

BALI QUEER TRIP

Dates:

2nd - 13th May 2027 (12 days)

Price

£1,129 (approx \$1,538/€1,318)

Secure your spot with just a **£49 deposit (approx \$65/€57)** - Payment plans available

Operator

The trip will be run by @adventure360official, the UK's leading independent specialist travel company for 18-30s.



Trip Highlights

- Travel with other members of the LGBTQ+ Backpacker community
- Experience Bali's legendary nightlife and famous beach clubs, including Inkulsiv Warung Bar, and Cretya Pool Bar
- Discover Ubud's emerald rice terraces, sacred forests and epic waterfalls
- Enjoy awesome inclusions - Uluwatu Temple, Mount Batur hot springs, a surf lesson in Canggu and so much more!
- Begin your adventures in Canggu and finish in Seminyak



What is Included in the price

- 11 nights of accommodation
- 11 breakfasts and 2 dinners
- Airport transfer on arrival
- All in-trip transport
- Exclusive group chat before you travel
- Trip leader
- Drag show entry at Inklusiv Warung
- Canggu surf lesson
- Kintamani hot springs
- Coffee farm tour
- Tegallalang rice terraces
- Sacred Monkey Forest
- Ubud waterfall visit
- Mount Batur sunrise hike
- Gili Trawangan bicycle ride
- Gili island-hopping and snorkelling
- Gili Trawangan horse sanctuary
- Uluwatu tour: Jagged Rock and Uluwatu Temple
- Melasti Beach and Kecak Dance show at sunset
- Cretya pool bar entrance
- Seminyak visit
- 24-hour emergency support



WHATS NOT INCLUDED: INTERNATIONAL FLIGHTS, VISAS, TRAVEL INSURANCE, SOME MEALS, OPTIONAL FREE TIME ACTIVITIES, RETURN AIRPORT TRANSFER

Coming Solo?

Perfect - most people on our trips do! Our trips are **designed to help travellers meet and make new friends**, so whether you're joining alone, with a partner, or alongside friends, you'll quickly feel part of the group.

A **dedicated group leader will be with you throughout the trip**, making sure everyone is mixing, socialising, and having an amazing time together. Adventure360 also **creates a WhatsApp group around a month before departure**, so you can start chatting and breaking the ice before you even arrive.

Several travellers across multiple trips have even ended up **getting matching tattoos together**, and there have been **countless reunions happening all over the world** since - which really says a lot about how close the group becomes by the end of the trip!

Tattoos



Thailand 2025



Philippines 2025



Thailand 2026

Reunions



Amsterdam pride



Brighton pride



Switzerland

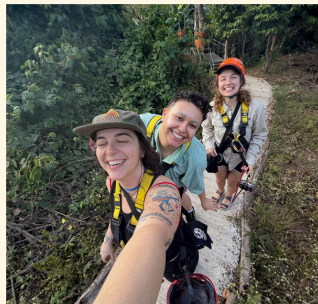


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Who is the trip open to?

This trip is open to **LGBTQ+ backpackers aged 18-35 from any country!** Our trips **usually attract queer women, trans, and non-binary people**, but they're open to - and we encourage - **everyone across the LGBTQ+ community to join!**

Our insta gives a good glimpse into the kind of lovely people you can expect to be travelling with! (@lgbtq_backpackers).



Reviews

As our trips are operated by trusted travel partners, we don't collect reviews directly ourselves. However, **the reviews below were left on Adventure360's Reviews.io profile** specifically for our LGBTQ+ Backpackers Trips.

Adventure360, the operator for this trip, is rated 4.8/5 on Reviews.io, and we'd definitely encourage you to check out their reviews!

Daisy ★★★★★

Solo travel is always an exciting yet intimidating prospect and sometimes, as someone who is a part of the LGBTQ community, it can feel more intimidating than exciting. That's why I was so excited to be able to go on a fully queer trip and I have never been so glad that I did. What a fantastic, vibrant and beautiful group of people I got to spend time with, all while discovering a new country. We really got to see the wide variety that Thailand has to offer: from beautiful beaches, expansive jungle and bustling cities. Throughout the trip, the organised experiences gave us the chance to become extremely close as a group and there really was something for everyone. There was also the chance for additional activities such as rock climbing. It is impossible to leave a review for this trip and not mention the incredible Mr Patrick. It's safe to say that we would have been lost without him and that he made this trip the best it could possibly be for all of us. Mr Patrick led us all through the experience with jokes, hugs and anti-sea sickness medications and we never were unsure about our next move. I cannot recommend him more highly as a guide and fully express what a wonderful person he is. Everyone in their life needs a Mr Patrick ❤️ thank you for making such an inclusive and safe trip possible for all of us.

