# Salkantay Trek to Machu Picchu

- 05 Days / 05 Night
- March to December
- Moderate

**Difficulty Condition**
More Info

# Travel Program

### AFTERNOON Day 0: Transfer to the Salkantay CLASS CABAÑAS (At 3 pm)

The tour starts in the afternoon with transfer to the Salkantay CLASS CABAÑAS (AT 3 PM)

### Day 1: (Hiking Begins) SORAYPAMPA CAMPSITE – HUMANTAY LAGOON – SALKANTAY PASS - WAYRACPUNKO :

After a good night's rest, you'll wake up early to enjoy your breakfast before your trek. During the morning there'll be a short team introduction between all Salkantay trekkers and the Peru Expeditions Staff to ensure a positive family-like experience.
Following the introduction, you'll give your duffel bag to the muleteers to carry to the next campsite. The day's hike will begin with a 1.5 hour steady uphill hike to the renowned Humantay Lagoon. The serene views of the crystalline-blue water of Humantay Lagoon are absolutely incredible. If the skies are clear you'll see the first sun rays peeking through the snow-covered peaks. And… If you're brave, you'll have the chance to touch the almost-frozen water that locals believe can help you stay young forever! The advantage of visiting Humantay Lagoon in the early morning hours is the quiet surroundings with no other Salkantay trekkers besides those in your group. Due to the popularity of this location, this isn't something everyone can enjoy!
After breathing it all in you'll begin your way back to the starting point to continue to the lunch spot in Soyroccocha. This portion of the Salkantay hike will be approximately 3 hours on gradually ascending terrain. On your way, you'll pass breathtaking places such as Salkantay Pampa, which means outstanding views of the surrounding snow-covered mountains. These views are what make
the journey the destination.
After lunch made by your Peru Expeditions local chef and a well-deserved rest, you'll continue with you're the next leg of your Salkantay hike. This next portion continues on for about 1 hour until you arrive at Salkantay Pass at 4,650 meters above sea level. This is the highest point of the trek. The group will rest there and you'll be served hot drinks while you enjoy the views.
From Salkantay Pass, you'll be on the last leg of the hike for the day, which is a 3 hour downhill trek to the evening's campsite, Wayracmachay. When you arrive at the campsite the Salkantay trekking staff will have your tents all set up and your duffel bags ready.
Peru Expeditions' team will provide you with warm water to get washed up from the day so you can change into some fresh warmer clothes for the night. Then there is a happy hour with hot chocolate and coffee followed by dinner. If the weather allows, you'll get to enjoy the unbroken views of the sky along with a brief introduction to the visible Inca constellations.
**Walking Distance:** 18km
**Elevation Gained:** 850 meters
**Elevation Descended:** 850 meters

**Weather:** Cold, windy, rainy in the wet season

**Overnight**
Camping
**Drive**
4 Hours approx
**Hiking/Tour**
7 Hour approx.
**Meals**
-/L/D

## Day 2: WAYRACMACHAY – CHAULLAY – CCOLLPAPAMPA LORETA (HOBBIT HOUSE)

Your Peru Expeditions trekking team will wake you up early with a hot drink to help you start the day. Hopefully as you open your tent, you'll be welcomed by the sunrise over majestic glacier peaks and clouds lifting from the green cloud forest. You'll have time to pack up and enjoy a nice breakfast prepared by your local Salkantay trekking chef.
At around 7 a.m. you'll hike for approximately 4 hours downhill until reaching the lunch spot at Ccollpapampa (2,700 meters above sea level). During this part of the Salkantay hike you'll begin to notice the micro-climate as well as fauna and flora changes. You'll go from cold glacier views to warm green jungle surroundings. There'll be many different species of orchids to see as well as ferns, begonia flowers, and even hummingbirds.
After lunch and a well-deserved rest, you'll continue your trek to the next private campsite called La Loreta (2400 meters above sea level). This hike will be approximately 4 hours on gradually downhill terrain. Along the way, you'll be able to explore beautiful waterfalls, rivers, and more new flora and fauna. You'll be able to experience another tropical forest micro-climate where local people farm coffee, passion fruit, papayas, oranges, and avocados. When you arrive at the evening's campsite your Salkantay trekking staff will be there to welcome you.
You'll have time to enjoy a nice hot shower, hot Jacuzzi and perhaps even swim in our swimming pool. There'll also be plenty of time to walk around our ecological garden to see some of the local coffee, avocado, chilies, tomatoes, and pineapples. Dinner tonight will be at our building with views of the Salkantay River. Then when you retire for sleep, you'll be able to hear the Salkantay River.
**Walking Distance:** 18 km
**Night Elevation:** 2,400 meters
**Elevation Descended:** 1,400 meters
**Weather:** Warm and hot

