

# ~THE COOPERS EXPLORE PERU~

February 2025

## NOTE ABOUT YOUR CRUISE

### **Tailor made travel**

Dear David,

We have been in touch with Aqua Expeditions.

Regarding the February 14th departure, please note that it is currently under a tentative charter. We will be sure to keep you informed if there are any updates or changes.

As for the cabins on the Aqua Nera, all suites are identical in size and feature floor-to-ceiling windows. The only distinction is their location: Deck 1 or Deck 2. Suites on Deck 2 are slightly more convenient as they are closer to the public areas.

For the departure of Aqua Nera- February 21st there is only 1 suite remaining at the Early Bird price at the rate of \$18,144 for 2 guests.

If you would like a double suite on the second deck, the price would be \$24,220.00.

Please find the details of each suite in the following link: [Aqua Nera - Cabin description](#).

As a BTA client you will receive the Virtuoso amenity of a complimentary 50-minute massage therapy per person.

Here is the detailed itinerary.

We suggest the lovely and hip Miraflores Park with spectacular views, ranging around \$780 per night or alternatively the more classic styled Country Club Lima, ranging around \$350 per night for 1-2 nights pre cruise to become acclimated to the area. Please find below the property overviews. We can gather rates as soon as we have your travel dates locked in.

Warm Regards,

Jessica and Angie

## ITINERARY OVERVIEW

Day	Activities
Day 1 Monday Feb 16, 2026	<p>2:15 PM - Flight LA 7021 departs Phoenix (Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport)</p> <p>7:46 PM - Flight LA 7021 arrives Atlanta (Atlanta Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport)</p> <p>Conf: GUTCHK</p> <hr/> <p>10:15 PM - Flight LA 2483 departs Atlanta (Atlanta Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport)</p> <p>Conf GUTCHK</p>

## ITINERARY OVERVIEW

Day	Activities
Day 2 Tuesday Feb 17, 2026	<p>International Flights</p> <hr/> <p>Welcome to Lima</p> <hr/> <p>Check In at Country Club Lima Hotel</p> <p>Room Type: Terrace Golf View Suite</p> <p>Basis of Stay: Breakfast Included</p> <p>Confirmation Number: Hotel Confirmation Code: 6940SF033626 // Record Locator: HSKYNN</p> <p>Location: Los Eucaliptos 590 San Isidro Lima, 27</p> <p>Cancellation Policy: Refundable. Cancellation deadline: 7 Day(s) prior to arrival.</p> <p>Amenities:</p> <p>Upgrade on arrival, subject to availability</p> <p>Daily Buffet breakfast for up to two guests per bedroom, served in the restaurant</p> <p>Complimentary lunch or dinner for up to two guests per bedroom, once during stay, excluding alcohol, taxes and gratuities (minimum 3-courses &amp; value of \$100USD)</p> <p>Early Check-In / Late Check-Out, subject to availability</p> <p>Complimentary Wi-Fi</p> <hr/> <p>5:00 AM - Flight LA 2483 arrives</p> <p>Lima (Lima Jorge Chavez International Airport)</p> <p>Conf GUTCHK</p>

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Day 3 Wednesday Feb 18, 2026	<p>Overnight at Country Club Lima Hotel</p> <p>Cancellation Policy: Refundable. Cancellation deadline: 7 Day(s) prior to arrival.</p> <p>Amenities:</p> <p>Upgrade on arrival, subject to availability</p> <p>Daily Buffet breakfast for up to two guests per bedroom, served in the restaurant</p> <p>Complimentary lunch or dinner for up to two guests per bedroom, once during stay, excluding alcohol, taxes and gratuities (minimum 3-courses &amp; value of \$100USD)</p> <p>Early Check-In / Late Check-Out, subject to availability</p> <p>Complimentary Wi-Fi</p>

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Day	Activities
Day 4 Thursday Feb 19, 2026	<p>5:00 PM - 7:00 PM · Dinner reservation at Maido</p> <p>Location: Ca. San Martín No. 399, Miraflores 15074, Peru</p> <p>RESERVATION CANCELLATION POLICIES</p> <p>To guarantee your reservation, we pre-authorize your credit card. This pre-authorization does not incur any charges at the time of booking. This is not a reservation deposit; you will be responsible for paying the total amount due at Maido. The guarantee will only be honored in the following cases:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– If you do not show up on the day of your reservation (no-show).</li><li>– If you cancel less than 24 hours in advance.</li><li>– If fewer people attend than confirmed (a charge of S/185 will be applied for each additional no-show).</li></ul> <p>We allow a 10-minute grace period to ensure your table is full. After this time, the reservation will be considered a no-show, and the corresponding charge will apply. Once confirmed, your reservation can be canceled or modified without penalty with at least 24 hours' notice.</p> <p>Important Information about Dining Experiences</p> <p>Our experiences are not recommended for people who are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Celiac or gluten intolerant</li><li>– Vegetarian or vegan</li><li>– Allergic to fish or shellfish</li></ul> <p>Card Validation</p> <p>To validate your card, the payment system will make a temporary charge of S/1, which will be refunded immediately.</p> <hr/> <p>Overnight at Country Club Lima Hotel</p> <p>Cancellation Policy:</p> <p>Refundable. Cancellation deadline: 7 Day(s) prior to arrival.</p> <p>Amenities:</p> <p>Upgrade on arrival, subject to availability</p> <p>Daily Buffet breakfast for up to two guests per bedroom, served in the restaurant</p> <p>Complimentary lunch or dinner for up to two guests per bedroom, once during stay, excluding alcohol, taxes and gratuities (minimum 3-courses &amp; value of \$100USD)</p> <p>Early Check-In / Late Check-Out, subject to availability</p>

## ITINERARY OVERVIEW

Day	Activities
	Complimentary Wi-Fi
Day 5 Friday Feb 20, 2026	<p>7:30 PM - · Mayta Experience with Unique Pairings</p> <p>Contact Information: +937220734</p> <p>Website: <a href="https://www.maytalima.com/">https://www.maytalima.com/</a></p> <p>Location: Av. Mariscal La Mar 1285, Miraflores</p> <hr/> <p>Overnight at Country Club Lima Hotel</p> <p>Cancellation Policy: Refundable. Cancellation deadline: 7 Day(s) prior to arrival.</p> <p>Amenities:</p> <p>Upgrade on arrival, subject to availability</p> <p>Daily Buffet breakfast for up to two guests per bedroom, served in the restaurant</p> <p>Complimentary lunch or dinner for up to two guests per bedroom, once during stay, excluding alcohol, taxes and gratuities (minimum 3-courses &amp; value of \$100USD)</p> <p>Early Check-In / Late Check-Out, subject to availability</p> <p>Complimentary Wi-Fi</p>