Jen ★★★★★

Wow - what an incredible experience! I haven't got a single bad word to say about this tour and our wonderful, caring and fun guide Patrick! From day one he helped bring our group together ready to see his country not with strangers, but with new friends. This activity packed tour was so well organised: I always felt safe, knew what our plan was and could easily ask for suggestions for our free time. Patrick put so much work into making our time together memorable and worry free, it really wouldn't have been anywhere near as good without him and I am so grateful for him! I couldn't recommend doing a Gap360 tour as part of the LGBTQ+ backpackers group enough! It was so special and I now have a group of queer people from all around the world that I can call family - I will definitely be doing it again!

Anonymous ★★★★★

This trip was so fun! We did so many amazing things and I've met the best people! Our guide Mr. Patrick took so good care of us and made the trip the best it could've been:) I felt so safe as queer the whole time

MJ ★★★★★

I had an incredible time on the LGBTQ Backpackers Thailand trip. Everything was very well organized and planned, and I loved the group activities we did as well as the freedom to go off and explore a bit on my own, which I had a great time doing. I loved the hill trek and the night in the jungle village as well. I do wish we could have spent more time in Bangkok and Chiang Mai, though- it would have been nice to get to explore the city and learn about the culture. As a vegan, I was amazed at how well gap360 accommodated my dietary needs for all of the included meals. I never found myself in a situation where I felt like there wasn't anything I could eat; and often, a separate vegan meal was prepared for me without even having to ask! Our tour guide Mr Patrick was an absolute delight. He did an amazing job and made the trip so fun. He helped us so much on the trip and it wouldn't have been the same without him!

Ella ★★★★★

I had a fantastic 18 days in Thailand, exploring all of this country's beauty. I specially want to shout out our guide, Patrick, for expertly shepherding 22 of us around the whole country and taking us on the most fantastic excursions!

Samantha ★★★★★

What a life changing experience. I had the absolute pleasure joining the LGBTQ+ backpackers trip and had the most heartwarming experience. This was my first time traveling solo which going with Gap360 allowed the comfort of traveling with a group alongside gaining the feel of backpacking. We saw the most beautiful locations with a mix between chilled beach time, adrenaline pumping activities and learning a lot about the culture! Highlights were definitely the elephant sanctuary and the hill village stay. I have come out of this trip with so many beautiful new friends and memories that I will cherish forever. I was very worried about going to Thailand with a peanut allergy but the tour provided safe meals and our amazing tour guide helped every step of the way with communicating and pointing me in the right direction of safe alternatives. We had the absolute delight of Mr Patrick's company on our tour. Patrick was the perfect tour guide for our LGBTQ+ tour. He has a strong knowledge of cultural history and had many suggestions for places/activities for us to do in each location during free time which were always welcomed. Mr Patrick deserves a full five stars. He is such an inspiration and joy to have met! For a diverse group who struggle to sometimes feel safe in different locations, Mr Patrick made us all feel safe every step of the way. Thank you Mr Patrick ❤️

Aisling H ★★★★★

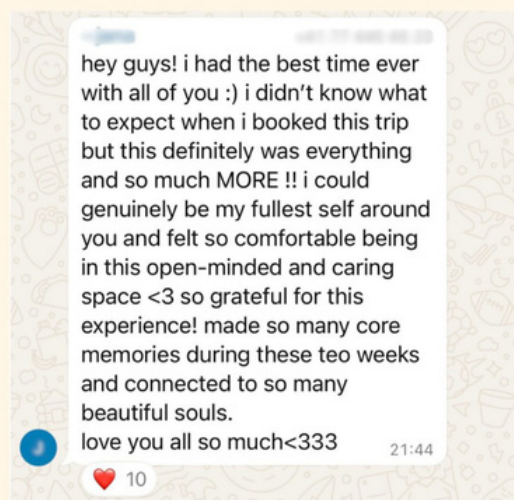
I was very nervous leading up the queer trip to Thailand but once I got there, I felt so at ease. Travelling around Thailand with a beautiful bunch of people was an unforgettable experience. I have made some lifelong friends and will always be grateful for this trip. Mr. Patrick was amazing. He knew everyone's names from the start and joined in on our fun when he was able to. His communication was excellent, we always knew what the plan was and timings etc, he was always there with the anti-sickness tablets too. Mr. Patrick was the perfect person to show a bunch of queers around Thailand. Would do it all again in a heartbeat.

Post-Trip Chat Vibes

We believe there's no better way to get a sense of how incredible the trips are than by taking a sneak peek into the post-trip group chat messages!



From @saskf



From @jana_o4



From @lifeofrachel_x



From @danncannon



From @hfarris

Itinerary

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WAS
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Day 1

Trip Overview

Experience Bali in all of its glory on our Bali Adventure tour. From paradise island hopping to beach clubs and snorkelling, get ready to discover it all with other members of the LGBTQ+ Backpackers community. With stunning hotels included for every destination, where you'll be staying will be one of your many highlights. Between the legendary nightlife of Gili Trawangan, sunsets in Seminyak, and breathtaking cultural experiences like Uluwatu Temple, adventure is always right around the corner!

