# GALÁPAGOS



ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ISLANDER AND NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ENDEAVOUR II | 2018-2020









#### DEAR TRAVELER,

Galápagos straddles the equator, is mercifully absent of hurricanes and cyclones, and fluctuates little weather-wise throughout the year. The animals are always there for us to observe up-close and personally. It is a geography that's infinitely compelling, something you already know from countless magazine articles, nature programs, documentaries and more.

But what you might not know is that it is the preeminent, guaranteed, slam-dunk vacation option for families. It offers something for everyone. And even better, it offers so much for families to share—it's where meaningful memories get made together.

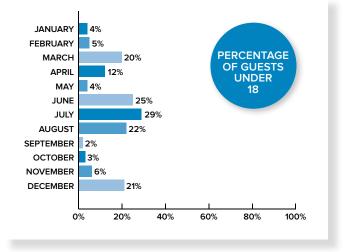
Galápagos attracts, at least with us, a very diverse audience, driven largely by times when families travel and don't. (See the chart at bottom right.) So, while Galápagos is always in season as far as wildlife and wonder are concerned, there are very distinct times to be there based on your preference in travel companions. If you don't like the pitter patter of children's feet, you can plan to visit when they're absent. And if you are planning to explore as a family, and want other kids around, you can rely on the fact that we understand how to meet needs and create opportunities for kids of all ages.

We've been at this for a very long time, ever since my father pioneered travel here in 1966.

Galápagos is a very special place, and we are totally committed to ensuring that our guests get the most out of their time here. As a consequence, if you choose to experience it with us, you will have stories to share for a lifetime and, at the same time, might very well become an ambassador for this remarkable wild place.

All the best,

Sven-Olof Lindblad



Cover photo: Galápagos Sea Lion, mother and pup, San Cristóbal Island © Rich Reid. Left: East Pacific green turtles feeding on sea lettuce off Fernandina Island. © Michael S. Nolan.

# GALÁPAGOS: THE JEWEL IN A REGIONAL CROWN

Going to Galápagos is one of the best decisions a traveler can make. It's not that far, and the rewards are immediately thrilling. Thrilling enough to make some travelers overlook the possibilities that surround, even amplify, the extraordinary Galápagos experience. So, we've arrayed them here for you—a set of choices that complement your experience of the Enchanted Isles, and make the most of your time in this region—rich as it is in natural and cultural treasures. And, you can plan to explore further knowing that our Expedition Specialists will help make all your transitions seamless—including your flights. We are pleased to introduce you to Lindblad Air service for your greater convenience. Please see page 29 for benefits and details.



One of the most important natural history destinations on Earth, the first UNESCO World Heritage site, and Darwin's laboratory, these islands are the magnet that draws all.





## GALÁPAGOS: THE JOY OF CHOICE

There are many aspects to Galápagos and we offer as many ways to enjoy the diversity of its land and undersea environments. Walks, at a photographer's pace or faster. Hikes. Kayaking or paddleboarding. Snorkeling and scuba diving; swimming from a gorgeous wild beach animated by sea lions; or a slow scenic cruise in our glass-bottom boat (on *National Geographic Endeavour II*). Or a hammock and a good book on a canopied deck. You learn about each day's opportunities in advance, so you can plan your day, or be spontaneous. And you'll experience the pleasures of our hallmark 'Recap'—where reliving the day's events is almost as much fun as doing them.











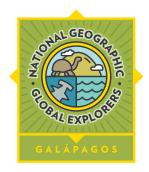




A multi-facted experience of Galápagos (clockwise from upper left): From versatile Zodiac boats; on the beach with sea lions; greeting the sunrise on deck; snorkeling with penguins; landing ashore on a new island every day; and exploring on your own kayak and standup paddleboard.



# EXCLUSIVELY OURS: NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC GLOBAL EXPLORERS



Our program for kids and teens is the only program of its kind in Galápagos travel, giving families a unique way to explore and connect with each other and the natural world. Developed in conjunction with National Geographic Education, it's designed to help kids and teens 18 and younger to develop the attitudes, skills, and knowledge of an explorer. They're invited to engage in a variety of cool activities, guided by a National Geographic certified field educator:

- ✓ **Develop their observation skills** by watching out for specific wildlife, and recording observations in their Field Notebook
- ✓ **Have fun with cool activities** like earning their Zodiac driving 'license'
- ✓ Connect with nature in various ways, such as creating a plankton tow and using the Ship's video microscope with their National Geographic certified field educator
- ✓ **Use their creativity** to become good storytellers—with photos, videos, music, writing, drawing and more, to communicate all they'll see and do
- ✓ Participate in some or all of the activities based on their interests, and still have plenty of time to share a family adventure.





Charles Darwin kept fourteen field notebooks to record his shore excursions during the voyage of the HMS Beagle. Kids receive their own exclusively developed and designed Field Notebook at the beginning of their Galápagos expedition, to record like Darwin did! Illustrated with photos and facts, the Notebook encourages them to observe what's around them, jot down their stories, and stretch their minds—collecting "points" for activities on their way to becoming a National Geographic Global Explorer. And, it's a lasting personal keepsake of their incredible Galápagos experience.



# YOUR TEAM IS ACE AT DOING WHAT IT TAKES



In many respects, Galápagos doesn't exist until you discover it. When you step off our ship, it's as if it's 1835 and you're Charles Darwin,

disembarking the *Beagle* to explore the unexplored. But sometimes even the most intrepid of adventurers

need a guide—and that's where we come in. Our team will do whatever it takes to ensure you encounter the extraordinary when it comes to wildlife, history, and enlightened conservation. We'll help you to see, do, and absorb these extraordinary experiences—and we'll do it in comfort, with inspiration, learning, good conversations, and great food included.



#### LEARN MORE AT **EXPEDITIONS.COM/PHOTO**

Clockwise from top: Be welcomed on the bridge whenever you like, a feature of all our expeditions. Captain Eduardo Neira has 30+ years in the islands.; Naturalist Gaby Bohorquez leads a hike on Española Island; naturalist, photographer and author Walter Perez (Galápagos: Life in Motion) examines a starfish with a National Geographic Global Explorer. Opposite: Shoot alongside National Geographic photographers and photo instructors.

