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Boutique Cruise Launch

A new small-ship operator, [Haimark Line](#), marks its debut this Saturday with a 10-day sailing aboard its 210-passenger Saint-Laurent from Montreal to Portland, Me.

The new single-ship cruise company, based in Denver, will specialize in coastal cruises that include both rivers and oceans.

The French Canadian Maritimes & Coastal North Atlantic itinerary, running May 30 to June 8 and repeating June 8 to 17 and Oct. 21 to 30, follows the St. Lawrence Seaway into the North Atlantic (from \$4,199 per person). Subsequent summer departures combine the St. Lawrence and the Great Lakes. In winter, the ship will head to the Caribbean and Central and South America.

Haimark promises expert guides and guest lecturers. Among the latter, the veteran TV news anchor Dan Rather stars on the inaugural sailing.



A trek at Mount Everest Base Camp.