## ITINERARY OVERVIEW

Day	Activities
Day 6 Saturday Feb 21, 2026	<p>Check In at Aqua Nera</p> <p>Room Type: Suites</p> <p>All-inclusive experience All meals while on board Selected house wines and beer, non-alcoholic drinks Twice-daily excursions with expert local guides Group transfers to/from vessel when traveling on recommended flights Pacaya Samiria entrance fee Laundry Unlimited access to high-speed Wi-Fi</p> <hr/> <p>Check Out from Country Club Lima Hotel</p> <p>Cancellation Policy: Refundable. Cancellation deadline: 7 Day(s) prior to arrival.</p> <p>Amenities: Upgrade on arrival, subject to availability Daily Buffet breakfast for up to two guests per bedroom, served in the restaurant Complimentary lunch or dinner for up to two guests per bedroom, once during stay, excluding alcohol, taxes and gratuities (minimum 3-courses &amp; value of \$100USD) Early Check-In / Late Check-Out, subject to availability Complimentary Wi-Fi</p> <hr/> <p>Welcome to Arequipa</p> <hr/> <p>11:40 AM - Flight LA 2019 departs Lima (Lima Jorge Chavez International Airport) 1:30 PM - Flight LA 2019 arrives Iquitos (Coronel FAP Francisco Secada Vignetta Intl Airport) David Seat 2A Nada Seat 2C Premium Economy Class Confirmation EBXMSY</p> <p>24/7 Flight Support #646-490-3494</p>



## ITINERARY OVERVIEW

Day	Activities
	<p>IQT airport to Cruise Port</p> <p>1:30 PM - Transfer departs Airport Arrival Lobby</p> <p>2:00 PM - Transfer arrives Cruise Port</p> <p>Booked By: Aqua Nera Provider: Aqua Nera Duration: 30 minutes</p> <p>Group transfer between airport and port if booked on our recommended flights *Separate arrangements can be made for morning arrivals.</p> <p>If not on the recommended flight, the meeting point for the shared transfer is at 2:00 PM at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Iquitos</p> <hr/> <p>Embarkation Day</p> <p>After arriving on a noon flight*, receive a warm welcome at Iquitos International Airport by our crew and enjoy lunch at a local restaurant before boarding Aqua Nera.</p> <p>Settle into your generously sized suite as you begin one of life's greatest adventures. Following an introduction from our naturalist guides and a routine safety drill, gather at the restaurant for the first of many Amazonian cuisine experiences created by Aqua Nera's renowned consulting chef, Pedro Miguel Schiaffino.</p>
<p>Day 7 Sunday Feb 22, 2026</p>	<p>Welcome to YANAYACU YACAPANA / YARAPA RIVER / UCAYALI RIVER</p> <hr/> <p>Overnight at Aqua Nera</p> <p>All-inclusive experience All meals while on board Selected house wines and beer, non-alcoholic drinks Twice-daily excursions with expert local guides Group transfers to/from vessel when traveling on recommended flights Pacaya Samiria entrance fee Laundry Unlimited access to high-speed Wi-Fi</p>

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Day 8 Monday Feb 23, 2026	<p>Welcome to CLAVERO LAKE / MARAÑON RIVER</p> <hr/> <p>Overnight at Aqua Nera</p> <p>All-inclusive experience All meals while on board Selected house wines and beer, non-alcoholic drinks Twice-daily excursions with expert local guides Group transfers to/from vessel when traveling on recommended flights Pacaya Samiria entrance fee Laundry Unlimited access to high-speed Wi-Fi</p>
Day 9 Tuesday Feb 24, 2026	<p>Welcome to NAUTA TOWN</p> <hr/> <p>Overnight at Aqua Nera</p> <p>All-inclusive experience All meals while on board Selected house wines and beer, non-alcoholic drinks Twice-daily excursions with expert local guides Group transfers to/from vessel when traveling on recommended flights Pacaya Samiria entrance fee Laundry Unlimited access to high-speed Wi-Fi</p>
Day 10 Wednesday Feb 25, 2026	<p>Welcome to MARAÑON RIVER / YANAYACU PUCATE RIVER</p> <hr/> <p>Overnight at Aqua Nera</p> <p>All-inclusive experience All meals while on board Selected house wines and beer, non-alcoholic drinks Twice-daily excursions with expert local guides Group transfers to/from vessel when traveling on recommended flights Pacaya Samiria entrance fee Laundry Unlimited access to high-speed Wi-Fi</p>

## ITINERARY OVERVIEW

Day	Activities
Day 11 Thursday Feb 26, 2026	<p>Welcome to SAMIRIA RIVER</p> <hr/> <p>Overnight at Aqua Nera</p> <p>All-inclusive experience All meals while on board Selected house wines and beer, non-alcoholic drinks Twice-daily excursions with expert local guides Group transfers to/from vessel when traveling on recommended flights Pacaya Samiria entrance fee Laundry Unlimited access to high-speed Wi-Fi</p>
Day 12 Friday Feb 27, 2026	<p>Welcome to NAUTA CAÑO RIVER / JUNGLE WALK</p> <hr/> <p>Overnight at Aqua Nera</p> <p>All-inclusive experience All meals while on board Selected house wines and beer, non-alcoholic drinks Twice-daily excursions with expert local guides Group transfers to/from vessel when traveling on recommended flights Pacaya Samiria entrance fee Laundry Unlimited access to high-speed Wi-Fi</p>

## ITINERARY OVERVIEW

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Day 13 Saturday Feb 28, 2026	<p>Check Out from Aqua Nera</p> <p>All-inclusive experience All meals while on board Selected house wines and beer, non-alcoholic drinks Twice-daily excursions with expert local guides Group transfers to/from vessel when traveling on recommended flights Pacaya Samiria entrance fee Laundry Unlimited access to high-speed Wi-Fi</p> <hr/> <p>Welcome to AREQUIPA/ MANATEE RESCUE CENTER</p> <hr/> <p>2:15 PM - Flight LA 2038 departs Iquitos (Coronel FAP Francisco Secada Vignetta Intl Airport) 4:00 PM - Flight LA 2038 arrives Lima (Lima Jorge Chavez International Airport) David Seat 2A Nada Seat 2C Confirmation EXBMSY</p> <p>24/7 Flight Support #646-490-3494</p> <hr/> <p>11:40 PM - Flight LA 6356 departs Lima (Lima Jorge Chavez International Airport)</p>
Day 14 Sunday Mar 1, 2026	<p>6:35 AM - Flight LA 6356 arrives Atlanta (Atlanta Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport)</p> <hr/> <p>8:10 AM - Flight LA 7022 departs Atlanta (Atlanta Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport) 10:35 AM - Flight LA 7022 arrives Phoenix (Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport)</p>