# EXCLUSIVELY OURS: EXPEDITION PHOTOGRAPHY

Galápagos is one of the most surprising places on the planet, and if you're like most people, you'll be reaching for your camera to capture it all. That's why we have Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructors on every departure. They can help you with your camera settings, composition basics, pro tips, and more. And as trained naturalists, they understand the behavior of your animal subjects.



## NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC



The June 2017 issue of National Geographic magazine features a story on Galápagos shot by Thomas Peschak. His extraordinary photographs dramatically depict many of Galápagos' strange and wonderful species—the same animals you'll

see on your expedition—as they face the peril of climate change. Thomas will be traveling aboard National Geographic Endeavour II on two consecutive departures.

Join him on back-to-back voyages, and

you'll visit all the Galápagos islands more than Darwin did on one epic adventure, plus save 10% on the two-voyage price.



## GALÁPAGOS PHOTO EXPEDITIONS

Travel with a top National Geographic photographer on select departures. Be inspired, pick up pro tips, and practice visual storytelling techniques aboard *National Geographic Endeavour II*.







**2018: Jay Dickman**, Nov. 23 & 30 **2019: Todd Gipstein,** Jan. 18 & 25; **Jonathan Irish**,

May 24 & 31; Thomas Peschak, Nov. 29 & Dec. 6

## **GALÁPAGOS**

## 10 DAYS/9 NIGHTS—ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ENDEAVOUR II AND NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ISLANDER

PRICES FROM: \$6,960 to \$16,670 (See pages 23 and 27 for complete prices.) Book by Dec. 31, 2018 to guarantee 2019 prices for 2020 departures.

t's different in Galápagos, "a little world within itself," as Darwin described it, where magical encounters with animals—curious or sublimely indifferent to our presence—happen like nowhere else. Each island is different, and over 50 years of regularly visiting these islands, we've learned how to provide the optimal balance in terms of terrain and wildlife. When you explore with us, you are assured a remarkable experience.\*

#### **EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS**

▶ Our classic immersive exploration, with a full week in Galápagos.

► Walk among wildlife unfazed by your presence.

Snorkel with sea lions, turtles and abundant fish.

Adventure by kayak, paddleboard, glass-bottom boat (*Endeavour II*) and Zodiac.

► Observe giant Galápagos tortoises in the wild.

 Add a pre-voyage extension to Mashpi and Quito, or continue to iconic Machu Picchu or the Amazon for even more.
 Visit expeditions.com.

#### **EXPERIENCE & EXPERTISE**



We're celebrating 50 years of exploring Galápagos. We've introduced generations of travelers to its magic and mystery. We're committed

to Galápagos; and have raised millions, along with our guests, for its conservation. And we're fully invested, too; we operate two ships based there year round. An expedition leader, our team of naturalists, a Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor, undersea specialist, wellness specialist, and video chronicler all contribute to your experience of the wonders of Galápagos.

Visit our website to read staff bios.

Up-close encounter with sea lions.

## DAY 1: DEPART U.S./GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR

Upon arrival in Guayaquil, transfer to the Hotel del Parque (*National Geographic Islander*) or Hotel Hilton Colón (*National Geographic Endeavour II*). Ask your Expedition Specialist about extra nights.

#### DAY 2: GUAYAQUIL/GALÁPAGOS

This morning, fly to the Galápagos Islands and board *Islander* or *Endeavour II*. After lunch, we begin our exploration of the islands and their remarkable wildlife. (B,L,D)

DAYS 3–8: EXPLORING THE GALÁPAGOS Listed below is a sample of islands we may visit during our expedition.\* (B,L,D Daily)

**NORTH SEYMOUR:** Follow coastal trails past playful Galápagos sea lions on this wildlife-rich central island. Continue inland through a silvery forest of endemic palo santo trees, where frigatebirds nest, blue-footed boobies dance, and where we may also encounter prehistoric-looking land iguanas feeding on cactus.

**ISABELA:** Cross the Equator at Volcán Ecuador, northernmost of Isabela's six great shield volcanoes. Keep an eye open for whales and dolphins, sea turtles and the elusive ocean sunfish. Over two days, land in the footsteps of Darwin and Melville, and look for wildlife along the wildly eroded volcanic shore.

FERNANDINA: One of the most active oceanic volcanoes in the world, Fernandina is the youngest and most pristine island in Galápagos—and home to the strange flightless cormorant, Galápagos penguins and the largest marine iguanas. Hikes ashore lead across impressive recent lava flows.

**ESPAÑOLA:** See swallow-tailed gulls, Española mockingbirds, Nazca boobies and, seasonally, the world's only population of waved albatross at this birdy paradise, also home to vividly colored marine iguanas. Watch sea lions on the wide sand beach, and snorkel offshore, at Gardner Bay.

**FLOREANA:** Follow a trail past a rose pink-tinted lagoon frequented by flamingos. Snorkel among sea lions and abundant fish, or cruise along Champion Islet by Zodiac. Visit the famous barrel at Post Office Bay.

SANTA CRUZ: Visit Puerto Ayora, the largest town and headquarters of both the Galápagos National Park and Charles Darwin Research Station. See the monument to Lonesome George, and tour the giant tortoise breeding corrals. See the giant tortoises roaming in the wild in the lush, green highlands.

**BARTOLOMÉ:** Climb the steps to the summit of this 300-foot volcanic wonderland for stunning views. Explore, swim and snorkel from the beach. You might even see Galápagos penguins, one of world's rarest.

**SANTIAGO:** Explore tide pools and look for fur seals sheltered in quiet grottos of black basalt. Swim, snorkel, kayak and paddleboard along Santiago's spectacular coast, and explore an enchanting coastal forest where Charles Darwin once walked.

**GENOVESA**: Sail across the Equator to the remote northern realm of the Galápagos, surrounded by warmer tropical waters.

SAN CRISTOBAL: Search for red-footed boobies and the endemic mockingbird and lava lizard—found only on this easternmost island, and dig your toes into the powdery white sand at a gorgeous beach fronted by iconic Kicker Rock. Explore Baquerizo Moreno, where sea lions thrive in the middle of town.