**Overnight**
Camping
**Hiking/Tour**
7 Hour approx.
**Meals**
B/L/D

## Day 3: LORETA – LA PLAYA SAHUAYAKU – LUCMABAMBA COFFEE FARM – LLACTAPATA (Camp in front of Machu Picchu)

After a delicious homemade breakfast cooked by Alpaca Expeditions' renown local chef, you'll start the shortest but most exciting day of your Salkantay adventure. Today you'll experience the most beautiful sights along your Salkantay trekking route to Machu Picchu.
You'll explore the tropical forest and will visit a local organic coffee farm where you'll have the opportunity

to explore some of the orange and avocado plantations as well as taste some of the freshly-brewed coffee. During your visit to the coffee farm you'll get a brief informational introduction to the region's coffee history as well as its importance to the area.
Then you'll continue with your Salkantay trek to Llactapata by hiking along a section of the Inca trail for approximately 2.5 hours. On your way to the Llactapata Inca site you'll see amazing views of the Santa Teresa valley. The views you'll be seeing along your hike today are impossible to put into words.
At Llactapata you'll get your first glimpse of Machu Picchu. This includes the main archaeological sites Machu Picchu Mountain and Huayna Picchu Mountain. You'll also have the opportunity to explore the Llactapata Inca site and take unforgettable photographs.
From here you'll enjoy the last leg of your day's hike with a 15 minutes downhill walk to your lunch and campsite area. This campsite is owned by a local family that only Peru Expeditions has permission to stay at so you'll enjoy more privacy than other Salkantay trekkers could.
You'll find the campsite to be a great place to enjoy the sunset and sunrise over Machu Picchu. After lunch you'll have some free time to enjoy the views and relax from hiking. Before your Peru Expeditions local chef serves you dinner, you'll enjoy another lovely happy hour
with tea and coffee. Once the sun has set then prepare yourself for another evening of unforgettable stargazing. You'll see the Milky Way as well as the Inca constellations much in the same way as the Incan astronomers did to predict the weather.
**Walking Distance:** 12 km
**Campsite Elevation:** 2,700 meters
**Elevation Gained:** 400 meters
**Weather:** Hot and humid during the day, chilly at night

**Overnight**
Camping
**Hiking/Tour**
7 Hour approx.
**Meals**
B/L/D

## Day 4: LLACTAPATA LOOKOUT – WATERFALLS AT HIDROELECTRICA – MANDOR HIRAM BINGHAM FARM – AGUAS CALIENTES

Your Peru Expeditions trekking team will wake you up early with a hot drink to help you start the day. You'll get ready for the day's activities and then enjoy your last breakfast prepared by your local trekking chef.
The day's hike will begin with a 2 hour downhill path with unbeatable views of Machu Picchu until the Hydroelectrical Station that was built to harness the natural 300-meter high waterfall, which generates electricity for the region of Cusco. This waterfall is one of the most impressive features ofthis area.
From the Hydroelectrical Station you'll continue to the famous Intiwatana (sundial rock). According to history, this Inca stone once worked with the legendary sundial rock in Machu Picchu to signal the winter solstice, which meant the beginning of a new farming season for the Incas.

