



# ONLINE STYLE GUIDE

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**GUIDELINES FOR PROPER ONLINE USAGE OF  
THE CARNIVAL CRUISE LINES BRAND**

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# INTRODUCTION & PURPOSE

**This Style Guide serves as a reference for Carnival Cruise Lines' online design system. Its purpose is to portray the essence of the Carnival Cruise Lines brand as it should be conveyed online, and to provide recommendations on how visual elements should be rendered properly.**

Using this guide, designers, company personnel and associates can create fresh, new graphic methods and elements, while at the same time preserving the consistent and homogenous look that is essential to any successful branding system.

This online style guide is to be complementary and subordinate to the Carnival Global Style Guide. General principles and design criteria defined in the global style guide are to be respected and followed in any online applications or specifications.

Adhering to the guidelines in this style guide will ensure proper use of the Carnival online identity and will maximize its value to the company's total communications efforts. In the course of developing communications, if there are any questions, please contact Digital Marketing at: [cclcontent@carnival.com](mailto:cclcontent@carnival.com).

# COLORS

The Carnival Red, Blue and white remain the main brand colors in all online environments. Their particular usage and hierarchical implementation will be explicit as particular online elements are explored in subsequent section of the style guide.

Hex color (ex: #336699)

RGB color (ex: R115 G68 B229)

## Primary Palette

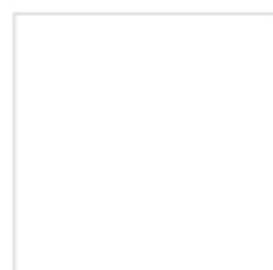
These are the primary Carnival colors and should be used whenever possible, always combined with White. The use of Red should always be less prominent in proportion to Blue, and always used to attract attention to specific, key elements within a page.



#dc1125  
R220 G17 B37



#10559a  
R16 G85 B154



#ffffff  
R255 G255 B255

## Secondary Palette

These colors are to be used economically in hierarchically secondary elements within a page. Never overuse them beyond this rationale. Examples will be provided in upcoming sections of the style guide.



#01c1d8



#67d3c6



#4fb547



#ffbb36



#ff8530



#ef1353



#f10180

## Gradient Fills

These gradients are to be used in different elements later explored in other sections: Dropdowns, buttons, tables, widgets, icons, etc.



#0096d6  
#0089cf



#67bd45  
#50ad15



#f1f8ff  
#7f8991



#99e128  
#309e0d



#0b97e2  
#0330a2

## Boxes / Shapes elements



Additional styles shown on right column modules.

## GENERAL TYPOGRAPHY

The primary font used by Carnival is Tempo STD with condensed heavy weight used uppercase. This font should not be manipulated in any way other than as suggested by the style guide. (i.e., skewed, beveled, etc.) and careful attention should be paid in terms of spacing, tracking, and kerning. Legibility is always the most important issue with fonts. Arial is the secondary approved system font family for all Carnival.com content.

**TEMPO STD HEAVY CONDENSED**  
**A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z**  
**1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 ! \$ & \* :**

### **Arial Bold**

**AaBbCcDdEeFfGgHhIiJjKkLlMmNnOoPp**  
**QqRrSsTtUuVvWwXxYyZz**  
**1234567890 !@#\$%^&\*()\_+}{|":<>?**

### Arial Regular

**AaBbCcDdEeFfGgHhIiJjKkLlMmNnOoPp**  
**QqRrSsTtUuVvWwXxYyZz**  
**1234567890 !@#\$%^&\*()\_+}{|":<>?**

### *Arial Italic*

**AaBbCcDdEeFfGgHhIiJjKkLlMmNnOoPp**  
**QqRrSsTtUuVvWwXxYyZz**  
**1234567890 !@#\$%^&\*()\_+}{|":<>?**

# USE OF TYPOGRAPHY

The primary font families to be used in all online environments are the same present in the global Carnival Cruise Lines brand guidelines. The **Tempo** family is the primary and most representative font to be used, complemented by the **Arial**.

Considering the rendering flexibility available in current browsers, the **Tempo** font should not be replaced by any default operative system font. It should always be embedded in all pages when it is to be contextual.

## a HERO BANNER HEADLINE

**Size:** 36 - 60 pt. depending on copy **Font:** Tempo Std Heavy Condensed - **Color:** #dc1125, #10559a or #ffffff. When blue and red copy colors are to be used, relevant words within a statement will be red and the rest blue. See page 32 for more information.

## b HERO BANNER SUB HEADLINE

**Size:** 18 - 24 pt. depending on copy. **Font:** Tempo Std Heavy Condensed - **Color:** #10559a

## c Headline 1 style

**Size:** 26 pt. **Font:** Arial - **Color:** #10559a

## d Subheadline 1 Style

**Size:** 18 pt. **Font:** Arial - **Color:** #555555

## e Headline 2 style

**Size:** 22 pt. **Font:** Arial - **Color:** #10559a

## f Headline 3 style

**Size:** 18 pt. **Font:** Arial - **Color:** #10559a

## g Paragraph

Etiam posuere, libero ut laoreet euismod, leo diam tincidunt sapien, ut tempor nulla ligula non lorem. Sed at magna nisi, porta adipiscing urna. Ut quis nul uso.

**Size:** 12 pt. **Font:** Arial - **Color:** #555555 - **Anti-aliasing:** Sharp - **Tracking:** -10 **Leading:** 16

## h Bullets v1

- ➊ Sed at magna nisi, porta adipiscing urnsectet a veritas lorem
- ➋ Ut quis nul ustom posuere, libero ut laoreet euis t, conse

**Size:** 12 pt. **Font:** Arial - **Color:** #555555

## Bullets v2

- Sed at magna nisi, porta adipiscing urnsectet a veritas lorem
- Ut quis nul ustom posuere, libero ut laoreet euis t, conse

**Bullet Size:** 18 pt. **Font:** Arial - **Color:** #10559a

**Size:** 12 pt. **Font:** Arial - **Color:** #555555

## i Hyperlink Inactive - Hyperlink on Rollover

Example of use, libero ut laoreet euismod, leo diam tincidunt sapien, ut tempor nulla ligula non lorem. Sed at magna nisi, porta adipiscing urna. [Read more](#)

**Size:** 12 pt. **Font:** Arial - **Color:** #10559a

**On-rollover:** Underline

## j Secondary Information used for image, location, map details or information

**Size:** 11 pt. **Font:** Arial Italic - **Color:** #10559a

# TYPOGRAPHY IN CONTEXT

Here are some examples of typographic use in their respective context.

**Note:** If a specific case or circumstance is not clearly pre-defined, designers are welcomed to use their discretion to expand and build on these elements in order to define new uses.

## Interior Page Typography

- a) Hero Banner Headline
- b) Hero Banner Subheadline
- c) Headline1
- f) Headline 3
- g) Paragraph
- h) Bullets
- i) Hyperlinks
- j) Image Info



# GENERAL

## BUTTONS & LINKS

Carnival.com makes use of a simple iconographic system to graphically represent specific content elements. These icons will most commonly be associated with widget pieces, special navigation elements and, sporadically, as visual support for content messaging.

**Large CTA Buttons** | Important progress buttons, always in green, indicate a sequential step being taken within a specific process.



Normal Color: #64bf1a  
Gradient 53%:  
#000000 to #ffffff

Hover Color: #42a911  
Gradient 53%:  
#000000 to #ffffff

CONTINUE TO  
NEXT SECTION ➔

**Primary CTA Buttons** | These are the most important CTA button in the Carnival site. Colors are to be used in the order shown according to hierarchy. For the most definite, important CTAs, red will always be the option to use.



Normal Color: #e41833  
Gradient 53%:  
#000000 to #ffffff

Hover Color: #c0101f  
Gradient 53%:  
#000000 to #ffffff

Normal Color: #64bf1a  
Gradient 53%:  
#000000 to #ffffff

Hover Color: #42a911  
Gradient 53%:  
#000000 to #ffffff

Normal Color: #0763c2  
Gradient 53%:  
#000000 to #ffffff

Hover Color: #64bf1a  
Gradient 53%:  
#000000 to #ffffff

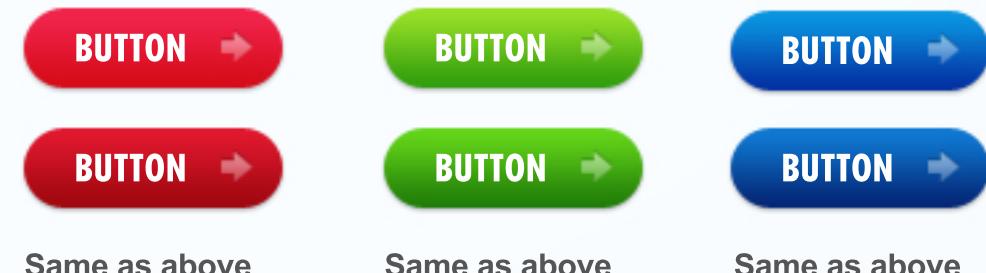


**Breadcrumb** | Notice the change in blue to differentiate tier depth.

🖨 Print this Page ⌂ Link style 1  
✉️ Send to a Friend ⌂ Link rollover style 1  
« Previous | Next »

**Text Links** | These can be used in secondary navigation within a page. Their usage will be shown in context next.

**Secondary CTA Buttons** | Same usage as buttons above, slightly below in prominence.



**Tertiary CTA Buttons** | Same usage as buttons above, slightly below in prominence.



**Functionality Buttons** | These buttons do not represent CTAs per se. They are related to functionality interactions, of a more practical, navigational nature. The three available sizes reflect the hierarchy explained above. These buttons can be used with or without icons, as shown.



# USE OF BUTTONS

Here are some examples of buttons usage on the site. Other uses are allowed if justified from a visual and functionality standpoint.

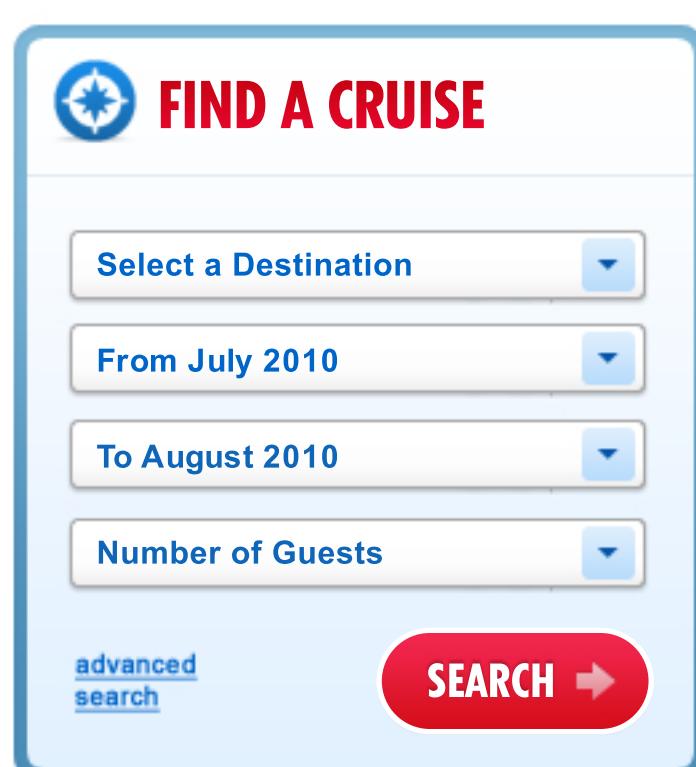
Save <small>?</small>	Dates	Interior 	Ocean View 	Balcony 	Suites 	<a href="#">BOOK NOW</a>
 <a href="#">remove</a>	November 18, 2010	\$179.00	\$179.00	\$999.00	\$1,079.00	<a href="#">BOOK NOW</a>
 <a href="#">remove</a>	November 18, 2010	\$179.00	\$179.00	\$999.00	\$1,079.00	<a href="#">BOOK NOW</a>
 <a href="#">remove</a>	November 18, 2010	\$179.00	\$179.00	\$999.00	\$1,079.00	<a href="#">BOOK NOW</a>

## Buttons within search results, lists, etc.

Buttons should be used in these type of environments as the quintessential call to action elements.