Day 1: Begin in Canggu.

Welcome to Bali! An arrival transfer is included today from the airport, and you'll be meeting your trip leader and group for the first time this evening. Meet other members of the LGBTQ+ Backpackers community. Then we'll get to know each other better over a group dinner, getting excited about all the adventures to come!



Day 2 – 3

Day 2: Canggu surf and chill.

You've been meaning to master those surfing skills for a while now, and now's your chance! Our expert instructors will have you out on the waves in no time as part of this beginner-friendly surf lesson. Afterwards, you're completely free to chill on the beach or explore the best of Canggu's brunch spots and beach clubs with your new mates. Then tonight, get ready to experience some of Bali's best nightlife!

You can even use this as an opportunity to explore nearby landmarks such as Tanah Lot Temple. During your free time, your trip leader will provide their top recommendations for places and activities.

Day 3: Ubud and Kintamani.

Ready for more adventure? This morning we're heading to Ubud, the cultural heart of Bali and home to the most beautiful natural sights. Our first destination of the day is the world-famous Tegallalang Rice Terraces, renowned for their bright emerald fields and tropical palm trees. It's even more vibrant in person! Next up is Cretya Pool Bar, where we can soak in the chilled party vibes over unbeatable scenery. Grab a smoothie bowl and some cocktails, or take a dip into the infinity pools.

Then it's almost time for the enchanting Kintamani highlands... but first, we'll be visiting a coffee plantation for a slice of Balinese culture. Enjoy a traditional tastetesting here, as we chat with the local owners and learn all about how the coffee beans are grown and produced. Later on, we'll check into our forest cabins, promising the best views of Mount Batur!



Day 4 & 5

Day 4: Mount Batur sunrise trek and hot springs.

They say the early bird gets the best pictures, and trust us, this next activity is one you'll always remember! It's an early rise this morning as we hike under a starry night sky, led by our expert guides to reach the top in perfect timing for sunrise. Get ready for one of the most gorgeous sunrises of your life as colours fade in the sky with clouds below. On a clear day, you can even spot Mount Agung in the distance!

Then it's time to unwind as we visit some local hot springs and soak our muscles in the waters. After some rest and relaxation, our journey continues back to Ubud with a free evening ahead of us.

The Mount Batur hike takes around 2 hours to complete and requires a moderate level of fitness.

Day 5: Ubud.

No trip to Ubud is complete without exploring the Sacred Monkey Forest, home to over a thousand of these cheeky animals and ancient ruins hidden deep in the jungle. As the monkeys play around and swing through the treetops, it feels like something out of a movie!

Our next destination of the day is one of Bali's most breathtaking waterfalls, where you can go for a dip or simply kick back and listen to the sounds of nature before returning to our hotel with a rooftop bar and pool. The rest of today is free for you to do what you like, and your trip leader can provide activity suggestions for nearby places such as the Campuhan Ridge Walk.



Day 6 & 7

Day 6: Gili Trawangan. Island paradise awaits.

We'll arrive at the golden shores of Gili Trawangan (called "Gili T" for short) after an early morning journey. Palmfringed beaches and bright turquoise waters are around every corner as we take a bicycle ride along the coast. Along the way, we will visit a local horse sanctuary- here you can take the horses for walks along the beach, as well as feed and groom them. As part of our visit, we'll learn all about the fantastic work being done by the local staff to raise awareness for animals and ethical working conditions. Our next hotel is right by the sea and the dreamiest sunsets on the island. It's also a short distance away from the legendary nightlife of Gili T. Tonight, you can experience the party scene in all its glory, or if you fancy a more chilled evening, why not watch a movie at one of the island's outdoor cinemas?

Day 7: Gili island-hopping.

Get ready to set sail on an island-hopping tour around all 3 Gili islands, with snorkelling included. Swim around in the crystal-clear ocean and keep your eyes peeled for underwater statues and tropical marine life, including sea turtles! As part of today's included activity, we'll explore the famous Bounty Reef Garden on Gili Meno. Enjoy some beach time on Gili Air, then back in Gili T, we'll explore the island's best snorkelling spots. We'll finish with plenty of time for you to refresh and experience another night out.



Days 8 – 10

Day 8: Gili Trawangan.

