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Cunard announces fleet expansion for 2022

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Rendering of Cunard's 4-vessel fleet of cruise liners. Image credit: Cunard

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Due to set sail in 2022, high-end cruise line Cunard will add a fourth vessel to its fleet as the travel method surges in popularity.

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As the first new ship in 12 years, Cunard's fourth vessel will join the Queen Mary 2, Queen Victoria and Queen Elizabeth. When the ship sets sail in four years, the new addition will be the first time since 1998 that Cunard had four vessels in simultaneous service.

New to the fleet

Cunard has yet to share specific details, but its new vessel will share the iconic livery and red funnels of its fleet. The new ship will accommodate up to 3,000 guests and will be built in Italy.

On board, Cunard will offer its signature amenities and will curate new experiences.

In the coming years, Cunard will unveil details of the newest ship in its fleet. Thus far, Cunard has shared a computer rendering of the soon-to-be-named vessel as well as teaser video featuring all boats in the cruise liner's fleet.



Cunard's new ship will set sail in 2022. Image credit: Cunard

Cunard's announcement comes soon after the cruise liner's 175th anniversary with celebrations that drew more than

one million people in Liverpool, Britain.

Also, Cunard invested \$172 million in refurbishing its flagship Queen Mary 2 and Queen Victoria. The Queen Mary 2 recently celebrated its 50th anniversary since its naming ([see story](#)).

A new chapter for Cunard

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