# Brazil + Argentina 9 days/ 8 nights

# Rio de Janeiro (3n) + Foz do Iguacu (2n) + Buenos Aires (3n)

A trip through the magnificent Rio de Janeiro, combined with the Iguassu Falls and Buenos Aires. You will see green hills, blue sky, rocky mountain and beautiful beaches in Brazil, while seeing the world widest falls the next day. Your trip ends in Argentina where you can dance the Tango and enjoy the Argentinean way of life!

Fixed	Dates
Departure	
04.01.2020	25.07.2020
18.01.2020	08.08.2020
01.02.2020	22.08.2020
15.02.2020	05.09.2020
07.03.2020	19.09.2020
04.04.2020	03.10.2020
18.04.2020	17.10.2020
02.05.2020	31.10.2020
16.05.2020	14.11.2020
30.05.2020	28.11.2020
13.06.2020	05.12.2020
27.06.2020	12.12.2020
11.07.2020	

Dreams Come True 2020							
<b>4* Hotels:</b> Mirador Copacabana (3N) +	1 Pax		2 Pax	3 Pax			
Viale Cataratas	SGL	SGL	DBL	SGL	DBL	TRL	
(2N) + Hotel City Baires (3N)	\$ 3,644	\$ 2,685	\$ 2,232	\$ 2,411	\$ 1,958	\$ 1,869	

<sup>\*</sup>Total Person per Person in USD,

Magnific Dreams Come True 2020								
5* Hotels: Miramar (3N) + Mabu	1 Pax		2 Pax		3 Pax			
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Resort (2N) +Sofitel Buenos Aires Recoleta Hotel (3N)	\$ 4,824	\$ 3,865	\$ 2,904	\$ 3,591	\$ 2,629	\$ 2,483		

<sup>\*</sup>Prices per person.

#### Day 1. Rio de Janeiro

Take in the breathtaking view as your plane descends upon Rio de Janeiro – the 'Marvellous City' where rolling green hills, turqoise ocean, sandy beaches and high-rise urban development is all packed together in a unique blend of life and humanity. Your driver will take you from the airport to the hotel. The natural beauty of Rio is almost transcendental and gives you a taste of the Amazon rainforest while still retaining everything that is so incredible about a Latin American city. A walk along the mosaic tiles of Copacabana reveals much about the life of a 'carioca' (Rio local) – a refreshing caipirinha as the waves lap against the shore, a fiercely competitive game of foot volleyball, and thousands of beachgoers sunning themselves on the white sands. You have truly arrived in paradise.

After accommodation and rest you will have an excursion to H. Stern factory of precious stones!

It is one of the world's oldest factories for processing precious and semi-precious stones. Here you can see the works of skilled jewelers and make great purchases!

## Day 2. Rio de Janeiro

After breakfast in your hotel you will be taken to the mythical Sugarloaf mountain, protruding abruptly from out of the ground like an asteriod just fallen from space. A magnificent cable car ride will take you up to Urca Mountain, the stop off between around level and Sugarloaf. From there you can enjoy a smooth cocktail or sample some of Brazil's many signature dishes. Once arriving to the top of Sugarloaf mountain you will see the captivating beauty of Rio from a different angle, To your left you can see Copacabana beach stretching off into the distance, and on the horizon the faint outlines of Two Brothers and Gávea mountains. Below you is the quaint and intimate Red Beach, while to your right you can see across Guanabara Bay to Niterói and, closer in, Rio's Botafogo and central neighborhoods, with the unmistakable silhouette of Christ the Redeemer casting its eternal gaze over the city. This trip is essential to gain a different perspective on Rio, and to truly understand its beauty. After descending the mountain by cable car, you will head into the Old Town and Centre, where colonial architecture still remains and many old churches such as the Candelária are still in use. The cobbled streets and bright colors are a stark contrast to the whitewashed, sunsoaked streets of Ipanema but in many ways are part of the authentic, nearly-forgotten Rio of old, and one can almost feel the hustle and bustle of hundreds of years ago when these streets were filled with merchants and citizens of the Portuguese Empire.