Small buttons in promotional banner elements.

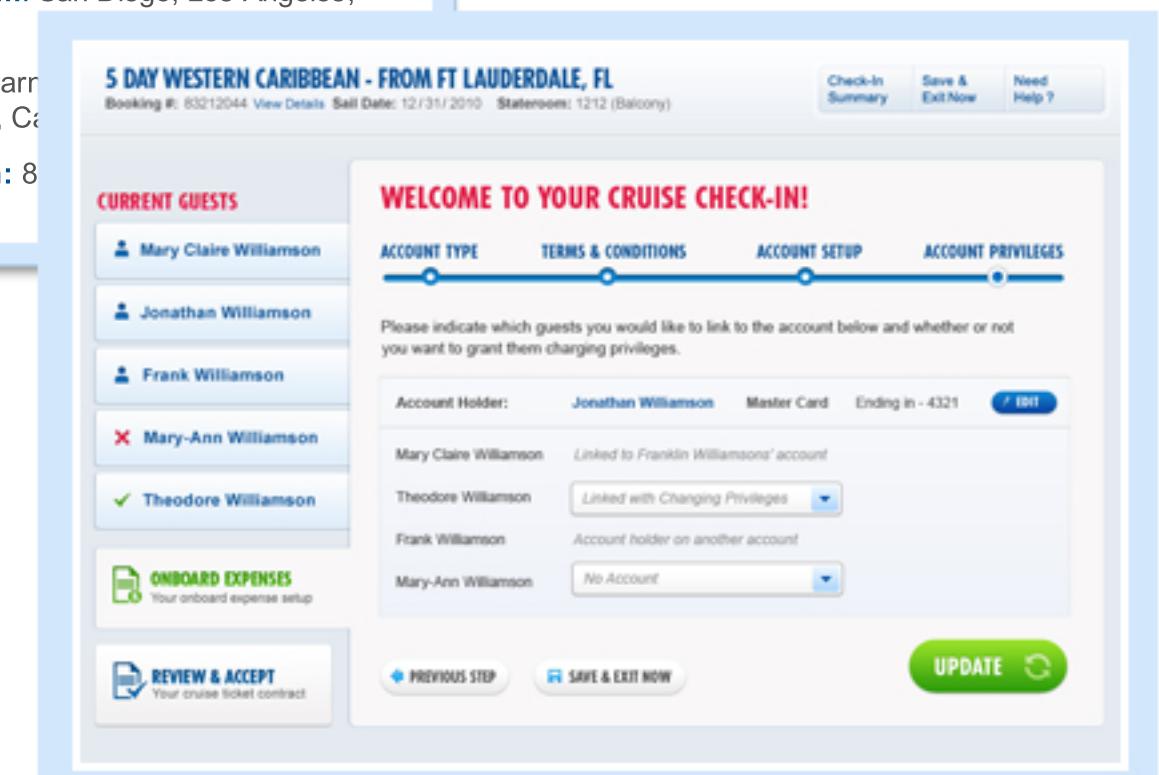


## Buttons within Widgets

Depending on the widget background, a slight white border is allowed around buttons to make them stand out a bit more.



Buttons in flyouts / callouts.



Large CTA Buttons & Functionality Buttons.

# BUTTONS & LINKS IN CONTEXT

Carnival.com makes use of a simple iconographic system to graphically represent specific content elements. These icons will most commonly be associated with widget pieces, special navigation elements and, sporadically, as visual support for content messaging.

- a) Primary CTA Button
- b) Primary CTA Button with White Border in a Widget
- c) Tertiary CTA Button in a Promo element.

## GENERAL ICONOGRAPHY

Carnival.com makes use of a simple iconographic system to graphically represent specific content elements. These icons will most commonly be associated with widget pieces, special navigation elements and, sporadically, as visual support for content messaging.



### Typical Icon Treatment

Icons will almost always be rendered with a gradient going from: #014b92 to #006ed9.



In some cases, depending on the interactivity associated with them, a hover state will be rendered with a gradient going from: #c5121d to #de1e30

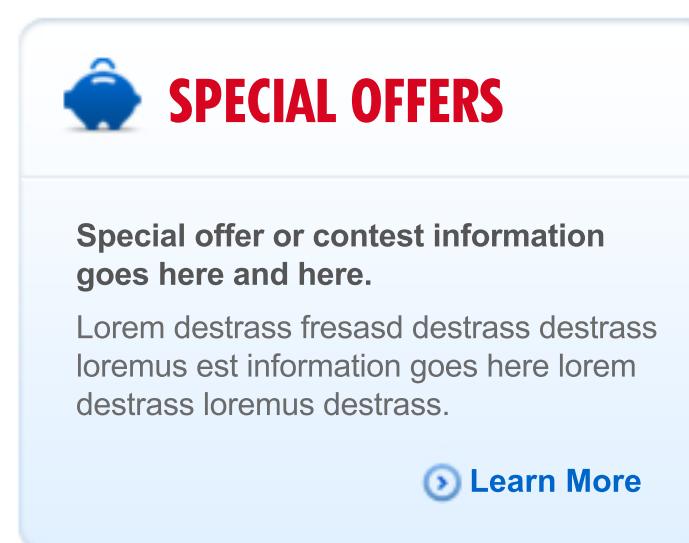
### Icon Topics

Here are some of the most common icons being used in the site at this moment. Designers, please, feel free to create new ones as the need arises.

What Cruisers Are Saying	Most Popular Cruises
Ready To Cruise	Related Video
Invite Your Friends	Deal of the Week
Special Offers	Latest Photos
Question of the Week	Plan your Cruise
Never Miss a Deal	Family Fun
You Might Also Like...	Spa
Water Sports	Featured video
Culture	Latest Tweets
Have a Question?	Water Activities
Find a Cruise	Sun & Beaches
Save to Favorites	Latest Buzz
Vacation Type	Adventure Tours

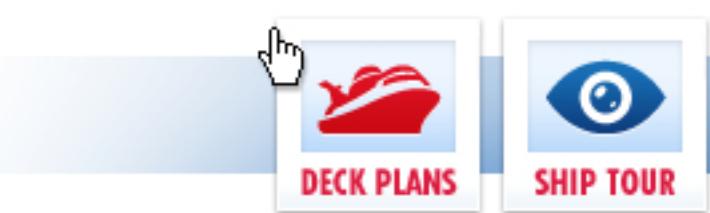
## USE OF ICONOGRAPHY

Here are some examples of icons usage on the site. Other uses are allowed if justified from a visual and functionality standpoint.



### Icons in Widgets

Icons are here part of the header piece for widgets. They will always be accompanied by text and will include a slight shadow underneath.



### Icons in Miscellaneous Navigational Elements

Some pages within the carnival.com site include special navigation pieces which use icons in different ways. These are just the most representative.



Onboard Entertainment



Fun-Filled Youth programs

### Icons within Content Areas

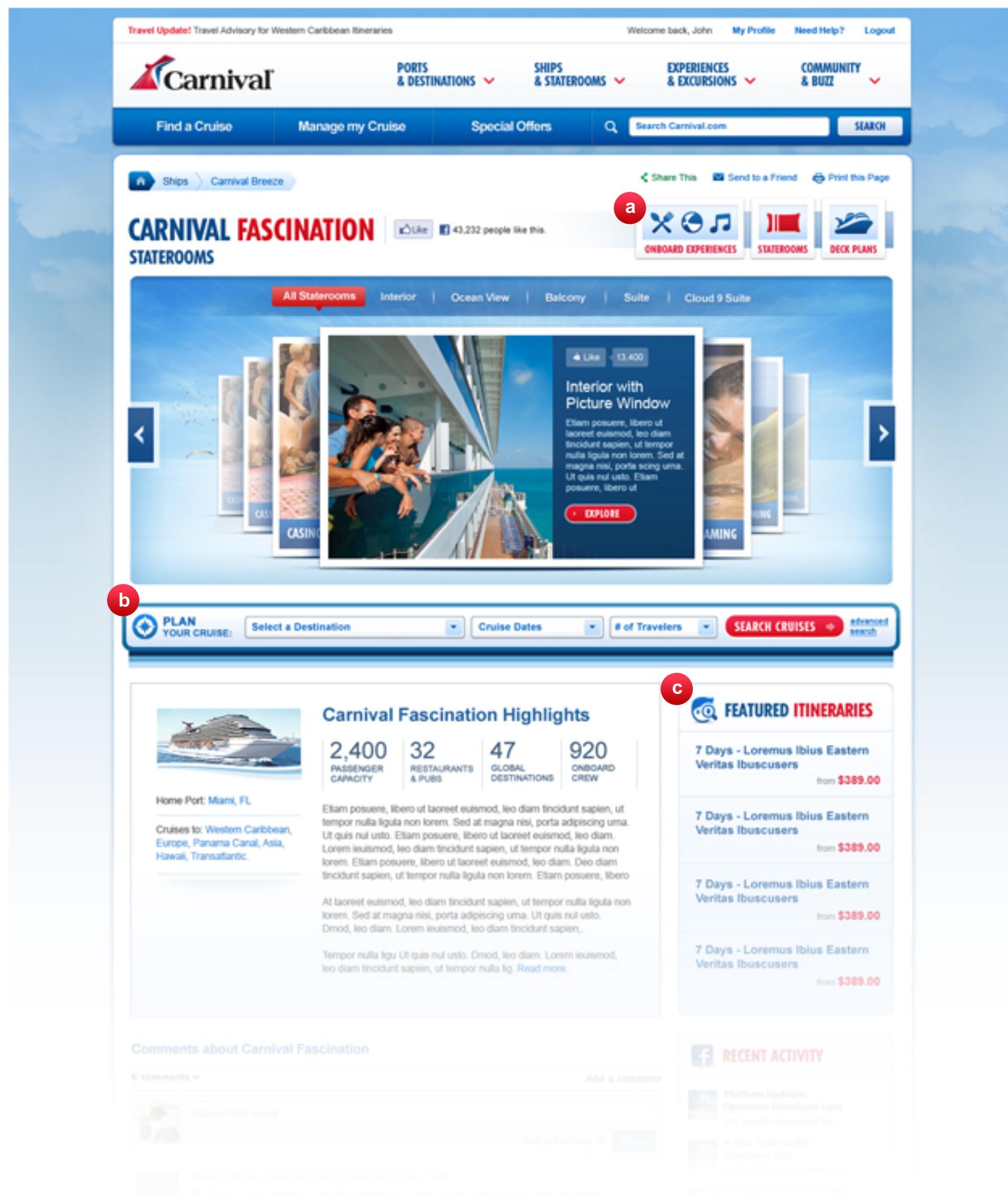
In some cases, specially in promotional landing pages, icons can be used in the main content area of a page in order to display specific items in a list format.

# ICONOGRAPHY IN CONTEXT

Here are some examples of iconography uses in their respective context.

