



Konstantinos Vasilakis

Terms & Conditions

Release of Liability: By registering for this workshop, participants certify that they have carefully read the dates, schedule of activities, the requirements and the “Terms & Conditions” for the Workshop and are aware that the Workshop involves the risk of personal injury, death or loss (damage) to property. In consideration of the benefits derived by the Workshop, participants voluntarily recognize and accept all risks thereof. Participants agree on behalf of themselves, their dependents, heirs, executors, and assigns, to release and hold harmless Konstantinos Vasilakis from any and all claims, including but not limited to liability for delays, monetary damages, illness, injuries, death, or for the loss of or damage to property resulting directly or indirectly from any occurrences or conditions. Participants agree to abide by the conditions set forth under the “Terms & Conditions” and other sections as stated herein or elsewhere published. Participants affirm that they are covered by medical insurance, which is valid overseas. Participants further acknowledge receipt of this release and understand and accept its terms and conditions. Any questions participants had concerning this release have been answered fully.

Konstantinos Vasilakis organizes, promotes, and sells the Workshop along with services they purchase from other suppliers. The suppliers are independent contractors and are not agents or employees of Konstantinos Vasilakis. They supply services that include, but are not limited to, transportation, accommodations, and meals. While we endeavor to make travel arrangements with reputable suppliers, Konstantinos Vasilakis is not responsible for the willful or negligent acts and/or omissions of such suppliers, their employees, agents, servants, or representatives, including, without limitation, their failure or inadequate delivery of services. All travel and arrangements are subject to the terms and conditions specified by the suppliers, air carriers and/or applicable governing laws. Konstantinos Vasilakis and the suppliers providing transportation or any service can accept no responsibility for losses or additional expenses due to, but not limited to, delay, inconvenience, changes to or cancellation of itinerary, sickness, weather, strike, war, quarantine, terrorism, defects in vehicles, breakdown in equipment, hiking, and any act, omission, negligence or other causes beyond their control. All such losses or expenses will be borne by the passenger, as the Workshop rates provide for arrangements only for the time stated. Konstantinos Vasilakis is not responsible for expenses incurred by Workshop members in preparing for the Workshop (i.e.: air tickets, visa/passport fees, equipment, medical expenses, individual transfers, etc.).

Assumption of Risk: Participants are voluntarily participating in the Workshop with knowledge that it involves some inherent risks and danger including, but not limited to, forces of nature, terrorism, civil unrest, strikes, wild animals (including animals used for transportation), all activities including hiking over rough terrain, theft, cancellation or changes in itinerary, negligent action of others or their agencies, or means of conveyance or accommodation which may not be operated nor maintained to standards common in Western countries. This includes health-related issues, and are aware that medical services or facilities may not be readily available or accessible during all or part of the Workshop. This includes emergency medical care, presence of physicians, and adequate medication. On workshops of this type it is not possible to accommodate persons with severe health problems, physical disabilities or mental illness. It is the participant's responsibility to judge the appropriateness of the travel activities to their own physical and mental capabilities. By forwarding the deposit, the passenger certifies they agree with these terms and conditions and that they do not have any mental, physical or other condition or disability that would create hazard for them or other participants. Konstantinos Vasilakis and their suppliers take no responsibility for special arrangements or problems incurred by passengers unable to participate in the Workshop or planned activities. The right is reserved to decline any person as a member of the Workshop, or to require any participant to withdraw from the Workshop at any time.

Fitness and Health: Anyone who is reasonably fit should be able to participate in most activities on the Workshop. It's possible to experience general fatigue due to long flights and changes in time zones. You will need to be sufficiently agile to climb in and out of the transport vehicle and be able to carry and manage your own photographic equipment and luggage. We will hike trails and paths ranging from easy to moderate throughout the Workshop. Some accommodation may not be equipped with elevators or air-conditioning.

If you have any special needs or any physical condition that you feel might prevent you from fully participating, please let us know when registering for the Workshop or email us in advance with your questions or concerns.

Please be aware that medical services and facilities might not be readily available during all or part of the Workshop. This could include emergency medical care, presence of physicians, or adequate medication. Please notify us in advance of any allergies, physical / mental conditions or medications you're currently taking that may affect your health.

Changes in Services: Rates are based on EURO. Exchange rates and supplier fees are in effect at the time of publishing. We reserve the right to alter our prices. If the group falls below the minimum requirement of paying participants, the workshop is subject to cancellation or a small group supplemental fee. Accommodations are based on single occupancy requests for double occupancy are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis, when available and subject to a discount.

