

HANOI TRIP 2019: 28 September- 2 October 2019

Details (RM)	Cost (RM)	Note
1. Outbound (Saturday, 28 September 2019) KUL-HAN : AK 516 : 0610 – 0825 (3h 15m) Return (Wednesday, 2 October 2019) HAN-KUL : AK 513 : 1530 – 1950 (3h 20m) Luggage : 20 kg (KUL-HAN) / 25 kg (HAN-KUL) Travel insurance Meal x 2	551.80 169.00 28.00 20.00	
2. Accommodations a. Hanoi Little Town Hotel x 4 nights 77 Hang Luoc, Dong Xuan Market, Hanoi, Vietnam, 10000 Superior double or twin VND 1,873,161	354.22	Agoda.com
3. Transportation a. *Airport to Hotel (VND 470,000) b. *Hotel to Airport (VND 300,000) c. Halong Bay Tour (incl pickup, cruise fee, seafood lunch, guide & kayak) d. Grab bike for self city tour (VND 72,000) e. Grab car to D'Lions Restaurant (VND 25,000) *Other option – take Grab for cheaper fare	87.90 56.10 150.00 13.46 4.60	Hotel transfer Hotel transfer Klook.com
4. Meal Estimated 100.00 per day x 5 days Note: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Halal food: Zaynab Restaurant at Masjid Al Noor (120m from hotel) D'Lions Restaurant @Cosiana Hotel for Halal Malaysian, Singaporean & Vietnamese food Grab food from Halal restaurant e.g. PK Spice Restaurant 	500.00	
5. Misc a. Simcard: Viettel, unlimited data, no call – VND 200,000 b. Tips: USD 10	37.40 42.00	
TOTAL (per person)	2,014.48	



Date/Day	Destination/Activities	Cost (RM) per person
28/09/2019 Saturday KUL-HAN	0610 - 0825 KUL – HAN (3h 15m) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Free & easy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hanoi City Tour – Old Quarter, French Quarter Egg coffee at Giang Café Hoàn Kiếm Lake, Temple of the Jade Mountain, Hoa Phong Tower, St. Joseph's Cathedral, Hoa Lo Prison Memorial, Hanoi Opera House Thang Long Water Puppet Show (VND 200,000) Entrance fee: Temple of the Jade Mountain & The Huc Bridge (VND 30,000) 	37.40 5.60
29/09/2019 Sunday Halong Bay	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Halong Bay (via Klook.com) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0800 hotel pick up or meet up at location 3.5 hour journey through rice fields to Halong City harbour Drop by art & craft centre Board the cruise Seafood lunch aboard the cruise Explore Thien Cung Cave Bamboo boat or kayaking around the islands 1630 back to Halong City harbour 2000 arrival at Hanoi 	

30/09/2019 Monday Hanoi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free & easy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Hanoi City Tour – Ba Ninh & West Lake Area ○ Thăng Long Imperial Citadel, Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum, Ho Cho Minh Museum, Tran Quoc Pagoda, One Pillar Pagoda, Temple of Literature ○ Entrance fee: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Thăng Long Imperial Citadel (VND 30,000) ▪ Temple of Literature (VND 30,000) 	5.60 5.60
01/10/2019 Tuesday Hanoi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free & easy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Shopping at Dong Xuan Market ○ Long Biên Bridge 	
02/10/2019 Wednesday Hanoi Kuala Lumpur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free & easy • 1200: Check out and depart to airport • 1530 – 1950: HAN – KUL (3h 20m) 	
Tour expenses (if any)		54.20
Flight fare + accommodation + transportation + meal + misc + tour expenses (excluding shopping)		2,014.48
ESTIMATED OVERALL COST (per person)		2,068.68**

Note:

- 1000 VND = 0.187 MYR (as per September 2019)
- ***This is based on my solo travel. If you travel with a friend (2 pax total), you would probably spent around RM1,800++ for this trip (without shopping) (refer text in purple for items you can share with your travel partner)*
- *In total, I spent around RM 2,300.00 for this whole trip*
- *I skipped some of places due to too many people and long queue, tired and too lazy! (refer text in red)*

