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What do you enjoy most in your job with TUI in Bulgaria?

Bulgaria is a big “up-and-coming” destination. There are always changes and exciting new opportunities popping up everywhere. This year we have opened two brand new hotels in Sunny Beach. With all the new exciting things that are happening here in Bulgaria it gives you something to look forward to and this is why I love working here.

What is special about your destination Bulgaria?

The walks through the stunning Balkan Mountains provide incredible views to 130 km of white and golden sandy beaches. Old meets new when you visit the cities of Bulgaria. Sofia, the capital, is one of the oldest cities in Europe, its National History Museum is one of the most extensive in Eastern Europe. The city has wide cobblestone boulevards, charming boutiques, vast parks with gardens and a truly electrifying nightlife. Bulgaria has something for everyone which makes it an extra special destination.

What beach would you recommend in your destination Bulgaria?

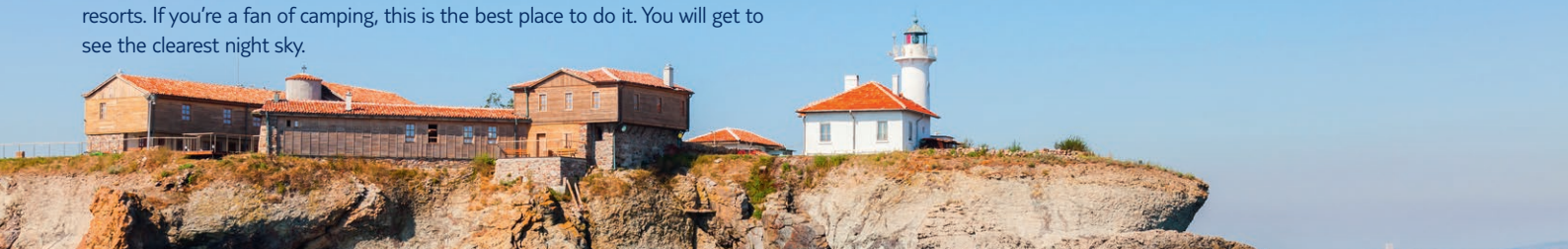
I would recommend Irakli Beach, around 30 minutes drive north of Sunny Beach. It's one of the last “wild” beaches on the Bulgarian Black Sea Coast. You'll find just over 3km of white, golden sands, amazing nature, crystal clear turquoise water and the perfect escape from the busy beaches in the nearby resorts. If you're a fan of camping, this is the best place to do it. You will get to see the clearest night sky.

What local food should visitors try in your destination Bulgaria?

There are so many amazing Bulgarian dishes to get your taste buds tingling. My favorite main dish is Kavarma. It is a mixture of fresh and colorful vegetables with chicken or pork meat. It can be mild or spicy, with leeks or onions, carrots and mushrooms and topped with egg. The recipe for Kavarma has many variations which depend on which region you are in. You should also try Rakia, a fruit brandy which is very popular in Southeastern Europe.

What is the best experience in your region that no visitor should miss?

The best experience, in my opinion, is the TUI Collection excursion “Hidden Bulgaria”. First, you visit a unique bee farm that has been owned by the same family for hundreds of years where you learn how they produce honey. Next, hidden high up in the mountains lays the little village of Erketch. You will explore the gardens of the old house full of goats, geese, rabbits and peacocks and learn how the locals produce Bulgarian yoghurt and Rakia. Lastly, you'll visit the Via Pontica wine cellar, which satisfies even the most demanding wine enthusiasts. It's an excellent day out for the whole family.



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...that the Port of Burgas is the biggest port in Bulgaria and the home port of the Bulgarian overseas fishing fleet, the Black Sea navy and the coast guards?