#### Day 3. Rio de Janeiro

#### Tour to Corcovado Mountain + Crist the Redeemer Statue

After a delicious tropical breakfast in your hotel, you will head out on a trip to see the world-famous Christ the Redeemer statue on top of Corcovado Mountain. A specially designed train will take you from the foot of the mountain along a winding road through the magical Tijuca rainforest where you will see some of the enchanting tropical wildlife on constant display in Rio, such as toucans, monkeys and armadillos. At the summit of Corcovado, 700m above sea level, proudly stands the iconic image seen around the world – a 38m high statue of Christ the Redeemer. But that is not the only breathtaking thing about this place – when up close to the statue you will be overwhelmed by the stunning panoramic view of the city, so high up it seems as though you are truly flying with the birds around you. From the far reaches of Guanabara Bay, to the Maracanã Stadium, all along to Sugarloaf Mountain, Copacabana, Ipanema and Gavea Mountain, you can see the whole of Rio de Janeiro.

# Day 4. Rio de Janeiro – Foz do Iguacu

Transfer to the airport with driver only. Flight to **Foz do Iguacu**. Arrival in Foz do Iguacu airport. Meeting at the airport with your driver.

## Day 5. Foz do Iguacu

After breakfast in the hotel we start your excursion to the Brazilian side of the falls. A tranquil and calming walk along the edge of the falls provides the most spectacular view you have ever seen; over 250 falls overflowing with millions of gallons of water racing furiously down straight from the Amazon River. The sunlight flashing off the water has the mesmerising effect of creating hundreds of rainbows as far as the eye can see. It is almost hard to believe, such is the breath-taking beauty of the rainforest paradise. After taking in the incredible views, the path takes you to the eye of the storm, the largest waterfall in the park, The Devil's Throat. Water crashes off an 80m cliff edge into the Iguazu River, but you have the chance to meet

the water via a walkway that leads you into the heart of the waterfall. Feel the power of the water as it surrounds you from all sides, before heading up a stairway to look down from above on the mother of all waterfalls. At the end of the tour, your guide will drop you off at your hotel (entrance ticket included).

# Day 6. Foz do Iguacu-Buenos Aires

After the breakfast, your Guide picks you up at the hotel for a full day adventure in Foz do Iguacu. The Argentinean side is different from the Brazilian; you will walk on paths through the falls which give you the opportunity to have a look under the falls. You feel the strength of the falling water from up close and enjoy the 55.500 hectares natural park surrounding this spectacular beauty! Within the park, take the train to the marvelous devils throat the strongest of all the waterfalls. Stand directly above the falling water and admire the strength of this natural phenomenon. At the end of the tour you will be transferred to the airport for your flight to Buenos Aires.

Arrival in Buenos Aires. Meeting and transfer to the hotel in Buenos Aires. Accommodation and rest in the hotel.

### Day 7. Buenos Aires

After breakfast, our guide will pick you up at your hotel for a half day city tour in Buenos Aires. This panoramic tour will take you through the highlights of South America's most European and cosmopolitan city. We'll drive along 9 de Julio Avenue where the renowned Colón Theater and the Obelisk, symbols of our city, are located. We'll visit Plaza de Mayo, surrounded by important historic buildings like the Casa Rosada, the Cathedral and the City Hall. We'll also visit Plaza San Martin, Alvear and Plaza del Congreso. The tour will drive us along the old fashion Avenida de Mayo and the dynamic Avenida Corrientes. Explore neighborhoods filled with colors and history, like La Boca and San Telmo, and the sumptuous neighborhoods of Palermo, Recoleta and the modern Puerto Madero, a busy gastronomic and entertainment area.

In free time after the tour you can do shopping or walking. Return to hotel and overnight.

#### Day 8. Buenos Aires

Today you are going to have a Tigre tour with an English-speaking group. Leaving the city by the North Coastline Avenue, we will watch the outstanding view of one of the widest rivers on the world, Rio de la Plata. Being outside the city, we will go along Del Libertador Avenue, edged with ancient trees, place of beautiful houses where the aristocratic families used to live during the summer. Reaching to San Isidro neighborhood, the fruit trees located at the sidewalks show evidence to us that hundred of farmers founded this area 300 years ago. Free time stop to visit the main Square (Plaza Mitre), San Isidro Cathedral and the handicraft market. Once more we will get in the bus to go to Tigre neighborhood, our last destination. Tigre is a Natural Paradise with rivers, river branches and islands, which is impossible to be reach by car. That is why we will take one of the typical trip boats for an hour journey along the main rivers and also along their narrow branches which are the most interesting places to visit there. A natural area chosen as a touristic destination by the aristocratic families in the past it is at present the perfect place for all the social classes. Once the trip by boat is over, we take the bus to go back to Buenos Aires City. Return to hotel and overnight.