#### DAY 9: GALÁPAGOS/DISEMBARK/ GUAYAQUIL

Return this morning to Guayaquil, where we transfer to our hotel. Overnight Hotel del Parque (*Islander*) or Hotel Hilton Colón (*Endeavour II*) (B)

**DAY 10:** GUAYAQUIL/DEPART Transfer to the airport for flights home. (B)

\*Please Note: Our in-depth expeditions sail between Isla San Cristóbal and Isla Baltra, and include Isla Santa Cruz and a careful selection of islands and visitor sites. All ship itineraries are subject to Galápagos National Park regulations, including that no single site can be visited by the same ship more than once in a two-week period. In fact, you could join for two weeks and see all the sites. Please be assured that there is no better week to experience Galápagos—just nuances from one week to the other.



#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

**DATES: 2018-20:** Ten-day expeditions, departing Fridays on *National Geographic Endeavour II* and Saturdays on *National Geographic Islander*.

#### **SPECIAL OFFERS:**

- Book by Dec. 31, 2018 on select 2018 and 2019 departures for FREE AIRFARE between Miami and Galápagos. See page 28.
- Book by Dec. 31, 2018 on select July and August 2019 Galápagos departures and take \$1,000 OFF KIDS UNDER 18. See page 28.
- Starting Jan. 2019, your bar tab and Wifi are complimentary on all departures.
   See page 28 or call for details.

#### **OPTIONAL EXTENSIONS**

Add a six-day pre-voyage extension, featuring **Quito** and **Mashpi Lodge**, a National Geographic Unique Lodge of the World in one of the world's biodiversity



hotspots. See page 17 for details or visit **expeditions.com/Mashpi**.

#### **COMBINE YOUR ADVENTURE**

With Machu Picchu & Peru's Land of the Inca, the Upper Amazon aboard *Delfin II* or even all three, making the most of your time in the region. See pages 18-19 for details.

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC PHOTOGRAPHERS Travel with Jay Dickman (Nov. 23 & 30, 2018), Todd Gipstein (Jan 18 & 25, 2019), Jonathan Irish (May 24 & 31, 2019), Tom Peschak (Nov. 29 & Dec. 6, 2019) aboard National Geographic Endeavour II.

## WILD GALÁPAGOS ESCAPE

#### 7 DAYS/6 NIGHTS-ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ISLANDER

PRICES FROM: \$5,450 to \$9,520 (See page 23 for complete prices.)

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ack a ton of adventure into one action-packed week, available only aboard the 24-cabin *National Geographic Islander*.

With multiple adventures each day on land and undersea—including options for walks and hikes, kayaking, paddleboarding and snorkeling—you'll be assured of the full Lindblad-National Geographic Galápagos experience. Each voyage is crafted to offer you a diverse experience of the archipelago.

#### **EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS**

- ► Explore it all in less time.
- ► Maximize your experience with options every day.
- ▶ Walk among colonies of wildlife and seabirds unfazed by your presence.
- ► Snorkel and kayak in rich waters among shimmering fish, sea turtles, penguins, and playful sea lions.
- ► Add a two-night post-expedition extension to Quito and Otavalo in the Andes of Ecuador. Visit expeditions.com/quito for details.

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#### DAY 2: GUAYAQUIL/GALÁPAGOS/ EMBARK

Fly to Baltra in the center of Galápagos, a little world unto itself in the Tropical Pacific. We are welcomed by our naturalist staff and start exploring the islands. (B,L,D)

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#### **DAY 7:** DISEMBARK/BALTRA/ GUAYAQUIL/DEPART

Return by air to Guayaquil, where dayrooms are reserved for us at the Hotel del Parque before late flights home—or elect to spend the night at no additional cost. You may also continue to Quito for an optional two-night extension. Ask your Expedition Specialist for details. (B)

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#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

Departing Thursdays and Saturdays

DATES: 2018: Nov. 24, 29; 2019 Apr. 27;

May 2, 11, 16; Aug. 31; Sep. 5, 14, 19; Oct. 31

2020 Feb. 1, 6; May 9, 14, 23; 28; Jul. 18, 23;

Aug. 29; Sep. 3; Nov. 7, 12, 21, 26

#### **SPECIAL OFFERS:**

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#### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC EXPERT

Join **Sylvia Earle**, hero of the ocean, marine biologist and National Geographic Explorer (Nov. 24 & 29, 2018). **Learn more at expeditions.com/experts.** 



#### OPTIONAL EXTENSION

Add a two-day post-voyage extension to UNESCO-designated Quito & famous Otavalo market. Visit expeditions.com/Quito for details.



## WILD GALÁPAGOS & PERU ESCAPE

#### 9 DAYS/8 NIGHTS—ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ISLANDER

PRICES FROM: \$6,250 to \$10,030 (See page 23 for complete prices.) Book by Dec. 31, 2018 to guarantee 2019 prices for 2020 departures.

Experience the best of Galápagos, and Machu Picchu too, in nine unforgettable days, available only aboard the 24-cabin National Geographic Islander. Start in Lima, spend three days in the Sacred Valley, enjoy fabled Machu Picchu and see Cusco, imperial capital of the Inca. Then journey to Galápagos to actively explore diverse islands each day both on land and undersea.

#### **EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS**

- Discover two iconic wonders at once.
- ▶ Spend a quiet afternoon and sunset at fabled Machu Picchu.
- Voyage to Galápagos aboard the 48-guest National Geographic Islander.
- Maximize your time with options to hike, snorkel paddleboard, kayak and paddleboard.

#### **EXPERIENCE & EXPERTISE**



For the 30 years we've been exploring here, we've highlighted how Inca cultural heritage influences contemporary life in Peru.

This expedition has been developed with the insight and depth we've obtained from decades in the region. You can be assured that the exhaustive attention to detail that goes into all our ship-based expeditions has gone into planning this exhilarating land journey. Your Peruvian expedition team will be of the same caliber as those on our ships. And your accommodations have been carefully chosen for their location, ambiance, and comfort.



#### DAY 1: DEPART U.S./LIMA, PERU

Arrive in Lima, Peru's thriving capital, and transfer to the convenient Lima Airport Holiday Inn. You may also opt to arrive a day or two early. Please ask an expedition specialist for details.