Once you've seen the famous Intiwatana, you'll continue on the path that runs alongside the train tracks for approximately 3 hours. This leads to the town of Aguas Calientes located at the foot of the valley of Machu Picchu. This part of the hike will be interesting as it was the trail used by the American professor Hiram Bingham when rediscovering Machu Picchu.

On his way to discovering Machu Picchu Hiram Bingham met with local farmer Melchor Arteaga who eventually guided him to Machu Picchu. On your trek, you'll hike past Melchor Artaega's farm. Here you'll see many species of flora and fauna and amazing local birds such as Peru's national bird (called cock of the rock), Toucans, Oropendolas and Parrots. Once you arrive in Aguas Calientes you'll relax and enjoy your packed lunch.

Then you'll go to your hotel to enjoy a hot shower and then take the opportunity to visit the famous hot springs (10 soles, not included) of Aguas Calientes. In the evening you'll be served your final dinner prepared by your Peru Expeditions' local trekking chef and you'll have a chance to say goodbye.

**Walking Distance:** 14 km
**Aguas Calientes Elevation:** 2,000 meters
**Weather:** Hot
**Accommodations:** Inti Punku Hotel (or similar)

**Overnight**
Hotel
**Drive**
1 Hours approx
**Tours/Hiking**
2 Hour approx.
**Meals**
B/L/-

## Day 5: MACHUPICCH U – RETURN TO CUSCO

Today will be all about Machu Picchu. To get the most out of the day we encourage every group to have an early breakfast before catching one of the first buses up to Machu Picchu (starting at 5:30 a.m.). This allows you to get ahead of the crowds.
The hotel will hold your bags for you while in Machu Picchu. This way you'll only need to take your backpack with all essentials up to Machu Picchu. The bus ride from Aguas Calientes to Machu Picchu takes approximately 30 minutes.
Once in Machu Picchu your guide will take you directly to the best place to watch the sunrise and take photographs. Your local guide will then show you around the main sectors of the citadel for a total of 2.5 hours. During this guided tour you'll learn more about the history and culture of the Inca Empire.
At the end of the guided tour you'll have some time to yourself to relax and wander around. That is unless you arranged to hike Huayna Picchu* (must be booked in advance, as it sells out and costs $75 per person) your guide will show you where to begin this hike. The hike will take no more than 2 hours round-trip.
For your return from Machu Picchu we recommend heading back to Aguas Calientes no later than 2 hours before your train departure. The return train rode from Aguas Calientes to Ollantaytambo will take approximately 2 hours. In Ollantaytambo our Alpaca Expeditions' staff will be waiting for you right by the station's exit door. They'll be ready to bring you back to Cusco by car. The car ride to Cusco will be approximately 2 hours and will have you dropped off at your hotel in Cusco.

Machu Picchu Mountain may be hiked as well instead of Huayna Picchu Mountain. This hike is more challenging and takes three hours minimum round-trip (at an extra cost of USD $75 per person).

**Overnight**
Hotel
**Drive**
5 Hours approx
**Tours/Hiking**
4 Hour approx.
**Meals**
B/L/-

**Included meals: B**=breakfast; **L**=lunch; **D**=dinner

# What's Included

### Services included in the prices:

- Briefing:
- Professional Guides
- Hotel in Aguas Calientes (4th night)
- Transportation
- Expeditions has the best equipment. We use Eureka Timberline 4 tents that are shared by only two people.
- Food, The Alpaca Expeditions chefs cook delicious meals that many previous trekkers have loved. We honor all food restrictions so be sure to add any that you have on your booking form. You can also inform your guide at your briefing. Food is typically all served family-style.
- You'll enjoy breakfast, lunch, and dinner each day for the trek along with a happy hour of tea, coffee and snacks. A snack will be provided each morning for you to enjoy along the hike. Your last meal with your chef will be after breakfast on day four.
- Lunch on the last day is not included.
- Water
- First Aid
- Satellite Phones

