



Sweden  
**STOCKHOLM**  
& The Archipelago

Itinerary Inspiration | 5 days | 2022

In collaboration with Stockholm LGBTQ

## Summer Love in Stockholm

Welcome to our beloved blue and green city, made up of islands and surrounded by parks, palaces, romantic gardens and water glistening in the midnight sun. Swedish Summers are all about the outdoors and good vibes all around. Let our Midsummer night's sweep you off your feet, while archipelago life brings you right back down to earth. Välkommen.

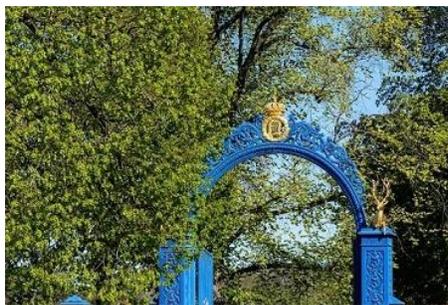
### Day 1 – Arrival to a Royal City

We'll be ready and waiting as you touch down, in whatever way you wish, escort you to an exclusive VIP lounge for a stress-free arrival after a long flight or simply reserve your taxi, speed train tickets or private car transfer approx. 40 minutes into the city.

Stay at **Hotel Skeppsholmen** (or other) - A stylish urban oasis in the heart of the city and, on an island of its own. Surrounded by nature, water, a tennis court, and a captivating culture scene. See *the list of **LGBT+ partner hotels** for more options*. Explore the city with a private guide or on your own. A visit to the **Royal Palace** for stunning interiors, jewels and dramatic history of intriguing royalty and Swedish style and discover gems of the charming Old Town. Lunch at **Hotel Miss Clara's** is always a good idea. In the evening, go high up! Dinner or drinks at Arc the rooftop bar of hotel **Blique by Nobis**, is a great way to start your trip with dreamy views overlooking the city rooftops.



### Day 2 - Lush Djurgården & ABBA



Bike or walk to the island of **Royal Djurgården**, a former royal hunting ground, now a lush, fun, national city park and culture scene. Home to romantic picnic spots, and stunning nature paths like the **Love Trail**; a wedding gift to our favorite, Crown Princess Victoria, (proud supporter of the LGBT+ community) and her Prince Daniel. Lunch or fika (coffee break) on the open-air terrace of **Hotel Hasselbacken**, they have the prettiest space for intimate love celebrations. A must-visit to the **ABBA Museum**, for a mood boost, will turn you into Dancing Queens all day and the unbelievable **Vasa Ship Museum** is jawdropping! Visit traditional **Skansen** or see a concert or

simply have fun at Gröna lund amusement park. Cocktails and a show at the legendary **Cirkus** and dinner at the delectable **Villa Dagmar** restaurant.

### Day 3 - Stylish SoFo & Södermalm

For a change of scenery, check in to the **Hotel Rival** (or other), located on the island of Södermalm. Owned by one of the ABBA members, and a stone's throw from the romantic viewpoint; Monteliusvägen. See the list of **partner LGBT+ hotels** for more options. Shop for Scandinavian style and fashion at the gallery-mall, **Bruno Gallerian** and enjoy a break and a bite on the rooftop. For an insider's look into the local lifestyle of trendy Swedes and cool local stores visit the SoFo, once voted by Vogue as "one of the coolest neighborhoods in the world". End the day with drinks at cool **Hellsten's Glashus** followed by a superb culinary experience nearby at **The Hills**, where you'll be well looked after.

### Day 4 - Sailing the Stockholm Archipelago

The **archipelago** is nature's food for the soul. Explorable all year round but to experience its true magic, visit between May & September for those long summer nights.



Enjoy a daytrip or an overnight in the archipelago. Discover a few of the many islands by public ferry or privately. **Fjäderholmarna** is only 20 minutes from the city and explore the quaint island art village or island brewery. **Grinda** for a swim, walks and lunch at the inn. The Allemansrätten law "Right for All" allows everyone to pick berries, mushrooms etc. anywhere. **Vaxholm** for the fortress and archipelago lifestyle. For exclusivity and privacy, rent a private vessel, sail to **Sandhamn** 2



hours from the city. Overnight or "glamp" on an island. Back in the city enjoy sunset cocktails lakeside at an iconic LGBT+ favorite, **Mälarpaviljongen** and if you're hungry **The Green Queen** has delish organic street food.

### Day 5 – Departure Day

If you are traveling later in the day, enjoy a walk along the waterfront, last minute shopping and lunch on the terrace overlooking the waterfront at the Hotel Diplomat restaurant.

We look forward to welcoming you!