

## 3-day itinerary in Saxony, Germany: Dresden, Leipzig, and Gorlitz

## Day 1: Dresden

- · 9am: Arrive in Dresden (drop bags at hotel)
- · Walk to Royal Palace
- 11am: Royal Palace including: Historic Green Vault recommended book online in advance
- Royal Palace: Outside mural
- · Cathedral (different from Frauenkirche)
- Bratwurst lunch
- Afternoon:
  - Mathematics-Physics salon
  - Dresden Frauenkirche
  - Kulturpalast mural
  - Kunsthof passage (chain of courtyards in Neustadt)
- · 6pm: Dinner: recommended: Sophienkeller
- 8pm evening entertainment (Dresden opera house, theatre, bars, etc)

## Day 2: Rakotzburcke, Gorlitz, Bastei Bridge

- 8am pick up Rental car booked for the day
- 9:30am Rakotzbrucke (Rhododendron Kromlauer Park near Gablenz)
- 11:30am Görlitz
- Lunch: recommended Restaurant Przy Jakubie
- Obermarkt and Untermarkt (upper and lower market square)
- · St. Peter and Paul Church
- · Climb the Dicker Turm (Fat tower) or Reichenbach Tower
- 1:30pm drive to Bastei Bridge
  - Outlet stores while leaving Gorlitz
  - o Park on Basteistrasse
- 6pm Return to Dresden

## Day 3: Leipzig

- 8:30am Arrive in Leipzig
- 9am Riquet Café
- 10am Monument to the Battle of the NaNons
- 11:30am Runde Ecke Stasi museum
- Lunch: recommended Bakerei Gobecke GbR OR LUKAS Backer
- 1pm Bach museum

- 2:30pm St. Thomas Church
  - $\circ \quad \text{check for Thomanerchor boys' choir motet or performance} \\$
- 4pm St. Nicholas Church
- 4:30pm Rathaus (city hall) museum
- 6pm Return to Dresden by train