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Classic Antarctica

Expedition cruise to the Antarctic Peninsula
& South Shetland Islands.
Aboard the M/V USHUAIA

January 2025 13-night base tour

Jan. 12-15, 2025 - 3-night Iguazu Falls (optional)

Jan. 15-28, 2025 - 4 night Land & 9 night Cruise Tour

Jan. 28-Feb.1, 2025 - 4-night Bariloche (optional)

CRUISE

Day 1: Depart from Ushuaia

Embark the **USHUAIA** in the afternoon and meet your expedition and lecture staff. After you have settled into your cabins we sail along the famous Beagle Channel and the scenic Mackinlay Pass.

Day 2 & 3: Crossing the Drake Passage

Named after the renowned explorer, Sir Francis Drake, who sailed these waters in 1578, the Drake Passage also marks the Antarctic Convergence, a biological barrier where cold polar water sinks beneath the warmer northern waters. This creates a great upwelling of nutrients, which sustains the biodiversity of this region. The Drake Passage also marks the northern limit of many Antarctic seabirds.

As we sail across the passage, Antaply Expeditions' lecturers will be out with you on deck to help in the identification of an amazing variety of seabirds, including many albatrosses, which follow in our wake. The USHUAIA's open bridge policy allows you to join our officers on the bridge and learn about navigation, watch for whales, and enjoy the view. A full program of lectures will be offered as well.

The first sightings of icebergs and snow-capped mountains indicate that we have reached the South Shetland Islands, a group of twenty islands and islets first sighted in February 1819 by Capt. William Smith of the brig Williams. With favorable conditions in the Drake Passage our lecturers and naturalists will accompany you ashore as you experience your first encounter with the penguins and seals on Day 3.



All Itinerary details are subject to change until Tour finalization.

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Day 4 to 7: Exploring the Antarctic Peninsula and the South Shetland Islands

The South Shetland Islands are a haven for wildlife. Vast penguin rookeries, beaches ruled by Antarctic fur seals and Southern elephant seals make every day spent in this amazing island group unforgettable. Sailing through the narrow passage into the flooded caldera of Deception Island is breathtaking.

King George Island, the largest of the South Shetland Islands, features colonies of nesting Gentoo and Chinstrap Penguins, Kelp Gulls, Blue-eyed Cormorants, Antarctic Terns and Southern Giant Petrels and is home to scientific bases of many different countries. Chinstrap and Gentoo Penguins as well as elephant seals await you at Livingston Island.

The Antarctic Peninsula's remarkable history will provide you with a type of excitement often only associated with the early explorers. You will have plenty of time to explore its amazing scenery, a pristine wilderness of snow, ice, mountains and waterways, and an incredible wide variety of wildlife. Apart from penguins and seabirds you are very likely to see Weddell, crabeater and leopard seals as well as Minke, killer (orca) and humpback whales at close range.

We hope to navigate some of the most beautiful waterways (depending on the ice conditions): the Gerlache Strait, the Neumayer Channel, and the Lemaire Channel, the latter are narrow passages between towering rock faces and spectacular glaciers. We plan to make at least two landings per day and possible landing sites may include:

Paradise Bay is perhaps the most aptly named place in the world and we attempt a landing on the continent proper. After negotiating the iceberg-strewn waters of the Antarctic Sound, we hope to visit the bustling Adélie Penguin (over 100,000 pairs breed here) and Blue-eyed Cormorant colonies on Paulet Island. The Nordenskjöld expedition built a stone survival hut here in 1903. Today its ruins have been taken over by nesting penguins.

Further exploration may take you to the Melchior Island group, Cuverville Island, Portal Point, Neko Harbour, Pléneau Island and if ice conditions permit, to Petermann Island for a visit to the southernmost colony of Gentoo Penguins.

Day 8 & 9: At Sea crossing the Drake Passage, northbound

We leave Antarctica and head north across the Drake Passage. Join our lecturers and naturalists on deck as we search for seabirds and whales and enjoy some final lectures. Take the chance to relax and reflect on the fascinating adventures of the past days on the way back to Ushuaia.

Day 10: Arrival in Ushuaia

We arrive at the port of Ushuaia in the early morning and disembark the **USHUAIA** after breakfast.

3-night Iguazu Falls

PRE-TOUR OPTIONAL



12 Jan 2025

Transfer Ezeiza Int'l Airport / centrally located Hotel (40 km) Cruise passengers.
Private services with English Speaking Guide



Reception and assistance by guide with identification sign from meeting point at Ezeiza Int'l Airport. Transfer to hotel. Overnight.

12 Jan 2025

Sofitel Buenos Aires Recoleta



Room: Superior Room - Buffet Breakfast Included.

In: 12 Jan 2025 - **Out:** 13 Jan 2025

IMPORTANT: Additional tax to be paid locally- Please check

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13 Jan 2025

Transfer centrally located hotel / local airport (15 km)
Cruise passengers-Private services with English Speaking Guide

Transfer from hotel to Jorge Newbery Airport. Guide will accompany to check-in counter.



The city of Puerto Iguazu is located in the northeastern region of Argentina, 1,200 km from the city of Buenos Aires. Its latitude is 25 ° South, while its length is 54 ° West. It has 40 thousand inhabitants and borders with Paraguay and Brazil. With the latter country shares one of the most impressive natural attractions in the world: the Iguazu falls, which has been declared World Heritage by UNESCO, and in 2012 was considered one of the seven Natural Wonders of the world.