Annual Leave (3 days)
Weekend

	Sunrise	±0547 hrs
	Sunset	±1745 hrs

Qibat : 283.56° (Hanoi)

Subuh: 0434 hrs Zohor: 1148 hrs Asar: 1513 hrs Maghrib: 1751 hrs Isya: 1900 hrs

EMERGENCY CONTACT

Tune Protect Insurance:

24/7 Emergency Assistance:

- 1 800 22 8863 (Auto Emergency Assist)
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PLACES OF INTEREST

Masjid Al Noor (120m from hotel, 1 min walk)

- The only mosque in Hanoi. Zaynab Restaurant (halal food) is located here.
- Address: 12 Hàng Lược, Hàng Mã, Hoàn Kiếm, Hà Nội, Vietnam
- Open hours: 0400- 2000

Dong Xuan Market (230m from hotel, 3 mins walk)

- Đồng Xuân Market is a market in the center district Hoàn Kiếm of Hanoi, Vietnam. Originally built by the French administration in 1889, Đồng Xuân Market has been renovated several times with the latest in 1994 after a fire which almost destroyed the market. Big, bustling covered market packed with vendors selling food, clothing & goods at wholesale prices.
- Address: Đồng Xuân, Hoàn Kiếm, Hanoi 100000, Vietnam

Giang Café (900m from hotel, 11 mins walk)

- The best place to try egg coffee for the first time. This is the original place where egg coffee was invented.
- Address: 39 Nguyễn Hữu Huân, Hàng Bạc, Hoàn Kiếm, Hà Nội, Vietnam
- Business hours: 0700-2200

Thang Long Water Puppet (900m from hotel, 11 mins walk)

- Performing-arts venue presenting theatrical water puppetry shows with accompanying music. The world-famous Thang Long Water Puppet Theatre in Hanoi has its roots in an art form that dates back to the 11th century.
- Address: 57B Đinh Tiên Hoàng, Hàng Bạc, Hoàn Kiếm, Hà Nội 100000, Vietnam
- Show schedule: 1500, 1610, 1720, 1830 & 2000

St. Joseph's Cathedral (1.0km from hotel, 12 mins walk)

- St. Joseph's Cathedral is a church on Nha Chung Street in the Hoàn Kiếm District of Hanoi, Vietnam. Its a late 19th-century Gothic Revival church that serves as the cathedral of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Hanoi to nearly 4 million Catholics in the country.
- Address: 40 Nhà Chung, Hàng Trống, Hoàn Kiếm, Hà Nội, Vietnam
- Open hours: Monday - Saturday (0800-1100, 1400-1700), Sunday (0700-1030, 1500-2100)

Temple of the Jade Mountain (Đền Ngọc Sơn) (1.1km from hotel, 13 mins walk)

- The Temple of the Jade Mountain is located on Hoàn Kiếm Lake in central Hanoi, Vietnam.
- Address: Đinh Tiên Hoàng, Hàng Trống, Hoàn Kiếm, Hà Nội 100000, Vietnam
- Open hours: 0800-1800
- Entrance fee: VND 30,000 (RM 5.60)

Hoa Lo Prison Memorial (1.5km from hotel, 19 mins walk)

- Hỏa Lò Prison was a prison used by the French colonists in French Indochina for political prisoners, and later by North Vietnam for U.S. prisoners of war during the Vietnam War. During this later period it was known to American POWs as the Hanoi Hilton.
- Address: 1 Hoả Lò, Trần Hưng Đạo, Hoàn Kiếm, Hà Nội 100000, Vietnam
- Open hours: 0800-1700

Hoàn Kiếm Lake (1.6km from hotel, 20 mins walk)

- Hoan Kiem Lake, also known as Hồ Gươm, is a fresh water lake, measuring some 12 ha in the historical center of Hanoi, the capital city of Vietnam. In the past, the lake was variously name "Luc Thuy Lake" or "Thuy Quan Lake".
- Address: Hang Trong, Hoàn Kiếm, Hanoi, Vietnam

Long Biên Bridge (1.7km from hotel, 21 mins walk)

- Long Biên Bridge is a historic cantilever bridge across the Red River that connects two districts, Hoan Kiem and Long Bien of the city of Hanoi, Vietnam. It was originally called Paul Doumer Bridge.
- Address: Cầu Long Biên, Ngọc Thụy, Long Biên, Hà Nội, Vietnam

