

## NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC

# UPPER AMAZON

VENTURE INTO THE HEADWATERS OF THE MIGHTY RIVER

DISCOVER RARE WILDLIFE

REWARDING ENCOUNTERS WITH PEOPLE OF THE RIVER

EXPLORING PERU'S PACAYA-SAMIRIA RESERVE ABOARD *DELFIN II* | 2020-21 Nauta, PERU 4.51° S, 73.56° W

> Sailing against the surging Amazon, with wildness waiting around every bend. That's the exhilaration of discovery.

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# TWO WORLD WONDERS,

## ECUADOR



In Iquitos, embark the beautifully appointed, Delfin II, and explore the biodiversity and wonder of the Peruvian headwaters of the Amazon.

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Whether you choose Upper Amazon, Land of the Inca, or both, you'll begin and end your journey in lovely Lima, perched above the Pacific its historic center is a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Machu Picchu, standing in the midst of a tropical mountain forest in the Andes, is extraordinarily situated. With lodgings adjacent to the grounds of this World Heritage site, we'll serenely enjoy its gem-like setting. The verdant and temperate Sacred Valley, the 'breadbasket' of the Inca empire, supplied maize, and wealth to Cusco and Machu Picchu.



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Cusco, 11,000 feet above sea level, was named a UNESCO World Heritage site in 1983. The pre-Hispanic patterns and buildings that shaped the Imperial city of the Incas are visible today.

# ONE DIVERSE COUNTRY



In 2011, 100 million people worldwide elected the Amazon as one of the New Seven Wonders of Nature and four years prior, in 2007, global citizens voted Machu Picchu one of the New Seven Wonders of the World. Both are in the same fantastically diverse country: Peru. And now, you can choose to discover one or both—we offer two enriching itineraries in the region, and if you have the time, they can be effortlessly combined into one 16-night comprehensive land and river experience.

Our **Upper Amazon** voyage aboard the *Delfin II* focuses on the Pacaya–Samiria National Reserve—a pristine swath of jungle stretching more than five million acres, and harboring some of the Amazon's most diverse flora and fauna. Protean in form, this riverine region floods its banks, carves new tributaries, and then retreats to reveal inviting forest clearings and beaches—all in response to Andean snows. The Peruvian Amazon also offers us an unexpected highlight: time with the *ribereños* (traditional river people).



On our **Machu Picchu & Peru's Land of the Inca** adventure you'll progress from sea level, to the temperate Sacred Valley and descend to Machu Picchu, perched in the eyebrow of the jungle. At Machu Picchu's moderate elevation, you'll revel in the soaring vistas, the monumental stone terraces that climb like sinuous staircases to the mountaintops. And once fully acclimatized, you'll explore high-altitude Cusco, which like Rome or Athens is an imperial city, with its own exquisite architectural legacy.



# FALL UNDER THE SPELL OF THE WORLD'S MOST BIODIVERSE RAINFOREST

#### INCREDIBLE BIODIVERSITY



THE DRAMA OF THE PASSING SCENES. THE THRILL OF THE invisible. There's a sense of enchantment about being out on the Amazon, cruising clear water, stained black with tannins mirroring the sky. A source of life and wonder, the river is also a thoroughfare, with a passing fisherman in a carved dugout, a larger canoe with children on their way to school, and trees so close in these headwaters that you can reach out and touch them.

Actively explore it. Go on one or more outings each day following the lead of a naturalist. Hike, kayak, and explore via three nimble skiffs, custom-made to venture into the flooded forest where wildlife thrives. Eagle-eyed skiff drivers help us develop our jungle eyes-to find the elusive species that make the Amazon so fascinating. We might see pink and grey dolphins feeding while chattering terns dive for prey they've chased to the surface. Or in the brown-water tributaries, spot common squirrel monkeys, a yellow-handed titi; or perhaps a small group of shy monk saki monkeys will show themselves. Or find myriad bird species—like the motmot, striated herons, blue-and-yellow, and scarlet macaws, along with diverse kingfishers, flycatchers, weaverbirds, and more. And once the night curtain drops on a spectacular sunset, a symphony begins, more sonically lush and dense than the world's finest concert halls could contain.



