



Ecuador declares Galápagos a National Park on the centennial of Darwin's Origin of Species



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The first modern survey of the birds of Galápagos published, with fieldwork sponsored by Lindblad



1978 Galápagos inscribed as first-ever UNESCO World Heritage site



Galápagos Marine Reserve designated—with GCF grants for patrol boats, a biodiversity study, and a fisheries catch monitoring program



Galápagos Marine Reserve included in the UNESCO World Heritage site designation



Two new initiatives roll out, showing dual focus on people and places: Seafood for Thought, supporting sustainable fisheries; and Artisan Fund, supporting local communities



Lindblad Expeditions-National Geographic Fund established Since 1997 guests aboard our ships in Galápagos have donated \$7.6 million to support conservation, education, 2011 research and community development initiatives throughout the archipelago Geographic launches



Grosvenor Teacher Fellow program



**CELEBRATING** 

Fleet of stand-up paddleboards added to tools for exploration

In addition to ongoing projects, LEX-NG Fund earmarks \$50,000 in small grants for community projects

#### 1967 Lars-Eric Lindblad leads the first international tourist expedition to the Galápagos Islands





100-guest Romantica and 10-guest Golden Chachalote chartered—inaugurating the

the islands with Lindblad



tradition of two different ways of experiencing

The Lindblad Explorer

debuts in Galápagos



Galápagos Conservation Fund (GCF) launches with the arrival of Lindblad's first year-round ship



2000 Our name becomes Lindblad Expeditions Undersea specialists join our expedition



all introduced mammals later eradicated from Isla Isabela and other large islands



Lindblad Expeditions and National Geographic Society form strategic alliance 48-guest Islander launches

(rechristened National Geographic Islander in 2007)



2009 Charles Darwin Foundation celebrates its 50th anniversary



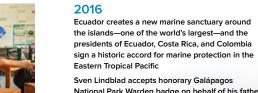
Expedition Photography

program with National

2010 Guests start visiting the Tomás de Berlanga School, a local education project supported by the LEX-NG Fund

FOR A COMPLETE CHRONOLOGY

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National Park Warden badge on behalf of his father National Geographic Endeavour II launches



LINDBLAD EXPEDITIONS: A PARTNER IN GALÁPAGOS CONSERVATION | 1967-2017

## DEAR TRAVELER,

Many people who choose to visit Galápagos plan their voyage, from several months to a year in advance. Nice way to build anticipation, but not necessary. Because Galápagos really lends itself to spontaneity; on any day you could wake up at home, decide to go, and hop on a Friday or Saturday flight to Ecuador—on your way to a exhilarating week in the Galápagos on one of our two ships, the *National Geographic Endeavour II* or the *National Geographic Islander*.

Ecuador is surprisingly close—just 4 hours from Miami, and yet Galápagos is very far from any experience most people can imagine.

It's a wild and spectacular place, and we are most excited to share it with you during our 50th anniversary, a particularly celebratory year to join us. But I warn you to "Eat your Wheaties," if you want to take advantage of the myriad daily possibilities. From hiking to snorkeling, kayaking or even paddleboarding, this is an action-packed expedition, with down time only if you want it. (And hammocks and a wellness spa for treatments, if that's your choice).

We genuinely believe that everyone with even an ounce of interest in wildlife or natural history should make their pilgrimage here at some point.

And if you choose to go with us, I wholeheartedly believe you have made the right choice. While geography belongs to everyone, the perspective that will enrich your experience, well that's another matter entirely.

Please look through these pages, and hopefully you will agree that Galápagos, with us, is a good idea—whether you plan it or simply get up and go.



SEE THE TIMELINE ON THE INSIDE COVER TO LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR 50 YEARS IN GALÁPAGOS

Ships' registry: Ecuador

## ALWAYS SOMETHING INTERESTING GOING ON

There's never a dull moment in Galápagos. None of the endemic species migrate, so you're assured of seeing life in full swing whenever you choose to travel. There's always fascinating behavior to observe and learn about—courtship, nesting, raising young, feeding, defending territory and more. And because Galápagos' creatures don't fear humans, you'll have a rare experience of closeness with the animals—literally and figuratively. You could visit Galápagos 50 times, as Sven Lindblad has, and see something new each time. Travel with us, and our 50 years of experience guarantees you exciting opportunities every day.













