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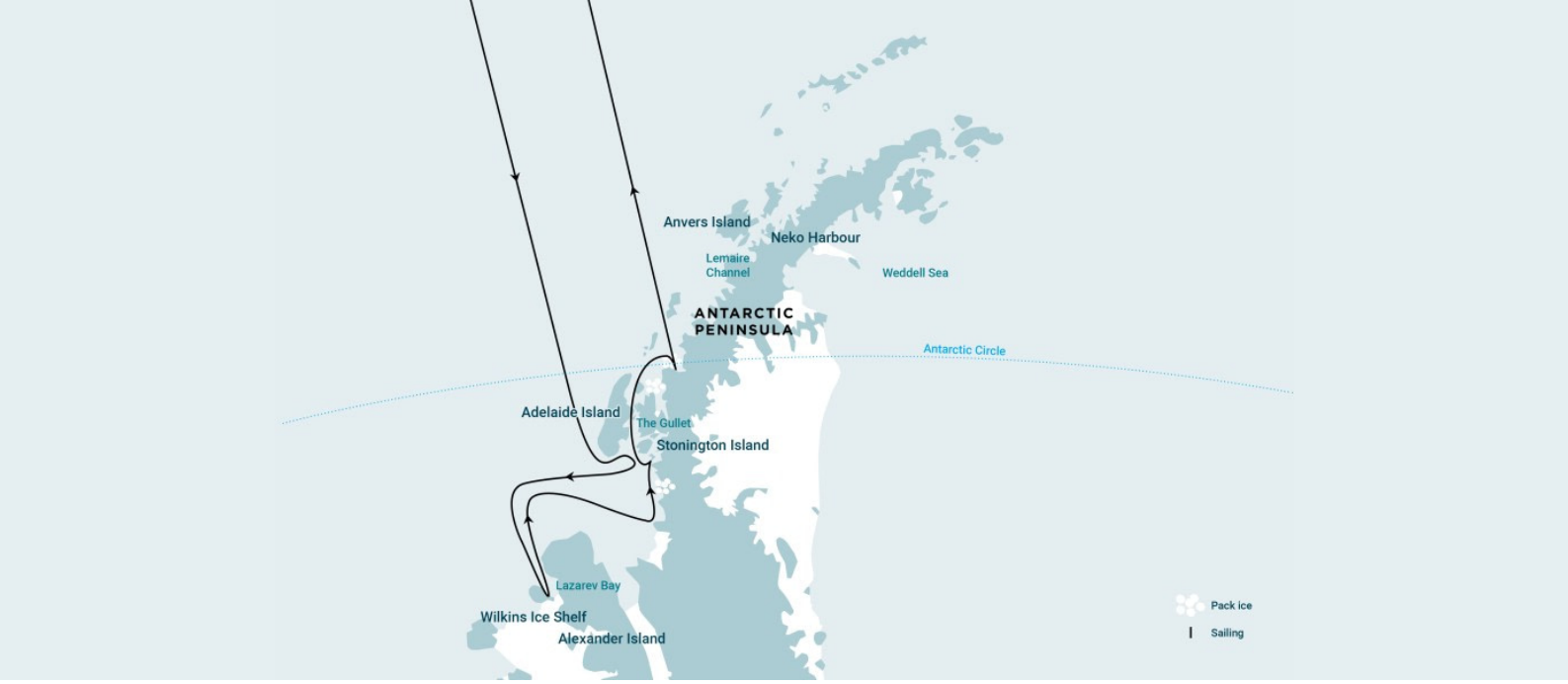
English | Navigational workshop

OTL30a26 18 February 2026 - 04 March 2026

Antarctica – Uncharted islands of the Deep South

On this extraordinary journey, we navigate the unexplored waters around Lazarev Bay and the mysterious Glinka Islands, a region where old aerial photographs (1939–1941) serve as reference for existing charts. Ice and daylight permitting, we will be aiming to push further south toward these mysterious uncharted islands.



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Breadth : 17.20 meters
Draft : 5.4 meters
Ice class : UL1 (Equivalent to 1A)
Displacement : 4090 tonnes
Propulsion : 6 ZL 40/48 SULZER
Speed : 10.5 knots average cruising speed
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Twin Porthole	~~14850 USD~~ 11150 USD
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Superior	~~17950 USD~~ 13450 USD

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