The Falls are within the Iguazú National Park, characterized by its varied vegetation and fauna of subtropical climate, where high temperatures and humidity of the environment are felt.

You can also visit the point of the Triple Frontier, where Argentina meets Brazil and Paraguay. Shops are open from 9:00 to 21:00 hours and restaurants, approximately between the hours of 12:00 and 15:00 hours and 19:00 and 22:00 at night.

There are banks, ATMs and Money exchanges. You can use dollars, but we advise you to carry pesos if there is any payment of revenues (taxes) to the Argentine National Park.

Iguazu is connected by air with Buenos Aires, Salta, Rosario and Mendoza.

THE CLIMATE AND WHAT TO PACK IN THE SUITCASE

In summer the temperature averages 30° C. The cooler months, can reach about 15° C. Depending on the destination at which time when you pack your luggage, you should consider wearing light clothing such as shirts, t-shirts, shorts, comfortable shoes for long walks in the National Park trails and swimsuits

It is advisable to take sun guard, insect repellent, caps and sunglasses.

13 Jan 2025

**Transfer Iguazu Airport / Hotel (25 Kms.)
Private Service with English speaking Guide**



Reception and assistance by guide with identification sign at meeting point in the Iguazu International Airport; transfer to hotel. Overnight.

13 Jan 2025

Panoramic Grand



Room: Classic Room - Buffet Breakfast Included.

In: 13 Jan 2025 - **Out:** 15 Jan 2025

IMPORTANT: Additional tax to be paid locally- Please check

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13 Jan 2025

**Excursion to Brazilian side of the Falls
Private Service with English Speaking Guide - Half Day**



Depart from the hotel crossing the Tancredo Neves and Juan D. Perón Bridge that connect the Argentinian city of Puerto Iguazu with the Brazilian city of Foz de Iguazú. The tour continues towards the Iguazu National Park, one of the largest vegetation reserves in Brazil. Arrive at the visitors' center where passengers transfer to a bus for a tour inside the park and up to the beginning of the boardwalks located at the edge of the cliffs of the Iguazu River, which extend almost a kilometer. During the walk is possible to see the San Martín Island, and be amazed by the sight of the waterfalls of Bossetti, San Martín and Three Musketeers. The observation deck found towards the end of the walk offers a unique view of Devil's Throat from a distance of just 150 meters away. This amazing scenery is enhanced by the constant formation of rainbows. The visit ends next to the Salto Floriano fall where there is a small store with access to the panoramic elevator that is at the visitor's disposal. At the end of the tour, a long stairway leads to the

area where visitors are transferred back to the hotel. The daily tours are scheduled preferably in the mornings due to the position of the sun over the waterfalls.

Entrance Fee Not Included



13 Jan 2025 Entrance to Brazilian National Park



The Guide will give you the entrance ticket to the National Park

**14 Jan 2025 Excursion to Argentine side of the Falls
Private Service with English Guide - Full day**



Depart from the hotel to visit the Argentine side of the Iguazu Falls, located within the Iguazu National Park. With an extension of 67.000 hectares the park has been declared a Natural Patrimony of Humanity by UNESCO. The Falls are integrated by 275 waterfalls that fall from an average altitude of seventy meters. The starting point is the “Central Station”, from which visitors can choose to take the train that goes to “Falls Station” or the one that goes to “Devil’s Throat Station”. From these points it is possible to carry out diverse excursions:

The superior walk is a walk of 800 meters on footbridges, elevated over the surface of the terrain so as not to obstruct or/frighten the fauna. On this walk, visitors can observe the waterfalls from the upper part of the Dos Hermanas, Bosetti, Bernabé Méndez, M’Bigua Falls, among others. It lasts for an hour and the range of difficulty is low, there are no stairs.

The inferior walk, is a 1,600 meters walk on footbridges elevated over the surface of the terrain, where visitors can see the two sisters, Alvar Nuñez, San Martín, and Bosetti falls and the Rock de la Bella Vista. Visitors can also have a panoramic view of the Devil’s Throat and the Río Iguazú Inferior Canyon. This walk lasts for two hours and the range of difficulty is moderate, with stairs.

The Devil’s Throat excursion starts at the “Devil’s Throat Station” to go walking through the footbridges for about 1,200 meters which allow the visitor to enjoy the view of the most important waterfall of the Falls. The excursion lasts two hours, and the range of difficulty is low, there are no stairs. The return is done by train up to the Visitors Center. Once the excursion ends, return to the hotel. Lunch is not included in this visit.



14 Jan 2025 Entrance to Argentine National Park



The guide will deliver the entrance ticket to the National Park.

**15 Jan 2025 Transfer Hotel / Iguazu Airport (25 Kms)
Private Service with English speaking Guide**



Transfer from hotel to Iguazu International Airport. The guide will escort you to the sector of your company.



**15 Jan 2025 Transfer local airport / Centrally located hotel (15 km) Cruise passengers.
Private services with English Speaking Guide**



Reception and assistance by guide with identification sign at Jorge Newberry Airport. Transfer to hotel. Overnight.

15 Jan 2025 **Transfer Ezeiza Int'l Airport / centrally located Hotel (40 km) Cruise passengers.**
Private services with English Speaking Guide



Reception and assistance by guide with identification sign from meeting point at Ezeiza Int'l Airport. Transfer to hotel. Overnight.