Konstantinos Vasilakis reserve the right to cancel or make changes to the published itinerary, without consulting the participants. Participants have no right to any refund or other considerations in the event of these itinerary changes. Konstantinos Vasilakis reserves the right to cancel any Workshop before departure, in which case a full refund of all amounts paid to Konstantinos Vasilakis will be made. If changes are made, tour leaders will plan each day considering the interests of the group and the weather at hand.

Code of Conduct: Participants are expected to conduct themselves in a manner that is respectful to the group and other participants. Any use of illegal drugs or substances, committing or participating in any criminal or illegal activity & violence of any sort will not be tolerated and will result in the participant's immediate removal from the Workshop, without refund and at the participant's expense. Workshop leaders are authorized, and hereby reserve the right, to remove or exclude participants from the Workshop, or any portion thereof, for actions they deem as inappropriate or disruptive to the group or Workshop.

Indemnification: The participant agrees to defend and indemnify Konstantinos Vasilakis, and its affiliate companies from and against any and all demands, claims or lawsuits (including without limitation, third party asserted demands, claims or lawsuits), actions, liabilities, damages, costs, losses and/or expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses) (collectively, "Claims and Damages") which may incur, suffer or be required to pay by reason of actions taken by the Participant, including those which result in damage to property owned by third parties, or any other Claims and Damages arising in connection with a third party claim suffered due to actions taken by the Participant. The Participant is liable to reimburse Konstantinos Vasilakis for any Claims and Damages collected by third parties, during the Workshop or after, as a result of or related to actions taken by the Participant.

Airfare: Airfare is NOT included in the Workshop Rates provided. Before booking your airfare, please contact Konstantinos Vasilakis for arrival and departure time specific requirements. Konstantinos Vasilakis can accept no responsibility for losses or additional expenses on airfare due to Workshop cancellation or alteration. We suggest booking a refundable fare or purchasing the optional insurance in case of Workshop cancellation, postponed or altered. Konstantinos Vasilakis is not responsible for additional costs related to travel delays.

Included in Workshop Costs: Group ground transportation for the Workshop activities. Accommodations, is based on single occupancy requests for double occupancy are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis and subject to a discount. Services of driver, English speaking guide and photographic leaders throughout the Workshop. Tickets, entrance fees, all tours and guides as listed on the individual Workshop website page.

NOT Included in Workshop Costs: Domestic or International airfare to and from the Workshop beginning & ending locations; airfare tax; airport departure tax (if applicable);

airport departure transfers; additional transfers or accommodations that may be required by those not traveling with the group; excess baggage charges; meals / snacks not included in the Workshop as indicated on the individual Workshop website page; side activities taken on your own; passport / visa expenses; individual medical or travel insurance costs; any expenses of a personal nature, such as room service, laundry, drinks outside of meals & alcoholic beverages; medical expenses; photographic equipment; any activities not specified in the Workshop itinerary or that are listed as optional, or any items not listed in what is included on the individual Workshop information page on our website; possible fuel surcharges; exchange rate surcharges; modest gratuities to the guides and drivers are customary.

Single / Shared Accommodations: A limited number of shared rooms are available at a discount on a first-come, first-served basis. We will assist persons requesting a roommate. Participants will be notified if a suitable roommate is not available, in which case the shared rate will be charged.

Payments, Cancellations, and Refunds: A deposit per participant is required at the time of registration to reserve your spot. Some workshops may require a higher additional deposit due to advance booking or transportation requirements. Required deposit amounts will be listed on the individual Workshop page on the website. Payment in full is required when registration is completed less than 90 days before the departure date. Space is subject to cancellation by Konstantinos Vasilakis if payments are not received when due. If a participant would like to cancel they must send an email notification. Please note your cancellation is not considered official until you have received a return email confirmation acknowledging your cancellation. At the time we receive your cancellation notification, the following per person charges will be applied. Registration is not confirmed until a deposit has been paid, as per the deposit and payment schedule below. It is the participant's responsibility to ensure that payments are made as per the payment schedule.

180 days or more before departure: €200 cancellation fee, plus any additional costs incurred, as well as any fees that are charged by the suppliers providing the services included in the Workshop. If your spot is filled by another participant, we'll refund your deposit minus payment processing fees and €200 administrative fee.

180 to 90 days before departure: €300 cancellation fee, plus any additional costs incurred, as well as fees, if applicable, that are charged by the suppliers providing the services included in the Workshop. If your spot is filled by another participant, we will refund your deposit minus payment processing fees and €200 administrative fee.