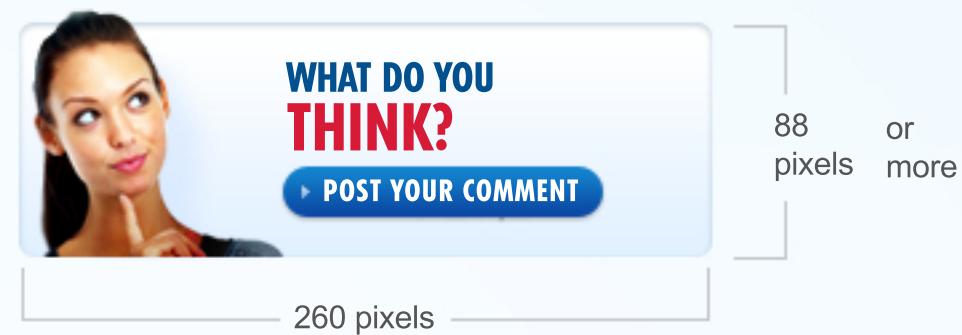
**Note:** If a specific case or circumstance is not clearly pre-defined, designers are welcomed to use their discretion to expand and build on these elements in order to define new uses.

- a) Icons in Navigation Elements
- b) Icons in Search Bar
- c) Icons in Widgets



## GENERAL PROMO BANNERS

These promotional banner elements are used throughout the carnival.com site to promote special offers, related content or any other kind of complementary or persuasive messaging. They will mostly appear on the right-hand column area for most of the interior pages layouts. These layouts will be explored in more detail in upcoming sections.



### Typical Icon Treatment

These promo elements come in different variations, which will be examined in the next section. They will always consist of a piece of imagery on the left and content copy on the right, rendered with the Tempo font. A tertiary CTA button, typically in blue will also be present.

They should always be placed on the right of interior pages, in the 260 wide column area present in most layouts.



## USE OF PROMO BANNERS

Here are some examples of promo banners on the site. Other uses are allowed if justified from a visual and functionality standpoint.



### Promo Banner - Silo Treatment

In this variation, imagery is placed within the frame of the rounded rectangular shape, with some part of the graphic coming out of the frame or border.



### Promo Banner - Centered Treatment

Here, the imagery piece in the banner is completely isolated and placed within the rounded rectangular shape.

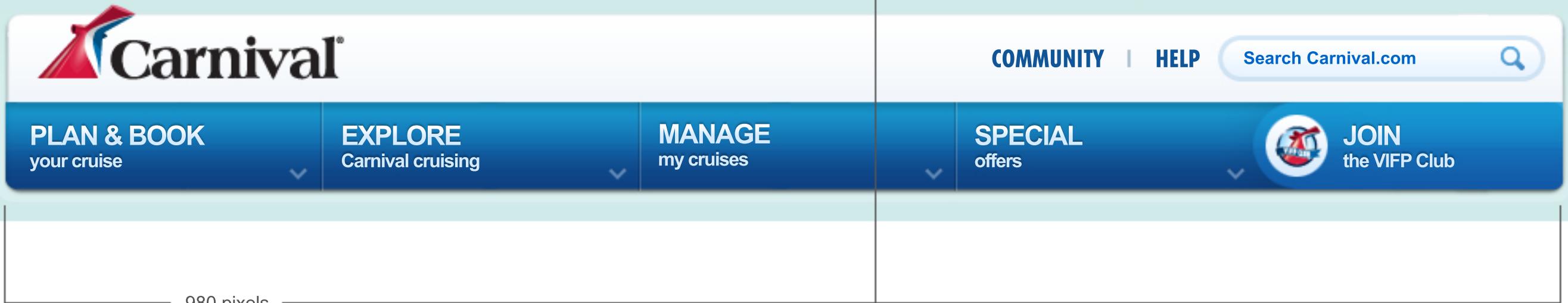


### Banner - Special Offer ( destination related )

These pieces talk about destination related offers. They are taller and will always include destination imagery rendered in the polaroid theme.

# GENERAL NAVIGATION

This is the main navigational bar for the latest version of carnival.com. It consists of three main content levels which are explained in detail below.



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## Main Menu - Level 1

Here are the most relevant site sections. Join the VIP Club has a slightly different treatment to distinguish it from the other options.

Each of these options, when clicked, will trigger a flyout piece with more content connected to the clicked section.  
( see next page )

## Secondary Navigation

These options will include more global functionalities such as Log In, Join, etc.

## Main Menu - Level 2

These options will appear on the white area of the Main Menu navigation module. They are secondary in relevance to the options in the blue area.

## USE OF NAVIGATION

By clicking on the main menu navigational options, users will trigger flyout pieces with more detailed and deeper options

Log In

Log in to manage your cruises

Email [forgot password?](#)

>Password [LOGIN](#)

Nor Registered?

Loremus desa sderitas veras vers desar re merer ut veritas vesa desremus loremis vertas desa.

Enroll in VIFF [? ENROLL NOW](#)

Cruise Preparation

Before You Cruise [FAQs & Support](#)

FAQs & Support [Gifts & Services](#)

### Flyout - Example 1

Flyout pieces for the main navigation could include different types of content.  
In this case, a brief form, contextual copy with CTAs and icons represent the main functionalities and subsections particular to that main menu option.

28 DAYS TO SAILING | COMMUNITY | HELP [Search Carnival.com](#)

Welcome Back, John. | Not John? United States ▾ 1.800.232.3456

PLAN & BOOK your cruise

EXPLORE Carnival cruising

MANAGE my cruises

SPECIAL offers

JOIN the VIFF Club

Ports & Destinations

Caribbean Bahamas Mexico Hawaii Alaska	Caribbean Bahamas Mexico Hawaii Alaska	Caribbean Bahamas Mexico Hawaii Alaska	Caribbean Bahamas
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[VIEW ALL](#)

All About Cruising

Explore what cruising with Carnival is all about.

Onboard Activities

Loremus desa sdas veras vers desar reer ut veritas vemas.

Shore Excursions

Loremus desa sdas veras vers desar reer ut veritas vemas.

Ships & Staterooms

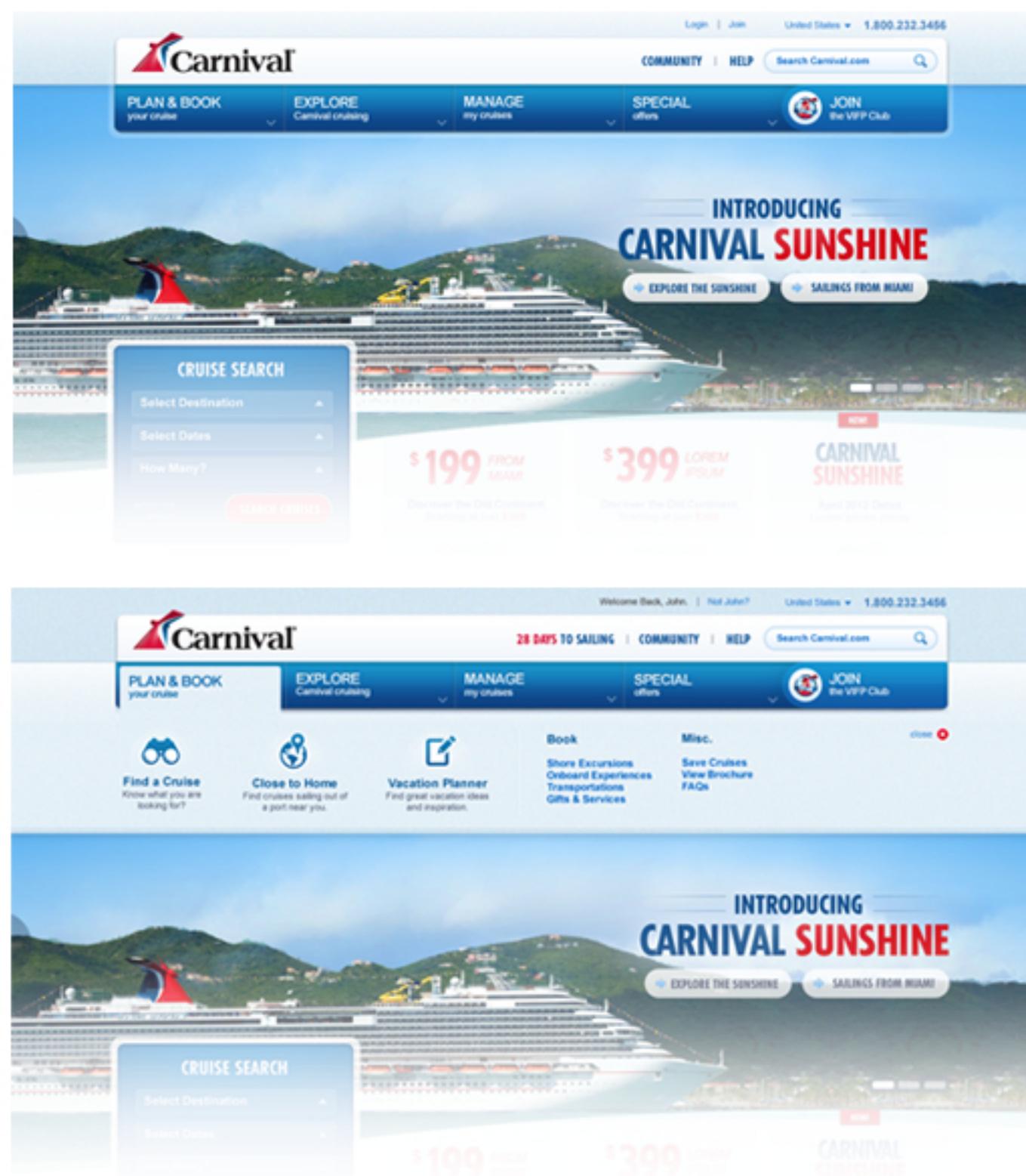
Loremus desa sdas veras vers desar reer ut veritas vemas.

### Flyout - Example 2

Flyout pieces for the main navigation could include different types of content.  
In this case, a list of hyperlinks, contextual copy with CTAs and icons represent the main functionalities and subsections particular to that main menu option.

# NAVIGATION IN CONTEXT

The site's main navigation bar has a sliding functionality that will allow flyout content to be displayed by pushing content down the page.



## Main Nav - Closed

This is how the main navigation fits within the home layout.

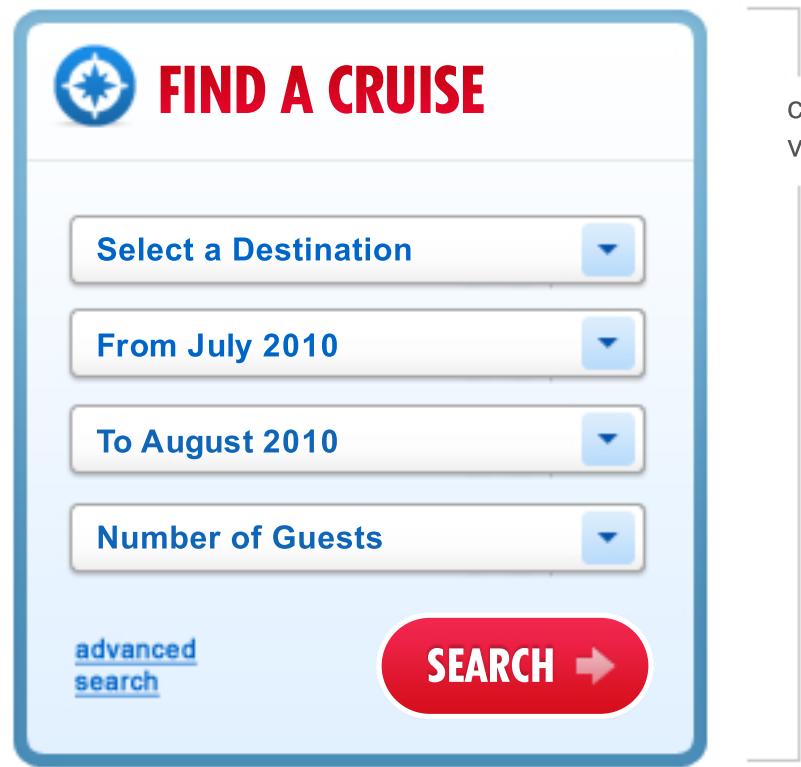
## Main Nav - Flyout

Here, a main navigation option has been clicked, exposing its flyout piece. Notice how all content on the page slides down as the flyout is revealed, instead of having it load over page content.