## YOUR FLIGHTS

Day	Flight
Day 1 Monday Feb 16, 2026	<p>2:15 PM - Flight LA 7021 departs Phoenix (Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport)</p> <p>7:46 PM - Flight LA 7021 arrives Atlanta (Atlanta Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport)</p> <p>Conf: GUTCHK</p> <hr/> <p>10:15 PM - Flight LA 2483 departs Atlanta (Atlanta Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport)</p> <p>Conf GUTCHK</p>
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Day	Flight
Day 13 Saturday Feb 28, 2026	<p>2:15 PM - Flight LA 2038 departs Iquitos (Coronel FAP Francisco Secada Vignetta Intl Airport)</p> <p>4:00 PM - Flight LA 2038 arrives Lima (Lima Jorge Chavez International Airport)</p> <p>David Seat 2A Nada Seat 2C Confirmation EXBMSY</p> <p>24/7 Flight Support #646-490-3494</p> <hr/> <p>11:40 PM - Flight LA 6356 departs Lima (Lima Jorge Chavez International Airport)</p>
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YOUR ACCOMMODATIONS

Day	Accommodation	Details	Nights
February 17 - 21, 2026	Country Club Lima Hotel	Terrace Golf View Suite <i>Breakfast Included</i>	4
February 21 - 28, 2026	Aqua Nera	Suites	7

## MAP



### Key Dates

- 1) February 17 - 21: Country Club Lima Hotel, Lima
- 2) February 21 - 28: Aqua Nera, Iquitos



**DAY 1**  
**MONDAY • FEBRUARY 16, 2026**

**Flight from Phoenix to Atlanta**

- 2:15 PM · Depart Phoenix (Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport)
- LATAM Airlines Flight LA 7021
- 7:46 PM · Arrive Atlanta (Atlanta Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport)

**Conf: GUTCHK**

**Flight from Atlanta to Lima**

10:15 PM · Depart Atlanta (Atlanta Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport)

LATAM Airlines Flight LA 2483

Conf GUTCHK

**Aqua Nera Packing List**

**Activity overview**

Life is casual on board the Aria Amazon and the Aqua Nera.

**We recommend you bring the following items:**

- Comfortable walking shoes
- Quick drying and lightweight clothing
- Lightweight long pants
- Lightweight rain gear
- Long-sleeved tops for jungle excursions
- Wide-brimmed hat
- Sunscreen
- Sunglasses
- Extra socks
- Mosquito repellent with DEET 7 (OFF is recommended)
- Your camera! With charger, extra batteries and memory cards

- Bathing suit
- Binoculars 8x12
- Converters

**Aqua Expeditions provides the following on board:**

- Rubber boots for wetland excursions
- Waterproof ponchos with hoods to protect against rain
- A metal Water Bottle as a gift
- A water decanter in every suite refilled with fresh water everyday
- A hairdryer in every suite
- 220-volt outlets in every suite

**Gratuities Guidelines for Aqua Expeditions**

The quality of service should determine the amount of any tip. We recommend an amount in the range of US\$70- US\$95 per day for the crew. Per passenger, the total tip would therefore be somewhere between US\$210-US\$285 for the 3-night cruise, US\$280-US\$380 for the 4-night cruise, and US\$490-US\$665 for the 7- night cruise. Please bear in mind that this is merely a suggestion, since we believe that gratuities are a very personal matter. Tips can be paid by credit card or cash using the envelopes provided or the designated boxes. This will be explained in greater detail by your cruise director on board

## DAY 2 TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 17, 2026

### International Flights

#### Activity overview

Depart from your local airport into the designated international airport. Our itinerary system will track any flight changes; but it is your sole responsibility to adjust plans accordingly.

When preparing for international flights, managing jet lag is an important aspect to consider, especially if you're traveling across multiple time zones. Here are some effective tips to help you minimize the effects of jet lag:

1. **\*\*Adjust Your Schedule\*\***: A few days before your flight, try to gradually shift your sleeping and eating schedule to align more closely with your destination's time zone. This can help your body acclimate more easily upon arrival.
2. **\*\*Stay Hydrated\*\***: Drink plenty of water before, during, and after your flight. Dehydration can exacerbate feelings of fatigue and discomfort, making jet lag worse.
3. **\*\*Limit Caffeine and Alcohol\*\***: Both substances can disrupt your sleep patterns. It's best to avoid them, especially in the hours leading up to your flight and during the flight itself.
4. **\*\*Get Plenty of Sleep\*\***: Ensure you are well-rested before your trip. A good night's sleep can help you handle the stress of travel and reduce the impact of jet lag.
5. **\*\*Use Sleep Aids Wisely\*\***: If you struggle to sleep on planes, consider using sleep masks, earplugs, or even natural sleep aids like melatonin. However, consult with a healthcare professional before using any medication.
6. **\*\*Stay Active\*\***: During long flights, take breaks to stretch and walk around the cabin. This can improve circulation and help you feel more refreshed upon arrival.

7. **\*\*Expose Yourself to Natural Light\*\***: Once you arrive at your destination, spend time outdoors in natural light. This can help reset your internal clock and reduce jet lag symptoms.

By incorporating these strategies into your travel plans, you can enhance your experience and make the most of your international adventure. Safe travels!

## Welcome to Lima

Today you will arrive in Lima

### Area Overview

Formerly a port town where conquistadors transported Incan gold back to Spain, Lima was founded in 1535 by Francisco Pizarro but its history goes much deeper. Mud brick pyramids called huacas still stand in the middle of the city dating back to the Lima Culture, a pre-Inca society that thrived on the Central Coast between 200 AD and 700 AD. A visit to Larco Museum will acquaint travelers with 5,000 years of pre-Columbian history before jetting off on a tour of Peru.

Other highlights in Lima include The University of San Marcos, one of the oldest universities in the New World, San Lorenzo and Palomino Islands, the Monastery of San Francisco, the magnificent Catedral de Lima, the Convent of Santo Domingo, and colonial homes such as Torre Tagle Palace and Osambel House.