#### DAY 2: LIMA/CUSCO/SACRED VALLEY

Fly to Cusco, where we have lunch in the Colonial center before continuing by coach through the fabled and fertile Urubamba Valley to Tambo del Inka, where we stay two nights. National Geographic grantee Nilda Callañaupa, founder of the Centro de Textiles Tradicionales del Cusco, joins us to demonstrate Inca weaving traditions. Dinner tonight is at the hotel. (B,L,D)

#### **DAY 3: MACHU PICCHU**

Drive to Ollantaytambo, where massive stone walls stand sentry over a thriving Inca village. Board the train to Machu Picchu—the Inca royal retreat introduced to the world by Hiram Bingham in the April 1913 issue of *National Geographic* magazine. Set at under 8,000 feet in the "eyebrow of the jungle," the sanctuary is set in tropical forest with diverse birds and orchids. We linger into the afternoon after day-visitors are gone. Dinner is served aboard the First-Class train on our way back to our hotel. (B,L,D)

### DAY 4: SACRED VALLEY/GUAYAQUIL, ECUADOR

Bid farewell to Peru and continue to Ecuador for Part Two of our expedition. Fly from Cusco via Lima to Guayaquil, Ecuador's largest city. Overnight at Hotel del Parque, set in a historic park. (B,L,D)

#### DAY 5: GUAYAQUIL/GALÁPAGOS

Fly to Baltra at the center of the islands, where we are met by our expert naturalist staff. Start exploring on Isla Santa Cruz with a trip over the highlands of Santa Cruz. Search for wild giant tortoises. Board *National Geographic Islander* this afternoon in Puerto Ayora, largest town and home to both the Galápagos National Park and Charles Darwin Station.

#### **DAYS 6-8: EXPLORING**

#### THE GALÁPAGOS

Each day we join our naturalists on interpretive walks, swim, snorkel, or explore by kayak or Zodiac—all the while witnessing incredible interactions between animals in their natural habitat.

We search for penguins on stark black lava at Sullivan Bay on Santiago, swim in a secluded cove on Santa Fe, snorkel in crystal-clear water at Sombrero Chino, sail across the Equator into the flooded caldera at Genovesa, a seabird paradise, or wander among sea lions and land iguanas on Plaza Sur. (B,L,D)

#### DAY 9: DISEMBARK/BALTRA/ GUAYAQUIL/DEPART

Fly from Baltra to Guayaquil, where we relax at dayrooms at the Hotel del Parque before a late flight. You may instead continue to Quito on a post-voyage extension, or spend the night in Guayaquil at no extra cost (returning home on Day 10). Ask your Expedition Specialist for details. (B)

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#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

Seven-day expeditions departing Saturday. **DATES: 2018:** Dec. 1; **2019** May 4, 18; Sep 7, 21; Nov 2; **2020** Feb. 11; May 19; Jun. 2; Jul. 28; Sep. 8; Nov. 17; Dec. 1

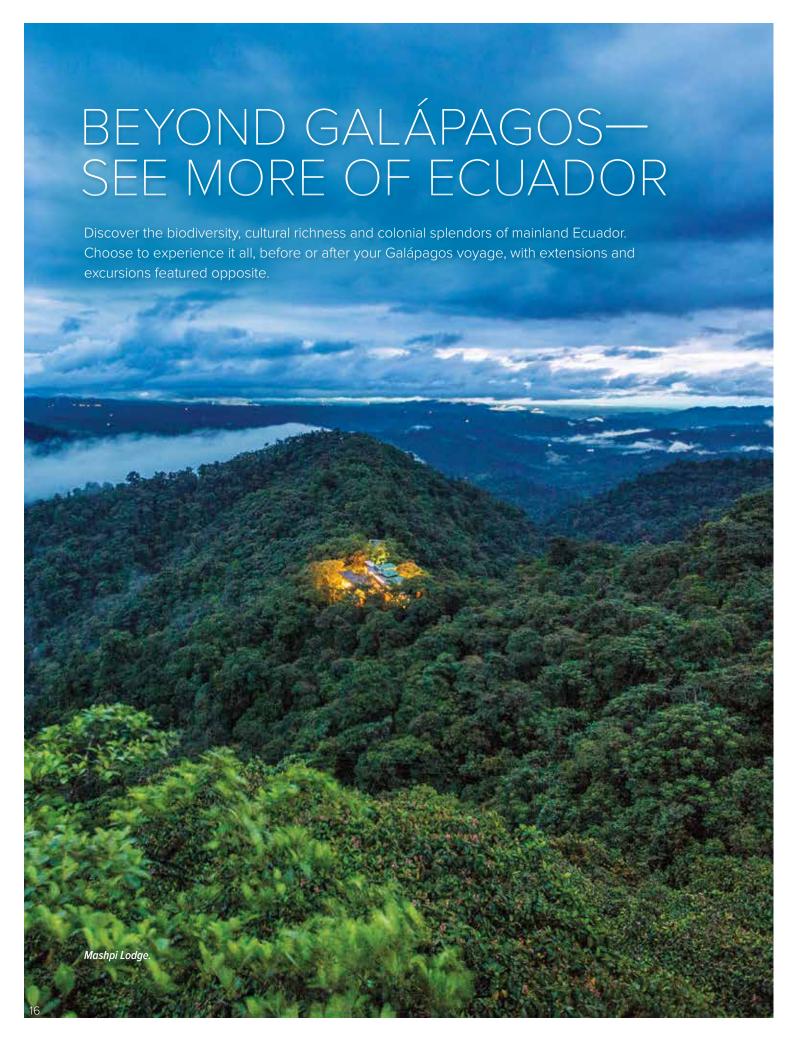
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#### TROPICAL ANDES & COLONIAL QUITO

Immerse yourself in nature at its most brilliant at Mashpi Lodge, a National Geographic Unique Lodge of the World. Set on a 2,600-acre reserve in the heart of the Ecuadorian Chocó—one of the world's top biodiversity hotspots—the lodge is a stunningly contemporary base from which to explore the surrounding forest. From \$2,390. This is a 6-day pre-voyage extension. See expeditions.com/mashpi for details.



#### **COLONIAL QUITO & OTAVALO**



Find yourself a part of history in Quito, a bustling city with origins dating from the time of the Incas that is today the largest and best-preserved colonial center in all Latin America. Tour historic plazas and churches, spend the day at celebrated Otavalo market, and visit a gracious hacienda and family-owned rose farm. With most Galápagos flights beginning and ending in this Andean capital, it's simple to add a night or two in Quito with your choice of excursions. From \$250—the first night in Quito instead of Guayaquil, and the additional flight to Quito is yours, with our compliments. See expeditions.com/ecuador for details.