For the afternoon we stayed out late to look for caimans. We found so much more. From a tropical screech owl to great potoo to two common potoos, one that let us get so close we could almost touch it. Oh yes, and both spectacle and black caiman were found. A great end to another awesome day exploring the Amazon Basin on board the Delfin II."

> LINDA BURBACK Naturalist/Certified Photo Instructor

# THE PERFECT BASE CAMP: DELFIN II

#### AS MUCH OF THE RIVER AS ON IT AND LOCALLY BUILT, DELFIN II'S

iron exterior is clad in tropical hardwoods, and her interior gleams with wood floors and lacquered palm ceilings. Wood stairs floating between decks, and lazily turning ceiling fans add the right tropical notes, while the AC invisibly cools and dehumidifies. The lounge, center of our life as an expedition community, features a welcoming open bar and inviting seating. The dining room is decorated with locally crafted lanterns, hanging over an impressive central buffet table, carved from a massive tree root found floating in the river and installed before the ship's windows were-three walls of windows keep us connected to the non-stop panorama outside. In fact, the prestigious Relais & Châteaux recently inducted the ship into its hotel group, recognizing its commitment to local nature, culture, and its exquisite Amazonian-Peruvian cuisine. And the airy, supremely comfortable cabins are the perfect ending to active days. Slip into bed, well-appointed with crisp, cotton linens, and drift off as you gaze out at the starry night through the generous, river-framing window wall. Our base for daily explorations, and to which we happily return, Delfin II has a distinct advantage over any land-based camp-she moves, giving you an ever-varied experience of the Amazon's multiple landscapes and wonders.

Please find cabin and ship details on page 24.

**66** Coming to the Amazon you need to be prepared in a lot of different ways. We're going into places that a lot of people never get to. We go up the Ucayali or the Marañón River and then get even farther into small tributaries, what they call blackwater streams which instead of carrying silt they're carrying tannins from the forest. It's fresh out here, the light is just golden. The temperature is perfect, it's effortless—you sit there comfortably with your binoculars and slow down and the Amazon is just wonderful."

> - CINDY MANNING Expedition Leader



# EXPERIENCE THE AMAZON WITH ALL YOUR SENSES

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**DINING ABOARD** 



MODERN PERUVIAN CUISINE IS A FUSION OF flavors, a meeting of tastes from the Inca and European, Asian, and African immigrants, all with an emphasis on what is available in this geographically diverse land. As you travel along the Amazon, you experience this internationally acclaimed cuisine (the first to earn a Cultural Heritage of the Americas award) from the comfort of a welcoming dining room, crafted by local artisans. Wake up to a rainbow of fresh-squeezed juices, experience seasonal ingredients relatively unknown outside the region—like the superfood camu camu and the tomato-like cocona—and end your night with chocolate placed on your pillow. Take the recipes back with you, too, as you'll have the opportunity to make ceviche, Peru's national dish, and a pisco sour, its national drink.

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## MEET EMPOWERED LOCAL ARTISANS & COMMUNITIES

#### THROUGH OUR PARTNERSHIP WITH INNOVATIVE NONPROFIT

Minga Peru, you have the chance to visit and support indigenous women who have developed a sustainable living creating beautiful handcrafts. See firsthand how Minga Peru, with the support of Lindblad-National Geographic travelers like you, has developed a network of local women leaders, known as *promotoras*, to empower their communities along the Pacaya-Samiria Reserve. Minga developed a successful radio program that broadcasts stories on the production and marketing of handcrafts, leading to a more sustainable living for countless artisans across the Marañón, Ampiyacu and Tahuayo rivers. Minga invites only Lindblad-National Geographic guests into these communities, giving you a highly personal opportunity to talk to these women and their families, and gain a deeper understanding of their day-to-day lives, and how their work has changed their fates. "Listening to the radio program Bienvenida Salud! has strengthened me and motivates me to continue working as an artisan. Now, I see the value that the artisan work has as an economic impact resource for my family. The visits from guests of Lindblad-National Geographic help us with the sales. This money helps me in many situations like when my son gets sick and I have to buy his medicine or when I need supplies to fix my little house. Being an artisan has helped me in every moment of my life, and that is why I feel proud."