The city has become a premiere gastronomical destination, mixing Spanish, Andean and Asian cuisine, and consistently takes a spot or two on rankings of the world's top 10 restaurants. From humble dishes - the country boasts 4,000 types of potatoes - to sophisticated modern fare, foodies will not be disappointed dining out in Lima.

### Check in at Country Club Lima Hotel

Terrace Golf View Suite (Breakfast Included)

4 Nights

Confirmation Number: Hotel Confirmation Code: 6940SF033626 // Record Locator:  
HSKYNN

Location: Los Eucaliptos 590 San Isidro Lima, 27

#### Cancellation Policy:

Refundable. Cancellation deadline: 7 Day(s) prior to arrival.

#### Amenities:

- Upgrade on arrival, subject to availability
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#### Property Overview

Staying at Country Club Lima Hotel means being part of Lima's cosmopolitan history. Each of the hotel's corners and corridors hides a legend, a story, or a mystery. This storied, iconic establishment keeps transforming itself, preserving legends, celebrity visits, and countless social gatherings in one of the most exclusive areas of the capital.

The Pedro de Osma Museum donated 300 unique pieces of viceregal art to the hotel, which are showcased in the public spaces as well as in the salons and guest rooms. The gold leaf frames, careful carving techniques, and history portrayed on the canvases speak to the pieces' unique and unmistakably Peruvian history.

## Fast Facts

### Highlights

Be seduced by the Peruvian flavors of the Perroquet Restaurant

Enjoy 300 pieces of colonial art that was donated to the hotel

Take a necessary break to let the energy of the water wash away your stress at Yaku Spa

### Quick facts

83 rooms

Restaurant

Bar

Swimming pool

Spa

Gym

Golf course

Event & meeting facilities

Wifi

## Flight from Atlanta to Lima

5:00 AM · Arrive Lima (Lima Jorge Chavez International Airport)

**DAY 3**  
**WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 18, 2026**

**Central Tasting Menu Lunch**

**Overnight at Country Club Lima Hotel**

■ Terrace Golf View Suite (Breakfast Included)

DAY 4  
THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 19, 2026

Dinner reservation at Maido

5:00 PM • Start Time

7:00 PM • End Time

Location: Ca. San Martín No. 399, Miraflores 15074, Peru

Reservation: David Cooper - 2 People

Thursday, February 19, 2026, 5:00 PM

Maido is one of Lima's most celebrated restaurants and a global reference for **Nikkei cuisine**, the fusion of Japanese techniques with Peruvian ingredients. Under the direction of chef Mitsuharu "Micha" Tsumura, Maida delivers an immersive tasting-menu experience that is refined, inventive, and deeply rooted in both cultures.

The restaurant is known for transforming local Peruvian produce—fresh seafood from the Pacific, Amazonian ingredients, native tubers, and seasonal herbs—into dishes that showcase Japanese precision and creativity. Each course is carefully constructed, balancing textures, flavors, and storytelling. Expect preparations such as elevated nigiris, seafood broths, Amazon-inspired bites, and bold reinterpretations of classic Peruvian dishes with Japanese influence.

The atmosphere is modern yet warm, with subtle details that evoke Japanese minimalism and Peruvian craftsmanship. Service is polished, attentive, and designed to guide guests through the multi-course journey.

Maido consistently ranks among the top restaurants in the world and offers a gastronomic experience that is both sophisticated and surprising—perfect for travelers seeking a memorable high-end culinary highlight in Lima.



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## Overnight at Country Club Lima Hotel

Terrace Golf View Suite (Breakfast Included)

## DAY 5 FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 20, 2026

### Mayta Experience with Unique Pairings

7:30 PM • Start Time

Contact Information: +937220734

Website: <https://www.maytalima.com/>

Location: Av. Mariscal La Mar 1285, Miraflores

The Mayta Experience is the restaurant's signature tasting menu — a refined, multi-course journey that explores the flavors, ingredients, and culinary traditions of Peru. Carefully designed by chef Jaime Pesaque, it showcases the country's biodiversity through a sequence of creative, beautifully plated dishes.

Each course highlights a different region or ingredient: fresh seafood from the Pacific, herbs and grains from the Andes, fruits and roots from the Amazon, and native products that reflect Peru's deep cultural heritage. The dishes balance technique and storytelling, blending traditional flavors with contemporary interpretation. Expect a progression of textures, colors, and aromas that evolve throughout the meal.

The experience is immersive and sensorial, designed to be enjoyed slowly — typically over two to three hours. Pairings, whether wine or cocktails, are curated to complement the menu's evolution. The Mayta Experience is ideal for guests seeking a sophisticated, modern expression of Peruvian cuisine and one of Lima's most memorable fine-dining highlights.

### Activity overview

Mayta is a contemporary Peruvian restaurant in Lima, created by chef Jaime Pesaque. Its name means "Noble Land" in the Aymara language, reflecting the restaurant's mission to honor Peru's rich culinary heritage. The experience blends refinement, innovation, and deep respect for local ingredients.

The cuisine is a modern interpretation of Peru's three main regions — the coast, the Andes, and the Amazon. Mayta highlights native products such as seasonal seafood, Andean tubers, Amazonian herbs, and local fruits, reimagined with sophisticated techniques and elegant presentation. The tasting menu, known as the Mayta Experience, offers a curated journey through these diverse landscapes, while the à la carte menu allows guests to enjoy individual dishes with bold flavors and artistic plating.

The atmosphere is modern, warm, and minimalist, with an emphasis on natural materials that create a calm, refined environment. Service is polished and attentive, guiding guests through each course with context and storytelling. Mayta is widely recognized as one of Lima's standout restaurants, known for offering a creative, expressive, and memorable gastronomic experience.

## Overnight at Country Club Lima Hotel

Terrace Golf View Suite (Breakfast Included)

## DAY 6 SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 21, 2026

### Check in at Aqua Nera

Suites

7 Nights

#### All-inclusive experience

- All meals while on board
- Selected house wines and beer, non-alcoholic drinks
- Twice-daily excursions with expert local guides
- Group transfers to/from vessel when traveling on recommended flights
- Pacaya Samiria entrance fee
- Laundry
- Unlimited access to high-speed Wi-Fi

### Property Overview

Setting a new standard for luxury river cruising on the Amazon, Aqua Nera draws design inspiration from the Peruvian Amazon's mystical black water lagoons and bears the hallmarks of contemporary style and generous interiors that Aqua Expeditions cruise ships are known for.