Left: Galápagos sea lions on Española Island with National Geographic Endeavour II in the distance. This page, clockwise from top: swimming Galápagos penguins; endemic land iguana; Galápagos tortoise; Sally Lightfoot crab; downy great frigatebird chick.

## EVERY EXPEDITION IS AN OCCASION

OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GALÁPAGOS DATES BACK 50 YEARS. WE'VE BEEN involved with the people who work tirelessly to protect this place since Lars-Eric Lindblad brought the first citizen explorers on his pioneering 1967 expedition. When you travel with us you're a part of something larger, and you're connected to interesting people doing interesting things. And, there's always something special going on. Here are some specific examples and dates:



## **ARTIST IN RESIDENCE**

Amy Wright, an accomplished scientific illustrator and public arts muralist, will be aboard *National Geographic Islander* to teach drawing. Do field studies of Galápagos animals, and learn the fine points from a master. All levels welcome. *Sep. 16 & 23, 2017* 



## SPECIAL GUEST: MICHAEL JACKSON



Michael Jackson is the author of the popular *Galápagos: A Natural History*, and a leader representing the AAAS and Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Honor Society groups aboard *National Geographic Endeavour II*. Originally from Kent, England, Jackson first came to the islands almost 40 years ago as a naturalist guide, and returned

soon after as a zoologist with the 1982 Cambridge Darwin Centenary Galápagos Expedition. *Dec. 8, 2017* 

# GROSVENOR TEACHER FELLOWS ABOARD

The LEX-NG Fund supports the Grosvenor Teacher Fellow program, which brings 35 exemplary K-12 teachers into the field every year. In 2017, five *National Geographic Endeavour II* departures will host these educators. Choose to travel on the dates below, and you'll share the adventure with a Fellow, and learn about the importance of geographic literacy and how each will bring back—to their home classrooms, colleagues, and communities—what they learn during this professional development experience. A Grosvenor Teacher Fellow is aboard these departures: *Jun. 2, 9; Aug. 25; Sep. 15, 22, 2017* 



Join Jeopardy! host Alex Trebek and the Clue Crew when they return to Galápagos with us aboard National Geographic Endeavour II. Oct. 6, 2017



**>>>** FOR MORE INFORMATION: **EXPEDITIONS.COM/GALA50** 

# EXCLUSIVELY OURS: GALÁPAGOS PHOTO EXPEDITIONS

#### **IN 2017**

Our popular **Epic Galápagos Photo Expedition** returns with a new dimension: **the undersea**. Now, in addition to exploring every major island, photographers can dive and capture the vivid Galápagos undersea. Travel with an all-star roster of NG photographers: **Brian Skerry, Michael Melford, Jennifer Davidson, Krista Rossow, Ralph Lee Hopkins**. Aboard *National Geographic Endeavour II. Nov. 24; Dec. 1, 2017,* or the 17-Day epic experience. *Nov. 24-Dec. 10, 2017* 

### **IN 2018**

NEW! Rainforest, Andes & Islands Photo Expedition: Ecuador & Peru Under the leadership of Ralph Hopkins, this photo expedition provides a full curriculum of mind-expanding photo ops in 3 locations: Quito & Mashpi Ecuador; Galápagos; and Machu Picchu & Peru's Land of the Inca. May 7 (Mashpi Pre); May 11 (Galápagos); May 19 (Peru Post), 2018

HEADS UP: Have you seen *Planet Earth II*? Don't miss the opportunity to travel with principal filmmaker, National Geographic photographer, and National Geographic Emerging Explorer, **Sandesh Kadur**. Learn about making movies in Darwin's Galápagos, pick up tips as you learn to shoot better video. *Jun. 1, 9, 201*8

**NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC** 

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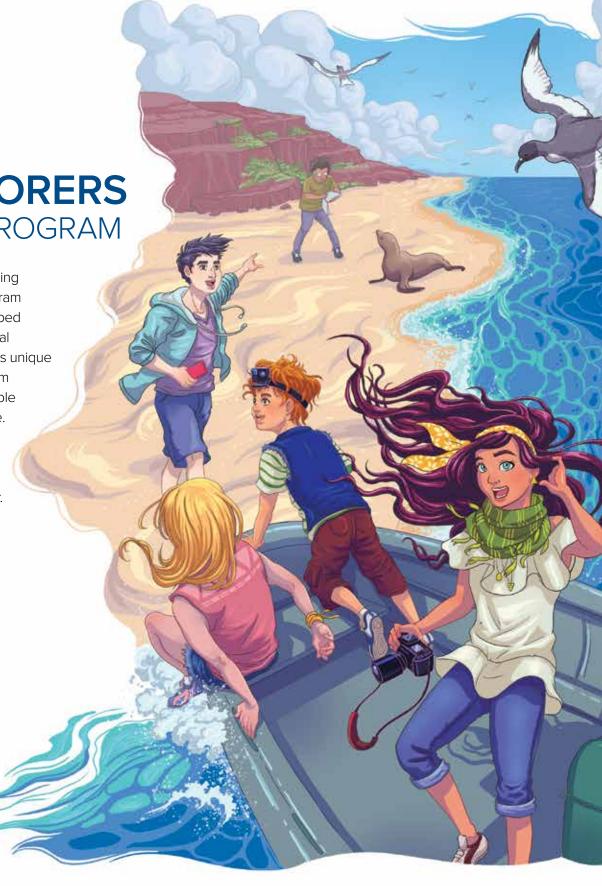




In June 2017 we're launching a new kids and teen program in the Galápagos! Developed in conjunction with National Geographic Education, this unique exploration-based program will provide an unforgettable

and engaging Galápagos learning experience. Kids and teens will choose from a range of activities and experiences, each designed to help them develop the attitudes, skills, and knowledge of a National Geographic explorer. Guests under 18 (and their families) will:

- ✓ Benefit from National Geographic certified field educators on every departure
- ✓ Become a storyteller
- ✓ Connect with nature and learn the skills of a field scientist
- ✓ HAVE FUN!
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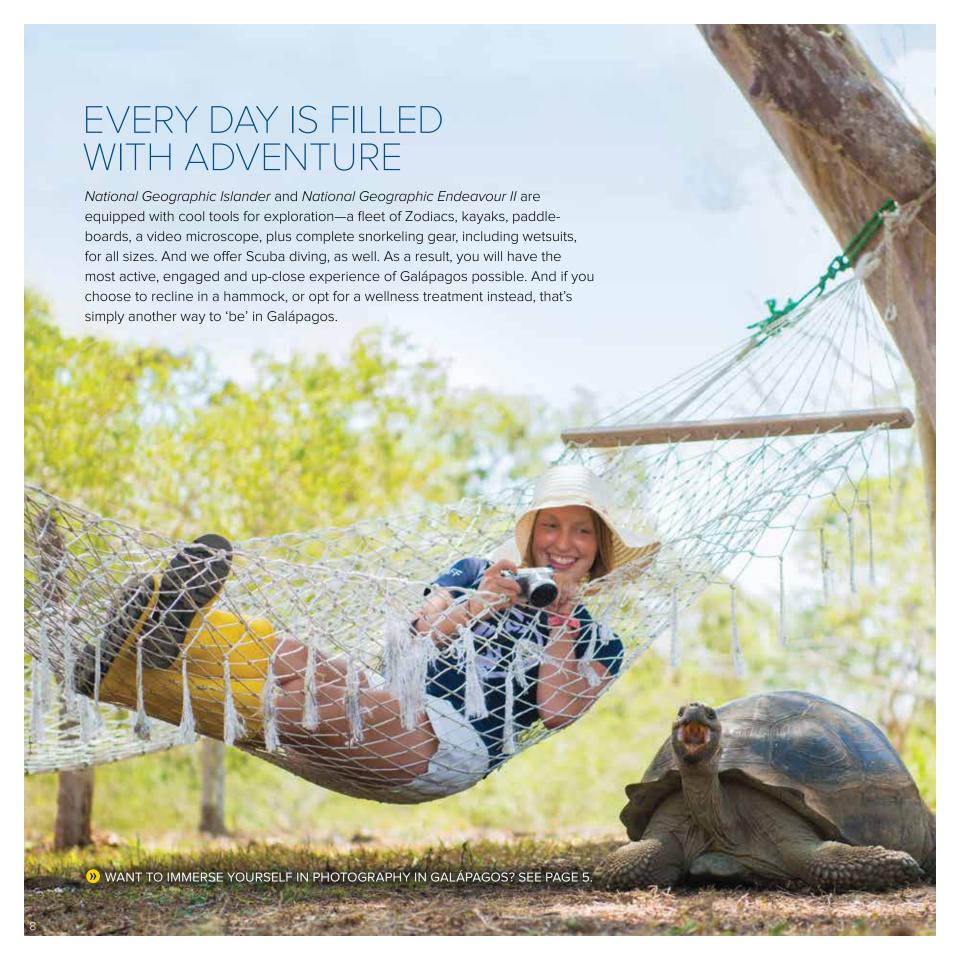
# A+ NATURALISTS, SMART COMPANIONS & MORE