#### **GUAYAQUIL & HISTORIC HACIENDAS**

Soak in the vibrant, coastal energy of Guayaquil, a port city situated on the Guayas River. Stroll the Malecón 2000, a riverside boardwalk and park; take in the tropical elegance of the Parque Histórico and spend the day at a traditional dairy, teak, and cacao farm in cowboy country outside the city. Arrive before Galápagos to relax and explore, or linger after. Hotel nights from \$224, Full-Day Hacienda La Danesa experience from \$285. We'll gladly arrange the extra hotel nights. See expeditions.com/ecuador for details.



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

## 16 DAYS/15 NIGHTS—ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ENDEAVOUR II AND NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ISLANDER

PRICES FROM: \$12,650 to \$23,290 (See pages 23 & 27 for complete prices.) Book by Dec. 31, 2018 to guarantee 2019 prices for 2020 departures.

#### **EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS**

- ▶ Walk and snorkel among the abundant and fearless wildlife of Galápagos.
- ► See daybreak over the ruins at Machu Picchu from the fabled Sun Gate.
- ▶ Discover Cusco's varied influences and visit the Sacred Valley of the Inca.

DAYS 1-8: AS PER GALÁPAGOS ITINERARY ON PAGES 10-11.



#### DAY 9: GALÁPAGOS/GUAYAQUIL/ LIMA, PERU

Upon arrival this evening in Lima, check-in at the conveniently located Wyndham Costa del Sol Lima Airport Hotel.

DAY 10: LIMA/CUSCO/SACRED VALLEY Board a short scenic flight to Cusco this morning, and continue to Moray—a visually stunning Inca site with dramatic agricultural terraces in the heart of the fabled and fertile Urubamba Valley. After lunch and an opportunity to experience a local market, check-in at Sol y Luna, our base for two nights. This serene Relais & Chateaux hotel offers individual adobe casitas set in a verdant garden. (B,L,D)

#### **DAY 11: SACRED VALLEY**

Spend the day exploring the archaeological sites and culture of the Sacred Valley in the company of National Geographic expert Peter Frost, who has lived and worked in Peru for decades. He or a colleague joins us for a talk at our hotel and a visit to the massive Inca stone fortress of Ollantaytambo, set above a thriving

Inca community. Lunch is at a working, family owned hacienda, where we are treated to a show of Peruvian Paso horses, and National Geographic grantee Nilda Callañaupa, founder of El Centro de Textiles Tradicionales de Cusco, demonstrates Inca weaving traditions. (B,L,D)

#### DAY 12: SACRED VALLEY/ MACHU PICCHU

Marvel at the dramatic scenery and life along the river en route this morning by train to Machu Picchu, the Inca royal retreat famously introduced to the world by Hiram Bingham in the April 1913 issue of *National Geographic* magazine. Check-in at the historic 31-room Belmond Sanctuary Lodge, adjacent to the World Heritage site, with the leisure to explore over two days in the company of our handpicked tour director and local guides. Lunch and dinner at the hotel. (B,L,D)

#### **DAY 13: MACHU PICCHU/CUSCO**

Awaken this morning at Machu Picchu, where options include an early hike to the Sun Gate, the ancient final checkpoint to Machu Picchu on the Inca Trail. After lunch, return by train and bus to Cusco—the center of the Inca universe and a burgeoning cultural capital. Check-in at the Belmond Hotel Monasterio on Plaza Nazarenas in the heart of Cusco for two nights. Occupying a monastery founded in 1592, our hotel—like much of colonial Cusco—is built atop Inca stones. (B,L,D)

#### DAY 14: CUSCO

Explore the magnificently ornate 17th-century cathedral, sacred Inca Temple of the Sun,



and other treasures of Cusco. Visit nearby Sacsayhuamán, where a series of imposing terrace walls, the most impressive yet, command views over the city. Relax, shop, or visit one of Cusco's many churches and museums this afternoon. Dinner is on your own tonight. (B,L)

#### **DAY 15: CUSCO/LIMA**

Return to vibrant coastal Lima this morning, where we stroll the Plaza Mayor and delight in a private farewell lunch with a special musical presentation at Casa Aliaga, one of the oldest houses in Lima. After a visit to the extraordinary Larco Museum, dedicated to pre-Columbian art, check-in at Belmond Miraflores Park, set along the fashionable seaside promenade. Dinner is on your own. (B,L)

#### DAY 16: LIMA/U.S.

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for flights home—or on to Iquitos and Amazon. (B)

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

**DATES:** Year-round, weekly departures following Galápagos aboard *National Geographic Islander* and *National Geographic Endeavour II.* Learn more at expeditions.com/gala

#### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC EXPERT

Gain insight from National Geographic grantee **Peter Frost** or a colleague on our departures.

#### **NEW: WILD GALÁPAGOS & PERU ESCAPE**

Experience the best of Galápagos, and Machu Picchu too, in nine action-packed days. Find details on pages 14-15 or at expeditions.com/wildgalaperu.

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

PRICES FROM: \$13,950 to \$24,090 (Call for pricing.)

Book by Dec. 31, 2018 to guarantee 2019 prices for 2020 departures.

#### **EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS**

- Walk and snorkel among the abundant, iconic Galápagos wildlife that is unfazed by your presence.
- Hike pristine islands, kayak their peaceful shorelines, and explore the Galápagos undersea.
- ► In the Amazon, discover an entirely different kind of biodiversity—macaws, monkeys, sloths, and more, plus meet the *ribereños*—inhabitants of the jungle we explore.

DAYS 1-8: PER GALÁPAGOS ITINERARY ON PAGES 10-11.

#### DAY 9: GALÁPAGOS /DISEMBARK/ GUAYAQUIL/LIMA, PERU

Depart Galápagos this morning and fly to Lima, Peru via Guayaquil, arriving in the evening. Overnight at the conveniently located Wyndham Costa del Sol Lima Airport Hotel. (B)

#### DAY 10: LIMA/IQUITOS/NAUTA/ EMBARK

Fly this morning to Iquitos and continue after lunch on the river to Nauta, where Delfin II awaits. Settle into your cabin, and gather for a welcome dinner of fine Peruvian cuisine on board. Tonight, gaze at the magnificent Amazon night sky. (B,L,D)

#### DAYS 11-16: PACAYA-SAMIRIA NATIONAL RESERVE

Spend this week exploring the Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve, a pristine swath of



jungle—one of the largest in South America—stretching more than five million acres, and harboring some of the Amazon's most fascinating flora and fauna. Bordered by the Marañón and the Ucayali, two powerful rivers that converge to create the famed Amazon, which floods annually with nutrient-rich waters.