#### -MAGALI TARICUARIMA NASHNATE

30-year-old mother of 4 from the San Francisco community in the Marañon River



#### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC EXPERT ELIANA ELIAS

Co-Founder and Executive Director of Minga Peru, National Geographic Grantee Eliana has worked for over two decades to change lives in the Peruvian Amazon through communications, women's leadership, and sustainable community development.

Travel with Eliana Jun. 6 & Sep. 19, 2020

Visit expeditions.com/minga to learn more.

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## OUR TEAM IS ACE AT DOING WHAT IT TAKES



#### BECAUSE YOU DESERVE AN EXCEPTIONAL EXPERIENCE,

our team will do whatever it takes—from posting a naturalist on the top deck at all times to scan the jungle for wildlife, hiking at your pace, offering a cooling swim in the river, to deploying kayaks to explore a narrow tributary. Our team has the knowledge and passion for the Amazon that will kindle yours. You'll explore under the expert guidance of a veteran expedition leader, eagle-eyed local naturalists, a Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor, and a wellness specialist. One naturalist for every ten guests and a spectrum of specialties—biology, ornithology, ichthyology, and lepidopterology—ensures a daily diversity of interest and personalities for you.



Since our naturalists were born in towns along the riverbanks and educated in schools in Iquitos, you'll enjoy an authentic connection to the people and the cultures of the region. Discover what it was like to have been a child here, or to have the Amazon as your cultural heritage.

## WHAT WILL YOU CREATE WITH LINDBLAD-NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC CERTIFIED PHOTO INSTRUCTORS TO ASSIST YOU?

#### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC PHOTOGRAPHY

#### WHILE YOU'RE EXPLORING THE AMAZON, YOU'LL HAVE THE

benefit of a Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor (CPI) at your side and at your service. He or she can help you with anything from camera settings to the basics of composition. Now, every guest—from iPhone camera users to advanced hobbyists—can stand side-by-side with skilled photographers, pick up tips in the field, and take great photos. Our CPIs are also trained naturalists, so they'll help you better understand wildlife behavior, too. Whether you're choosing a shutter speed to capture a monkey leaping between treetops in the jungle canopy or shooting a family portrait against a killer backdrop, in-the-moment tips from accomplished pros will help you get your best photos ever.





#### **AMAZON PHOTO EXPEDITIONS**

We add a National Geographic photographer the ones who shoot the magazine stories you know and love—to give photo enthusiasts an exclusive advantage on select departures.

JEFF MAURITZEN Mar. 7 & 14, 2020

KIKE CALVO Mar. 20 & 27, 2021

Visit expeditions.com/amazphoto to learn more about these National Geographic photographers.



# EXPLORE THE AMAZON & PERU— SO MUCH WILDNESS AND WONDER



# EXPLORING AMAZON & INCA

#### THE UPPER AMAZON IS HOME TO SOME OF THE GREATEST

mammalian, avian, flora, and fish diversity on Earth. It is among the planet's last remaining true wilderness and only accessible by ship. Go aboard the elegant riverboat *Delfin II*, built to sail into even the shallow reaches, and outfitted with three narrow skiffs that allow us to venture into the flooded forest where wildlife thrives. Visit villages along the river to meet the people of the reserve, see or buy their attractive handicrafts, and learn about their ways of life. Enjoy an authentic connection through your guides and skiff pilots, many who grew up in these villages.

Choose to focus on the Amazon over 10 days, with ample time to steep in its wildness and venture deep into this flooded forest preserve. Or take advantage of your proximity to explore another iconic Peruvian destination—Machu Picchu—on a well-curated and paced 8-day itinerary. Linger in the sanctuary late into the afternoon, plus explore the Sacred Valley of the Inca and experience the vitality of Inca and Peruvian culture in contemporary Lima and imperial Cusco.