Aboard the Aqua Nera, award-winning architects Noor Design crafts every space to perfection. The vessel's 20 spacious design suites convey a sense of Amazon tranquility, while the social spaces showcase refined elegance with a touch of drama. Tastefully woven into the design are accents and details from the rubber boom era and the colorful cultures of Portugal, Spain, and Peru.

### Experience & Activities

Aqua Nera operates alongside the Aria Amazon, taking guests into the depths of the Peruvian Amazon in the comfort of luxury. The cruise features cuisine by Pedro Miguel Schiaffino, one of Peru's finest chefs, who is celebrated for creating refined cuisine from native Amazonian produce. Every day, expert naturalist guides conduct small-group excursions that reward guests with up-close wildlife encounters in the world's most biodiverse rainforest.

## Fast Facts

### Highlights

River cruise ship custom built to explore the Peruvian Amazon

Dedicated 1:1 crew to guest ratio

Naturalist guides conduct small-group excursions that offer up-close wildlife encounters in the world's most biodiverse rainforest

Always all inclusive

### Quick facts

20 suites across two decks

Outdoor top deck plunge pool

Spa treatment room

Indoor and outdoor bars

Cinema screening room

Billiards room

Artisanal boutique

Observation deck with outdoor sunbeds

Lobby lounge

Top deck gym overlooking the river

Indoor dining room and outdoor private dining

Al fresco breakfast area, weather-permitting

Dedicated Health & Safety Officer with onboard medical equipment

## Check out from Country Club Lima Hotel

### Welcome to Arequipa

Today you will arrive in Arequipa

### Area Overview

The sun shines 300 days of the year in Arequipa, the second largest and most beautiful city in Peru. Framed by three volcanoes, El Misti, Pikchu Pickchu and Chachani, this colonial city is filled with baroque buildings carved out of white and pink volcanic stone, romantic cobblestone streets winding through the Old City sector, and ornate plazas set within the architecture of the past.

The magnificent Cathedral takes up an entire side of the city square and has survived fire, volcanic eruption, and earthquakes over the last 400 years. The city is famous for its picanterias, spicy food restaurants specializing in stews and casseroles cooked over open fire. About 160 km (99 mi) northwest of Arequipa is Colca Canyon which, at 3,400 m (11,155 ft) deep, is the second deepest canyon in the world and one of Peru's most-visited tourist destinations.

### Flight from Lima to Iquitos

- 11:40 AM · Depart Lima (Lima Jorge Chavez International Airport)
  - LATAM Airlines Flight LA 2019
- 1:30 PM · Arrive Iquitos (Coronel FAP Francisco Secada Vignetta Intl Airport)

David Seat 2A

Nada Seat 2C

Premium Economy Class

**Confirmation EBXMSY**

**24/7 Flight Support #646-490-3494**

### IQT airport to Cruise Port

- 1:30 PM · Depart Airport Arrival Lobby
  - Transfer Duration: 30 minutes
- 2:00 PM · Arrive Cruise Port

Booked By: Aqua Nera

Provider: Aqua Nera

Group transfer between airport and port if booked on our recommended flights

\*Separate arrangements can be made for morning arrivals.

If not on the recommended flight, the meeting point for the shared transfer is at 2:00 PM at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Iquitos

## Embarkation Day

After arriving on a noon flight\*, receive a warm welcome at Iquitos International Airport by our crew and enjoy lunch at a local restaurant before boarding Aqua Nera.

Settle into your generously sized suite as you begin one of life's greatest adventures. Following an introduction from our naturalist guides and a routine safety drill, gather at the restaurant for the first of many Amazonian cuisine experiences created by Aqua Nera's renowned consulting chef, Pedro Miguel Schiaffino.

**DAY 7**  
**SUNDAY • FEBRUARY 22, 2026**

**Welcome to YANAYACU YACAPANA / YARAPA RIVER / UCAYALI RIVER**

Today you will arrive in YANAYACU YACAPANA / YARAPA RIVER / UCAYALI RIVER

**Area Overview**

Aboard our comfortable skiffs, we set sail from the Amazon River to the Yanayacu Yacapana River. Ready your binoculars to spot tropical songbirds, black collared hawks and sloths. Line-fish for Amazon's notoriously ferocious piranhas while our naturalist guides share their knowledge of the Amazonia. In the afternoon, we sail to Yarapa River, a black water tributary of the Ucayali River. Here we'll embark on a stargazing session and an excursion in search of nocturnal wildlife.

**Overnight at Aqua Nera**

Suites



**DAY 8**  
**MONDAY • FEBRUARY 23, 2026**

**Welcome to CLAVERO LAKE / MARAÑON RIVER**

Today you will arrive in CLAVERO LAKE / MARAÑON RIVER

**Area Overview**

We get an early start to the day to explore Clavero Lake aboard our comfortable skiffs. Here, villagers rely on traditional dugout canoes to get around. You'll have the opportunity to swim in the lake's calm waters or visit native residents of Amazonia who will welcome you to their community with open arms. In the afternoon, we will explore the majestic Marañon River in search of different kinds of wildlife.

**Overnight at Aqua Nera**

Suites

**DAY 9**  
**TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 24, 2026**

**Welcome to NAUTA TOWN**

Today you will arrive in NAUTA TOWN

**Area Overview**

**The Birthplace of the Amazon**

In the morning, take a guided visit to the local market and marvel at the regional produce of the Peruvian Amazon, and sample exotic snacks if you wish. After breakfast, visit a group of Amazonian artisans and learn the art of weaving palm fibers, as traditionally done in the Peruvian Amazon. In the afternoon, visit a beekeeper in the community of San Francisco before heading out on skiffs to witness one of the great spectacles of the Southern Hemisphere, the birthplace of the Amazon River. By nightfall, you will meet the new passengers who signed on for the four-night trip, as we start our journey together along the Marañon River.

**Overnight at Aqua Nera**

Suites

**DAY 10**  
**WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 25, 2026**

**Welcome to MARAÑON RIVER / YANAYACU PUCATE RIVER**

Today you will arrive in MARAÑON RIVER / YANAYACU PUCATE RIVER

**Area Overview**

Rise with the sun for an early morning birdwatching session along the Marañon River and enjoy breakfast in the middle of the jungle.

Next, visit an Amazonian village where you'll be able to interact with native ribereños and witness an Aguaje palm harvesting demonstration. Later, go swimming, kayaking, or canoeing in the Yanayacu-Pucate River and keep an eye out for the legendary pink river dolphins. Next, enjoy biking through the natural landscapes along the riverbanks in the Pacaya Samiria Reserve.