## GENERAL WIDGETS

Widgets at carnival.com are secondary modules that provide a certain functionality in relation to specific content. They typically have a well defined functionality as opposed to just showing static content. For example, there are widgets for finding a cruise, finding out what cruisers are saying and for measuring cruises popularity.

Widgets will mostly be placed in the right column on interior pages layouts.



A screenshot of a 'Find a Cruise' search widget. It features a dark blue border and a white background. At the top is a compass icon and the text 'FIND A CRUISE' in red. Below are four dropdown menus: 'Select a Destination', 'From July 2010', 'To August 2010', and 'Number of Guests'. At the bottom left is a blue 'advanced search' link, and at the bottom right is a red 'SEARCH' button with a white arrow.

can  
vary

### Find Cruise Widget - with Border

This is an example of a widget with a dark blue border. The border is only to be used when special emphasis needs to be given to a widget within a page.

At the header, widgets will always include an icon and a Tempo font name. Below, the specific body of the widget will be followed by a button CTA, which can be a primary or secondary format, depending on the relevance of the widget.



A screenshot of a 'DEAL OF THE WEEK' cruise deal widget. It has a light blue header with a calendar icon and the text 'DEAL OF THE WEEK'. Below is a blue bar with '20 DAYS REMAINING'. The main content area shows a deal for '7 Days - Loremus Ibius Eastern Veritas Ibususers'. It lists the sailing date as April 23rd, 2011, from Fort Lauderdale, FL, at a list price of \$455.00. The special rate is \$389.00. A note says 'You Save 28% per Guest!'. At the bottom left is a blue 'cruise quickview' link, and at the bottom right is a red 'BOOK NOW' button with a white arrow.

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### Find Cruise Widget - no Border

Widgets without borders are the norm. The one displayed above is just for special cases, in which prominence needs to be stressed

## USE OF WIDGETS

Here are some examples of widgets currently being used.

### FIND A CRUISE

Select a Destination

From July 2010

To August 2010

Number of Guests

[advanced search](#)

**SEARCH ➔**

#### Find a Cruise

One of the few widgets that should be represented with the border options.

### DEAL OF THE WEEK

20 DAYS REMAINING

7 Days - Loremus Ibius Eastern Veritas Ibususers

Sailing Date: April 23rd, 2011  
Departure Port: Fort Lauderdale, FL  
List Price: \$455.00

Special Rate: **\$389.00**

You Save 28% per Guest!

[cruise quickview](#)

**BOOK NOW ➔**

#### Weekly Deals

### RELATED VIDEOS

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 Title for Video Lomu Destrass Lores  
Loremus destras ver here lorem destrass.

 Title for Video Lomu Destrass Lores  
Loremus destras ver here lorem destrass.

**Visit Video Center**

#### Related Videos

### WHAT CRUISERS ARE SAYING

- Relaxing (21)
- Beautiful Water (12)
- Great Services (33)
- Pool Party (15)
- Private Beach (11)
- Restaurants (4)
- Steakhouse (41)

#### What Other Cruisers are Saying

### NEVER MISS A DEAL

Enter your email for newsletter and latest details:

**SUBSCRIBE ➔**

#### Never Miss a Deal

Once email has been sent, confirmation message will appear within the same modular area.

## USE OF WIDGETS

Here are some examples of widgets currently being used.

### MOST POPULAR CRUISES

By Views    By Bookings    By Buzz

7 Days - Loremus Ibius Eastern Veritas Ibuscusers 231 views

7 Days - Loremus Ibius Eastern Veritas Ibuscusers 231 views

7 Days - Loremus Ibius Eastern Veritas Ibuscusers 231 views

7 Days - Loremus Ibius Eastern Veritas Ibuscusers 231 views

#### Most Popular Cruises

Some widgets might include tabs like in this example.

### LATEST FROM

11:09 AM Mar 29

Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Nunc eget nisi eget quam semper lacinia. In in urna leotar. Cum sociis natoque montes, nascetur ridiculus mus.

[Older](#) | [Newer](#)

#### Social Widget

### READY TO CRUISE?

Learn how to make the most of your cruise vacation loremus av ▶

### INVITE YOUR FRIENDS!

Learn how to make the molorem destras evritas certass aves ▶

#### Compound Widget

Some widgets can be divided into two or more areas displaying different functionality

### QUESTION OF THE WEEK

 **QUESTION OF THE WEEK**

What do you usually loremym destras fresarium veritas lore?

Relax Iremus fresaris veritas  
 Belast tresa mestras fresa  
 Loremus fresaris veritas  
 Belast tresa mestras fresa

[view results here](#) 

#### Question of the Week

# WIDGETS IN CONTEXT

Here are some examples of widget uses in their respective context.

**Note:** If a specific case or circumstance is not clearly pre-defined, designers are welcomed to use their discretion to expand and build on these elements in order to define new uses.

- a) Widget with Border
- b) Widget without Border

The screenshot shows a travel update for Western Caribbean Itineraries on the Carnival website. The main content area features a large image of a cruise ship in a port. Below the image are several buttons for 'PLAN YOUR CRUISE' and search filters for 'Select a Destination', 'Cruise Dates', and '# of Travelers'. To the right, there are buttons for 'SEARCH CRUISES' and 'advanced search'. Below the cruise planning section, there are tabs for 'Overview', 'Things to Do', 'Ports of Call', 'Itineraries', and 'Comments (14)'. The 'Things to Do' section includes a video player showing three women smiling. To the right of the main content, there are two highlighted areas: 'FIND A CRUISE' (labeled 'a') and 'RELATED VIDEOS' (labeled 'b'). The 'FIND A CRUISE' section includes dropdowns for destination, dates, and guests, and a 'SEARCH' button. The 'RELATED VIDEOS' section shows three video thumbnails with titles like 'Title for Video Lorum Destrass Lores' and 'Title for Video Lorum Destrass Lores'.

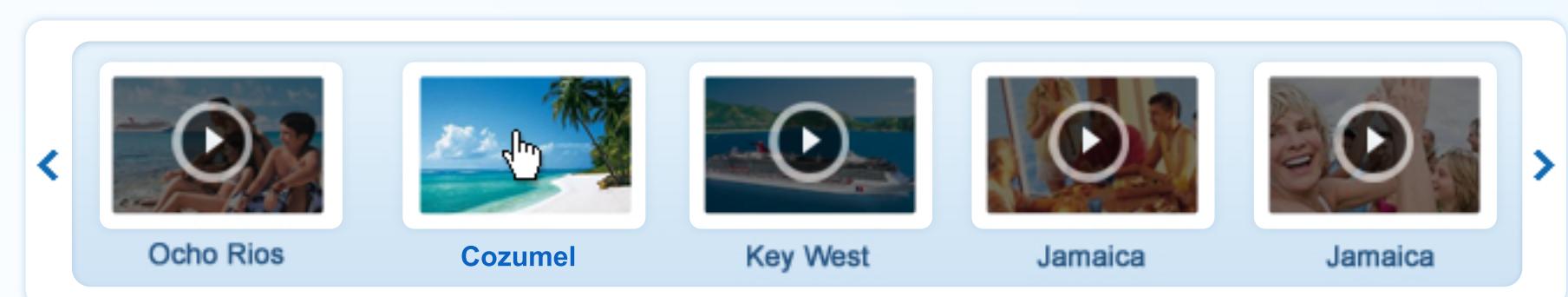
# GENERAL MODULES

Modules within the carnival.com site refer to a variety of content presentations usually with a defined functionality type attached to them. They can appear in all kinds of context and positions within a page and can be grouped in several categories, as will be explored on the next pages.



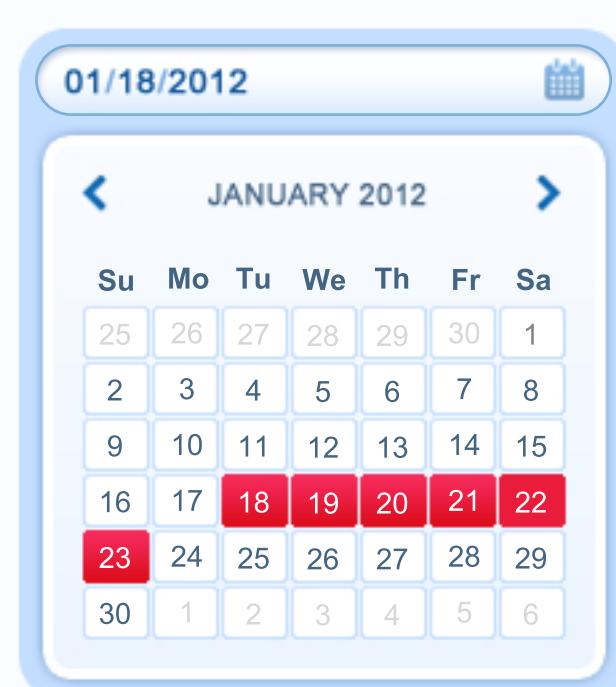
## Main Search module

The search bar module will follow this established treatment. It is to be present in most site pages, unless the Search widget in already included in a content/right column layout.



## Video Carousel module

The Carousel Module presents multimedia content.



## Calendar module



## Vacation Planner Cruise module



## Filtering Controls module



## Video module

# CONTENT MODULES

These modules contain all types of content, usually in a summarized, condensed format. They will typically refer to content connected to elements within a group. For example: Ships, Destinations, Onboard Experiences, etc.

All Experiences   Dining   Entertainment & Activities   Bars & Clubs   Casino & Gaming   Spa & Fitness  

**Waterworks**  
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**Carnival Breeze**  
 **NEW**

Ships module - closed

**Carnival Magic**

**EXPLORE THE SHIP**

**Veritas loremus destras vertas destras fresarium secretas**  
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**Destinations:** Bahamas, Caribbean, Europe, Transatlantic  
**Home Port:** Miami, FL  
**Class:** Spirit

Onboard Experiences header module

Ships module expanded

**Recommended**  
**2 Ocean View and 1 Interior**  
Forward, Top Deck

**\$359** avg. per person

Show me more Staterooms like this

Booking Engine Stateroom module

**Collapsed Box**

**Expanded Box**

**Collapsed Content Box module**

**Collapsed Box**

**Expanded Box**

**Collapsed Content Box module**

**Collapsed Box**

**Expanded Box**

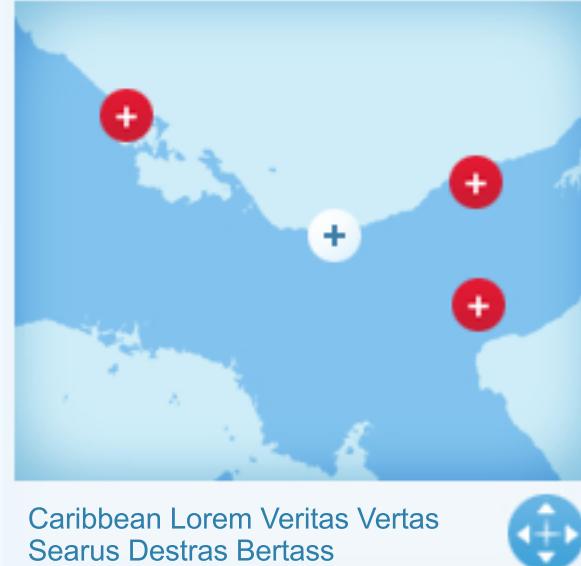
**Collapsed Content Box module**

## MISCELLANEOUS MODULES

Modules, given their flexible nature, can include the most diverse content presentations and should be created anew when needed.