Our Galápagos expedition team, hand-picked and Lindblad Expeditions-trained, is made up of engaging naturalists born and bred in the Galápagos Islands, and others who moved to the islands from the mainland or other countries decades ago. They each have a deep understanding of all aspects of Galápagos' natural and human history, and are experts in relevant areas: ornithology, geology, zoology, and the undersea. They are also passionate and knowledgeable about Galápagos conservation. Many have traveled and worked with Lindblad in other parts of the world's great natural history destinations, bringing a global perspective. Your time with them will greatly enhance your experience and your understanding of this remote archipelago.

Above from left: Aura Banda Cruz, naturalist, certified photo instructor and undersea specialist; Walter Perez, naturalist, certified field educator and certified photo instructor; Paula Tagle, expedition leader, certified informal educator and naturalist.

LINDBLAD EXPEDITIONS' NATURALISTS ARE CERTIFIED NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC FIELD EDUCATORS

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Left: Guest and Galápagos tortoise. This page, clockwise from top: sunset Zodiac excursion; exploring aboard stand-up paddleboards; snorkeler with penguin; tandem kayakers; hiking Bartolomé Island.



Libraries, lounges, nooks and crannies on both ships invite sociability, a game of cards, or one-on-one photo sharing.



Expansive glass windows on National Geographic Endeavour II bring island vistas indoors.









Dining aboard the yacht-scale National Geographic Islander is gracious and intimate.

## PERFECT BASE CAMPS FOR EXPLORATION

Well equipped for adventures off ship, National Geographic Islander and National Geographic Endeavour II are equally well-equipped for living well. Gathering places like the open decks, lounge and dining room contribute to the esprit de corps that is a hallmark of our expeditions. Fully stocked libraries serve those who want to learn more and those who want to settle in with a best-seller. Our wellness centers, fitness rooms, and on-deck stretching sessions with our wellness specialists add the mind-body connection to Galápagos' "tonic of wildness." And cossetting cabins, outfitted with our signature linens and feather duvets, provide the perfect ending to active days. SEE WHERE YOU'LL GO & WHAT YOU'LL DO. FIND COMPLETE DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARIES AT EXPEDITIONS.COM/GALAPAGOS



# EXPERIENCE GALÁPAGOS WITH ALL YOUR SENSES

Count on starting each day with savory and nutritious breakfast buffets featuring 100% Galápagos coffee (grown and roasted), fresh local juices, smoothies, Andean grains, plus every other classic breakfast staple, including bespoke omelets. Lunch buffets feature mainland- and Galápagossourced ingredients—meats, sustainable seafood, vegetables, even jams and fruit. Daily dinner choices include fresh produce, sustainably sourced lobster in season, chicken, beef; and wines from the top Chilean and Argentinean providers. All the food served aboard, plus barbecues on deck and our traditional Ecuadorian feast is locally inflected—giving you another window on the nature and culture of the region. Equally important, our approach to food is focused on supporting and protecting the islands.