### Not included:

- Rentals:
  1) Sleeping Bag: $25
  2) Inflatable Air Mattress: $20
  3) Walking Sticks (Pair): $20.
- Day packs: Day packs aren't provided . You must bring your own. Be sure you don't bring anything too large, as you don't want it to be too heavy while you're trekking. Plus, Machu Picchu will not allow you to bring in a bag larger than 25L. If you have a large backpack it will need to be stored before your tour. Only essentials are needed while trekking. That includes water, snacks, camera, sunhat, warm layers, waterproof rain layers, insect spray, sunscreen and a first-aid kit.
- Headlamps
- Flights: Flying to Cusco can be tricky.
- Gratuities: Tipping is always appreciated and should be based completely on your satisfaction.
- Travel Insurance

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- Lares Trek to Machu Picchu
- Vilcabamba Trekking
- Climb Volcano Chachani
- Visit Salar de Uyuni
- Bolivian Highlands
- Climb Huayna Potosi
- Visit Isla del Sol Sun Island
- Climb Volcano Sajama
- Climb Cotopaxi & Chimborazo:
- Climb Volcano Ojos del Salado
- Visit Torres del Paine
- Climb Mount Aconcagua
- Visit Iguazu Falls & Rio
- Climb Mount Orizaba
- Visit Rainforests and Volcanoes
- Climb Volcano Tolima

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## What to Bring

What to Bring or take fo Day Hiking and Technical Equipment for Climbing Expedition

This equipment list is compiled to provide you with adequate help when choosing your equipment for a climb. Most items are required. Please consider each of them and make sure you understand the function and exclusive use for mountaineering, before substituting or removing items from this list. Please note that this list has been carefully annotated by the organizer. Remember that mountaineering, climbing or

mountain expeditions tours is an extreme, risky sport, therefore everything related to it is of great attention.

## Equipment Trekking

Hiking backpack for hiking 50 to 60 liters

Light gloves for hiking or (Optional Mittens waterproof)

Medium weight socks

Sleeping bag (-15º to 20ºC)

Small daypack for one day hiking 30 liters

Weather-appropriate clothing (think moisture-wicking and layers)

Hiking boots or shoes

Medium weight parka with fibber fill or down

Rain poncho (or rain gear)

Long-sleeved shirts

Fleece or Wool sweater and/or trousers

Lightweight pants

Cotton short-sleeved shirts or t-shirts

Water bottle for hiking or trekking

Strong waterproof duffel bag

Flashlight with spare batteries and bulb

Towel for personal hygiene each participantFirst-aid kit

Regular and long underwear

Knife or multi-tool

Light cap and wool hat

Sunglasses with UV certification, Sun block, lips

The rest of the list Essentials as appropriate for your hike

Grooming and personal hygiene kit

One Hiking Buff per person

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**Equipment Mountain**

3 Locking carabiners, we recommended per person

We recommend 2 ice screws for each client

1 Daisy Chain (Life Line) per each person

2 Ice axes (per person) technical, we recommended GRIVEL company

1 ATC descender (Rappel), this is very necessary for technical mountains

2 Cords for prusik, very important (Size Cord 6 mm x 10 m. long)

Gloves(Good gloves) for expeditions over 6000meters

Harness for climbing

Sleeping pad / Mattress, we recommend with air or inflatable mattress

Crampons, we recommended GRIVEL company

Walking sticks – Trekking Poles (optional), a pair per person, we recommended GRIVEL company

Down Jacket for expedition

Very important to have personal clothing such as pants and jacket with GOROTEX certification

First aid kit, for high mountains, because we as guides cannot medicate clients

Backpack Capacity 60 liters, it is better to have a bigger backpack to go comfortably to the high camps, because here you have to carry all your personal things

Gaiters or Leggings, now modern boots already have built-in (Incorporated), but better to have an extra pair

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Dressing appropriately for the mountains can make the difference between a pleasant trip and a really uncomfortable one. Clothing must provide the right degree of temperature, perspiration and be well ventilated. Preferably cotton clothing should be avoided, as in humid conditions they absorb body heat.

In general, the weather conditions in in the Andes of South America can vary from day to day and even throughout the day. Therefore, clothing must be versatile.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions you may have regarding the necessary equipment.