Countdown Clock module



Caribbean Lorem Veritas Vertas  
Searus Destras Bertass

● Departure Port ○ Port of Call

Map module



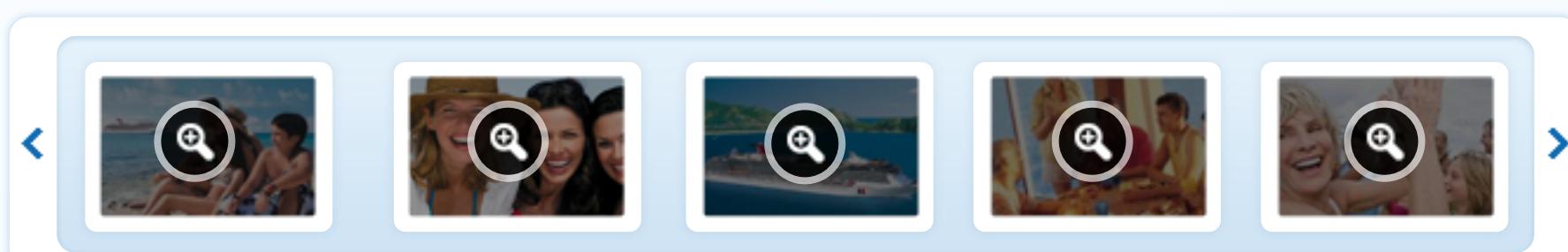
Booking Engine Summary module



Vacation Planner modules

## MULTIMEDIA MODULES

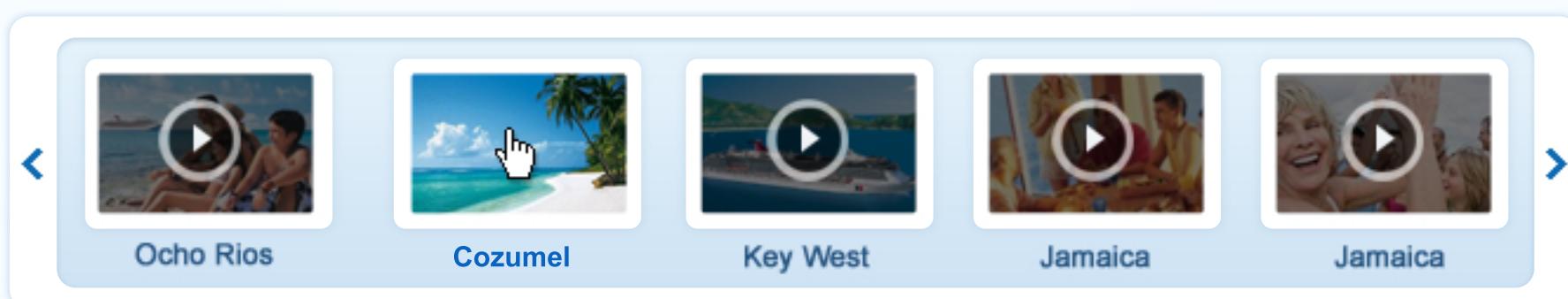
Multimedia modules will accomodate media related content ranging from images, image galleries, videos, etc.



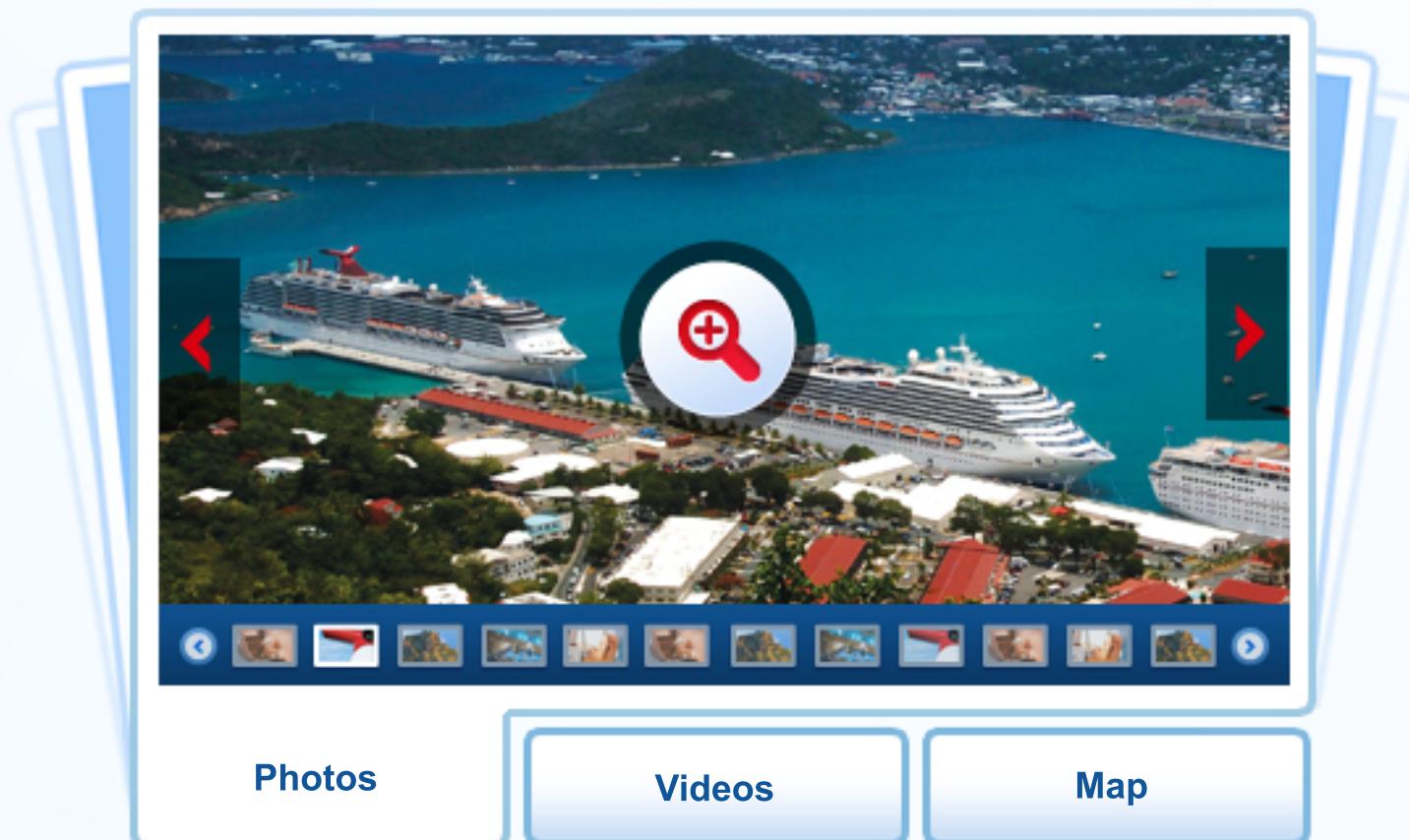
Images Carousel module



Video module



Video Carousel module



Slide Show module

## SEARCH MODULES

The Search Modules will provide search capability to most pages. They can be used alternately with the Search Widget. Both should not be present in the same page simultaneously.



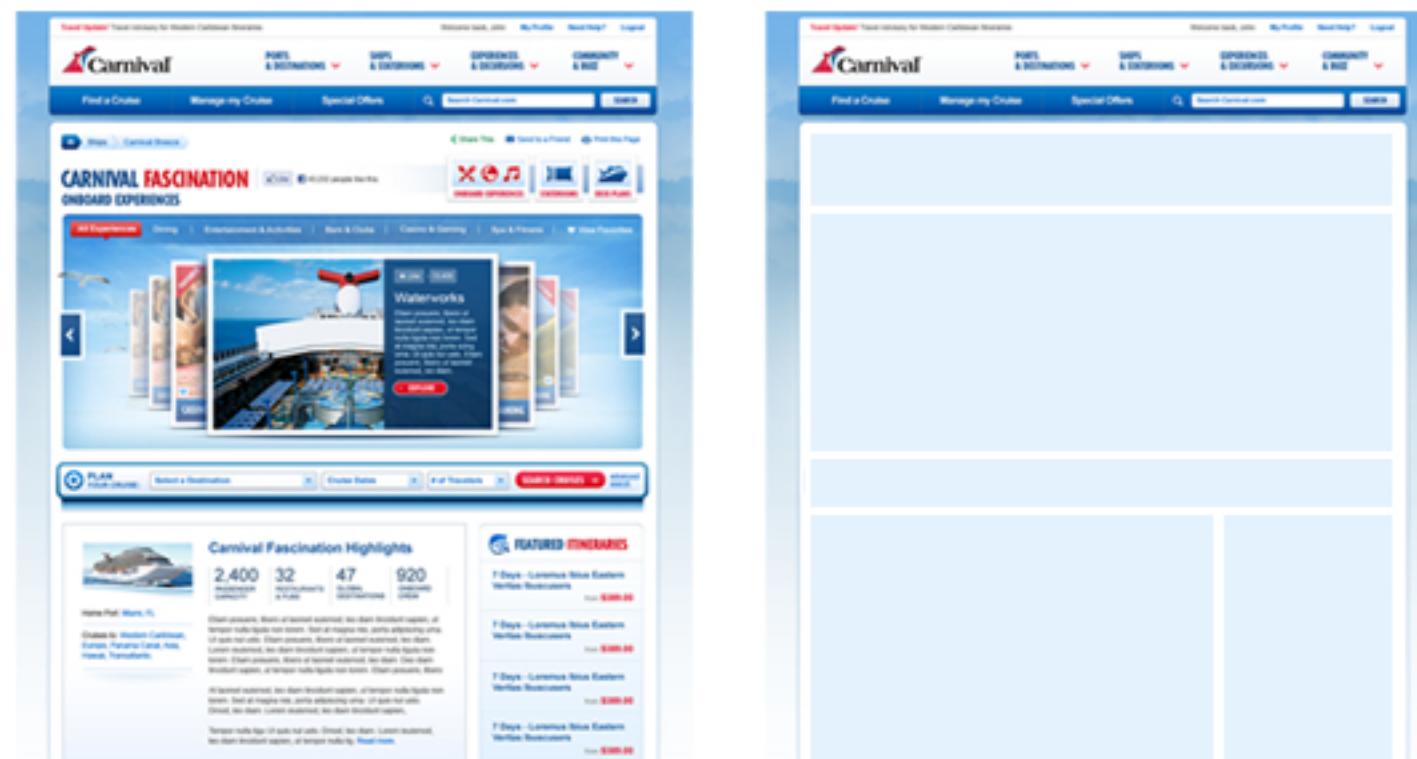
Main Search module



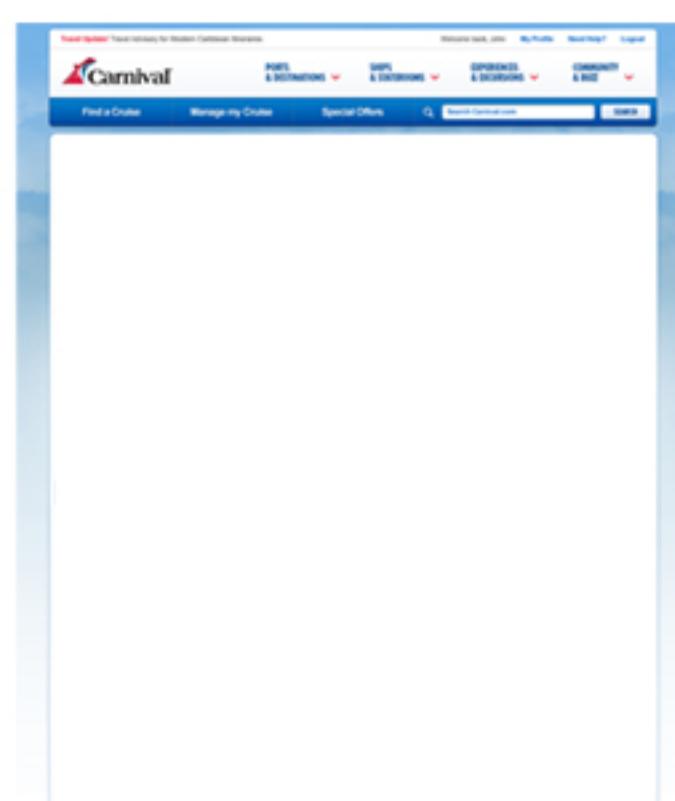
Static Search module

# GENERAL TEMPLATE PAGES

The carnival.com site is structured in many key pages which consist of several template layouts. Each layout template then accommodates content such as navigation elements and modules.