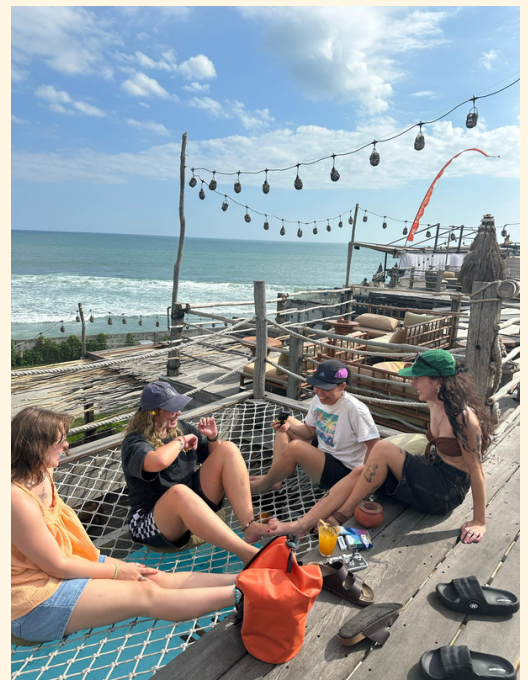
Enjoy another free day in Gili T to chill out and explore the beach clubs. Speak to your guide for suggestions in your free time to explore Gili T to its fullest! Later on, it's time to celebrate our final night out in Gili T!

Day 9: Uluwatu.

Our journey continues to Uluwatu today, as we take a speedboat ride back across to Bali, and transfer on to Uluwatu. This evening's activity will leave you speechless. As we arrive at Melasti Beach for sunset, we'll witness the traditional Kecak Dance and fire show, listening to the sounds of chanting and the crashing ocean waves. This is a once-in-a-lifetime experience that you will never forget!

Day 10: Uluwatu Temple and Melasti Beach.

Uluwatu may just be one of the most breathtaking places you've ever seen, and today we'll fall in love with everything it has to offer. After breakfast, we'll start the day admiring the ocean views at Jagged Rock. Then it's time to visit one of Bali's most sacred landmarks, the one and only Uluwatu Temple by the sea. Then this evening, we will travel back to Seminyak.



Days 11 & 12

Day 11: Seminyak.

Enjoy a leisurely morning to relax at the hotel or check out any nearby attractions. An incredible night out is never far away here, and tonight we will be making our way to Inkulsiv Warung, an inclusive drag show and restaurant/bar venue popular with the local LGBTQ+ community.

Day 12: Finish trip in Seminyak.

It's been the adventure of a lifetime exploring Bali together! You are welcome to depart at any time in the morning after breakfast. Your trip leader can assist you with organising an easy return airport transfer.

All activities, inclusions and itineraries are subject to change.

Arrival and Departure details:

This trip begins on the evening of day 1 in Canggu. Airport transfers are included from Denpasar International Airport (DPS). If you are interested in arriving the day before, let us know and we can arrange pre-trip accommodation for you.

This trip finishes on the morning of day 12 in Seminyak. Your trip leader will be happy to assist in organising your return airport transfer.





More Info

Accommodation

11 nights of accommodation are included, and where you'll be staying is a big highlight of this trip! You will be staying in randomly assigned twin rooms with ensuite bathrooms. All of your rooms will include air-conditioning and Wi-Fi. Laundry facilities are available at most of the hotels.

Canggu: Frii Echo Canggu (2 nights)

Centrally located hotel right by the beach, shops and restaurants, plus its own pool and rooftop bar

Kintamani: The Forest Cabin Kintamani (1 night)

Stunning cabins in nature, with mountain views and restaurant

Ubud: Evitel Resort (2 nights)

Scenic hotel with rooftop pool and restaurant, close to local facilities

Gili Trawangan: Royal Regantris Hotel (3 nights)

Beachfront hotel with swimming pool, restaurant, and fantastic location

Ungasan: Four Points Hotel Ungasan (2 nights)

Stylish hotel with spa facilities, infinity pool and rooftop bar and restaurant

Seminyak: The Capital Hotel Seminyak (2 nights)

Chic and spacious hotel with convenient location and great facilities, including spa, gym, pool and restaurant

Please note that accommodation can be subject to change. If you are interested in a room upgrade, please reach out to a travel advisor for more details.

Meals

11 breakfasts and 2 dinners are included. Indonesia is world-famous for its delicious cuisine, and on this trip, you'll have the opportunity to try some of its most iconic dishes, including some Balinese specialties!

From tropical fruits and smoothie bowls to traditional fried rice and grilled skewers, you'll be spoiled for choice. For the best recommendations on where to eat and drink in your free time, your local trip leader will know all the best spots!

Bali is an incredible foodie destination with tons of vegetarian and vegan options available. If you have any dietary requirements, please let us know upon booking so that we can help assist with alternatives.

Group Size

Max 22

Interested?

To secure your space you just need to pay a £49 non-refundable deposit (if you're paying via a payment plan) or £199 non-refundable deposit (if you want to pay the rest just 12 weeks before)

As this trip is operated by Adventure360, all terms and conditions are with them.

To book, please visit <https://www.lgbtqbackpackers.com/group-trips>

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