After lunch, tap into your spirituality if you'd like, under guidance from a Kukama Kukamiria healer with expertise in connecting with nature. Finally, head out on skiffs again after dinner to cruise along the Yanayaquillo River for stargazing and searching for nocturnal wildlife.

**Overnight at Aqua Nera**

Suites

**DAY 11**  
**THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 26, 2026**

**Welcome to SAMIRIA RIVER**

Today you will arrive in SAMIRIA RIVER

**Area Overview**

The rewards for our early start today are plentiful: a full day excursion including a picnic lunch orchestrated to the tune of the jungle symphony, fishing along the black waters of the Samiria River, and an option to go canoeing, kayaking, swimming, or on a jungle walk inside the Pacaya Samiria National Reserve. On the way back to the Marañon River after lunch, we venture out by skiff keeping an eye out for pink river dolphins.

**Overnight at Aqua Nera**

Suites

**DAY 12**  
**FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 27, 2026**

**Welcome to NAUTA CAÑO RIVER / JUNGLE WALK**

Today you will arrive in NAUTA CAÑO RIVER / JUNGLE WALK

**Area Overview**

As the day begins, embark on a morning wildlife excursion on the extraordinary black water Nauta Caño River. If you wish, embark on a bike ride from Puerto Prado Village to Santa Cruz Village along the riverbank. In the afternoon, take a jungle walk while looking for flora and fauna which may include medicinal trees, insects, and poison dart frogs. Learn more about the different rainforest strata and ecosystems.

Before dinner, meet the incredible crew who've been working behind the scenes to ensure your exceptional experience aboard Aqua Nera.

**Overnight at Aqua Nera**

Suites

**DAY 13**  
**SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 28, 2026**

**Check out from Aqua Nera**

**Welcome to AREQUIPA/ MANATEE RESCUE CENTER**

Today you will arrive in AREQUIPA/ MANATEE RESCUE CENTER

**Area Overview**

In the morning, take a guided visit to the floating town of Belen for an insight into the lives of locals in the Peruvian Amazon.

Return to Aqua Nera for breakfast before disembarkation. En route to the airport, visit the Manatee Rescue Center, where orphaned Amazonian manatees rehabilitate before they are released back into the wild.

**Flight from Iquitos to Lima**

- 2:15 PM · Depart Iquitos (Coronel FAP Francisco Secada Vignetta Intl Airport)
- LATAM Airlines Flight LA 2038
- 4:00 PM · Arrive Lima (Lima Jorge Chavez International Airport)

David Seat 2A

Nada Seat 2C

**Confirmation EXBMSY**

**24/7 Flight Support #646-490-3494**

**Flight from Lima to Atlanta**

11:40 PM · Depart Lima (Lima Jorge Chavez International Airport)

LATAM Airlines Flight LA 6356

**DAY 14**  
**SUNDAY • MARCH 1, 2026**

**Flight from Lima to Atlanta**

6:35 AM · Arrive Atlanta (Atlanta Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport)

**Flight from Atlanta to Phoenix**

○ 8:10 AM · Depart Atlanta (Atlanta Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport)



LATAM Airlines Flight LA 7022

○ 10:35 AM · Arrive Phoenix (Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport)

## COSTS

Country Club Lime \$1991.28

Aqua Expeditions \$18144

### **Notes:**

Please note that some activities mentioned within the itinerary may incur additional costs unless noted below.



## BTA PREPARE FOR YOUR TRIP: TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS

### Passports & Visas

Passport Requirements: Please be aware of the passport requirements for your upcoming trip.

- We strongly recommend that you check your passport's validity and the number of blank pages available well in advance of your departure date. If your passport does not meet the requirements, we advise you to renew it as soon as possible to avoid any travel disruptions
- Checking the expiration date of your passport well in advance allows you ample time to renew it if necessary. Many countries require that your passport be valid for at least six months beyond your planned departure date. Failing to meet this requirement may result in denied entry or even being turned away at the airport.
- To validate your passport's expiration date and to understand the specific entry requirements for your destination country, we recommend visiting the official website of your country's passport agency or consulate. These websites provide accurate and up-to-date information regarding passport validity, visa requirements, and any additional entry regulations specific to each country.
- For travelers from the United States, the official website of the U.S. Department of State ([travel.state.gov](https://travel.state.gov)) offers comprehensive information on passport requirements, including a passport validity checker tool. This tool allows you to enter your destination country and travel dates to determine if your passport meets the necessary validity requirements.
- Additionally, it is essential to familiarize yourself with any visa requirements for your destination country. The same official websites mentioned earlier will provide information on visa requirements and how to obtain them.
- Please note that failure to meet the necessary travel document requirements may result in denied entry or other travel disruptions. We encourage you to thoroughly research and comply with all relevant travel regulations to ensure a smooth and hassle-free journey.
- If you have any questions or need assistance regarding travel document requirements, our team is available to provide guidance and direct you to reliable resources.

**Disclaimer: Boutique Travel Advisors (BTA) would like to emphasize that it is the sole responsibility of our clients to ensure they possess valid passports, visas, and have met all other necessary requirements prior to travel. While we are here to provide guidance and support, BTA cannot assume responsibility for verifying or ensuring the validity of our clients' travel documents. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.**

### Health & Vaccines

The CDC and WHO recommend that travelers to Peru be up to date on routine vaccines and receive additional vaccinations for diseases found in the country. These include:

- **Hepatitis A:** Recommended for all travelers because it's spread through contaminated food and water.

- **Typhoid:** Recommended for most travelers, especially those visiting rural areas.
- **Yellow fever:** Recommended for travelers over 9 months old who will be in areas below 8,200 feet in elevation, such as Amazonas, Loreto, San Martín, Ucayali, Junín, and Madre de Dios. The vaccine should be given at least 10 days before traveling.
- **Rabies:** Recommended for long-stay travelers and those who may come into contact with animals.
- **Chickenpox:** Recommended for travelers who have not had chickenpox.