15 Jan 2025 **Sofitel Buenos Aires Recoleta**



Room: Superior Room - Buffet Breakfast Included.

In: 15 Jan 2025 - **Out:** 17 Jan 2025

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15 Jan 2025 **Dinner at Estilo Campo Restaurant - Del Campo Menu without drinks**
***Dinner.**



15 Jan 2025 **Transfer Hotel Centrally located / Restaurant / Hotel**
Private services with English Speaking Guide



Transfer from hotel to restaurant. Reception and guide assistance during meal service. Return to hotel.

15 Jan 2025 **Tips included at superior Restaurants**



16 Jan 2025 **City tour northern zone and residential areas with La Recoleta Cemetery**
Private service with English Speaking Guide - Half day 3hrs



The tour heads first to the area of La Recoleta, one of the most sophisticated and most expensive districts, where some of the priciest stores are located. The neighborhood was named after the Augustine's Recoletos monastic order, which at the turn of the 18th century, built there a church and a small cloister. The famous cemetery (former orchard of the monastery) attracts visitors for its location, its rich architecture and the important Argentine historic, social

and political personalities buried there, the best know probably being Eva Peron. Alongside the cemetery, we find Nuestra Señora del Pilar church and the Recoleta Cultural Center (former cloister). Another traditional building in Recoleta is the Palais de Glace, nowadays an art exhibition center, but originally an ice rink and center of high-society gatherings back in the 1920s when the tango left behind its humble origins and became protagonist. All these buildings are surrounded by luscious green areas boasting centennial trees such as San Martin de Tours and Francia squares and the more modern Carlos Thays Park. Leaving behind La Recoleta, the tour moves on northwards to the residential neighborhood of Palermo, a mix of artsy-bohemian areas and sumptuous ones. We visit the area known as “Barrio Parque” (also known as “Palermo Chico”) where the rich and famous live, and where there are also several embassies, and other landmarks such as the National Library, the Law School of the Buenos Aires University, the Latin-American Museum of Art of Buenos Aires (MALBA) and particularly the Tres de Febrero Park which comprises the Rosedal, the Japanese Garden, the Botanic Garden and the Planetarium. Return to hotel.



16 Jan 2025

City Tour of the Southern Districts and Historical sights
Private Service with English Speaking Guide - Half Day (3 hs)



Buenos Aires, cosmopolitan city that unveils its immigrant heritage at every step. The tour heads first to Plaza de Mayo, original site of the Plaza de Armas by 1581, date of the second and definite foundation of the city. This is the historical and political core of the city and it is interesting to discover the history of its main buildings and monuments: the Pirámide de Mayo, the Casa Rosada (Presidential Palace), the colonial Cabildo and the Metropolitan Cathedral. We continue along Avenida de Mayo, interesting for its different architectural styles, to reach 9 de Julio Avenue, with its eight lanes embellished with lawns, fountains and sculptures, and of course the Obelisco, undisputable emblem and gravitational center of the city. From here the tour travels back in time to San Telmo, the oldest districts in the city, where each Sunday an antiques' market takes place, and which boasts an attracting night vibe with gourmet restaurants, lively bars and, of course, the “tanguerías” (restaurants with live tango). Moving on southwards, we reach the picturesque port district of La Boca, with its famous alley Caminito whose colored tin houses and customs reflect the influence of the 19th century European immigrants in the typical “cantinas” (small restaurants) and “conventillos” (tenement houses). The visit continues to the recovered district of Puerto Madero, with its old port warehouses turned into offices, apartments, world-class restaurants and bars that mingle with modern skyscrapers, creating an attractive urban landscape. After the visit, return to the hotel.



17 Jan 2025 **Transfer centrally located hotel / local airport (15 km)**
Cruise passengers-Private services with English Speaking Guide

Transfer from hotel to Jorge Newbery Airport. Guide will accompany to check-in counter.



When you arrive to Ushuaia, you will find you are at the most southern point of our country and our continent, about 3,000 km from the city of Buenos Aires and at 54 ° 48' South latitude, 68 ° 19' West longitude. It has a population of 70 thousand inhabitants. Ushuaia is located in the province (county) of Tierra del Fuego and is the gateway to Antarctica. It is the place where the cordillera de los Andes finally rests on the sea, and this allows one to appreciate a unique landscape. Lapataia Bay, South extreme point where the National route Nº 3 ends, 3.079 km from Buenos Aires and 17.848 km of Alaska located in Tierra del Fuego National Park. If you have enough time, you can't miss the Maritime Museum and the Presidio de Ushuaia. You'll find banks and ATMs.

THE CLIMATE AND WHAT TO PACK IN THE SUITCASE

From June to September, the days are cold. Temperatures range between - 5 ° C and 4° C. Precipitation in the form of snow allows the practice of winter sports such as skiing, snowboarding and ice skating. In these months, the days are shorter since the sun rises at 10:00 AM and sunset is at 17:00 (5:00 PM). During the summer, the days are very extensive. The sun rises at 4:00 AM in the morning and stars at 22:00. Take warm clothes, both for winter and summer, waterproof jackets, comfortable shoes and sunglasses.

17 Jan 2025 **Transfer Airport / Hotel**
Private Service with English Speaking Guide



Reception and assistance by guide with identification from meeting point in Airport. Transfer to the hotel. Accommodation.