#### **EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS**

Hike, kayak, and explore the wild flooded forest at the headwaters of the Amazon with expert local guides • See elusive wildlife, including pink river dolphins, monk saki monkeys, piranhas, and scarlet macaws
• Have mutually rewarding encounters with *ribereños*, natives of the reserve who continue to live close to their ancestral traditions • Discover incredible land-of-the-lost jungle flora including towering ceiba trees and gigantic lily pads amid lakes framed by dense rainforest • Walk through fabled Machu Picchu • Discover Cusco's varied influences and visit the Sacred Valley of the Inca

Visit expeditions.com/amazon for itinerary.

#### SET SAIL

Fly to lquitos and drive to the riverside village of Nauta to embark *Delfin II* and sail into the Amazon under a magnificent night sky.

#### PERU

From/To Lima

#### MEET WELCOMING PEOPLE

Interact with *ribereños*, the people who live on the banks of the river close to their traditions, and visit their communities to learn about sustainable farming, fishing, and handicraft production.

### GATEWAY CITY

Begin and end your adventure in Peru's thriving capital of Lima.

#### **NIGHTTIME EXPLORATION**

Slip through the forest in a skiff as night falls and the rhythms of wildlife slowdown and nocturnal creatures emerge.

#### **PANORAMIC GREEN**

Experience the tangle of mega-diverse trees, flowers, vines, and a profusion of vegetation from the forest floor to the jungle canopy.

#### **PROFUSION OF WILDLIFE**

See a profusion of birdlife, and search for rarities like jabiru storks, that stand taller than humans, prehistoric-looking hoatzin, and nocturnal insect-eating potoos.

## **ITINERARY: UPPER AMAZON ABOARD DELFIN II**

10 DAYS/9 NIGHTS—ABOARD DELFIN II FROM: \$7,410 (SEE PAGE 24 FOR DETAILS)

#### EXPEDITION DETAILS

2020 Dates: Mar. 7 , 14 , 21, 28; May 9, 16, 30; Jun. 6, 13, 20; Jul. 4, 11, 18; Sep. 19, 26; Oct. 3; Nov. 7, 14; Dec. 12, 19 2021 Dates: Jan. 16, 23, 30; Feb. 6; Mar. 6, 13, 20 , 27 , 14; May 1, 8, 15, 29; Jun. 5, 12, 19; Jul. 3, 10, 24, 31; Aug. 7, 14; Oct. 30; Nov. 6, 13; Dec. 25

Photo Expeditions
Limited Availability

#### SPECIAL OFFER:

- Book by Mar. 31, 2020 and receive FREE ROUND-TRIP AIRFARE between Lima/Iquitos on select 2020 departures.
- Book by Mar. 31, 2020 and save 10% when you combine your Upper Amazon voyage with an expedition to Galápagos. Or, save 10% when combining Upper Amazon with Machu Picchu & Peru's Land of the Inca.
   For additional offer details, see page 25 or call.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1:	U.S./Lima, Peru
Day 2:	Lima/Iquitos/Nauta/Embark
Day <mark>3-8</mark> :	Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve
Day 9:	Disembark/Nauta/Iquitos/Lima
Day 10:	Lima/U.S.

Visit expeditions.com/Amazon for a sample day-by-day itinerary. Or call to speak with an Expedition Specialist.

#### AMAZON EXPLORATION

Thrill at navigating the mighty river. Kayak and take narrow, nimble skiffs into the canopy-covered tributaries that appear as the water level rises, then disembark to explore the jungle on foot.

#### PERU

#### LIMA DAY 1 / DAY 8

Arrive in Lima, Peru's thriving capital. Upon your return, celebrate with a private farewell lunch and discover the pre-Columbian treasures at the Larco Museum.

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#### MACHU PICCHU & PERU'S LAND OF THE INCA

## ITINERARY: MACHU PICCHU & PERU'S LAND OF THE INCA

### 8 DAYS/7 NIGHTS LAND EXCURSION

FROM: \$6,070

(SEE PAGE 24 FOR DETAILS)

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

DATES: 2020-2021: Year-round, weekly departures.