Thăng Long Imperial Citadel (1.8km from hotel, 22 mins walk)

- The Imperial Citadel of Thăng Long is a complex of historic imperial buildings located in the centre of Hanoi, Vietnam. It is also known as Hanoi Citadel. It was built on the remains of a Chinese fortress dating from the 7th century, on drained land reclaimed from the Red River Delta in Hanoi.
- Address: Hang Trong, Hoàn Kiếm, Hanoi, Vietnam
- Open hours: 0800-1700 (Tuesday-Sunday), Monday closed

Hanoi Opera House (1.9km from hotel, 24 mins walk)

- The Hanoi Opera House, or the Grand Opera House is an opera house in central Hanoi, Vietnam. It was erected by the French colonial administration between 1901 and 1911.
- Address: Số 01 Tràng Tiền, Phan Chu Trinh, Hoàn Kiếm, Hà Nội 100000, Vietnam

Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum (2.1km from hotel, 26 mins walk)

- The President Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum is a mausoleum which serves as the resting place of Vietnamese Revolutionary leader & President Ho Chi Minh in Hanoi, Vietnam.
- Address: Hang Trong, Hoàn Kiếm, Hanoi, Vietnam
- Open hours: 0800-1700 (Tuesday-Friday), 0800-1715 (Saturday), 0800-1100 (Monday)
- Entrance fee: VND 40,000 (RM 7.50)

Ho Chi Minh Museum (2.1km from hotel, 26 mins walk)

- Built in 1979, the museum contains artifacts & photographs dedicated to President Ho Chi Minh.
- Address: 19 Ngọc Hà, Đội Cấn, Ba Đình, Hà Nội 10000, Vietnam
- Open hours: 0800-1200 / 1400-1630 (Saturday-Thursday), Friday (closed)
- Entrance fee: VND 40,000 (RM 7.50)

Tran Quoc Pagoda (2.2km from hotel, 27 mins walk)

- Trấn Quốc Pagoda, the oldest Buddhist temple in Hanoi, is located on a small island near the southeastern shore of Hanoi's West Lake, Vietnam.
- Address: Thanh Niên, Yên Phụ, Tây Hồ, Hà Nội 100000, Vietnam
- Open hours: 0800-1600

One Pillar Pagoda (2.3km from hotel, 28 mins walk)

- The One Pillar Pagoda is a historic Buddhist temple in Hanoi, the capital of Vietnam. It is regarded alongside the Perfume Temple, as one of Vietnam's two most iconic temples. The temple was built by Emperor Lý Thái Tông, who ruled from 1028 to 1054.
- Address: Chùa Một Cột, Đội Cấn, Ba Đình, Hà Nội 100000, Vietnam
- Open hours: 0700-1800

Temple of Literature (2.6km from hotel, 33 mins walk)

- The Temple of Literature or Temple of Culture is a Temple of Confucius in Hanoi, northern Vietnam. The temple hosts the Imperial Academy, Vietnam's first national university. The temple was built in 1070 at the time of Emperor Lý Thánh Tông.
- Address: 58 Quốc Tử Giám, Văn Miếu, Đống Đa, Hà Nội 100000, Vietnam
- Open hours: 0700-1800
- Entrance fee: VND 30,000 (RM 5.60)

LOTTE Observation Deck (4.5km from hotel, 19 mins drive)

- Lotte Observation Deck Hanoi offers beautiful panoramic views of the city as it is located on the 65th floor of the Lotte Center.
- Address: 54 Liễu Giai, Ngọc Khánh, Ba Đình, Hà Nội, Vietnam
- Open hours: 0900-2200

West Lake (4.9km from hotel, 17 mins drive)

- West Lake is the biggest freshwater lake of northwest center of Hanoi, Vietnam. With a shore length of 17 km and 500 hectare in area, this is the largest lake of the capital and a popular place for recreation with many surrounding gardens, hotels and villas.
- Address: Chùa Một Cột, Đội Cấn, Ba Đình, Hà Nội 100000, Vietnam
- Open hours: 0700-1800