# Day 9. Buenos Aires

After breakfast at the hotel, you will be transferred to the international airport to take your departure flight on time.

The times for optional excursions will be adjusted to your wishes with best tour guides available for the day!

#### Prices include:

- Accommodation at the mentioned hotels in the program or similar;
- > Excursions as described in the program in private basis or regular services with an English-speaking guide;
- All transfers airports/ hotels/ airports with Driver only.
- ➤ Domestic flights Rio de Janeiro Foz do Iguacu Buenos Aires

#### Prices don't include:

- Optional excursions;
- Meals & beverages not mentioned;
- International flight;
  - \*All the hotels can be substituted by a similar class hotel
  - \*\* This program availability and prices will be confirmed upon booking

# Excursions with additional charge:

# Rio by night Show

# Rio by night/Rio Escenario Show

If evening entertainment is what you're looking for then Rio never disappoints. The Rio by Night and Rio Escenario shows provide a feast of 'carioca' (Rio native) culture. In an extraordinary stage setting, you will be treated to the world's best samba, capoeira, bossa nova and forró dancers all with that classic Carnival flavor! You will also be able to sample Brazil's famous cuisine, washed down with a fruity caipirinha (dinner and drinks not included). Once the show is over, your driver will take you back to the hotel

#### Helicopter flight

You will enjoy spectacular views when you get in the helicopter at Sugarloaf. During the flight, you will discover magnificent sights below you, Praia Vermelha, Sugar Loaf, Copacabana, Ipanema & Leblon beaches, the huge statue of Christ and "Lagoa Rodrigo de Freitas".

# **Royal Petropolis**

Petropolis - is a city located in the mountains 60 km from Rio de Janeiro. King Pedro II bought land here in 1830 and built a summer palace here to bring a sick daughter, especially for the hot weather. European founders of the city built a lot of buildings, which were of German architecture. At the Royal Palace, many of antique furniture is preserved and household items of the royal family, which are now exhibited in the museum. It also stores jewelry, for example a gold crown with diamonds and pearls. Together with our guide you will visit the Gothic Cathedral, the burial of Princess Isabel, King Pedro II and his wife, and then go to the Royal Museum.

#### **Botanical Garden**

Within the Botanical Garden more than 7,000 species of plants are growing, including Imperial and surprisingly high palm trees and the most exotic and strange inhabitants of the Amazon Valley live there: The most famous plant is Victoria Regia, the giant water lily, with its huge floating leaves which bear the weight of up to five years old children.

#### Favela Tour - Rocinha

A Favela tour is an experience if you look for an insider point of view of Brazil. The tour introduces you to another Rio, within Rio city: the favela. There are close to 750 favelas in Rio. Mostly placed on former public areas on the hillsides, they are now home to 20% of Rio's population, however they remain a mystery for most people who don't live there. The tour is not only to explain about favelas, but to give you a whole new understanding about different aspects of Brazilian society. You will go to the favelas of Vila Canoas and Rocinha, the largest one in the country. Picturesque from a distance, once closer they reveal their complex architecture, developing commerce and friendly people. Most Samba Schools participating in the Carnival parade come from favelas. The tour changes their reputation of areas related only to violence and poverty. Don't be shy, you are welcome there, and local people support your visit. If you really want to understand Brazil, don't leave Rio without having done the Favela tour.

# **Great Adventure Boat Trip**

The Great Adventure takes you to meet the Iguazu Falls from a new point of view, but no less entrancing.

It all starts with a wonderful track by the Iguazú National Park. Walk six miles through the fully motorized Yacaratiá Sendero, which will take you from a subtropical vegetation, where flora and fauna coexist in harmony. Multilingual guides pass information about the curiosities of the jungle. At the end of this wonderful journey you find Puerto Macuco. It's a ride in a special and very safe boat, passing true the island Isla Martín. The boat then on a superspeed takes you directly into the falls! Sparks of water and the adrenalin felt cannot be described in words and has to be felt! And yet you have the privilege of passing very close to the famous Garganta del Diablo.