17 Jan 2025 **Las Hayas Resort Hotel**



Room: Las Hayas Resort Hotel - Standard room with breakfast

In: 17 Jan 2025 - **Out:** 18 Jan 2025



17 Jan 2025 **City tour with Maritime and Presidium Museum**
Private Service with English speaking Guide - Half Day (2 hs 20 Kms.)
Museum entrance included



Visit the city of Ushuaia, the southernmost city in the world, capital of the province of Tierra del Fuego. Located almost 3500 km away from the city of Buenos Aires, Ushuaia is set in a privileged location between the Beagle Channel and the Martial Mountain chain, with peaks reaching up to 1500 meters. Off its coast, through the Beagle Channel, the Chilean islands of Navarino and Hoste can be seen. The circuit allows you to appreciate the different points of the city's attractions, such as the old town, the deep-water port, the steep streets that climb up the Andean slopes, some of the typical houses of the first settlers of the city and the historical building of the former national prison of Ushuaia, whose construction began in 1902 and was completed in 1920. The tour concludes with the visit to the Maritime and Presidium Museum. Ushuaia has grown by the sea but also under the watchful gaze of the prison. Both the Maritime and the Prison Museums bear witness to the passing of time in this southern land. While one tells the great adventures of seafarers, the other narrates the lives of those condemned to seclusion. After the excursion, return to the hotel.



18 Jan 2025

Tierra del Fuego National Park and Bahía Lapataia Tour
Private Service with English Speaking Guide - Half Day (4 hs. 50 Kms.)



Departure from the hotel west bound to the Tierra del Fuego National Park, the only one in the country with sea coast, located twelve kilometers from the city of Ushuaia. There you can enjoy a ride with multiple panoramic views of the Beagle Channel, wrapped in the enchanting environment that provides the last foothills of the Cordillera de Los Andes before diving into the ocean and Andean-Patagonian forest, made up of diverse tree species -such as , cherry trees, ñires, notros, among others and different flowers, such as orchids, violets and senecios. A tour between valleys and peat bogs leads to the Lapataia River and Laguna Verde. Continue along the final stretch of National Route 3, which ultimately culminates at Lapataia Bay. Here, the early inhabitants of the area left their imprint in the "concheros", incredible archaeological sites that provide interesting information about their ancient customs. From here return to Ushuaia, making a stopover on the way to admire Rock Lake, which is characterized by the color of its waters, which vary according to the weather. After the excursion, return to the hotel.

Entrance Fee included



18 Jan 2025

Transfer Hotel / Port (without city stop)
Private Service with English speaking Guide



Transfer from the hotel to the Cruise Terminal. The guide will accompany to check-in

counter **19/26 JAN 2025** Onboard the MV/Ushuaia

27 Jan 2025 Transfer ConnectionCruise Port / Airport with stop in city
Private Service with English speaking Guide



Reception and assistance by guide from meeting point in cruise terminal. Transfer to downtown. Free time for a walking tour and later transfer to the airport. The guide will accompany to check-in counter.



27 Jan 2025 Transfer local airport / Centrally located hotel (15 km) Cruise passengers.
Private services with English Speaking Guide



Reception and assistance by guide with identification sign at Jorge Newberry Airport. Transfer to hotel. Overnight.

27 Jan 2025 Sofitel Buenos Aires Recoleta



Room: Superior Room - Buffet Breakfast Included.

In: 27 Jan 2025 - **Out:**28 Jan 2025

IMPORTANT: Additional tax to be paid locally- Please check

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27 Jan 2025 Dinner and Tango Show at El Querandi
Private Service with English Speaking Guide - Pick up at hotel: 8.00 PM



Departure from the hotel towards the southern districts of Buenos Aires. The Tango music was born in the late 19th century in the “arrabales” (southern suburbs) of Buenos Aires, populated by “criollos” (Argentine natives), Italian and Spanish immigrants, some African descendants and people from many other countries. Their fights, their needs, their poverty, their passions, their pretense were the spark that created this mythical and passionate piece of Argentine culture. Its emotive lyrics are sometimes difficult to understand and almost impossible to translate but always deeply poetic. In 1920, this old colonial house was converted into the traditional bar, “El Querandi,” notable for its Art Deco facade, dark wood boiserie, and its Solomonian columns. For years it was preferred as a gathering point by writers, artists and students. Nowadays, it stands as one of those iconic places when the past returns so becoming the perfect venue for visitors to enjoy some excellent cuisine and a very traditional Tango Show. By midnight, after the show, return to the hotel.



28 Jan 2025	Transfer centrally located hotel / Ezeiza Intl. Airport (40 km)Cruise passengers.
	Private services with English Speaking Guide

Transfer from Hotel to Ezeiza International Airport. The driver will escort you to the sector of your company.

4-night Bariloche

POST-TOUR OPTIONAL

Transfer from hotel to Jorge Newbery Airport. Guide will accompany to check-in counter.



San Carlos de Bariloche is located 1,600 km from the city of Buenos Aires and is considered one of the most beautiful cities of the Patagonia Argentina due the beauty of their natural resources. Its latitude it is located 41 ° 13' South and its length to 71 ° 31' West. It has a population of 113 thousand inhabitants. It is located on the shore of the Nahuel Huapi Lake of glacial origin that surrounds and frames the city with its color.

The Andes mountains, lakes, streams, forests and melting rivers, make Bariloche a unique place to enjoy its landscapes and its people. There are still traces of the first Central European immigrants who came to the area, choosing it as a place where to settle. Surely, the scenario reminded them much home. Today, the typical constructions of stone and wood in conjunction with more modern constructions give Bariloche a special touch.