**→ If you need to rent mountain equipment click here**:

# Prices & Dates

**FROM/TO**

**PRICE (USD)**

**TRAVEL STATUS**

03 SEPT 2027 / 07 SEPT 2027

**$ 1550**

5 pax

Join Now

**FROM/TO**

**PRICE (USD)**

**TRAVEL STATUS**

07 SEPT 2027 / 11 SEPT 2027

**$ 1550**

3 pax

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**PRICE (USD)**

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11 SEPT 2027 / 15 SEPT 2027

**$ 1550**

16 pax

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16 SEPT 2027 / 20 SEPT 2027

**$ 1550**

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25 SEPT 2027 / 30 SEPT 2027

**$ 1550**

4 pax

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15 OCT 2027 / 19 OCT 2027

**$ 1550**

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07 OCT 2027 / 11 OCT 2027

**$ 1550**

2 pax

Join Now

- Single Supplement (I want my own room and tent) – $000 on request.

**Please note:** Insurance for emergency evacuation is required for this trip. Call for more details.

» Additional dates available upon request
» Rates may vary from July 26th to 31th for the national holidays

**Prices (per person):**

| 1 PAX | 2 -3 PAX | 4 – 5 PAX | 6 – 7 PAX | 8 PAX | 10 PAX | 12PAX | 14PAX+ |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3300 USD | 1550 USD | 1350 USD | 1250 USD | 1150 USD | 1050 USD | 950 USD | 900 USD |

**Deposit for reservations:** — USD (– EUR) ✓ Full payment 40 days before. No refund if you cancel less than 30 days!

**Places:** *Available
**Trip-code:** Number ►PER-
**Duration:** 05 days
**Participants:** Minimal: 4 Maximal: 8
**Members:** We don't have an open group to join – We can open a new group – Contact us!
**Country / Location:** Peru
**Mountain Guide:** Eric Albino Lliuya
**Other dates / additional info:** Contact us!

*3% early bird discount when booking 6 months prior to departure 2027*

**Legend Booking-information:**
**EZZ** Single room supplement
 On this trip, places are still available.
 On this trip, only a few places left.
 This trip is sold out / closed.

### Eric Albino Lliuya

Expert guide certified by AGOMP
Tour-guide of Peru Expeditions

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- **Tel:** +49(0)7344 929144-0

More information

We are a Private Company with a Specialized Peruvian Andean Rescue Team “Socorro Andino Peruano”, offering expert High Mountain Rescue Services. Additionally, we provide satellite internet access during treks or expeditions, ensuring the safety and connectivity of our clients at all times. For more information, feel free to contact us via email or phone

- **Tel:** +1 (617) 459-4200

More information

Only $1000 deposit to book

Pay over time, interest free

No booking fee, no change fee

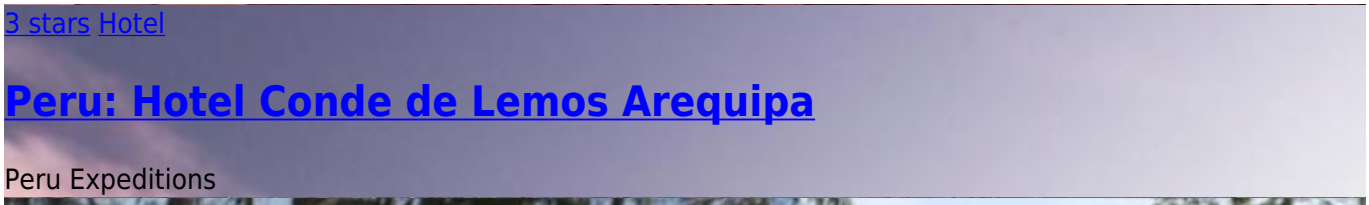
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## Accommodations

Scroll through our exclusive accommodations for this trip below. Although very unlikely, we will be able to make substitutions when necessary. The comfortable accommodations that guests stay in every night

offer comfort, the level that these options are are 3 stars and some hostels in some towns of first class quality to make your stay very pleasant.

