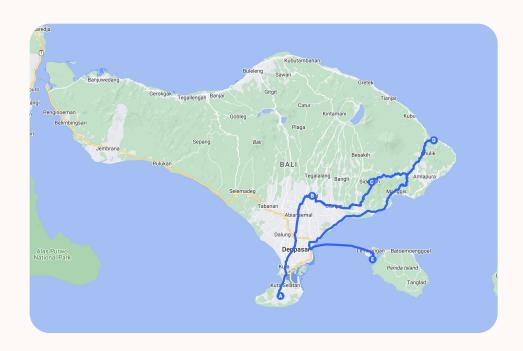
# 12 Days in Bali



Bukit Peninsula Ubud Sidemen Amed Nusa Lembongan
August 11-14 August 14-17 August 17-18 August 18-20 August 20-24

### Trip Overview

#### Bukit Peninsula



#### August 11-14

- Spend your first few nights at a 5-star, beachfront resort on Bukit Peninsula (~30-min drive from airport). Specifically, Jimbaran Bay is known for its calm waters that are perfect for swimming
- Southern Bali, including Bukit Peninsula, is the most touristy part of the island as its known for its beautiful beaches, outrageous sunsets, and delicious seafood restaurants, but we've avoided the most crowded areas like Tanah Lot, Canggu, Seminyak, and Kuta.

Ubud B August 14-17

- Have a private driver take you ~1.5 hrs to Ubud, Bali's cultural and spiritual hub, located in the center of the island with gorgeous views of rice paddies and fields, jungles, rainforests, and plenty of temples and other cultural highlights.
- While there, explore the popular Ubud Center, the lesser-known "Rice Fields Walk," and Sayan, a village situated west of central Ubud known for its serenity, design, and architecture.
- Ubud is a great central spot for day trips to places like Mt Batur. Try
  a local tour that follows an easier route, includes a boat ride, and
  contributes to the local economy of the villages.

Sidemen C August 17-18

- Have a private driver take you ~1.5 hrs to Sidemen for an overnight before heading to Amed the following day.
- Enjoy the beauty of the island's center but in a less touristy setting.
   Check out Tukad Cepung Waterfall on your way there and enjoy the hustle and bustle of Sidemen's Morning Village Market.
- Consider staying at the epic Octopus House at Veluvana, with a private pool on the roof of an open-air villa.

Amed August 18-20

- Have a private driver take you 1.5 hrs to Amed, a much calmer part of the island with local fishing villages, black sand beaches, and excellent snorkeling water.
- Rent a scooter and hop around Amed's beautiful beaches from the less-crowded, more luxurious southern beaches to the bustling but still serene northern beaches.

## Nusa Lembongan E August 20-24

- Make your way ~2.5 hrs from Amed to Sanur to catch the ferry to Nusa Lembongan and Nusa Ceningan, where you can indulge in a more authentic, less commercial experience.
- Nusa Penida, one of the southeastern islands, has epic scenery, but it seems to be overcrowded with people trying to get Instagram photos. I suggest spending your time exploring Nusa Lembongan and Nusa Ceningan.