The Cerro Campanario (Bell Tower Hill) is one of the main attractions of this city. It is 1,050 metres in height, and is accessible by a chairlift. Once at the top, according to the National Geographic, one of the most beautiful panoramas in the world from where you can appreciate the Victoria Island, Lake Nahuel Huapi and Moreno, the Llao Llao, the San Pedro peninsula and the Mountains of the Andes.

Can be performed hiking, horseback riding, and sports of winter during the months from June to August.

Its gastronomy is characterized by smoked meats, fish, cheeses, fruits of the forest and traditional chocolate in branch, which is the gastronomic symbol of the place.

In the city there are several banks that operate from 8:00 to 13:00 and have ATMs. They accept credit cards, except in some places where there is no telephone line signal. There are two houses of exchange, so it is possible to go with foreign currency, which in turn, is also accepted in shops and restaurants.

Bariloche is connected by air to Buenos Aires, San Martin de los Andes, Calafate, Cordoba and Rosario. It allows the mountain range crossing by land, through Lakes that connect to Chile.

THE CLIMATE AND WHAT TO PACK IN THE SUITCASE

From December to March, the days are sunny and the daylight lasts until 22:00. The nights are chilly and the average temperature is 20° C. In winter, from June to September, the days are very cold and precipitation in the form of snow. Temperatures range between - 10° C and 0° C. Wrap jackets and waterproof and comfortable shoes for excursions is recommended.

28 Jan 2025

Transfer Airport / Downtown Hotel
Private Service with English Guide



Reception and assistance by guide with identification sign at meeting point in Bariloche Airport. Transfer to hotel. Accommodation.

28 Jan 2025

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Room: Standard Room - Buffet Breakfast Included.

In: 28 Jan 2025 - **Out:** 31 Jan 2025

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29 Jan 2025 **Small Circuit**
Private Service with English speaking Guide - Half day (3 hs.60 Kms.)



The tour starts in Bariloche traveling on Avenida Exeuil Bustillo, a winding paved road that borders the Nahuel Huapi Lake. Around km.8 is Bonita Beach, with views of Huemul Island. Ten kilometers ahead, after traveling through a variety of scenery, arrive at the foot of Mt. Campanario. Here there is a lift that transports travelers up to the summit, 1,050 meters above sea level. From this point we can see one of the most beautiful and fascinating views of the region. You will see lakes, Nahuel Huapi, Perito Moreno, Trébol, the San Pedro y Llao Llao peninsulas, Isla Victoria, Mounts Otto, López, Goye and Catedral and the city of Bariloche. Continuing the tour and after passing by the area of the San Pedro Península, Arrive at Llao Llao Peninsula, where the architectural jewels of the region, the great Hotel Llao Llao and the San Eduardo Chapel are located, just above Lake Nahuel Huapi, Puerto Pañuelo. The tour continue crossing golf courses, the Angostura Bridge, over the river of the same name that links Lakes Moreno and Nahuel Hapi, and the Lopez Bay, located at the foot of the mount of the same name. Further on arrive at Punto Panorámico, a natural balcony formation with views of Lake Moreno and the Llao Llao Peninsula. Then cross over the bridge on the narrow part of Lake Moreno, bordering Lake Trebol and two kilometers down the road, come to Av. Exequiel Bustillo at kilometer 18 where the tour circles back to the city. The tour ends at your hotel.



29 Jan 2025 **Access tickets to Campanario Mount**



30 Jan 2025

Tour of Mount Tronador**Private Service with English Speaking Guide - Full Day (9hs 200 Kms.)**

Depart from the hotel towards Mt. Tronador, 3478 meters above sea level, located only 90 kilometers from Bariloche. Travel on Ruta N° 258 and after bordering Lake Gutiérrez with views of Mt. Catedral, Arrive at Lake Mascardi. After traveling along the east shore, take a detour over the bridge of the Manso River. A thick vegetation runs along the road with views of Lake Mascardi. Just a few kilometers ahead there is a not-to-be-missed stop at an overlook, for a view of the spectacular landscape and to take pictures. Back on the road we head for the valley of the Manso River. We travel for fifteen kilometers and Arrive at the Gendarmería Nacional in the Pampa Linda area, where there is an inn, a campground and a restaurant for rest and relaxation. From this point you can walk to Mt. Tronador, going through a forest and passing by a glacier. After crossing the bridge over Arroyo Los Cesares, going through a shady wood, we Arrive at Glaciar Río Manso, commonly known as "Black Snowdrift." The tour ends shortly after at the foot of Mt. Tronador. The three peaks that are most characteristic are: the Argentino, 3,410 meters above sea level, the International, at 3,554 meters above sea level, and the Chileno, 3,410 meters above sea level. Return to the hotel. Winter season subject to weather conditions



30 Jan 2025

Entrance to Nahuel Huapi National Park

31 Jan 2025

Transfer Downtown Hotel / Airport
Private Service with English Guide

Transfer from hotel to Bariloche Airport. The guide will accompany to check-in counter.

BUENOS AIRES



31 Jan 2025

Transfer local airport / Centrally located hotel (15 km) Cruise passengers.
Private services with English Speaking Guide



Reception and assistance by guide with identification sign at Jorge Newberry Airport. Transfer to hotel. Overnight.