## Gratuities

Tipping expectations in Peru vary depending on the type of service and the establishment:

- **Restaurants** In upscale restaurants, a 10–15% tip is customary, and a service charge may already be included. In tourist restaurants, a 10–15% tip is also expected. In locally-run or family-owned restaurants, tipping isn't expected, but you can round up the bill or leave a few soles as a token of appreciation.
- **Bars** A common tip is 5–6 soles, or 10% if you're eating bar food.
- **Tours** For day tours, you can tip 15–17 soles per person for a half-day tour and 20–25 soles per person for a full-day tour. For guided private tours, you can tip 30–35 soles per person for a half-day tour and 50–60 soles per person for a full day. For multi-day treks, guides often rely on tips as part of their income.
- **Other services** You can tip 1–2 soles to taxi-hailing doormen, 5–7 soles per day to housekeeping, and 5 soles per bag to airport porters. You can also tip 10% to drivers for trips longer than 30 minutes or if traffic is bad in Lima.

## Travel Insurance

Please request a trip insurance quote from your BTA travel advisor. Or, you can self-book trip insurance with Arch Roam Right, our preferred provider, using this [LINK](#).

Arch Roam Right Contact Information

Emergencies can escalate quickly when you are traveling away from home.

In a medical emergency or for travel assistance, call our Emergency Response Center at +1-866-891-6614

If you are outside the US, make sure to dial the appropriate country code or call collect if necessary.

BTA highly recommends the purchase of travel insurance.

You can't prevent the unexpected from happening before or during your trip, but you can help protect your trip costs if it does. Because whether you are at home or on vacation, life happens – and that can affect your travel plans.

Many of Arch RoamRight's travel protection plans offer the following benefits. Check your plan benefits carefully to make sure you're getting the coverage you need:

Trip cancellation and interruption benefits

Lost and delayed baggage benefits

Possible waiver of the pre-existing conditions exclusion when conditions are met

Emergency accident and sickness medical coverage

Medical evacuation coverage

24/7/365 emergency assistance (non-insurance feature)\*

What Your Travel Advisor May Do:

Employees of a Travel Retailer MAY transact Travel Insurance on our behalf and under our direction, including:

Offering/disseminating information on our behalf, including brochures, buyer guides, descriptions of coverage, and price;

Referring specific coverage/feature/benefit questions to us;

Disseminating/processing applications for coverage, coverage selection forms, or other similar forms;

Collecting premiums on our behalf; and

Receiving/recording information to share with us.

What Your Travel Advisor May Not Do:

The Travel Retailer's employees:

Are NOT qualified or authorized to answer technical questions about the benefits, exclusions, or conditions of any of the insurance offered by the Travel Retailer; or

To evaluate the adequacy of a prospective insured's existing insurance coverage.

## BTA TERMS & CONDITIONS

### **BOOKING CONFIRMATION, PAYMENT TERMS AND CANCELLATION POLICIES FOR FULL PACKAGES:**

Pricing and Availability are subject to change and cannot be guaranteed until a 30% deposit has been made. Boutique Travel Advisors will start immediately to book any reservation inquired within 24 hrs (work hours / local time). In the event that the service is not available anymore or is subject to price changes, Boutique Travel Advisors will communicate to the Client the supplement.

Boutique Travel Advisors requires 30% down payment and balance 60 days prior to Client's arrival either by bank wire or by credit card:

A cancellation of a confirmed package is always subject to penalty (30%)

(a) Cancellation received 61 days before the date of the experience: Refund 70%

(b) Cancellation received after 60 days is non-refundable.

### **BOOKING CONFIRMATION, PAYMENT TERMS AND CANCELLATION POLICIES FOR SPECIALS SERVICES:**

Boats services, helicopters tours/transfers, special vehicles, special locations may have different cancellation policies. Generally, are not refundable but depends of the season, kind of service, destination.

### **Boutique Travel Advisors General Terms and Conditions**

#### **CONTRACTING PARTIES:**

These Terms and Conditions are legally binding between the traveler(s) and Boutique Travel Advisors, LLC., hereinafter referred to as BTA.

#### **ACCEPTANCE OF THESE TERMS:**

Terms and Conditions must be accepted to begin the itinerary design process.

#### **PASSPORT & VISAS:**

Passport holders are responsible for obtaining the required documentation applicable for entry. Passports must be valid for at least six (6) months after completion of your journey and should also have sufficient blank pages for visas and immigration stamps. BTA cannot be held responsible should you be denied entry to a country due to non-compliance with these requirements. Should you require specific information ahead of travel, please consult the travel advice produced by the government of your home jurisdiction and that of the government that issued your passport and/or visa.

#### **PLANNING FEES:**

BTA is a service-based travel advisory firm. Our planning and management fees are collected before beginning the design process. Planning and management fees are non-refundable and vary depending on the complexity of the trip. In addition, fees may increase if the scope of services changes, as mutually agreed upon between parties.

#### **ITINERARY:**

Accommodation and arranged sightseeing are subject to change at any time due to unforeseen circumstances or circumstances beyond BTA's control. Every effort will be made to operate tours and activities as planned, but alterations may occur after the final itinerary has been issued.

BTA reserves the right to withdraw a tour or any part of it, to make such alterations to the itinerary or the tour inclusions as it deems necessary or desirable, and to pass on to tour members any expenditures or losses caused by delays or events beyond its control. In case of any appreciable variation in the tour price due to these circumstances, BTA reserves the right to adjust the tour costs.

### **TAXES AND GRATUITIES:**

Certain airline fees (such as baggage costs) and hotel taxes imposed by city and state governments are typically not included in the quotation unless specified. Likewise, gratuities for guides, drivers, porters, and hotel and cruise staff are generally not included and are at the traveler's discretion. Additional city taxes may be imposed in specific destinations and must be paid on the spot.

### **EXCLUSIONS:**

The cost of obtaining vaccinations, passports, visas, excess baggage charges, food and beverages (except where specified), laundry services, telephone calls, and personal expenditures, unless expressly included in writing, are not included.

Certain services are subject to additional fees and will be charged to your card on file upon providing such service:

- \* Airline research fees (inclusive of ticketing fee) - \$50-\$75/person for travel within the continental US
- \* Airline research fees (inclusive of ticketing fee) - \$100-\$150/person for Hawaii, Alaska, and international destinations
- \* Restaurant reservations start at \$100 per week
- \* A la carte tours and events - \$50/tour
- \* A la carte rail tickets - \$30/per person
- \* Spa reservations - \$30/per reservation

Apartments and villa rentals:

- \* Finder's fee for apartment and villa rentals: Up to 15% of net rental rate.
- \* Percentage will be determined based on net versus commissionable rate offered by the property manager.