#### **SPECIAL OFFER:**

- Book by Mar. 31, 2020 and save 10% when you combine your Peru & Machu Picchu Land of the Inca voyage with an expedition to the Upper Amazon.
- For additional offer details, see page 25 or call.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1	U.S. / Lima, Peru
Day 2	Lima / Cusco / Sacred Valley of the Inca
Day 3	Sacred Valley of the Inca
Day 4	Sacred Valley / Machu Picchu
Day 5	Machu Picchu / Cusco
Day 6	Cusco
Day 7	Cusco / Lima
Day 8	Lima / U.S.
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Visit expeditions.com/peru for a day-by-day itinerary. Or call to speak with an Expedition Specialist.

#### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC GUEST SPEAKER

Gain insight from National Geographic Grantee, Peter Frost, or a colleague on our departures.

#### SACRED VALLEY & MACHU PICCHU DAYS 2-5

Spend two nights in the Sacred Valley. Watch twilight descend on Machu Picchu after the crowds have disappeared and overnight at the historic Belmond Sanctuary Lodge.

Fly From/To Cusco

Fly From/To Lima

#### CUSCO DAYS 6-7

Explore the rich culture and heritage of Cusco and surroundings from our base in the colonial center of this Inca imperial city.

## THERE'S MORE TO EXPLORE— DISCOVER OTHER NATURAL & CULTURAL TREASURES

MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR TRAVEL TIME IN SOUTH AMERICA BY ADDING another capital of wildness to your itinerary, or an excursion into archeology. Explore the otherworldly Galápagos Islands and discover a vastly different wilderness in this volcanic archipelago amid white-sand beaches and active, highly visible wildlife that has no instinct to flee humans. Or, choose a deep steep in Machu Picchu and Peru's Land of the Inca on our well-paced itinerary. Throughout, you'll go with top experts and local guides, and we'll ensure a seamless connection to or from your expedition. Plus, you'll save 10% on each voyage when combining expeditions with the Amazon.

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## **ADD GALÁPAGOS**

#### 18 DAYS/17 NIGHTS-ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ENDEAVOUR II AND DELFIN II

#### FROM: \$14,580 (SEE PAGE 24 FOR DETAILS)

Seamlessly link your Upper Amazon expedition with a voyage to Galápagos aboard the *National Geographic Endeavour II*. Refined over 50+ years in the region, our classic 10-day Galápagos expedition is a deeply rewarding immersion in the archipelago's magic. Explore the islands, terrain, and wildlife—as well as the vibrant life of Galápagos' ocean, an integral part of our explorations. Hike, paddleboard, kayak, and snorkel. Share the beach with sea lions, hike in the highlands among giant tortoises, and see all of the islands' strange and wonderful wildlife.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

- Day 1 Depart U.S./Guayaquil, Ecuador
- Day 2 Guayaquil/Galápagos/Embark
- Day 3-8 Galápagos aboard National Geographic Endeavour II
- Days 9 Galápagos/Disembark/Guayaquil
- Day 10-17 As per Upper Amazon itinerary on page 19
- Day 18 Lima/U.S.



Visit expeditions.com/gala for a full day-by-day itinerary.

## ADD MACHU PICHU & PERU'S LAND OF THE INCA

#### 16 DAYS/15 NIGHTS—A LAND + RIVER EXPEDITION ABOARD DELFIN II

#### FROM: \$13,480 (SEE PAGE 24 FOR DETAILS)

See daybreak over the ruins of the fabled city of Machu Picchu from the Sun Gate and then descend into the city to explore up close. Stay at the only lodge located within the wildlife preserve that surrounds the sanctuary to enjoy views of the famed archaeological site long after day-tripping crowds have departed. Plus, take time to explore the massive lnca stone fortress of Ollantaytambo, experience contemporary and imperial Cusco, and discover the pervasive vitality of Inca culture.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1	U.S./Lima, Peru				
Day 2	Lima/Cusco/Sacred Valley				
Day 3	Sacred Valley of the Inca				
Day 4	Sacred Valley/Machu Picchu				
Day 5	Machu Picchu/Cusco				
Day 6	Cusco				
Day 7	Cusco/Lima				
Day 8	Lima/Iquitos/Nauta/Embark				
Day 9-14	Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve				
Day 15	Disembark/Nauta/Iquitos/Lima				
Day 16	Lima/U.S.				