31 Jan 2025

Sofitel Buenos Aires Recoleta



Room: Superior Room - Buffet Breakfast Included.

In: 31 Jan 2025 - **Out:** 01 Feb 2025

IMPORTANT: Additional tax to be paid locally- Please check

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01 Feb 2025

Transfer centrally located hotel / Ezeiza Intl. Airport (40 km) Cruise
passengers.
Private services with English Speaking Guide

Transfer from Hotel to Ezeiza International Airport. The driver will escort you to the sector of your company.



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ESTIMATED PRICING

Rates are per person based on double occupancy							
Voyage:	Cabin Categories:						
	Standard Plus Triple	Standard Twin	Standard Plus Twin	Premier Twin	Premier Single	Superior Twin	Suite Twin
January 18-27, 2025 CLASSIC ANTARCTICA Antarctic Peninsula & South Shetland Islands (9 nights/10 days)	\$7,210.00	\$7,710.00	\$9,340.00	\$11,140.00	\$13,370.00	\$11,770.00	\$12,380.00
Land Portion of Main Tour - 4 nights (Jan. 15-18, 27-28, 2025)	\$2,010.24	\$2,010.24	\$2,010.24	\$2,010.24	\$2,010.24	\$2,010.24	\$2,010.24
Optional Extensions							
Iguaza Falls - 3 night pre-tour (Jan. 12-15, 2025)	\$1,108.80	\$1,108.80	\$1,108.80	\$1,108.80	\$1,108.80	\$1,108.80	\$1,108.80
Bariloche - 4 night post-tour (Jan. 28 - Feb. 1, 2025)	\$1,494.72	\$1,494.72	\$1,494.72	\$1,494.72	\$1,494.72	\$1,494.72	\$1,494.72
Flights							
Est Cost: Flights to and from USA*	\$1,100.00	\$1,100.00	\$1,100.00	\$1,100.00	\$1,100.00	\$1,100.00	\$1,100.00
Est Cost: Flights to and from Iguazu*	\$900.00	\$900.00	\$900.00	\$900.00	\$900.00	\$900.00	\$900.00
Est Cost: Flights to and from Ushuaia*	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00
Est Cost: Flights to and from Bariloche*	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00
*Estimate based on 2024 prices as of 5/26/23							
Est. Cost: 13-night Main Tour	\$10,520.24	\$11,020.24	\$12,650.24	\$14,450.24	\$16,680.24	\$15,080.24	\$15,690.24
Est. Cost: 13-night Main Tour, plus 3-night pre tour	\$12,529.04	\$13,029.04	\$14,659.04	\$16,459.04	\$18,689.04	\$17,089.04	\$17,699.04
Est. Cost: 13-night Main Tour, plus 4-night post tour	\$12,214.96	\$12,714.96	\$14,344.96	\$16,144.96	\$18,374.96	\$16,774.96	\$17,384.96
Est. Cost: 20-night Total Tour	\$14,223.76	\$14,723.76	\$16,353.76	\$18,153.76	\$20,383.76	\$18,783.76	\$19,393.76
Single Supplement							
Land Portion of Main Tour - 4 nights	\$725						
Iguaza Falls - 3 nights pre-tour	\$425						
Bariloche - 4 nights post-tour	\$750						
Note: Travel/Medical Insurance estimated at 8% of total trip cost							

Reservations and Payments

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RESERVE A SPOT

Please complete the form to save your cabin type and your spot.

<https://forms.gle/Tin1sfENNK4mvLdy6>

Your credit card will not be charged. This information is only being used to save your spot and determine cabin choices. You can cancel when final details and pricing is released if you are no longer interested.

There are limited amounts of cabins in different categories and it is important to reserve what you want.

Please contact
Marah Walsh
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215-208-0293