90 days or less before departure or any time after departure: NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN and your deposit will be forfeited. Payments in full are required no later than 90 days prior to departure. If full and final payment is not received by this date you will be notified via

email requesting final payment. After that, we will consider your failure to make payment a cancellation and your spot in the Workshop will be forfeit and offered to those participants on the waiting list.

Travel Insurance: Each participant hereby confirms that they understand and agree to purchase the required insurance listed below that is valid internationally.

Required Coverage:

- Accident & Sickness Medical Expense Coverage
- Emergency Evacuation & Repatriation of Remains
- Accidental Death / Dismemberment
- Workshop Cancellation Coverage
- Flight Cancellation Coverage

Suggested Additional Coverage:

- Hospital Room and Board
- Baggage and Personal Effects Coverage
- Workshop Delay / Interruption
- Visitor to Bedside

We strongly urge you to evaluate your risk and to take out travel insurance that covers the full value of the Workshop and personal effects in the case of Workshop cancellation, loss or theft of baggage, and emergency evacuation. Konstantinos Vasilakis, their owners, agents and subsidiaries will not be held responsible for these expenses. It is vital for you to realize that if you experience a delay or find it necessary to cancel or cut short the Workshop for any reason, you will lose part or the entire sum of the amount paid (see the section "Deposits, Payments, Cancellations and Refunds" in the terms and conditions above).

Travel insurance helps to minimize the risk of monetary losses you would incur in the event of a delay of your departure due to weather, airline strike, missed connection, etc., your inability to travel for reasons such as illness, injury, unforeseen financial complications and other personal circumstances, or if you were required to cut the Workshop short for medical or any other reasons.

Model Release: Konstantinos Vasilakis and Workshop leaders reserve the right to take photographs or videos during the duration of any Workshop or part of it and to use the

resulting photography, videos, or recordings for promotional or commercial use. By making a reservation on a Konstantinos Vasilakis Workshop, the participant agrees to allow his/her photographs and/or captured footage to be used by Konstantinos Vasilakis without compensation to the participant. If the participant prefers that his/her photographs and/or captured footage not be used, he/she must notify us in writing prior to departure of the expedition.

Photo Release: Copyright in all photographs, video, and related materials (herein referred to as “Workshop Materials”) created by the participant shall belong to the participant upon creation. The participant grants to Konstantinos Vasilakis, a non-exclusive, worldwide, irrevocable license to use any Workshop Materials voluntarily provided to Konstantinos Vasilakis in any media for the following purposes: editorial use, promotion of this editorial use, advertising and promotion of Photo Tours or Workshops offered by Konstantinos Vasilakis.

Food and Drink: Lunches and/or dinners will be informal, eaten in places convenient to the shooting areas. This will allow maximum flexibility. They might be cafeteria style or sit down restaurants with possible occasional picnic style.

Accommodations: Accommodations might be simple in some of the locations of the Workshop, where a more comfortable choice is not available.

Dispute Resolution: If the participant has a complaint, he/she should first inform the Workshop leader while on the Workshop so that the Workshop leader can attempt to resolve and rectify the matter. If the participant is still dissatisfied, he/she should submit the complaint in writing to Konstantinos Vasilakis within 30 days of the completion of the Workshop.

Any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the performance hereunder, brochures, or any other literature concerning this Workshop, or the breach thereof, including without limitation any claim related to illness, injury, or death, shall be subject to the following conditions: 1) the dispute will be governed by Greek law; 2) the parties agree that they will attempt in good faith to settle any and all disputes arising out of, under or in connection with this Agreement, including without limitation the validity, interpretation, performance and breach hereof, through a process of mediation in Greece under the supervision of a mutually agreed upon mediator; 3) in the event that mediation fails to settle such a dispute, the parties agree that they will proceed to arbitration in Greece; 4) the maximum amount of recovery to which a participant will be entitled under any and all circumstances will be the published cost of the participant’s Workshop with Konstantinos Vasilakis. This agreement to arbitrate does not waive or modify any liability release agreed by the participant.

Other: Participants hereby acknowledge that they have read, understand and agree to, and will abide by, all the Terms and Conditions of participation in the Workshop as set out above.

Participants confirm that they have reviewed & agree to the dates and costs of the Workshop & that they understand that flights are not included in the cost.

By registering, signing a registration form and paying a deposit for a program operated by Konstantinos Vasilakis, you confirm that you are fully aware and agree entirely with our Terms & Conditions.