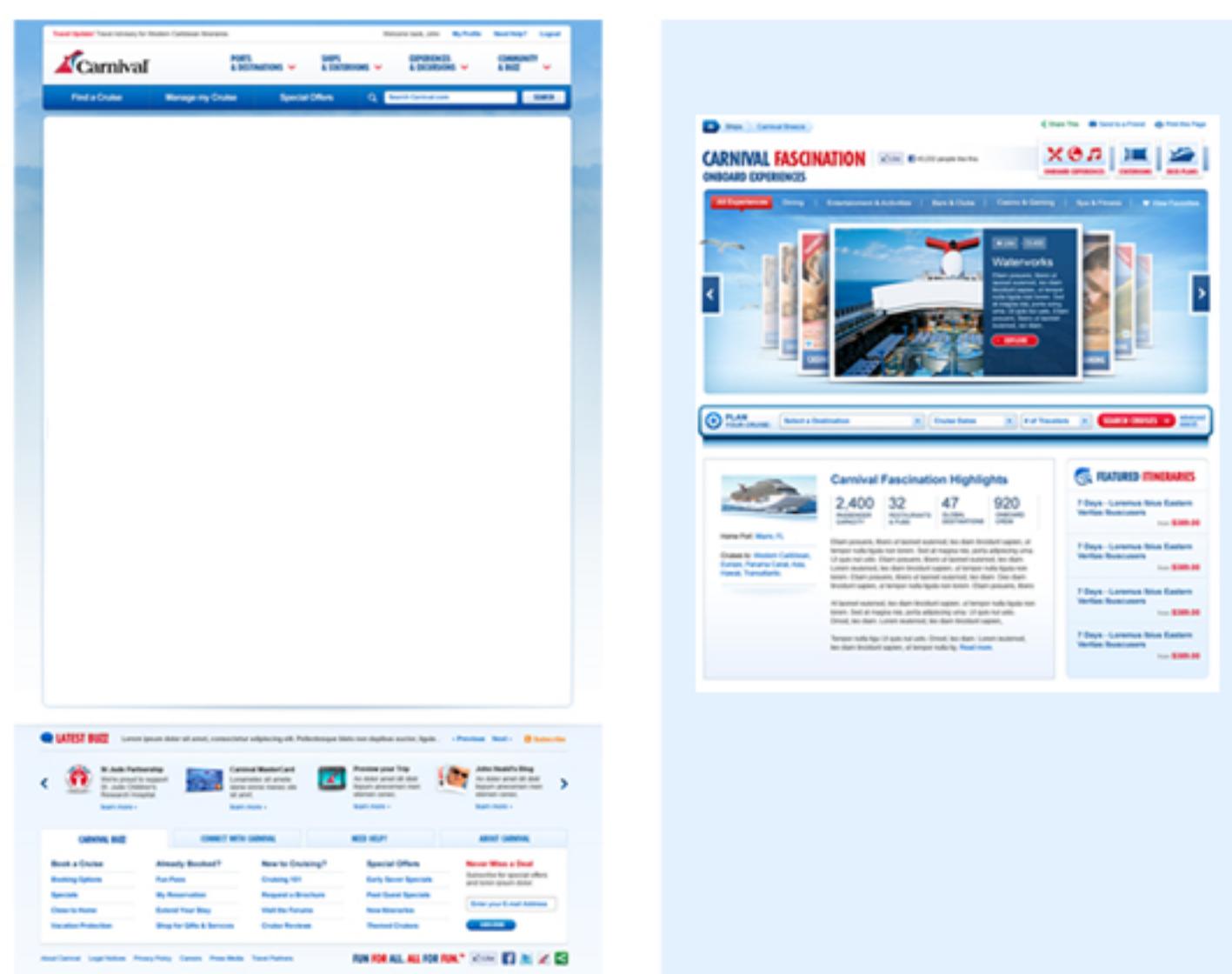
Page



Navigation Elements



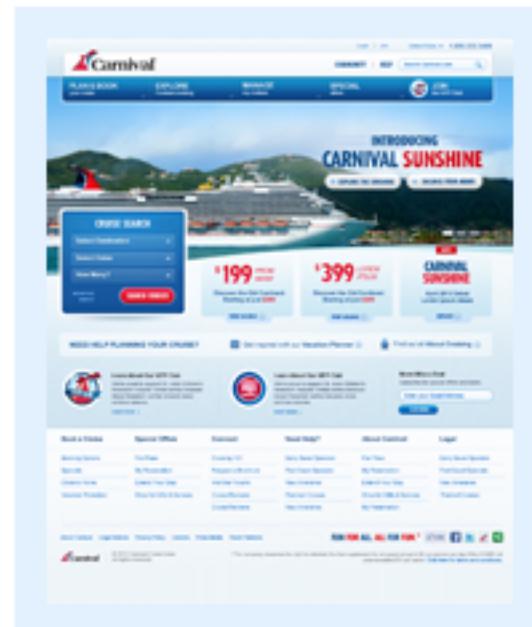
Page Template



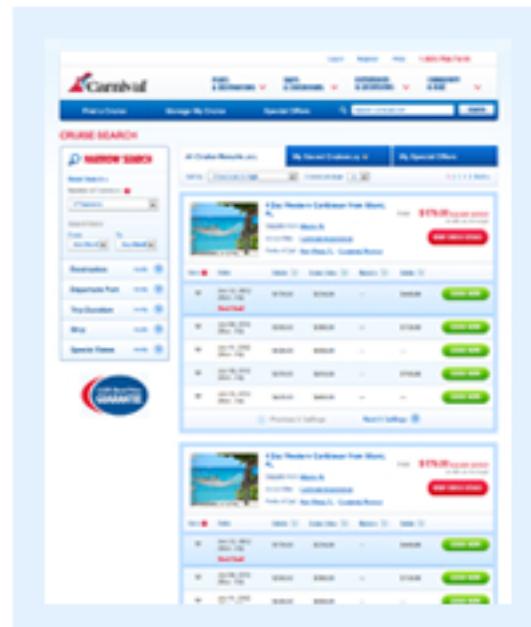
Misc. Modules

# GENERAL TEMPLATE PAGES

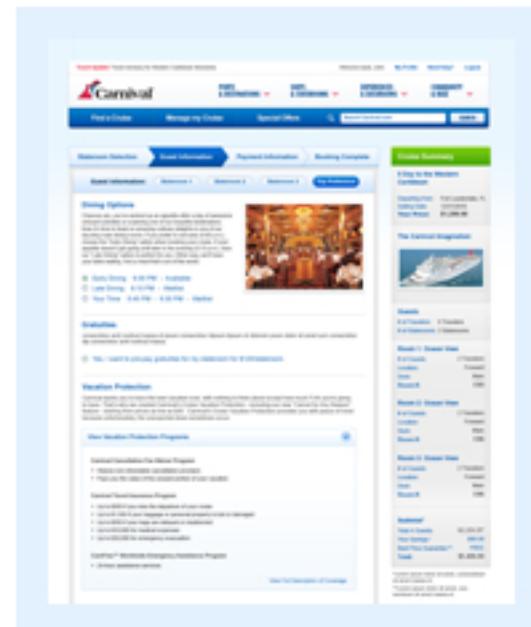
The carnival.com site is structured in many key sections which consist of many template pages, typically following the same layout. This section will offer a quick insight into the most important template pages.



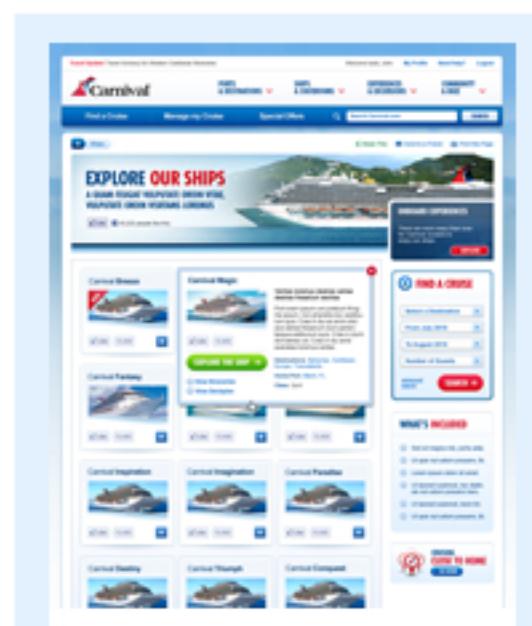
Home Page



Cruise Results



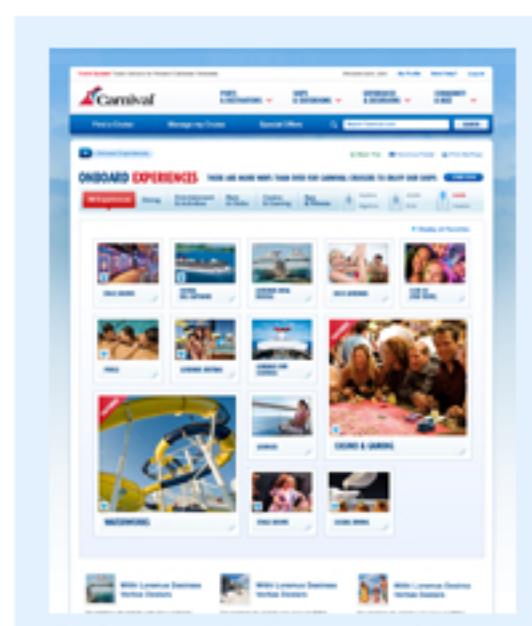
Booking Engine

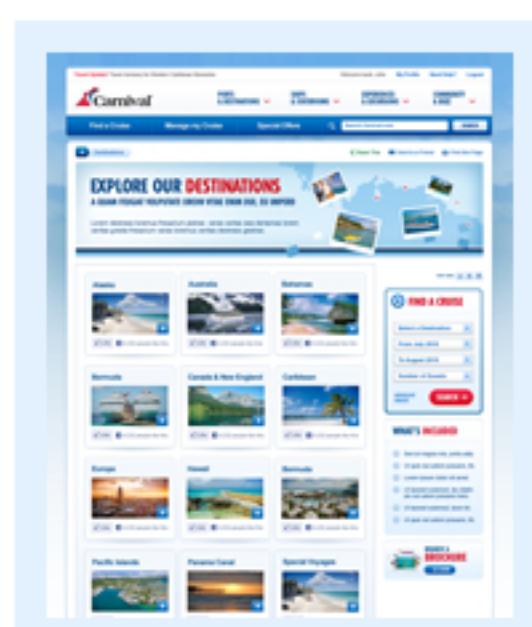


Ships - Landing



Ships - Individual


 Onboard Experiences  
Landing

 Onboard Experiences  
Individual

 Destinations  
Landing

 Destinations  
Individual

# SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

## Carnival.com Homepage

This page has been designed for a 1024 X 768 resolution or higher. On higher resolutions, the hero banner will expand to the left and right, while the page content remains always centered.

