gothic art, inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage list as part of the Routes of Santiago de Compostela in France. They will admire its architectural riches and enjoy this very particular atmosphere, peaceful and spiritual, inherited from the monastic activity of yesteryear.







Your clients will love

- The sun piercing the arabesques and casting magnificent sculpted shadows on the cloister
- The farandole of sculpted characters adorning the walls and telling you a story
- The cloister is located just 20 minutes from Biron for a combined visit with the castle and a beautiful walk in the land of bastides







STAYING IN PÉRIGORD







Rouffiac Leisure Base

Camping: set in the heart of a 100-hectare wooded park, the Flower Camping de Rouffiac offers an exceptional natural setting in Dordogne. The site features a 44-hectare lake, ideal for water activities and walks along the water's edge. The 3-star campsite offers a wide range of accommodations: chalets, mobile homes, or bare pitches. All are distributed in a green and peaceful environment, in direct proximity to the lake and trails, offering your clients a comfortable and rejuvenating stay surrounded by nature.

Accommodation Centre: entirely renovated in 2022, the Rouffiac accommodation centre hosts up to 122 people in a peaceful and green setting. Ideal for school, sports, or association groups, it combines comfort and conviviality. The rooms, all equipped with private bathrooms compliant with PRM standards, offer functional and modular accommodation, perfect for a nature stay combining adventure and relaxation.

Catering: find on-site beverage sales service and a grocery store.

Activities: treetop adventure course, archery, cable skiing, kneeboarding, climbing wall, and much more; come and enjoy our numerous activities.



Your clients will love

The natural setting by the lake, outdoor activities, and the friendly atmosphere.

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Cadouin Youth Hostel

Located within the grounds of the Cistercian Abbey of Cadouin, listed as a UNESCO World Heritage site, the youth hostel offers an exceptional setting blending heritage, conviviality, and modern comfort. With a capacity of 80 beds, it offers double rooms, single rooms, and rooms adapted for groups, including one PRM room. Guests also have access to welcoming common areas, an equipped kitchen, a dining room (upon reservation), and a peaceful garden.



Your clients will love

The heritage setting, the friendly atmosphere, and the proximity to major tourist sites.





2026 RATES

RAIES			
Groups & Tour Operators	GROUP ADULTS (> 20 PAX)	GROUP CHILDREN (UP TO 12 YEARS, > 20	TOUR AGENCIES / OPERATORS
LASCAUX IV	16.30€	10,30 € Storytelling Tour: 15 €	15.50 €
PARC DU THOT	8.70 €	5,60€	7.70€
TWIN TICKET: LASCAUX IV + THOT	20.20€	12.70€	18.50 €
LASCAUX IV + LAUGERIE BASSE	17.30€	10.90€	17.00 €
4 SITES PASS "Au fil de la Vézère" (Lascaux IV + Thot + Grand Roc + Laugerie Basse)	29.20€	18.30€	23.20 €
LASCAUX II	12.60€	7.60€	11.20 €
LASCAUX II + THOT	16.20€	9.80€	14.40 €
LASCAUX II + LASCAUX IV	19.60€	13.00€	18.40€
LASCAUX II + IV + THOT	23.80€	15.10€	22.70€
GROTTE DU GRAND ROC	7.40 €	4.00€	6.50€
ABRIS DE LAUGERIE BASSE	7.40€	4.00€	6.50€
TWIN TICKET: GRAND ROC + LAUGERIE BASSE	9.00€	6.20€	8.50€
CHÂTEAU DE BIRON	7.90 €	4.00€	6.50€
CLOÎTRE DE CADOUIN	7.10 €	4,10€	5.80€
TWIN TICKET: BIRON + CADOUIN	11.50€	6.50€	10.00€
CHÂTEAU DE BOURDEILLES	7.90€	4.00€	6.50 €



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