We are proud to be the first travel company in Galápagos serving Endemica, the only artisanal beer produced on San Cristobal. Also, we offer a wide selection of Ecuadorian craft beers with 100% local micro lot production.



We are working with Lava Java, a local farm in the highlands of Santa Cruz Island, with an incredibly resilient vertical organic agriculture that uses less water, and has a self-composting system. They grow some of the lettuce we serve aboard our ships, and the chilies, cacao, flat leaf kale, heirloom cherry tomatoes, cilantro, basil and other herbs, as well. In the very near future, we will be able to offer the first-ever farm-to-table dining in Galápagos. Eliminating the importing of produce helps protect the islands against invasive species. In addition, it contributes to creating local jobs, and to the economic growth of the local farmers."

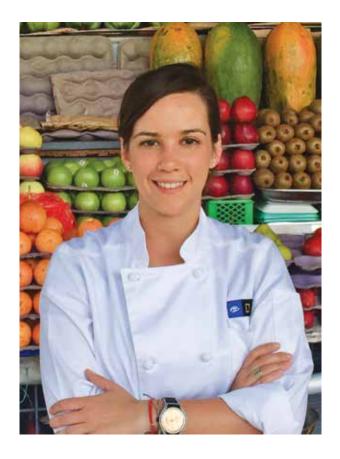
—Ana Esteves, Manager Hotel Operations, Lindblad Expeditions











Left: locally grown lettuce; Galápagos tomato; edible nasturtium flower; the casual dining room is designed for sociability with no assigned seating--mingling is encouraged, solo travelers feel welcome, and families can dine together.



## NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ENDEAVOUR II

CAPACITY: 96 guests in 52 outside cabins.
REGISTRY: Ecuador. OVERALL LENGTH: 236 feet.

**PUBLIC AREAS:** New forward lounge and bar accommodating all guests for presentations and gatherings, restaurant, large library with Mac kiosks, open-air observation deck, underwater gear area and open bridge, where guests can meet the captain and officers and learn about navigation. Ship refitted for Galápagos in 2016.

**MEALS:** Served in a single, unassigned seating in a sociable, informal atmosphere with Ecuadorian flair.

**CABINS:** All face outside with large windows, and feature twin beds that convert to a queen. With private facilities and climate control, nightstands, desk, and storage. Seven sets of cabins with a connecting door.

**EXPEDITION EQUIPMENT:** Nine Zodiacs, including one with a glass-bottom, kayaks and stand-up paddleboards, snorkel gear and wet suits for both adults and children, video microscope and underwater video camera.

SPECIAL FEATURES: Shipboard doctor, Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor, video chronicler, National Geographic Global Explorer family program, snorkel instruction. Wi-Fi access, laundry service, Global Gallery.

**WELLNESS:** New LEXSpa and fitness center, exercise classes, and wellness specialist.

» FOR ITINERARIES, VISIT **EXPEDITIONS.COM/GALAPAGOS** 







Clockwise from top: National Geographic Endeavour II features 52 cabins accommodating 96 guests; gym; Category 3 bathroom; Category 4 cabin.

CATEGORY 1: Upper Deck, Forward #201, 202

**CATEGORY 2:** Upper Deck #211, 213-219, 221, 222, 224-229

CATEGORY 3: Lounge Deck #311, 313-319, 321, 322, 324, 326,

328, 330

CATEGORY 4: Bridge Deck #409, 411-414, 416, 418

**SUITE A:** Lounge Deck, Mid-Ship #320—with two windows,

larger bath, arm chair. Connecting door to #322.

**SUITE B:** Bridge Deck, Mid-Ship #420, 422—with two floor-to-ceiling windows, larger bath, convertible sofa for a third person.

**SUITE C:** Bridge Deck, Mid-Ship #415—with two large windows, larger bath, separate sitting area with convertible sofa for a third person and arm chairs, largest cabin on ship.

CATEGORY 2 SOLO: Upper Deck #203-209—with a queen bed.