Set out into this remarkable wilderness on daily excursions by skiff, kayak, and, when the water level permits, hikes on terra firma. Skim past giant lily pads afloat on black-water lakes, and venture deep into the rain forest on narrow tributaries. Spot sloths and monkeys, including variably colored saddleback tamarins, noisy howlers, and shaggy-tailed monk saki monkeys. Watch for an astounding variety of birds, from tanagers and hummingbirds to parrots and endangered scarlet macaws.

Enjoy an opportunity to swim in a lake in the reserve's interior. Go on a bird-watching hike, listening for the vocal oropendola and then look for its telltale yellow tail. Watch the sun set and listen to a cacophonous symphony of nocturnal animals calling out across the treetops. Then slip through the forest in a skiff as night falls, using a spotlight to find caimans, frogs, fishing bats and other creatures of the night.

One of the unexpected joys of traveling in the upper Amazon of Peru is the interaction we have with the local *ribereños*, the traditional people who live on the riverbanks. Visit one of



the communities and see the projects that we support through a local non-profit, including a variety of handicrafts, women's health initiative and sustainable farming. (B,L,D)

#### **DAY 17: NAUTA/IQUITOS/LIMA**

Disembark in Nauta, stopping at the Amazon Rescue Center on the drive to Iquitos. Fly to Lima, where we visit Museo Larco and celebrate with a farewell dinner. Overnight at the Wyndham Costa del Sol Lima Airport Hotel. (B,L,D)

#### DAY 18: LIMA/U.S.

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight home. (B)

#### **EXPEDITION DETAILS**

Year-round departures. Call for dates and pricing.

#### **SPECIAL OFFERS:**

- Book by Oct. 31, 2018 on select dates for FREE ROUND-TRIP economy group airfare from Miami to Galápagos/Lima to Iquitos (up to \$2,100 value); ask about other U.S. gateways. Upgrade to business class for \$500 to Guayaquil on select dates (space available). See page 28 or call for details.
- Combine a Galápagos expedition with Upper Amazon and save 10%. Call for pricing information.



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Our vintage mahogany-and-brass ode to the elegant maritime tradition, *Islander* is as close to a private yacht expedition as you can get, plus you get the benefits of our 50 years of expertise, the caliber of our naturalist team, the warmth of our staff, and the cool tools for exploring with which she is equipped. Accommodating just 48 guests, *National Geographic Islander* inspires a real *esprit de corps*. There's just something about *Islander*'s scale, the glow of her patina, her team, and the guests she attracts that's alchemical—it creates something special every single voyage. The



attentiveness and graciousness of the staff, cabin service three times daily, the relaxed informality; combined with the pleasures of convening in the Lounge, and entering the Dining Room for each day's fare creates a round of satisfying rituals that foster a real sense of being 'at home.'



Galápagos excursion on the Lindblad National Geographic Islander in mid-February. It was a fantastic experience, exceeded our admittedly high expectations and... we can recommend highly...

-Cruise Critic Member Alerion 28, sailed February 2017

## ISLANDER GUEST EXCLUSIVE: HOTEL DEL PARQUE, GUAYAQUIL



Set in a lovingly restored 19th-century building along the Río Daule, Hotel del Parque is a serene tropical refuge, where the calls of parrots and spider monkeys replace the sounds of a busy port city. Enjoy exclusive after-hours access to the cobble streets, exhibits and lush gardens of Guayaquil's

Parque Histórico. With 44 beautifully appointed rooms, two courtyards, a 19th-century chapel, and an excellent Café facing the river, this exquisite hotel is a perfect golden-age complement to your *Islander* voyage. **New for 2018**.







## NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ISLANDER

## YACHT-SCALED AND TRIM, OFFERING EXPEDITION AMENITIES FOR JUST 48 GUESTS

**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 quests 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 paddleboards, snorkel gear and wetsuits 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, National Geographic Global Explorers family program, Global Gallery.

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

Clockwise from top: National Geographic Islander anchors close to shore; Category 1 cabin; Category 4 cabin; spacious and comfortable lounge.







CATEGORY 1: Main Deck, Forward #201-206

**CATEGORY 2:** Main Deck #207-210, Bridge Deck #301, 302

CATEGORY 3: Bridge Deck #303-306. Cabins 305 and 306 can

accommodate a third person with sofa bed.

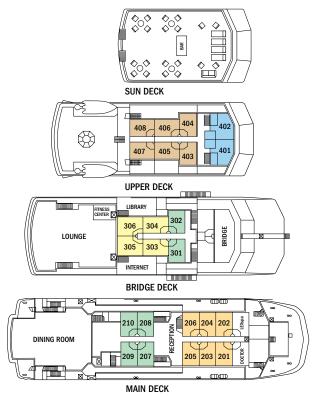
CATEGORY 4: Upper Deck #403-408—with outside, glassed-in

