

Travel Journalist Familiarization Tour Tracey Teo, The Atlanta Journal-Constitution, BBC Travel, AAA Tidewater





Dates: March 11-14, 2024 (3 nights) **Number in Group:** Two Adults **Name:** Tracev and Wesley Teo

Topics: African American History, Culture, Food & Beverage

Participation Deadline: February 15, 2024

Description of the Journalist:

Tracey Teo has been contributing to The Atlanta Journal-Constitution for over 15 years. She is traveling with her husband, Wesley Teo, who is a photojournalist for the newspaper. She also contributes to BBC Travel and AAA Tidewater.

Description of the coverage:

Tracey is very interested in experiencing history and Black history, particularly stops on the African American Heritage Trail.

Media Outlet(s):

The Atlanta Journal-Constitution (AJC) is the only major daily newspaper in the metropolitan area of Atlanta, Georgia.

BBC Travel brings its readers the latest travel news and coverage from around the world, including culture, identity, food & drink, sustainability, and adventure.

AAA Tidewater Virginia is a magazine for the American Automobile Association (AAA) national federation and serves members in the Tidewater Virginia region (All Hampton Roads cities, including Norfolk, Chesapeake, Suffolk, Portsmouth, Virginia Beach, Hampton, Newport News, Williamsburg; Virginia's Eastern Shore; as well as the following counties: Greensville, Surry, Brunswick, Isle of Wight, Gloucester, Lancaster, Middlesex, Richmond County, Southampton, Sussex, Mecklenburg, James City County, York, Lunenburg, Essex, King & Queen, Mathews, Northumberland, and Westmoreland).



NOTE ON LODGING, RESTAURANTS, and ATTRACTIONS:

Visit Williamsburg chooses particular lodging, restaurants, and attractions for specific reasons. Each familiarization tour (FAM) is different, and we ask that our partners be sensitive to the criteria that led us to these requests. While each FAM tour content has a different angle, there may not be coverage of the lodging facility if it is not in alignment with the story or blog post. If you have any suggestions in line with the criteria, please contact us with your ideas.

Names of Traveler(s): Tracey and Wesley Teo

Room Information: One hotel room

Dietary Restrictions: None

Transportation: Airfare and Rental car

Day 1: Overnight hotel accommodations, dinner, historic park, art, culture

Day 2: Overnight hotel accommodations, breakfast, lunch, dinner, African American Heritage

tour, history of William and Mary, civil rights history, tour **Day 3:** Overnight hotel accommodations, lunch, history, tour

Day 4: Breakfast, lunch, history, tour

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Monday, March 11:

- Afternoon activity in Williamsburg historic park
- Afternoon activity in Williamsburg art, culture
- Dinner in James City County seafood

Tuesday, March 12:

- Breakfast in Williamsburg unique to the area
- Morning activity in Williamsburg African American Heritage tour
- Lunch in Williamsburg locally-owned
- Afternoon activity in Williamsburg history of William and Mary
- Afternoon activity in Williamsburg civil rights history, tour
- Dinner in Williamsburg chef-driven

Wednesday, March 13:

- Morning activity in Williamsburg authentic, history
- Lunch in Williamsburg light, easy
- Afternoon activity in James City County history, tour
- Dinner in Williamsburg American fare

Thursday, March 14:

- Breakfast in Yorktown historic, unique
- Morning activity in Yorktown history, tour
- Lunch in Yorktown café
- Afternoon departure

Please forward offers to Daniela Owen.