Visit expeditions.com/peru for a full day-by-day itinerary.





## DELFIN II

CAPACITY: 28 guests in 14 outside suites. REGISTRY: Peru. OVERALL LENGTH: 120 feet.

PUBLIC AREAS: With sweeping views, public areas include an airconditioned presentation room, open-air lounge and bar up top, and dining room with a 270-degree panorama. With a small library, exercise room and spa. Open bridge, where you are welcome to visit and watch the river go by.

MEALS: The air-conditioned dining room's large windows provide panoramic views. Beautifully prepared meals are served in a single seating with unassigned tables. Often special dishes will include sustainable products of the rain forest and sauces made with exotic regional fruits.

SUITES: Elegant, air-conditioned guest suites on the Main and Upper Decks all offer exceptional vistas. Each spacious suite has a minimalist décor with a luxurious overtone.

EXPEDITION EQUIPMENT: 10-person skiffs—with individual seat cushions and plenty of leg room. Fleet of safe, nimble kayaks for up-close, personal exploration. Rain ponchos are kept handy in the skiffs. Rubber boots are provided when needed.

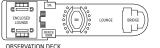
SUITES: UPPER & MAIN DECK #1-6; 11-14 — Most suites have two twin beds which can convert to a king. Some suites can be connected for families traveling together. Each includes a large view window,

a closet, easy chair and desk. Bathrooms include a large shower, separate toilet and sink area. Suites 4/6 and 3/5 are available as interconnecting.

MASTER SUITES: UPPER & MAIN DECK #7, 8, 15, 16 -

The Master Suites feature all of the amenities listed above plus oversized windows which provide incredible 90-degree views. The Master Suites on the Main Deck and Upper Deck feature two twin beds which can convert to a kina.

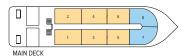
SOLO OCCUPANCY & SHARED ACCOMMODATIONS: Due to the limited number of cabins available, solo occupancy and shares are on a request basis only; please call for availability and rates.



/ indicates adjoining cabins

BSERVATION DECK





Prices are per person, double occupancy.								
ITINERARY	YEAR	SUITE	MASTER SUITE	ADVANCE PAYMENT	NOTE			
Upper Amazon: Exploring Peru's Pacaya-Samiria Reserve — Pages 18-19								
Upper Amazon: Exploring Peru's	2020	\$7,410	\$8,850	\$750	International and internal Peru tickets must be issued separately for all Amazon voyages. Sample International Airfares: Round-trip Miami/Lima/Miami: Economy from \$530; Business from \$1,200. Sample Internal Airfare: Lima/Iquitos/Lima: From \$440.			
Pacaya-Samiria Reserve	2021	\$7,550	\$8,990	\$1,000				
Upper Amazon: Exploring Peru's	Dec. 29, 2020	\$8,520	\$9,760					
Pacaya-Samiria Reserve Holiday	Dec. 25, 2021	\$8,650	\$9,890					
Machu Picchu & Peru's Land of the Inca + Upper Amazon – Pages 20-21								
Machu Picchu & Peru's Land of the Inca	2020	\$13,480	\$14,920	\$1,500	International and internal Peru tickets must be issued separately for all Amazon voyages. Sample International Airfares: Round-trip Miami/Lima/Miami: Economy from \$530; Business from \$1,200. Sample Internal Airfare: Lima/Cusco/Lima: From \$435. Lima/Iquitos/ Lima From \$440.			
+ Upper Amazon	2021	\$13,750	\$15,190					
Machu Picchu & Peru's Land of the Inca	Dec. 19 & 27, 2020	\$15,340	\$16,580					
+ Upper Amazon Holiday	Dec. 17, 2021	\$15,470	\$16,710					
Galápagos + Upper Amazon – Page 23	2020-2021 Back-to-back expeditions combining Galápagos + Upper Amazon are available on a number of 2020-2021 dates. Please call for rates.							

Prices quoted in this brochure are valid as of the time of printing, are subject to modification, and are not guaranteed until booking and required deposit are made. For current rates and details visit expeditions.com, call an Expedition Specialist, or your Travel Advisor. For best pricing book early.