### **CHANGES AND CANCELLATIONS**

- \* Changes to the itinerary made post final payment are subject to \$100-\$150 fee per occurrence
- \* BTA reserves the right to charge a service fee of up to 10% of the booking costs if trip is cancelled by you after the first deposit. BTA encourages you to submit cancellation fees as part of claim in the event that you have trip insurance and deem your cancellation to be for a covered reason.

Note: Other supplier cancellation terms & conditions may apply and are the traveler's sole responsibility.

- \* Cancellation terms & conditions assessed by suppliers are specific to each booking. Your travel may not be refundable and/or subject to cancellation or rebooking fees.
- \* While we can not guarantee reimbursement, change and cancellation fees should be submitted with any trip insurance claim made due to cancellation for a covered reason.

### **AFTER-HOURS ASSISTANCE AND SERVICES:**

BTA advisors are available Monday- Friday during standard business hours on MST and an appointment basis.

Travel itineraries booked with destination management companies and wholesalers may include complimentary after-hours customer support, in-destination emergency contacts, and concierge service lines.

After-hours support with a BTA advisor during travel is subject to \$100/hour, billed in 1-hour increments. The fee will be charged at the time of service.

### **SPECIAL REQUESTS:**

Specific requests, including connecting rooms, bedding configurations, room assignments, and meal preferences, should be advised at the time of booking. While we make an effort to secure special requests, they cannot be guaranteed.

### **PRICES & ARRANGEMENTS**

The price for your custom itinerary includes planning, handling, and operational charges and is quoted based on the current exchange rates and tariffs.

Entrance fees for scheduled sightseeing tours are included in this price when specified.

This price is subject to revision in line with significant changes in foreign currency, tariff rates, taxes etc.

Quote and proposals are subject to change & availability until confirmed.

### **DESCRIPTIONS AND IMAGERY**

Photographs, videos, imagery, and descriptions used by BTA are intended to present an example of the types of sights, experiences, and scenery you may encounter in your travel destination. However, due to circumstances beyond our control, it is foreseeable that some destinations will change in appearance.

BTA cannot guarantee sightings of animals in the wild or marine life in its natural habitat. We are also not responsible for inclement or undesirable weather.

### **CONFIRMATION OF SERVICES**

A non-refundable itinerary design fee is required to begin the planning process. Typically, a non-refundable deposit is required at the time of booking to secure custom travel components.

The deposit amount will be specified at the time of booking and varies depending on the supplier's Terms and Conditions.

The client understands that BTA's Terms and Conditions may vary from those of cruise lines, land operators, airlines, hotels, and other travel companies involved in your trip. All applicable Terms and Conditions shall be enforced.

### **PAYMENT METHOD:**

Payments may be made by the following methods:

- Credit card
- Bank transfer

Travelers are liable for all bank and related transaction charges. Some suppliers may charge additional credit card processing fees. These fees are strictly the responsibility of the traveler.

### **CREDIT CARD MERCHANT:**



We also strongly recommend that you use a credit card for your purchase, so that you can exercise your rights under the Fair Credit Billing Act if you do not receive the services you purchased. However, if we are the credit card merchant, our role is to facilitate the sale, collect funds on your behalf, and remit those funds to the Suppliers. If the Suppliers do not provide the services, your only recourse would be against the Suppliers, and you agree not to initiate a chargeback against us.

### **FLIGHT PREPARATION:**

BTA recommends that you check your flight for any changes at least 48 hours before departure and check in before arrival at the airport when possible. We recommend that you arrive at the airport 3 hours before traveling internationally and at least 2 hours before flying domestically. BTA is not liable for any travel interruption or disruption.

### **RISKS OF TRAVEL AND TRAVEL RELEASE:**

BTA assumes no responsibility for and shall not be liable for the acts or omissions on the part of any other party not under our control or any acts of God, unsafe conditions, terrorism, health hazards including pandemics, illness, weather hazards, or the suitability for a disabled person of any portion of any trip. We have no special knowledge of dangers during travel or at destinations.

For information related to such hazards, we recommend you visit the State Department travel website at [www.travel.state.gov](http://www.travel.state.gov), click on "Find International Travel Information," then click on "Country Information," and fill in the name of the destination country.

For medical and health information, we recommend you visit the Centers for Disease Control website at [www.cdc.gov/travel](http://www.cdc.gov/travel), then click on "Destinations" and scroll to the destination country's name. It is your personal decision to travel, and you are doing so with full knowledge of current travel recommendations and travel restrictions regarding the risks of COVID-19 or any other pandemic.

### **FORCE MAJEURE:**

Force majeure means unusual and unforeseeable circumstances beyond BTA's control or the control of our suppliers, the consequence of which neither BTA nor its suppliers could avoid even with all due care, including, but not limited to, war, threat of war, riot, civil strife, terrorist activity (actual or threatened), industrial dispute, unavoidable technical problems with transport, machinery or equipment, power failure, changes imposed by rescheduling or cancellation of flights by an airline, natural or nuclear disaster, fire, flood, drought, adverse weather conditions, epidemics or outbreaks of illness and level of water in rivers.

In the event of a cancellation or material alteration to the trip as a result of the circumstances as described in this clause, BTA may, in their sole and absolute discretion: a) offer the traveler (s) alternative travel arrangements or products of comparable standard as may be appropriate in the circumstances; or b) if BTA does not offer alternative travel arrangements or products, BTA will make every effort to obtain a prompt proportional refund of monies paid by the traveler to the suppliers.

YOU HEREBY EXPRESSLY ASSUME ALL OF THESE RISKS AND DANGERS, AND YOU HEREBY EXPRESSLY AGREE TO RELEASE FOREVER, DISCHARGE, AND HOLD US, AND OUR AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, ASSOCIATES, AFFILIATED COMPANIES, GUIDES, GROUP LEADERS, AND SUBCONTRACTORS HARMLESS AGAINST ANY AND ALL LIABILITY, ACTIONS, CAUSES OF ACTIONS, SUITS, CLAIMS, AND DEMANDS OF ANY AND EVERY KIND AND NATURE WHATSOEVER WHICH YOU NOW HAVE OR WHICH MAY HEREAFTER ARISE OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH THESE RISKS AND DANGERS.

**CLAIMS DEADLINE AND EXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION:**

You agree to present any claims against us within 30 days after your travels end and to file suit within one year of the incident, and you acknowledge that this expressly limits the applicable statute of limitations to one year. Any unresolved disputes arising out of or in connection with our services shall be finally settled under the Rules of Arbitration of the International Chamber of Commerce by one or more arbitrators appointed in accordance with the said Rules.