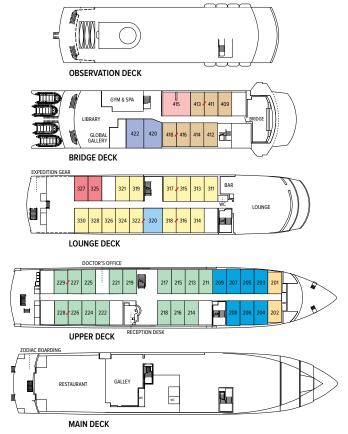
CATEGORY 3 SOLO: Lounge Deck #325, 327—with a queen bed.

**NOTE:** All cabins feature the option of two twins or a queen bed, plus large window(s), desk, chair, and closet.

**CONNECTING CABINS:** #226/228, 227/229, 315/317, 316/318, 320/322, 411/413, 416/418

**TRIPLE OCCUPANCY:** #224, 225, 326, 328 with fold-down upper third bunk, Suites B and C with convertible sofa bed. Third person rates are one-half per person double occupancy rate.

**SHARED ACCOMMODATIONS:** Shares can be arranged at the double occupancy rate in Categories 1 and 2.



indicates adjoining cabins

NOTE

Prices are per person, double occupancy unless indicated as solo.

ITINERARY	CAT. 1	CAT. 2	CAT. 3	CAT. 4	SUITE A	SUITE B	SUITE C	CAT. 2 SOLO	CAT. 3 SOLO	ADVANCE PAYMENT
2017/18 Galápagos: Aboard <i>National Geographic Endeavour II –</i> 10 days/9 nights										
Departing Fridays throughout the year*	\$6,960	\$7,940	\$8,740	\$9,590	\$11,440	\$12,280	\$12,980	\$9,930	\$10,930	\$750
Holiday: Dec. 29, 2017; Dec. 21 & 28, 2018*	\$7,780	\$8,880	\$9,780	\$10,720	\$12,810	\$13,760	\$14,530	\$11,120	\$12,240	\$1,000
2017/18 Galápagos + Machu Picchu & The Land of the Inca – 16 days/15 nights										
Departing Fridays throughout the year*	\$12,650	\$13,630	\$14,430	\$15,280	\$17,130	\$17,970	\$18,670	\$17,000	\$18,000	\$1,500
Holiday: Dec. 15, 2017; Dec. 14 & Dec. 28, 2018*	\$13,380	\$14,360	\$15,160	\$16,010	\$17,860	\$18,700	\$19,400	\$17,730	\$18,730	\$1,500
Holiday: Dec. 29, 2017; Dec. 22, 2018*	\$14,200	\$15,300	\$16,200	\$17,140	\$19,230	\$20,180	\$20,950	\$18,920	\$20,040	\$1,500
2017 Epic Galápagos Photo Expedition Aboard <i>National Geographic Endeavour II –</i> 17 days/16 nights										
Nov. 24, 2017 — with 10% back-to-back savings	\$12,530	\$14,290	\$15,730	\$17,260	\$20,590	\$22,100	\$23,360	\$17,870	\$19,670	\$1,500
2017/18 Galápagos + Upper Amazon – 20 days/19 nights — please call for dates and rates										

International and internal Ecuador tickets must be issued separately for all Galápagos voyages. Sample International Airfares: round-trip Miami/Guayaquil: Economy from \$500; Business from \$1,050. Sample Internal Airfares: Guayaquil/ Galápagos: Adult from \$520 Children (Under 12) from \$260. Call for sample Peru airfare.

<sup>\*2017</sup> prices guaranteed for 2018 departures if booked by June 1, 2017. After June 1, 2017, call or visit expeditions.com for new 2018 prices.



## NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ISLANDER

CAPACITY: 48 guests in 24 outside cabins. REGISTRY: Ecuador. OVERALL LENGTH: 164 feet.

**PUBLIC AREAS:** Open-air observation deck, second covered outside deck with hammocks, tables and chairs. Lounge and bar accommodating all guests for presentations and gatherings, dining room, library, Mac kiosks and Internet. The captain and officers welcome guests to visit the open bridge.

**MEALS:** Served in a single, unassigned seating in a sociable, informal atmosphere with Ecuadorian flair.

**CABINS:** All have a window with an outside view, private facilities, ample storage and climate controls. Bed can be configured as two twins or as a single queen.