#### PRIVATE CHARTER: SHARE THE AMAZON WITH YOUR FRIENDS & FAMILY

Imagine sharing the lovely *Delfin II* with your nearest and dearest. On a private charter, you can. Our expedition team—veteran expedition leader, naturalists, Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor and local guides—and superb hotel staff are exclusively at your service. Whether it's celebrating a milestone event with friends, or gathering the clan, our Charter Concierge will help you orchestrate your ideal expedition. Group arrangements are also available. For information, please contact Karen Kuttner-Dimitry, Vice President of Sales, at 1-800-783-6656 x 1030, or via email karenk@expeditions.com.

#### INCLUSIVE PRICING MEANS VALUE + EXPERIENCES

We include just about everything you have the opportunity to do as part of your expedition aboard ship and ashore. The only things not included are those of a personal nature—internet usage, wellness treatments and other specialized arrangements.

#### MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR TIME IN THE REGION AND SAVE 10%

When you combine your Upper Amazon voyage with Galapagos or Machu Picchu & Peru's Land of the Inca.

#### FREE ROUND-TRIP AIR

Book by Mar. 31, 2020 and receive free roundtrip airfare between Lima/Iquitos on select 2020 Upper Amazon departures. Valid for new bookings made by Mar. 31, 2020. Complimentary air is based on economy group flights and must be ticketed by Lindblad Expeditions. Not applicable on extensions.

#### **ABOARD SHIP**

- $\checkmark\,$  All meals, and non-alcoholic beverages
- ✓ Cappuccinos, lattes & complimentary refillable water bottle
- ✓ 24-hour coffee, tea & soda
- ✓ Hors d'oeuvres & snacks during recap
- ✓ Sauna & Fitness Center
- ✓ Fully stocked library
- $\checkmark~$  The guidance and company of our expedition staff

#### ASHORE

- ✓ Meals on land, as indicated in itinerary
- ✓ Special access permits, park fees,
- port taxes
- ✓ Transfers to and from group flights✓ The expertise of our expedition staff

#### ACTIVITIES

- ✓ All shore activities
- ✓ Skiff and kayak explorations
- ✓ Snorkeling, including wetsuits, masks, fins
- ✓ Lectures & presentations in the lounge

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#### **RESERVATION INFORMATION**

Terms & Conditions: For complete terms and conditions please visit www.expeditions.com/terms

**Costs Include:** All accommodations aboard ship or in hotels per itinerary or similar, all meals and non-alcoholic beverages aboard ship, meals on land as indicated, air transportation where indicated as included, shore excursions, sightseeing and entrance fees, special access permits, transfers to and from group flights, use of kayaks (where available), tips (except to ship's crew), taxes and service charges, services of a ship physician, and services of our expedition staff.

**Not Included:** Air transportation (except where shown as included), extensions, passport, visa, immigration fees, meals not indicated, travel protection plan, items of a personal nature such as alcoholic beverages, internet access, voyage DVD, laundry. Gratuities to ship's crew are at your discretion.

**Airfare:** For all programs, airfare is an additional cost unless otherwise indicated. Sample airfares are subject to change. We will gladly assist in making your air arrangements for a \$50 per person service fee.

**Reservations:** To reserve your place, an advance payment is required at the time of reservation. A per-person deposit begins at \$750 and is dependent upon itinerary.

**Final Payment:** Payment is due 120 days prior to departure. Payment schedules may vary for certain longer voyages, due to high demand for these voyages. We reserve the right to cancel your reservation if payment has not been received by final payment due date.

**Travel Protection Plan:** We strongly recommend that you take advantage of our Travel Protection Plan. This plan offers comprehensive coverage to protect you from cancellation fees, costs incurred due to trip delays/interruption, medical assistance, and damaged or lost baggage, and provides medical assistance and evacuation during your travels. Our Travel Protection Plan is available for U.S. residents only, and may be purchased any time prior to final payment due date. If you are not satisfied for any reason, you may return your plan within 10 days after purchase. Your premium will be refunded if canceled within 10 days, provided you have not already departed on the trip or filed a claim. When so returned, the coverage under the plan is void from the original date of purchase.

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