

PATAGONIA EXPLORER

5/7 Weeks Santiago to Buenos Aires/Rio de Janeiro

Chile - Argentina - Brazil



If it's something different you are after, then look no further. On this unique trip we discover the 'real Patagonia'. We take in Pucon and the Lake District, sail the Chilean fiords and cross the Magellan straits into Ushuaia and Tierra del Fuego, all before arriving in Torres del Paine National Park. From Torres del Paine we travel to the spectacular Moreno Glacier. Carrying on through the heart of the Pampas, our next port of call is Puerto Madryn and the Valdes Peninsula. We finish this amazing journey in the lively Argentinian capital of Buenos Aires. Heading north towards Brazil, we stop at El Palmer National Park and a Jesuit Mission before taking in the spectacular sight of Iguazu Falls. Crossing the border we enter the Vila Velha National Park and continue onto the beautiful coastal village of Parati. Here we find plenty of time to relax and have a chance to take a boat cruise around the islands. Our final drive is into Rio de Janeiro, where the real party begins. It's Carnival time!



HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDED IN TOUR PRICE

Santiago - Pucon - Chilean Fiords Cruise - Moreno Glacier - El Calafate - Torres del Paine National Park - Tierra del Fuego National Park - Ushuaia National Park - Valdes Peninsula - Buenos Aires - El Palmer National Park* - Jesuit Mission* - Iguazu Falls National Park* - Vila Velha National Park* - Parati* - Rio de Janeiro*

* 7 week Patagonia Explorer Tour Only

Itinerary

Week 1: Santiago - Pucon - Bariloche.
Week 2: Puerto Montt - Chilean Fiords - Puerto Natales - Rio Grande - Ushuaia.
Week 3: Tierra del Fuego - Punta Arenas - Torres del Paine.
Week 4: El Calafate - Moreno Glacier.
Week 5: Puerto Madryn - Valdes Peninsula - Buenos Aires.
Week 6*: El Palmer National Park - Jesuit Mission - Iguazu Falls National Park.
Week 7*: Vila Velha National Park - Parati - Rio de Janeiro

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TOUR CODE: SBA	
Start	Finish
Santiago	BA
30 Dec 06	02 Feb 07
15 Dec 07	18 Jan 08
03 Jan 09	06 Feb 09

TOUR CODE: BAS	
Start	Finish
BA	Santiago
07 Mar 07	10 Apr 07
20 Feb 08	25 Mar 08
11 Mar 09	14 Apr 09

TOUR CODE: RS	
Start	Finish
Rio	Santiago
21 Feb 07	10 Apr 07
06 Feb 08	25 Mar 08
25 Feb 09	14 Apr 09

TOUR CODE: SR	
Start	Finish
Santiago	Rio
30 Dec 06	16 Feb 07
15 Dec 07	01 Feb 08
03 Jan 09	20 Feb 09

WHAT'S INCLUDED

Accommodation: Camping and hotels
Meals: All meals whilst camping
Transport: Bukima vehicle - ferry - boat
 All road taxes and tolls
Staff: Tour Leader and Driver - local guides

what's not included

International flights, transfers and taxes
 Pre & post tour accommodation
 Spending money
Optional Extras: Please refer to page 49

PRICE

5 week Real Patagonia

Local Tour Payment: £275

7 week Patagonia Explorer

Local Tour Payment: £395

maximum group size: 20

Rio Carnival Package

Bukima offers a 5 Day Hotel accommodation package that coincides with Rio Carnival. Please contact us for current prices.