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 p	Prices are per person, double occupancy unless indicated as solo.										
ITINERAR	ITINERARY			CAT. 2	CAT. 3	CAT. 4	CAT. 5	CAT. 1 SOLO	CAT. 2 SOLO	ADVANCE PAYMENT	NOTE
Galápagos:	Galápagos: Aboard <i>National Geographic Islander</i> – 10 days/9 nights – Pages 10-11										
Departing S	Departing Saturdays throughout the year		\$7,330	\$8,290	\$9,170	\$9,750	\$11,860	\$10,990	\$12,440	\$750	tickets must be issued separately for all Galápagos voyages. Sample International Airfares: Round-trip Miami/ Guayaquil: Economy from \$500; Business
throughout			\$7,550	\$8,650	\$9,590	\$10,150	\$12,350	\$11,390	\$12,990	\$750	
Holiday		Dec. 21 & 28, 2019* Dec. 19 & 26, 2020*	\$8,690	\$9,950	\$11,030	\$11,680	\$14,210	\$13,100	\$14,940	\$1,000	from \$1,050. Sample Internal Airfares: Guayaquil/Galápagos: Adult from \$520 Children (Under 12) from \$260. Call for sample Peru airfare.
New! Wild 0	New! Wild Galápagos Escape – 7 days/6 nights – Pages 12-13										
Nov. 24 & 2	9	2018	\$5,450	\$6,140	\$6,770	\$7,180	\$8,690	\$8,070	\$9,100	\$750	Galápagos flights included. International must be issued separately. Sample international airfares: Round-trip Miami/ Guayaquil: Economy \$500.
Apr. 27; Ma Sep 5, 14, 1	y 2, 11, 16; Aug. 31; 9; Oct. 31	2019*	\$5,630	\$6,420	\$7,090	\$7,490	\$9,060	\$8,370	\$9,520	\$750	
, ,	ay 9, 14, 23, 28; Aug. 29; Sep. 3; 21, 26	2020*	\$5,630	\$6,420	\$7,090	\$7,490	\$9,060	\$8,370	\$9,520	\$750	
New! Wild G	Galápagos & Peru Escape	- 9 days/8 nights -	- Pages 1	4-15							Galápagos flights included. International and internal Peru tickets must be issued separately. Sample international airfares: Round-trip Miami/Lima/Guayquil Economy \$500. Sample Lima/Cusco/Lima plus Lima/ Guayaquil from \$935.
Dec. 1		2018	\$6,250	\$6,800	\$7,300	\$7,630	\$8,840	\$8,780	\$9,600	\$750	
May 4, 18; \$	Sep 7, 21; Nov 2	2019*	\$6,470	\$7,100	\$7,630	\$7,950	\$9,210	\$9,110	\$10,030	\$750	
Feb. 11; May Sep. 8; Nov	y 19; Jun. 2; Jul. 28; . 17; Dec. 1	2020*	\$6,470	\$7,100	\$7,630	\$7,950	\$9,210	\$9,110	\$10,030	\$750	
Galápagos -	Galápagos + Machu Picchu & The Land of the Inca — 16 days/15 nights — Page 18										
Departing Saturdays		2018	\$13,020	\$13,980	\$14,860	\$15,440	\$17,550	\$18,060	\$19,510	\$1,500	International and internal Ecuador tickets must be issued separately for all Galápagos voyages. Sample
throughout the year	the year	2019/2020*	\$13,440	\$14,540	\$15,480	\$16,040	\$18,240	\$18,680	\$20,280	\$1,500	International Airfares: Round-trip Miami/ Guayaquil: Economy from \$500; Business
Holiday		Dec. 14, 2019*	\$14,170	\$15,270	\$16,210	\$16,770	\$18,970	\$19,210	\$20,810	\$1,500	from \$1,050. Sample Internal Airfares: Guayaquil/Galápagos: Adult from \$520 Children (Under 12) from \$260. Call for sample Peru airfare.
		Dec. 28, 2019*	\$14,580	\$15,840	\$16,920	\$17,570	\$20,100	\$20,390	\$22,230	\$1,500	

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# LIFE ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ENDEAVOUR II

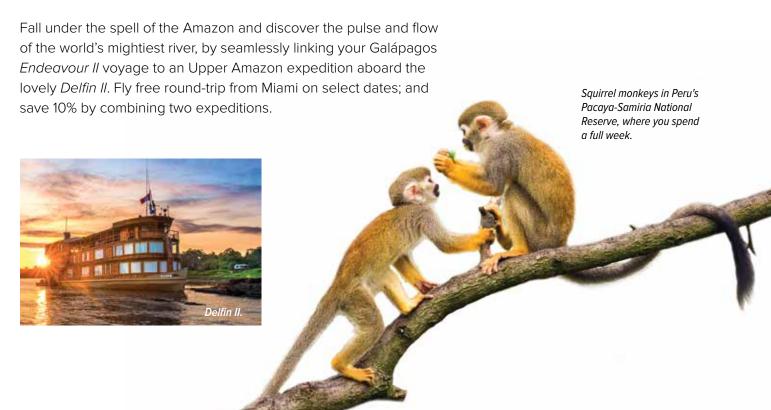


Completely refitted, christened and launched in Galápagos in 2017, the new *National Geographic Endeavour II* is a floating basecamp for exploring the islands. Originally built to carry 136 passengers, she now accommodates just 96 guests in 52 thoughtfully appointed cabins, including dedicated solo cabins, connecting cabins and suites. Designed and equipped with the benefit of our 50 years in Galápagos, she is the perfect platform for exploring these islands, with a fleet of Zodiacs, kayaks, and stand-up paddleboards for personal forays. With her spacious marina platform, she ensures

swift deployment of all guests aboard—to get you out there on daily adventures. And *Endeavour II* also carries a glass-bottom boat, granting everyone not inclined to the daily snorkeling options, a window on the undersea, with a naturalist at the helm to illuminate the vivid life there.



## ENDEAVOUR II EXCLUSIVE: + THE UPPER AMAZON



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## NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ENDEAVOUR II

### OUR NEWEST SHIP IN GALÁPAGOS, OFFERING EXPEDITION AMENITIES FOR 96 GUESTS

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

PUBLIC AREAS: 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 dual Zodiac boarding platform, and open bridge, where guests can meet the captain and officers and learn about navigation.

**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.

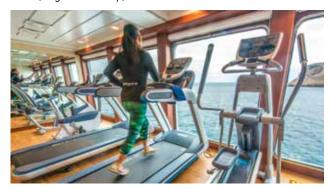
**EXPEDITION EQUIPMENT:** Zodiacs, glass-bottom boat, kayaks and paddleboards, snorkel gear and wetsuits for both adults and children, video microscope and underwater video camera.

SPECIAL FEATURES: Lindblad-National Geographic certified

photo instructor, shipboard doctor, video chronicler, National Geographic Global Explorers family program, snorkel instruction, Wi-Fi access, laundry service, Global Gallery.

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

Clockwise from top: National Geographic Endeavour II, launched in December 2016, features 52 cabins accommodating 96 guests; gym; Suite C, largest on the ship; twin bed 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 floorto-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.

CATEGORY 3 SOLO: Lounge Deck #325, 327.

