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# Oceania Cruises reveals next-gen suite experience

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The company is sharing interior design plans for the *Oceania Sonata*, the first ship in the upcoming Sonata Class. Image credit: NLCH

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Norwegian Cruise Line Holdings-owned luxury line Oceania Cruises is raising the bar for luxury suites at sea.

The company is showcasing interior design plans for the *Oceania Sonata*, the first ship in the upcoming Sonata Class. Debuting in August 2027, one-third of the vessel's accommodations space is dedicated to suites.

"We have listened closely to the desires of our guests and are delighted to unveil Oceania Sonata's thoughtfully reimagined suite accommodations," said Jason Montague, chief luxury officer of **Oceania Cruises**, in a statement.

"*Oceania Sonata* is a triumph of spacious design and meticulous craftsmanship to deliver our unwavering commitment to extraordinary experiences and our unique brand of hospitality."

## Living large

Travelers will find six classes of suites aboard the *Oceania Sonata*. Carrying 223 total suites, the vessel will be staffed by 855 crew members catering to just 1,390 guests.

The highest tier, dubbed Owner's Suites, spans more than 2,500 square feet and is located on the aft corners of decks 10 and 11. Only four versions of the room are aboard the ship, with each offering two bedrooms, a spa-inspired bathroom, a private veranda and 180-degree ocean views.



*Each suite will boast dedicated butler services. Image credit: NLCH*

A new room edition, called "Horizon Suites," will also be featured aboard. Tailored specifically for aspirational luxury consumers, the accommodation spans 600 square feet with multiple living areas and bedrooms, alongside a large balcony and walk-through wardrobes.

The remaining four suite classes range between 426 square feet and 1,900 square feet. The base-level Penthouse suites provide outsized living areas and panoramic ocean views.

Each room will be equipped with the cruise line's next-generation tranquility beds and high-end bath amenities crafted by Aquamar, Oceania Cruises' in-house wellness and bath brand.

More details on the *Oceania Sonata* will be revealed later this month, with bookings set to launch on Jan. 28.

Cruises remain popular among affluent and aspirational audiences alike, with high-net-worth individuals recently reporting a surge in interest ([see story](#)).

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