The screenshot shows the Carnival.com homepage with the following labeled elements:

- a** Main Site Navigation (top right, including Login, Join, United States dropdown, and phone number 1.800.232.3456)
- b** Main Hero Banner (center, featuring the 'INTRODUCING CARNIVAL SUNSHINE' cruise)
- c** Cruise Search Module (left sidebar, titled 'CRUISE SEARCH' with dropdowns for destination, dates, and passengers, and a 'SEARCH CRUISES' button)
- d** Three promotional spots for the 'CARNIVAL SUNSHINE' cruise (each with a price, starting date, and 'VIEW SAILINGS' button)
- e** Secondary Content (top right, including 'Get inspired with our Vacation Planner' and 'Find out all About Cruising')
- f** Secondary Content (bottom right, including 'Never Miss a Deal' with an email sign-up form)
- g** Footer (bottom, with links for Book a Cruise, Special Offers, Connect, Need Help?, About Carnival, Legal, and social media icons for Like, Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube)

980 pixels

a) Main Site Navigation ( for more detailed information, see previous sections. )

b) Main Hero Banner

c) Cruise Search Module.  
This element is expandable.

d) Three spots for promotional ads. They are to be contextual, but bitmap elements can also be used sporadically.

e) Useful Tools Bar

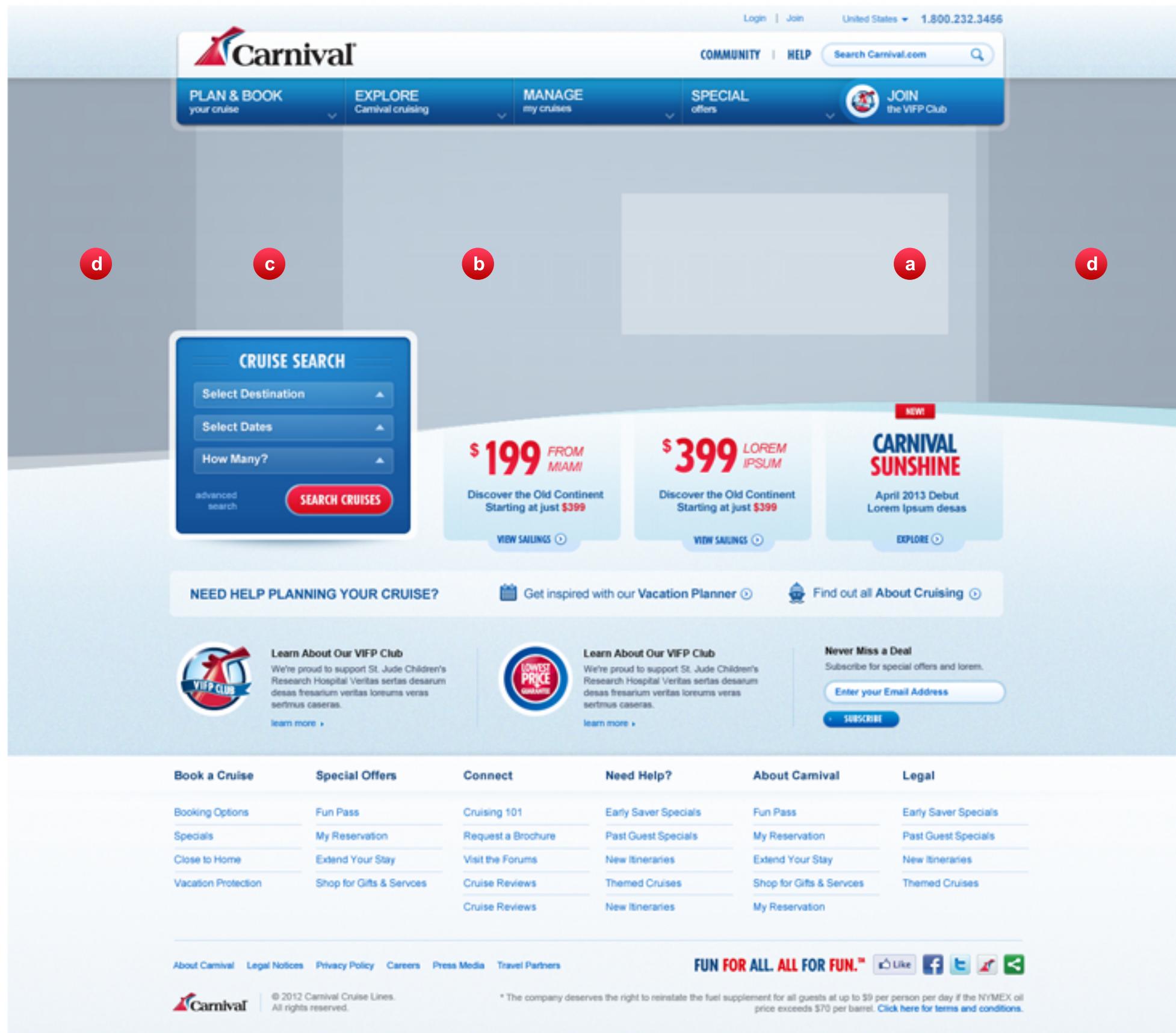
f) Secondary Content. Less prominent content goes here. It could focus on complementary information, for example.

g) Footer

# SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

## Carnival.com Homepage - Main Hero Treatments

The carnival.com home page layout revolves around the main hero banner central piece ( in gray below ). This hero banner area is reserved for high importance messages and promotional pieces. The page design allows for this hero area to expand horizontally on higher resolution display systems.



a) For clarity and legibility, it is preferable to have hero banner main copy limited to this area.

b) Hero banner image/graphic main real estate.

c) Hero banner image/graphic secondary real estate. Key elements within the hero banner piece should not appear in this area. The Cruise Search module has a collapsable functionality that should not cover important areas of the hero banner.

d) Hero banner image/graphic tertiary real estate. These areas will extend to the sides as display resolutions increase.

## SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

Carnival.com Homepage - Main Hero Treatments



### Hero Banner Examples

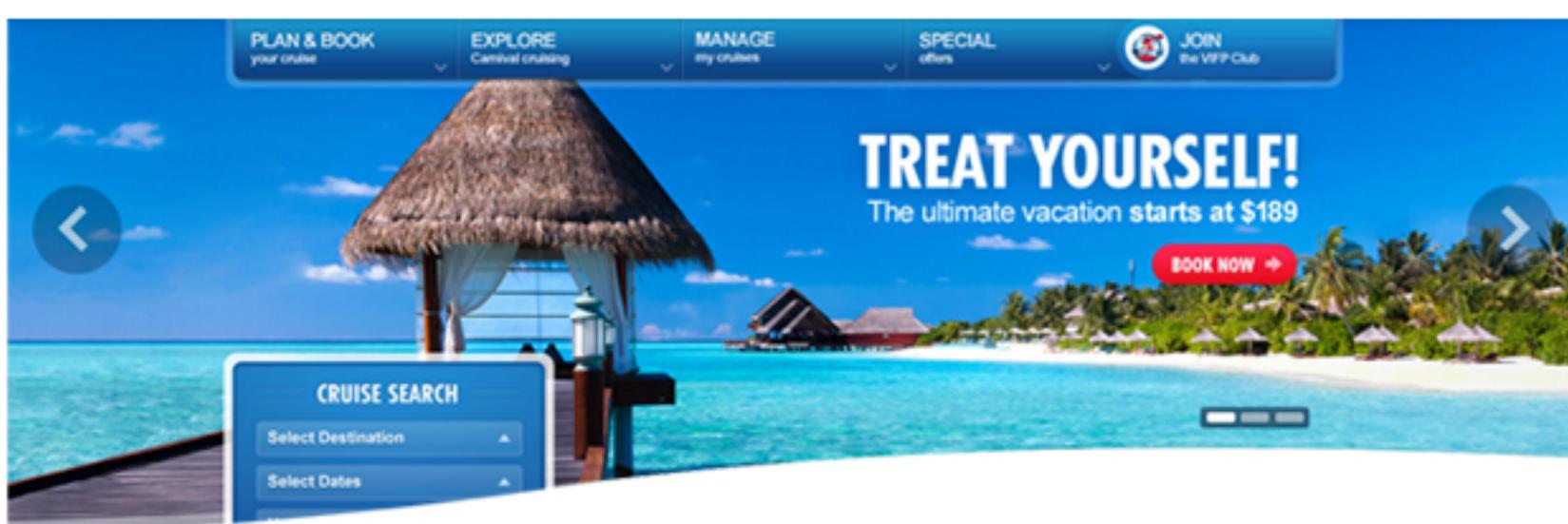
#### Regular Photography Color Text

Color text will be used within hero banners when the background image is light and allows for enough contrast.



#### Regular Photography White Text

White text will be used within hero banners when the background image is dark and allows for enough contrast.



#### Regular Photography White Text



### Infographic

# SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

## Booking Engine

This page has been designed for a 1024 X 768 resolution or higher.

**a** Main Site Navigation ( for more detailed information, see previous sections. )

**b** Sequential subnavigation.

**c** Previous steps for active sequential option, already filled out. These steps will present an accordion functionality

**d** Current step for active sequential option. These steps will present an accordion functionality

**e** Next steps for active sequential option. These steps will present an accordion functionality

**f** Cruise Summary, giving a clear breakdown of all elements being added up for a grand total price.

# SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

## Cruise Search/Results

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240 pixels

700 pixels

a) Main Site Navigation ( for more detailed information, see previous sections. )

b) Search and filtering system. Here, a user can perform a new search or modify the results already being shown from a previous search.

c) Tabs subnavigation to access all results, results favored in the past and special offers.

d) Sorting criteria for results being shown.

e) Search result main component.

f) Search result specific sailings ( Special Offer )

g) Search result specific sailings

h) Pagination controls

960 pixels

# SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

## Destinations - Landing

This page has been designed for a 1024 X 768 resolution or higher.

The screenshot shows the Destinations landing page with the following layout and components:

- Header:** Main Site Navigation (a), Breadcrumb (b), Hero Banner (c), Destinations Content Module (d), and a centered treatment (e).
- Content:** Destinations Content Module (d) showing cards for Alaska, Australia, Bermuda, Europe, Hawaii, Pacific Islands, Panama Canal, and Special Voyages. Each card includes a thumbnail, a 'Like' button, a count (13,400), and a '+'. The Australia card is expanded, showing a weather forecast (89°F, Mostly Cloudy), a detailed description, and buttons for 'VIEW ITINERARIES', 'Explore Australia', and 'View Ports'.
- Right Sidebar:** FIND A CRUISE search box (f), WHAT'S INCLUDED list (g), and REQUEST A BROCHURE button (h).
- Page Metrics:** A 700 pixels wide section at the bottom left and a 960 pixels wide section at the bottom right.

a) Main Site Navigation ( for more detailed information, see previous sections. )

b) Breadcrumb

c) Hero Banner with corresponding typography.

d) Destinations Content Module.

e) Expanded Destinations Content Module.

f) Find a Cruise Widget with border.

g) What's Included? Widget.

h) Promo Banner - Centered Treatment.

# SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

## Destinations - Individual

This page has been designed for a 1024 X 768 resolution or higher.

The screenshot shows the 'Destinations - Individual' page for the Western Caribbean on the Carnival website. The page layout includes:

- Header:** Main Site Navigation (a), Breadcrumb (b), Hero Banner (c), and a horizontal search module (e).
- Content Area:**
  - Hero Banner:** Displays a large image of a cruise ship in a port, with a search icon overlaid (d).
  - Map:** A map of the Caribbean region showing various ports (f).
  - Video:** A video player showing two women smiling (i).
  - Carousel:** A video carousel with five preview images (j).
  - Text and Buttons:** Includes a 'PLAN YOUR CRUISE' button, a search bar, and social sharing buttons.
  - Comments:** A section showing 14 comments and a 'Share with your friends' button.
  - Recent Activity:** A news feed with four items (g).
  - Interactive Elements:** A 'WHAT DO YOU THINK?' poll and a 'REQUEST A BROCHURE' button (h).
- Page Metrics:** Indicators for 700 pixels wide (bottom left) and 960 pixels wide (bottom right).

a) Main Site Navigation ( for more detailed information, see previous sections. )

b) Breadcrumb

c) Hero Banner with corresponding typography.

d) Multimedia Module - Gallery

e) Horizontal Search Module

f) Miscellaneous Module - Map

g) Promo Banner - Silo Treatment.

h) Promo Banner - Centered Treatment.

i) Multimedia Module- Video

j) Multimedia Module- Video Carousel

# SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

## Onboard Experiences - Landing

This page has been designed for a 1024 X 768 resolution or higher.

PLAN & BOOK  
your cruise

EXPLORE  
Carnival cruising

MANAGE  
my cruises

SPECIAL  
offers

JOIN  
the VIP Club

Onboard Experiences

ONBOARD EXPERIENCES | THERE ARE MORE WAYS THAN EVER FOR CARNIVAL CRUISERS TO ENJOY OUR SHIPS

All Experiences Dining Entertainment & Activities Bars & Clubs Casino & Gaming Spa & Fitness Daytime Nighttime Adults Kids Inside Outside

STAGE SHOWS CUCINA DEL CAPITANO LOREMUS DESA VERITAS DECK LOREMUS CLUB 02 (FOR TEENS)

POOLS LOREMUS DESTRAS

WATERWORKS

CASINO & GAMING

STAGE SHOWS CASUAL DINING

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The nighttime sky isn't the only place you'll find stars on your "Fun Ship" cruise. Day or night, you can find a spot on deck and check out Carnival's Seaside Theatre's huge outdoor screen. Watch the biggest stars shine in hit movies, sporting events and even cartoons for the kids.

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Debbie Garcia - Bloomfield Tech / Essex County Voc - Tech

23 · Like · Reply · Subscribe · Yesterday at 12:23pm

COMMENT

a) Main Site Navigation ( for more detailed information, see previous sections. )

b) Breadcrumb

c) Filtering System

d) OBX Content Module.

e) Expanded OBX Content Module.

960 pixels

# SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

## Onboard Experiences - Individual

This page has been designed for a 1024 X 768 resolution or higher.

**a**) Main Site Navigation ( for more detailed information, see previous sections. )

**b**) Breadcrumb

**c**) Filtering System

**d**) Hero Area with Content.

**e**) Multimedia Module - Gallery

**f**) Horizontal Search Module

**g**) Social Media Comments

**h**) Social Media Widget

# SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

## Ships - Landing

This page has been designed for a 1024 X 768 resolution or higher.

**a** Main Site Navigation ( for more detailed information, see previous sections. )

**b** Breadcrumb

**c** Hero Banner with corresponding typography.

**d** Ships Content Module.

**e** Expanded Ships Content Module.

**f** Find a Cruise Widget with border.

**g** What's Included? Widget.

**h** Promo Banner - Centered Treatment.

700 pixels

960 pixels

# SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

## Ships - Individual

This page has been designed for a 1024 X 768 resolution or higher.

The screenshot shows the Carnival website's Ships - Individual template page for the Carnival Fascination cruise ship. The page layout includes:

- Header:** Features the Carnival logo, main navigation (PLAN & BOOK, EXPLORE, MANAGE, SPECIAL), and a search bar.
- Breadcrumb:** Shows the current location: Ships > Carnival Fascination.
- Hero Banner:** Headlined "CARNIVAL FASCINATION" with subtext "ONBOARD EXPERIENCES". It features a large image of the ship's interior and a "Waterworks" section with a "Like" button and a preview of the feature.
- Navigation:** Includes links for All Experiences, Dining, Entertainment & Activities, Bars & Clubs, Casino & Gaming, Spa & Fitness, and View Favorites.
- Multimedia Module:** A "ONBOARD EXPERIENCES" gallery with images of various ship features.
- Content Module:** An "OBX Header" section with a "PLAN YOUR CRUISE" search bar.
- Search:** A horizontal search module with fields for "Select a Destination", "Cruise Dates", "# of Travelers", and a "SEARCH CRUISES" button.
- Itineraries:** A "FEATURED ITINERARIES" section listing four 7-day cruise packages from \$389.00.
- Comments:** A "Comments about Carnival Fascination" section with 6 comments, a "Discuss this event" input, and social sharing options.
- Call-to-Action:** A "CRUISING CLOSE TO HOME" button.

a) Main Site Navigation ( for more detailed information, see previous sections. )

b) Breadcrumb

c) Hero Banner with corresponding typography.

d) Hero Banner Navigation

e) Content Module - OBX Header

f) Horizontal Search Module

g) Featured Itineraries Widget

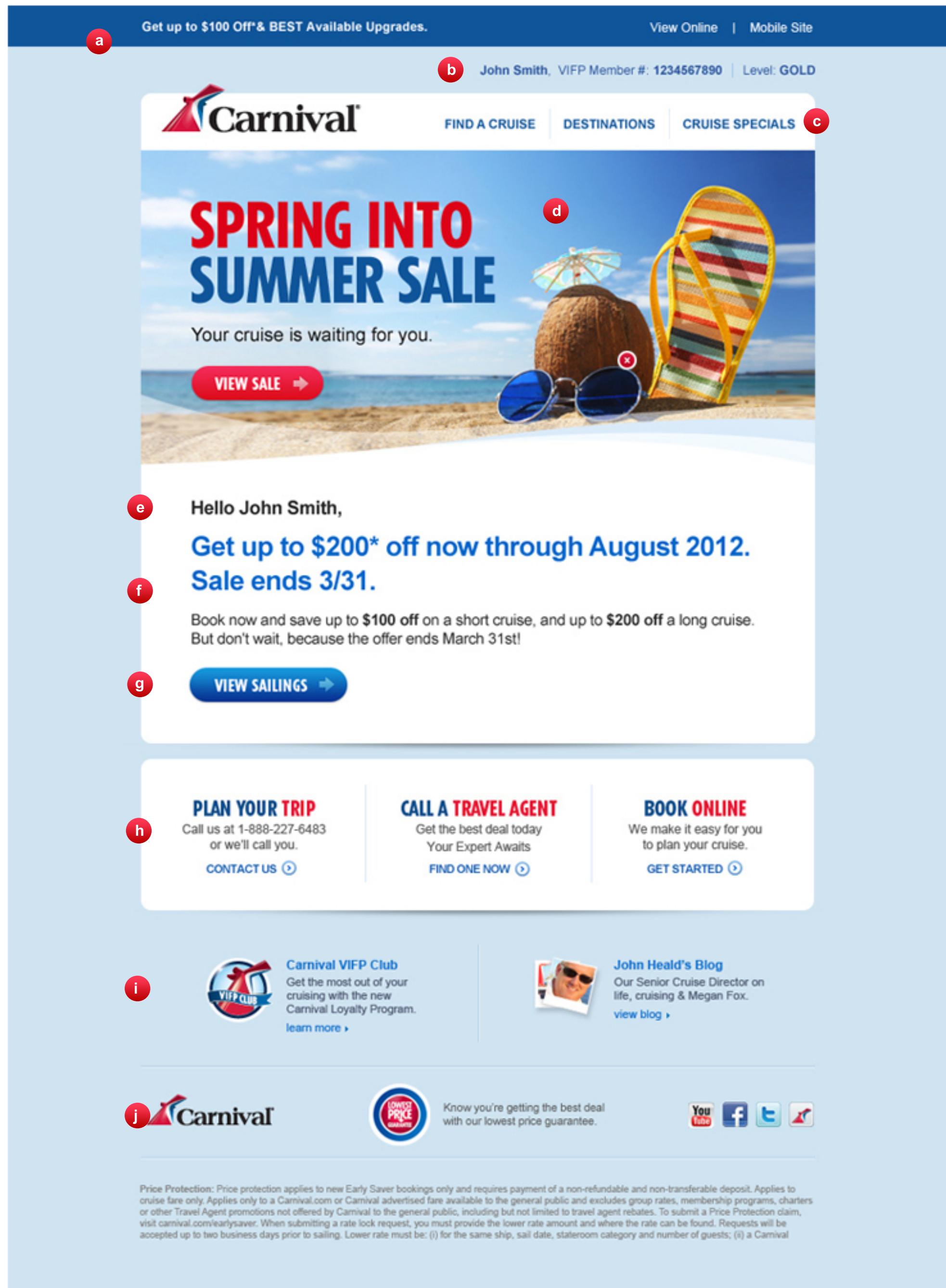
h) Social Media Comments

i) Promo Banner - SiloTreatment.

# SPECIFIC TEMPLATE PAGES

## Email Templates

This is the main email template currently used for most of Carnival email engagement programs. There are variations and older formats that could still be used in some cases. This example, however, is the new design and should always be referenced when creating an email piece.



The screenshot shows a promotional email from Carnival. The top navigation bar includes a 'Get up to \$100 Off\* & BEST Available Upgrades.' banner (a), a 'View Online' and 'Mobile Site' link, and a personalized greeting 'John Smith, VIFF Member #: 1234567890 | Level: GOLD' (b). The main content features a large 'SPRING INTO SUMMER SALE' banner (d) with a coconut cocktail and flip-flops, and a call-to-action 'VIEW SALE' button (e). The main message (f) is 'Hello John Smith, Get up to \$200\* off now through August 2012. Sale ends 3/31.' Below this, a promotional offer (g) states 'Book now and save up to \$100 off on a short cruise, and up to \$200 off a long cruise. But don't wait, because the offer ends March 31st!' The bottom section contains three call-to-action boxes: 'PLAN YOUR TRIP' (h), 'CALL A TRAVEL AGENT' (i), and 'BOOK ONLINE' (j). The 'BOOK ONLINE' box includes links to 'CONTACT US', 'FIND ONE NOW', and 'GET STARTED'. The 'CALL A TRAVEL AGENT' box features a photo of a travel agent and links to 'FIND ONE NOW' and 'GET STARTED'. The 'PLAN YOUR TRIP' box includes a photo of a cruise ship and links to 'CONTACT US' and 'GET STARTED'. The bottom of the email includes a 'Carnival VIFF Club' section (i) with a link to 'learn more', a 'John Heald's Blog' section (j) with a photo and a link to 'view blog', and a 'Lowest Price Guarantee' seal (k) with a link to 'Know you're getting the best deal with our lowest price guarantee.' The footer contains a link to 'Price Protection' and social media icons for YouTube, Facebook, Twitter, and LinkedIn.

- a) Secondary offer and navigation.
- b) Account information display
- c) Main email navigation
- d) Email hero banner - Main promo
- e) Personalized content head.
- f) Contextual promo/announcement. Email content body.
- g) Main CTA
- h) Secondary CTAs
- i) Secondary messaging.
- j) Misc. elements.

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