**EXPEDITION EQUIPMENT:** Zodiacs, a fleet of kayaks and stand-up paddleboards, snorkel gear and wet suits for both adults and children, video microscope and underwater video camera.

**SPECIAL FEATURES:** Shipboard doctor, Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor, video chronicler, snorkel instruction. Wi-Fi access, laundry service, Global Gallery.

**WELLNESS:** New LEXSpa and fitness center, exercise classes, and wellness specialist.









Clockwise from top: National Geographic Islander features 24 cabins accommodating 48 guests; spacious and comfortable lounge; library; relaxing on the covered deck.





Category 4 cabin; Category 5 cabin.

CATEGORY 1: Main Deck, Forward #201-206

CATEGORY 2: Main Deck #207-210

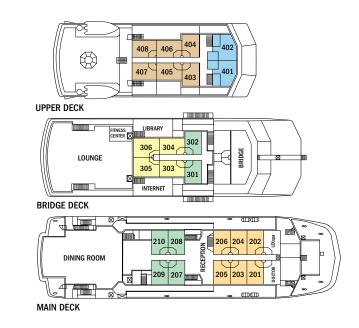
**CATEGORY 3:** Bridge Deck #303-306. Cabins 305 and 306 can accommodate a third person with sofa bed.

**CATEGORY 4:** Upper Deck #403-408—with outside, glassed-in terraces with windowed door and seating.

**CATEGORY 5:** Upper Deck, #401 and 402—forward facing with additional seating, desk, wrap-around windows, glassed-in terrace with seating. Largest cabins aboard.

**NOTE:** All cabins offer two twin beds that can be converted to a queen. Sole occupancy in categories 1 and 2 only. Third person rates for cabins 305 and 306 are one-half per person double occupancy rate.

**SHARED ACCOMMODATIONS:** Shares can be arranged at the double occupancy rate in Categories 1 and 2 only.



Prices are per person, double occupancy unless indicated as solo.									
ITINERARY	CAT. 1	CAT. 2	CAT. 3	CAT. 4	CAT. 5	CAT. 1 SOLO	CAT. 2 SOLO	ADVANCE PAYMENT	NOTE
2017/18 Galápagos: Aboard National Geographic Islander – 10 days/5									
Departing Saturdays throughout the year*	\$7,330	\$8,290	\$9,170	\$9,750	\$11,860	\$10,990	\$12,440	\$750	International and internal Ecuador
Holiday: Dec. 30, 2017; Dec. 22 & 29, 2018*	\$8,390	\$9,440	\$10,270	\$10,900	\$13,070	\$12,590	\$14,160	\$1,000	tickets must be issued separately for all Galápagos voyages. Sample
2017/18 Galápagos + Machu Picchu & The Land Of The Inca – 16 days	/15 nights								International Airfares: round-trip Miami/ Guayaquil: Economy from \$500; Business from \$1,050. Sample Internal Airfares:
Departing Saturdays throughout the year*	\$13,020	\$13,980	\$14,860	\$15,440	\$17,550	\$18,060	\$19,510	\$1,500	Guayaquil/Galápagos: Adult from \$520 Children (Under 12) from \$260. Call for
Holiday: Dec. 23, 2017; Dec. 22, 2018*	\$14,810	\$15,860	\$16,690	\$17,320	\$19,490	\$20,390	\$21,960	\$1,500	sample Peru airfare.
2017/18 Galápagos + Upper Amazon – 20 days/19 nights — please ca	ll for date	s and rate	es						

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# MAKE THINGS EVEN MORE INTERESTING

**CELEBRATING** 

# MASHPI, A NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC UNIQUE LODGE OF THE WORLD

To celebrate our 50th Anniversary we're offering a new pre-voyage extension, **Tropical Andes &** 