# Helicopter flight over the Waterfalls

The tour takes you for flying over the words' widest falls!

The picture is stunning, and the tourist will get the best photographs of this nature show. The flyby allows the visitor to have a sense of the scale of the landscape, making the most different emotions arise.

# **Tango Show & Dinner**

Tango is still very much alive. A good way of feeling its spirit is visiting one of the restaurants that offers tango shows of an excellent level, to enjoy tango's sensual magnetism taken to the stage by some of the best dancers, singers and musicians in Buenos Aires!

After a delicious dinner, you will follow a spectacular presentation of acclaimed popular and sensuous Tango, performed by the world's best. It is the music of Buenos Aires par excellence. Tango is felt in the air of the city, the city breathes Tango!!

# Full day tour in Montevideo from Buenos Aires

A driver will take you to the port of Buenos Aires, where you will pick up a ferry boat to Montevideo city by Colonia del Sacramento. Upon arrival at Montevideo, a guide will be waiting for you for a panoramic city tour.

This walk covers the most important points of the city's Old Town and new residential neighborhoods. Inside the old city is visited: Independence Square, where the old Citadel Gate (Montevideo was a fortified city), then comes Matrix Square where the Montevideo Cathedral, The Cabildo, Plaza Zabala and Teatro Solis, all these pieces of history of the city. Then its the Palacio Salvo, first high-rise building in the city, Plaza de El Entrevero, continuing to the Legislative Palace where the Uruguayan Parliament meets.

The tour continues visiting the following suburbs: The Prado, with its ancient history which houses the Government House, the Parque Batlle, which runs the Estadio Centenario, La Carreta Monument and the residential neighborhoods of Carrasco and Pocitos. The return is by the coast to the center of Montevideo.

At the end of the tour, you will get back to port to take a ferry boat back to Buenos Aires. Upon arrival, only a driver will take you to your hotel.

#### Fiesta Gaucha Santa Susana

Estancia Santa Susana is located in Los Cardales, 80 kms North of Buenos Aires. Upon arrival you will be received with a glass of Argentine wine and will be invited to taste "empanadas", typical small cakes with various options like meat, cheese & ham, chicken or vegetables. Whilst you enjoy horseback riding or just a relaxing stroll in the countryside and after visiting the 'gaucho' museum, a superb BBQ of premium beef will be prepared for lunchtime. After lunch an impressive folkloric dance and cowboys show will be presented before returning to Buenos Aires. This is full day tour runs from Tuesdays to Sundays.

CITY	OPTIONAL SERVICES	1 PAX		2 PAX		3 PAX	
	Rio de Janeiro By Night (Show) - 3 hrs	\$	354	\$	230	\$	188
	H.D Bahia de Guanabara (Not incl Transfers) (SIB/SHARED)	\$	74	\$	74	\$	74
	Helicopter Flight 1 Sugar Loaf: Praia Vermelha-Sugar Loaf-Copacabana Beach-Ipanema Beach-Leblon beach- 6/7 minutes (min 3 pax-does not include transfer)	\$	200	\$	200	\$	200
BRAZIL	F.D Imperial Petrópolis - 6 hrs (Mondays closed) (Private, Russian guide)	\$	618	\$	313	\$	213
	H.D Botanical Garden-4 hrs (Mondays Closed) (Private, Russian guide)	\$	302	\$	157	\$	109
	H.D Favela Tour 3hrs jeep (SIB/SHARED)	\$	76	\$	76	\$	76
	RAFAIN Dinner & Show (Private, Russian guide)	\$	293	\$	187	\$	175
	Macuco Safari (Russain guide)	\$	147	\$	147	\$	147
	Helicopter Flight 10 min min 3 pax -Flight 2 over Cataratas + National Park (Brazilian Falls Extension)	\$	267	\$	267	\$	267
	Bird Park (Russain guide)	\$	63	\$	63	\$	63
ARGENTINA	Tango show and dinner with regular	\$	109	\$	109	\$	109
	Montevideo with transfers in Montevideo and Buenos Aires (ferry is not incl)	\$	664	\$	664	\$	664
	Colonia with transfers in Montevideo and Bueno Aires (ferry is not incl)	\$	370	\$	370	\$	370
	Gaucho with Russian guide	\$	822	\$	414	\$	291

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