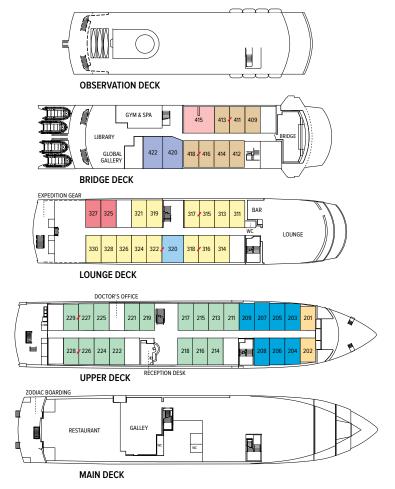
**NOTE:** All cabins feature the option of two twins or a queen bed, plus large window(s), desk, chair, and closet.

**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

	Prices are per person, double occupancy unless indicated as solo.												
	ITINERARY			CAT. 2	CAT. 3	CAT. 4	SUITE A	SUITE B	SUITE C	CAT. 2 SOLO	CAT. 3 SOLO	ADVANCE PAYMENT	NOTE
	Galápagos: Aboard <i>National Geographic Endeavour II</i> – 10 days/9 nights – Pages 10-11												
i e	Departing Fridays throughout the year	2018	\$6,960	\$8,100	\$8,990	\$9,970	\$11,950	\$12,890	\$13,660	\$10,130	\$11,240	\$750	International and internal Ecuador tickets must be issued separately for all Galápagos voyages. Sample International Airfares:
		2019/2020*	\$7,190	\$8,450	\$9,450	\$10,590	\$12,690	\$13,690	\$14,490	\$10,690	\$11,880	\$750	
	Holiday	Dec. 20 & 27, 2019* Dec. 18 & 25, 2020*	\$8,270	\$9,720	\$10,870	\$12,180	\$14,600	\$15,750	\$16,670	\$12,300	\$13,670	\$1,000	
	Galápagos + Machu Picchu & The Land of the Inca – 16 days/15 nights – Page 18												Round-trip Miami/Guayaquil: Economy from \$500; Business from \$1,050.
Departing Fridays throughout the year	Departing Fridays	2018	\$12,650	\$13,790	\$14,680	\$15,660	\$17,640	\$18,580	\$19,350	\$17,200	\$18,310	\$1,500	Sample Internal Airfares: Guayaquil/Galápagos: Adult from \$520; children under 12 from \$260. Call for sample
		2019/2020*	\$13,080	\$14,340	\$15,340	\$16,480	\$18,580	\$19,580	\$20,380	\$17,980	\$19,170	\$1,500	
	Holiday	Dec. 20, 2019*	\$14,890	\$16,340	\$17,490	\$18,800	\$21,220	\$22,370	\$23,290	\$20,320	\$21,690	\$1,500	Peru airfare.
	Galápagos + Upper Amazon - 18 days/17 nights - Page 19 (Please call for dates and rates)												

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### TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR SPECIAL OFFERS

#### **BOOK BY DECEMBER 31, 2018 FOR FREE ROUND-TRIP AIR**

from Miami on select departures. Or, take advantage of new \$199 and \$299 zone fares from 8 cities on select departures, starting July 2019. Offer on American Airlines only, economy class. Upgrade to Business Class on Miami/Ecuador flights for \$500, subject to availability. Free air offer includes internal flights between mainland Ecuador and Galápagos. All offers are valid for new bookings only, must be ticketed by Lindblad Expeditions and are subject to availability at time of booking. In the case that offered Miami flights are no longer available, Lindblad reserves the right to issue a credit.

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

Book by Oct. 31, 2018 and combine your Galápagos expedition with either a voyage to the Upper Amazon (page 19) or a trip to Machu Picchu & Peru's Land of the Inca (page 18) and receive FREE ROUND-TRIP AIR from Miami on select departures, including domestic air in Ecuador and Peru. SAVE 10% when you combine your Galápagos voyage or Peru expedition with an Upper Amazon voyage.

TAKE THE KIDS & SAVE \$500 Share the wonder of Galápagos with kids under 18 and take \$500 off the double occupancy rate per kid. Our connecting cabins, triples and suites book quickly, so act fast. Book by Dec. 31, 2018 to double the offer, \$1,000 savings on select July and August 2019 Galápagos departures.

**BRING FAMILY OR FRIENDS** Like to explore with like-minded others, or want to bring the whole clan? SAVE 5% when traveling as a group of 8 or more—whether it's your friends, book club, member organization, or extended family. Private charters are also available. Call an Expedition Specialist for details.

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**COMBINE OFFERS:** Certain offers may be combinable, up to two savings opportunities except where noted otherwise. For example, travel with a group of 8 or more on back-to-back expeditions, and take advantage of both savings!

#### **ASHORE**

- ✓ Meals on land, as indicated in itinerary
- ✓ Special access permits, park fees, transit card, port taxes
- ✓ Round-trip airport to hotel transfers for group flights
- ✓ Train ticket, entrance fees, tour leader, guides, porterage, tips as indicated (Wild Galápagos & Peru Escape, Machu Picchu & Peru's Land of the Inca)
- ✓ Hotel accommodations at the Hotel del Parque or the Hilton Colon as indicated
- √ The knowledgeable guidance and company
  of our ground staff

#### **ABOARD SHIP**

- ✓ All meals—from breakfast, lunch & dinner in the dining room, to outdoor BBQs, hors d'oeuvres and snacks during daily recap, tea-time cookies and all-day fruit
- ✓ All non-alcoholic beverages including unlimited cappuccinos, latte, coffee, tea & soda
- ✓ Complimentary refillable water bottle
- ✓ WiFi and alcoholic beverages (excluding certain premium brands) aboard 2019 voyages
- ✓ Access to navigational bridge
- ✓ Stretching class with wellness specialist
- ✓ Fitness Center with elliptical, treadmill, stationary bicycle, free weights, bands & more
- ✓ Services of an onboard doctor
- Mac computers for downloading your camera's memory card

#### **ACTIVITIES**

- ✓ All shore activities
- ✓ All expedition tools—including Zodiac, kayak, paddleboard, and snorkeling explorations
- ✓ Complete snorkeling gear (wetsuit, mask, snorkel, fins)
- ✓ Lectures, presentations, daily recaps and briefings in the lounge



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**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 and WiFi (on 2018 voyages), 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.

**Reservations:** To reserve your place, an advance payment is required at the time of reservation. The per-person advance payment amount is: \$2,500 for the 20-day voyage.

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. and Canadian residents only, and may be purchased any time prior to final payment due date. Travel Protection premiums are non-refundable once plan is purchased.

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terms and conditions.

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