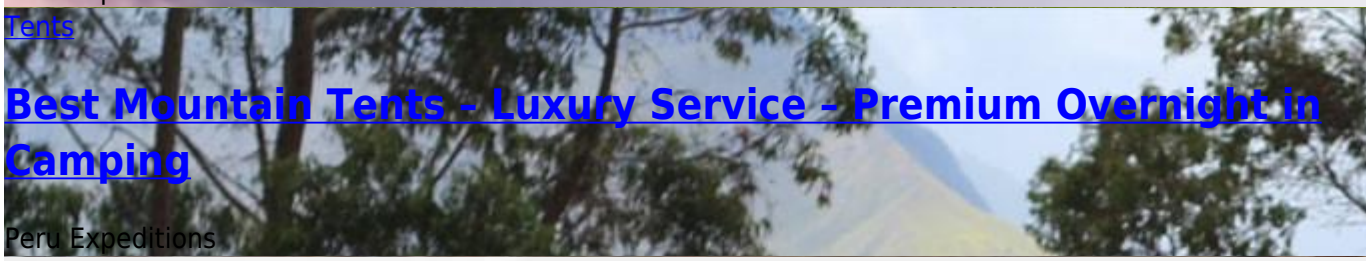
***These exact accommodations are not guaranteed. In some cases, alternative accommodation of similar quality and location can be used.***



3 stars Hotel

## Peru: Hotel Conde de Lemos Arequipa

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Tents

## Best Mountain Tents - Luxury Service - Premium Overnight in Camping

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## Peru: Hotel Rumi Wasi in Chivay

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## Peru: Hotel Conde de Lemos Puno

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3 stars Hotel

## Peru: Hotel Inca Wasi Plaza Cuzco

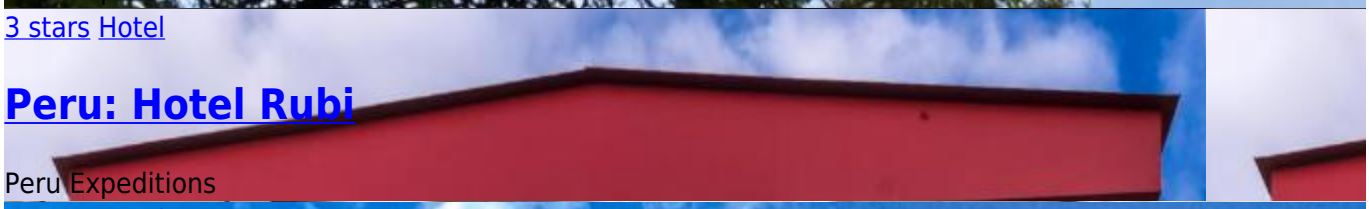
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3 stars Hotel

## Peru: Hotel Puma

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## Peru: Hotel Rubi

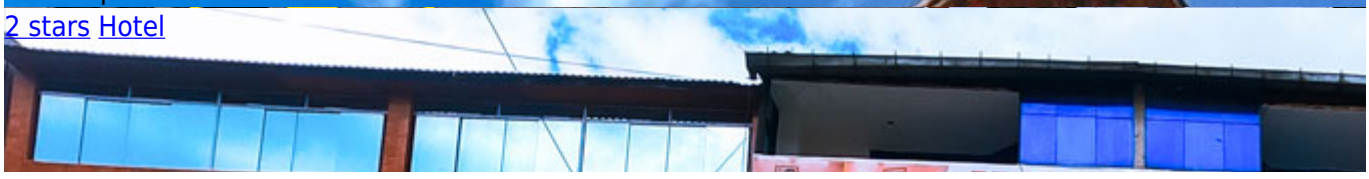
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3 stars Hotel

## Peru: Hotel Churup

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2 stars Hotel



## Peru: Hotel Valery

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3 stars Hotel

## Peru: Hotel Kamana

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# Frequently Asked Questions

What our travelers or clients always ask questions before joining our trips, tours & expeditions, read all the information provided here.