LAND TOUR

<u>TERMS & CONDITIONS</u>	
<p><u>PRICING:</u> Net prices per pax, in US dollars. This quotation is valid only for passengers quantities quoted. Confirmation subject to availability at the moment of reservation. This quotation is valid for 15 days. If definitive booking request is not received within this period prices shall be subject to revision. The prices quotes are not valid for special dates: Christmas/New Year Eve, Carnival, Easter, Argentine Holidays.</p> <p>Accommodation rates in Argentina and Chile do not include VAT according to the exemption granted to all persons resident in foreign countries.</p> <p>Please note that the price of the admission fee for national parks and reserves are subject to change.</p> <p>Please note that the net prices offered for optional tours/services that may be suggested in this quote are valid only if booked in advance. We do not guarantee the same prices for tours confirmed after client's arrival.</p>	<p><u>CANCELLATION AND PAYMENT CONDITIONS:</u> PAYMENT CONDITIONS: Prepayment Other prepayment terms may apply as informed upon confirmation.</p> <p>If payment had not been made by the specified date, bookings may be cancelled.</p> <p>Cancellation restrictions may apply as informed upon confirmation.</p>
<p><u>TRANSFERS AND ACTIVITIES POLICIES:</u> The sequence of the shared tours might be modified for operational reasons. Passengers will be informed upon arrival at each destination. Timing shall be reconfirmed to passengers upon arrival at each destination. Services length will be according to itinerary, any guest delay or extension will be charged to the guest or travel agent.</p> <p>Please note that arrival transfers include a maximum waiting time of 1 hour after flight landing. Elapsed said time the transfer will leave the airport. A second transfer may be provided upon passengers' request and at their own expense.</p> <p>Luggage allowance for transfers: one medium size suitcase per person plus one piece of hand luggage.</p> <p>Transportation for each passengers' basis:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 01/02 car - 03/04 6 seater minivan - 05/13 15/19 seater van - 14/19 24 seater minibus - 20/42 Bus. 	<p><u>TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS:</u> <u>Passport and Visa Requirements:</u> please check requirements with the Embassies of the countries included in the itinerary, as certain countries may require a visa, invitation letter, reciprocity fee or have a longer requested passport validity.</p> <p>It is the passenger's responsibility to have all the proper and valid documentation to enter the countries involved in the trip.</p> <p><u>Vaccination and Testing:</u> Certain countries require travelers to be vaccinated and/or tested for specific diseases prior to arrival. Check with the embassies, consulates or migrations websites of visited countries.</p> <p><u>Medical Advice:</u> Please note that certain activities and destinations might be not recommended for passengers with certain medical conditions due to altitude or required fitness requirements. Please check with your physician before travelling.</p> <p><u>TRAVEL INSURANCE</u> Travel insurance is required. The insurance should provide coverage for costs associated with trip cancellation or interruption, flight delays or cancellations, baggage or personal effect loss or robbery, medical expenses and any other incidentals.</p>
<p><u>ACCOMMODATION POLICIES:</u> Early Arrivals: for arrivals prior to check-in time, access to the room may not be gained immediately. In order to guarantee rooms for early check-in previous overnight shall be reserved and prepaid. Similar conditions apply for late check-out. Check-in time is usually at 15:00/16:00 hours – Check-out time is usually 12:00 hours.</p> <p>Early Breakfast: if due to flight schedule, breakfast were necessary prior to/or beyond regular service time it may require previous confirmation and be subject to extra chargers. It might also be served in a different manner.</p> <p>Please note that most hotels require passenger's credit card as a guarantee upon check-in for possible extra charges during the stay.</p>	<p><u>FORCE MAJEURE</u> In case modifications of the whole itinerary or part of it were necessary due to force majeure reasons (strikes, flight cancellations, airport closures, weather conditions, natural catastrophes, etc.), whether they occurred prior to passengers' arrival or during the trip, Eurotur shall not be deemed responsible for any additional costs incurred. Cancellation of any unused service shall be subject to penalties, and purchase of any new service required will be at passenger's own expense. Under all circumstances, Eurotur will be at passenger's disposal in order to assist with new necessary arrangements. Passengers are always advised to keep all relevant receipts for its later presentation at the airline or travel insurance if it corresponded.</p>



THE M/V USHUAIA



Originally built for the United States agency NOAA (National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration), the USHUAIA has been refurbished to accommodate a maximum of 90 passengers in 46 comfortable cabins and suites.

The ice-strengthened polar vessel USHUAIA is very well appointed and provides ample deck space and an open bridge policy. The full complement of inflatable landing craft ensures superb landings and wildlife viewing opportunities on the otherwise inaccessible coastline.

All cabins include ample storage space. Public areas feature a large dining room (one sitting), an open-plan observation lounge / lecture room with modern multimedia equipment, bar and a well-stocked library. There is also a small infirmary.

Our expert captain, officers and crew are highly experienced in Antarctic navigation and have a great love of nature. We provide a specialist team of international expedition leaders and lecturers, all extremely knowledgeable, enthusiastic, helpful and dedicated to the protection of the environment. Our chefs prepare excellent cuisine including many local specialties and the bar is well-stocked with carefully selected wines and spirits.



Accommodation:

Suites: 4 Outside cabins with windows on the upper deck G, private facilities, two lower berths, lounge, TV, DVD player and fridge. Suite 201 features two double beds, Suite 202 one double bed and a sofa bed. Suites 204 and 207 feature three lower single beds.

Superior: 9 Twin outside cabins with windows on the upper deck G, private facilities, two lower berths. Cabin 301 has one double and one single bed.

Premier: 6 Twin outside cabins with windows on the upper deck G, private facilities, two lower berths;
2 Single cabins with portholes (view obstructed by lifeboat) on the upper deck G, private facilities.

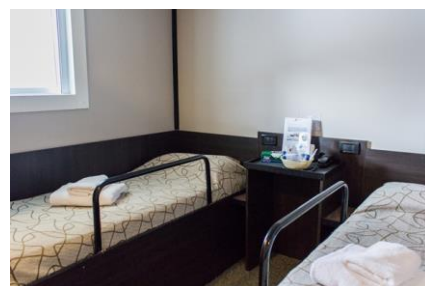
Standard Plus: 11 Twin outside cabins with portholes or windows on deck E, private facilities, two lower berths. Cabin 640 has one double bed.
2 Triple outside cabins with windows on deck E, private facilities, three lower berths.

Standard: 12 Twin outside cabins with portholes on deck E, semi-private facilities, two berths (upper/lower).

N.B. Semi-private facilities: Two cabins share one bathroom accessible from both cabins (shower and wc). Each cabin is also equipped with its own washbasin.