**Colonial Quito**, on select departures of both *National* 

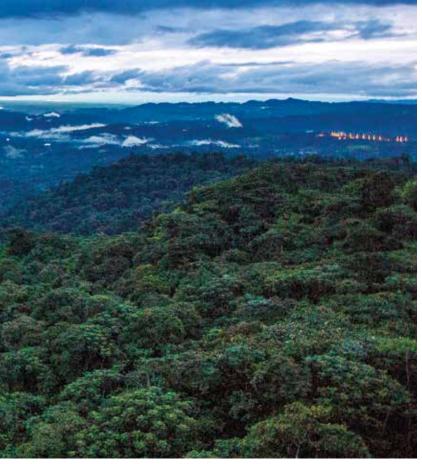
Geographic Islander and National Geographic Endeavour II. Experience Ecuador's fantastic culture, landscapes and wild nature on a six-day adventure, including a stay in both colonial Quito, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and the spectacularly diverse Ecuadorian Chocó, one of the world's top five biodiversity hotspots. Log on or call an Expedition Specialist for details.







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Mashpi is a true wilderness retreat, set on 3,200 acres of tropical forest.





From left: Mashpi Lodge's striking architecture glows at night; nature surrounds you with floor-to-ceiling, wall-to-wall windows throughout; the aerial tram brings guests up close to beautiful scenery.



## **EXPLORE MORE: ADD MACHU PICCHU**

Combine your Galápagos expedition with a trip to **Machu Picchu & Peru's Land of the Inca** and receive **FREE ROUNDTRIP AIR** from Miami on select departures, including domestic air in Ecuador and Peru. For pricing see pages 15 & 17.

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# EXPLORE MORE: ADD A VOYAGE TO THE UPPER AMAZON RIVER

Combine your Galápagos expedition with a voyage to the **Upper Amazon** aboard the lovely 28-guest river ship, *Delfin II*, and **SAVE 10%** on the combined price.

FIND INFO AT EXPEDITIONS.COM/AMAZON



### RESERVATION INFORMATION

Cost Includes: All accommodations aboard ships or in hotels per itinerary or similar, all meals and nonalcoholic 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 snorkeling equipment and wet suits, use of kayaks and stand-up paddleboards, tips (except to ship's crew), taxes and service charges, services of a ship physician and services of our expedition staff.

**Combined Itineraries Costs Include:** Hotel nights as described; sightseeing; porterage; services of local guides and tour leaders.

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

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

#### **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

**Reservations:** To reserve your place, an advance payment is required at the time of reservation. The advance payment amount varies by program. Payment is accepted by Visa, MasterCard, American Express, Discover or by check. Receipt of your initial payment indicates your acceptance of our complete Terms and Conditions. We require written notice at the time of reservation for any physical condition, diet, or treatment requiring special attention. Once your reservation is confirmed, we urge you to use your personalized online account for important information to help you prepare for your voyage. Managing your documents online will facilitate fast and accurate communication, and allow you to provide us with pertinent details we require, in order to complete your reservation. Your online account gives you access to your Expedition Guide, which includes valuable information specific to your voyage. You can also use your online account to make easy payments, view recommended flights and reading material, packing list, and so much more.

**Final Payment:** Due no later than 90 days prior to departures.

Travel Protection Plan: We 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, damaged or lost luggage, medical assistance, and evacuation during your travels. Our Travel Protection Plan is available for U.S. and Canadian 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.

Smoking Policy: Allowed only in designated outdoor areas. Responsibility and Other Terms & Conditions: Among other things, limitations of Lindblad Expeditions' and the National Geographic Society's liability for loss of property, injury, illness or death during the voyage will be provided to all guests on the ship's ticket sent prior to departure, and are also available on our website at www.expeditions.com/terms, or upon request. By registering for a trip, the guest

**Entry and Visa Requirements:** 

agrees to all such terms and conditions.

All guests are advised to verify travel documents (passport/ transit visa/entry visa) for the country through which they are transiting and/or entering. Reliable and most current information regarding international travel can be found by contacting the consulate/embassy of the country(s) you are visiting or transiting through. We will not be responsible if you are denied entry or transit into a Country, if you are unable to provide valid documents as per the Country's requirement.

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CANCELLATION POLICY					
Number of Days Prior to Expedition Start	Per Person Cancellation Fee				
120 or more days	\$350*				
119–90 days	Advance payment cost				
89-60 days	25% of trip cost				
59–45 days	50% of trip cost				
44-0 days	100% - No refund				

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