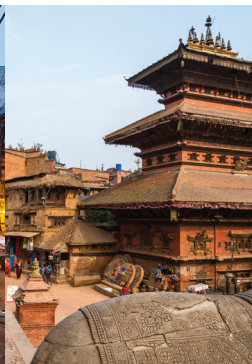




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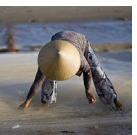
### BHUTAN

The Land of the Thunder Dragon enthralls all those who are fortunate enough to see it. High in the Himalayas, and hence protected from the often damaging influences of the outside world, the mountains are entwined with myths, monks and their monasteries cling to jagged peaks, and faith is an active component of everyday life.



### BURMA

Burma, or Myanmar as it is now known, is a wild and wonderful place, where the mighty Irrawaddy divides thick jungles, colonial hill stations rise up from the plain, and hundreds of exquisite temples, pagodas, and stupas are still waiting to be unearthed.



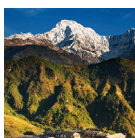
### INDOCHINA

Born on the Mekong River, the southeast Asian countries of Cambodia, Laos, and Vietnam will make you breathless with their natural beauty and the variety of their cultures. Beyond the Angkor Wat temples, seek out the rainforest-topped islands of Halong Bay, the Royal Palace of Luang Prabang, and the thousand Buddha statues in the Pak Ou caves.



### INDIA

Far more than a country, India is a world in itself. Ride the toy train as it twists and turns through the hills to Shimla; take afternoon tea among the bushes of a tea estate; walk amongst the colonial buildings of Kolkata, Delhi, or Mumbai; and stand in wonder before magnificent UNESCO World Heritage Sites.



### NEPAL

Everest smiles on Nepal, but though the Gurkha heartland is a climber's paradise, it has plenty to offer more sedate visitors too. The Suklaphanta Reserve protects tigers, leopards, Indian elephants, rhinos, and 400 species of birds; and the Nepalese people are some of the most hospitable hosts you will ever be fortunate enough to meet.



### SRI LANKA

Rightly described as the Pearl of the Indian Ocean, a visit to Sri Lanka - colonial Ceylon - is something you will never forget. The verdant hill stations are surrounded by tea estates; you will be enraptured by the Kandyan dancers at the Perehara festival; the babies at the Pinnawela Elephant Orphanage will make you laugh; and the sunset across the ocean will take your breath away.



### THAILAND

Discover a Thailand beyond the perfect, long, white beaches and chaotic, energetic Bangkok. Get a glimpse of the daily life of the water dwellers on Thailand's canals, bartering with hawkers in the floating flower markets. Take a Thai cookery class in Chiang Mai, feasting on the fruits of your endeavours. Relax on Koh Samui, tropical plants all around you.

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**Do you have a relative who fought the Japanese in India and Burma? Have you ever wondered how they managed so far from home?**

Working closely with the Kohima Museum, Indus Experiences offer you a bespoke trip to the battlefields of Kohima and Imphal to cover the Advance of the British 2nd Infantry Division from Dimapur to Kohima to relieve the besieged garrison and to force the Japanese Imperial Army into retreat. We then follow the retreat down to Imphal and cover the battle there as the 14th Army executed the greatest defeat ever suffered by the Japanese. Prior to departure Bob Cook, curator Kohima Museum York, will offer advice and guidance using contemporary maps, personal and operational accounts.

Bob Cook leads small group tours to Kohima and Imphal from time to time. Details are available on our website. Please register your interest by sending us an e-mail if you wish to join a group tour.



### ABOUT THE KOHIMA MUSEUM



The Kohima Museum in York, UK was officially opened in 1991. It was formed from the ad-hoc collection of artefacts and memorabilia donated to the HQ of 2nd Division by the veterans and their families. The museum has developed since then and is accredited under the Arts Council of England (ACE). In addition, the museum is the only museum in the whole country that provides a focused and detailed window to the Burma Campaign of WW2 including the renowned Chindits of Major General Orde Wingate. We display the medals and equipment used by both sides including personal and operational accounts. Visitors to the museum can get a detailed presentation of the Siege and the battle of Kohima Ridge that was one of the major turning points of the war against the Japanese.

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Indus Experiences also supports the **Kohima Educational Trust** in their work with the Naga Hill tribes of Nagaland. The purpose of the trust is to provide educational assistance to the young people of Nagaland, India in order to repay the debt of honour owed for their unstinting help given to the 2nd Division and other British Army units during the battles of 1944.

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