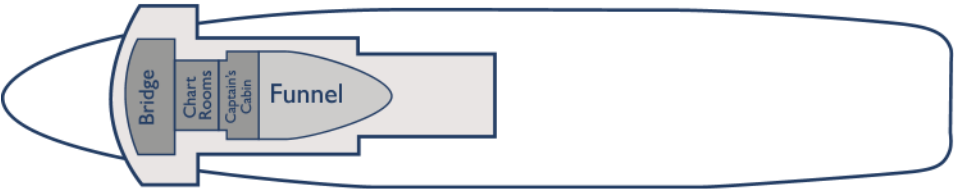
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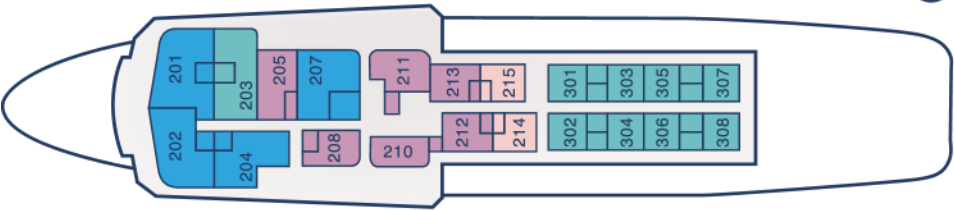
Standard Plus with window

M/V Ushuaia - DECK PLAN

BRIDGE DECK **H**

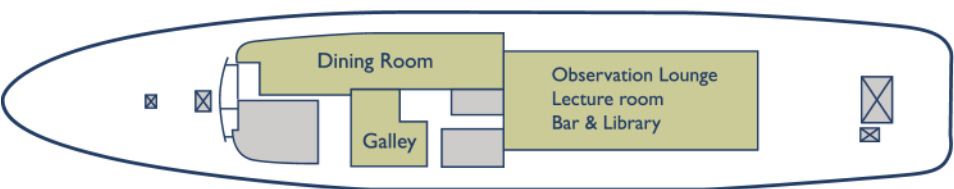


UPPER DECK **G**

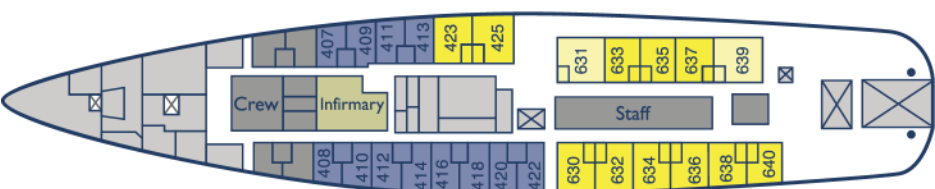


- 4 Suites
- 6 Premier twin private cabins
- 2 Premier single private cabins
- 9 Superior twin private cabins

MAIN DECK **F**



DECK **E**



- 12 Standard twin semi-private cabins
- 11 Standard Plus twin private cabins
- 2 Standard Plus triple private cabins



CRUISE OPERATOR - TERMS & CONDITIONS

Rates

All rates are quoted in US Dollars per person, based on twin or triple occupancy. Two dedicated Premier single cabins are available at a special single rate.

A limited number of twin cabins (except Suites) are available for single occupancy at 1.5 times the share rate. Suites may be reserved at 2 times the share rate. A third berth in the Suites and Superior #301 may be occupied at 50% of the published twin share rate.

Shared accommodation can be arranged on request.

All rates are subject to change and Antarpply Expeditions reserves the right to modify the published rates without prior notice.

Included in the cruise price:

- Voyage aboard the USHUAIA as indicated in the itinerary.
- All meals throughout the voyage aboard the USHUAIA.
- All shore excursions and activities throughout the voyage by zodiac.
- Program of lectures by noted naturalists and leadership by experienced expedition staff.
- All miscellaneous service taxes and port charges throughout the program.
- Comprehensive pre-departure material.
- Detailed post-expedition log.

Not included in the cruise price:

Any airfare, whether on scheduled or charter flights; pre- and post land arrangements; transfers to / from the vessel; passport and visa expenses; Government arrival and departure taxes; meals ashore; baggage, cancellation and personal insurance (strongly recommended); excess baggage charges and all items of a personal nature such as bar and beverage charges and telecommunication charges; and the customary gratuity at the end of the voyages (guidelines will be provided).

Reservations and Payments

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Cancellations

All requests for cancellations must be received in writing.

Deposit is non-refundable. Cancellations received 270 days prior to departure are not refundable but may be used as future credit. From 89 days up to and including the day of departure all deposits and tariffs are forfeited. If cancellation occurs within the 89 day period and full payment has not yet been received, the full penalty will still apply and unpaid monies are due immediately.

Trip cancellation insurance is mandatory.

Itineraries

The itineraries published are for reference only and are subject to change due to weather and ice conditions, or due to any other reason beyond our control, at the Master's and Expedition Leader's discretion without prior notice. Passengers have no right to any refund, any other consideration or claim whatsoever in the event of inevitable itinerary changes.

Insurance

Antarpply Expeditions requests their passengers to purchase a comprehensive travel insurance including trip cancellation and mandatory medical evacuation and repatriation coverage with a minimum of US\$100,000. Antarpply Expeditions shall not be responsible for any injuries to persons (whether or not resulting in death) or damage or loss to property. In case of a medical problem arising during the voyage, either on board or on shore, which results in costs for evacuation, use of aircraft or repatriation, the responsibility for payment of these costs belongs solely to the passenger and Antarpply Expeditions specifically decline any responsibility whatsoever (also if not covered by travel insurance).

Passenger Contract

Each passenger must sign a passenger contract which constitutes the sole contract and his/her agreement to all the terms and conditions relative to the cruise. By accepting the cruise ticket the passenger also agrees to its terms & conditions.