### Suggested FAQs

**What experience and how fit do I need to be to climb this mountain? Is this program suitable for children or older people?**

**For our mountain climbing trips:** If they are easily accessible mountains: For easy-climb mountains, well, you don't need much experience, but if you already want to climb mountains above 6,000 meters and the conditions become more difficult, we recommend if you already want to go through mountains above 6,000 meters, have a basic or intermediate course for a good preparation. It is very important to be physically, technically and psychologically prepared.

**Regarding the preparation of children:** Everything will depend on which mountain you want to climb with your children, once you are clear on which of our tours or mountains you want to go with your children, we can give you some advice or see how to prepare them before going with they.

**Regarding older people:** It all depends on the condition of experience and how well the person is in health, on many occasions older people are the best to walk in the mountains because they have more experience, so it is always good to ask and find out about their experience of older participant. If you have any other questions, please contact us. **For calls or inquiries to this number: +51 943 081 066**

**Will I need to bring any technical equipment of my own? Is it possible to rent equipment, and if so, what would be the approximate cost of that?**

In all our trekking or mountaineering trips we do not include personal equipment in our prices, so you have to have your own equipment: Personal equipment (such as boots, ice ax, crampons, harness, sleeping bag, mat, Goretex, etc. ) and also within each page of the trips that we sell is a small list so you can see it on our website.

Our company can also rent the materials that you would need for your trip, see the list here on our website: https://peru-expeditions.org/equipment-rental/ . **For calls or inquiries to this number: +51 943 081 066**

**Are there any other special requirements such as permits/insurance/vaccines that I need to consider before the tour?**

**Safe and effective vaccines are available that provide strong protection against serious illness, hospitalization and death from COVID-19.** Billions of people have been vaccinated against COVID-19. Getting vaccinated is one of the most important things you can do to protect yourself against COVID-19, help end the pandemic and stop new variants emerging.

We also recommend having accident insurance, we always recommend. We are **Partners –Global Rescue.** If you have any other questions about the trip we can schedule a date for a calling via WhatsApp. **For calls or inquiries to this number: +51 943 081 066**

**What experience do I need to have? How fit do I need to be? Is this program suitable for children or older people?**

To do long-distance hiking you need to at least train or do some tours such as visiting lagoons to get the experience and feel comfortable with what you do, it is always good before doing a long-distance hiking tour to test yourself so as not to be with the problems of altitude sickness during the trekking, and if you travel with children it is good to first train them before taking them, if they are accompanied by an adult of legal age, they must do a good acclimatization before going on the long-distance tour or with high altitude camps If you want to know or learn more advice, we can schedule a call via WhatsApp to clarify your doubts. **For calls or inquiries to this number: +51 943 081 066**

**How far in advance should I start training and what kind of training do you suggest?**

The preparation is according to what type and what technical level you want to go and climb a trek or mountain, the preparation will always gain experience little by little.

For this type of demanding or technical climbing sports, it is recommended to do some summits above 5 thousand meters beforehand and have good knowledge of high mountain technical equipment such as the use of technical ice axes, ice screws, correct use of crampons, and of course all the technical material. For more information, we can schedule an appointment to be able to explain in more detail everything about the mountain equipment and the preparations prior to joining our outings. **For calls or inquiries to this number: +51 943 081 066**

**What is the average distance and altitude gain that we will hike each day?**

Every day we have active walks around approximately 4, to 5 sometimes 6 hours of walking, everything is according to your pace and physical condition of each person, in each of our travel programs you will find more detailed information, and if If you need more information about each day of the travel program, we can schedule a call via WhatsApp to clarify your doubts or questions, for this please contact us. **For calls or inquiries to this number: +51 943 081 066**

**Will there be porters to help to carry group and personal equipment?**

**In our trips, either hiking or mountaineering:** Depending on the type or destination of the trip that you are going to book, in some parts of the treks you go with mules or donkeys or sometimes with horses, and within the mountain trips, the approach camps are also They go with mules or donkeys, but there are some stretches where pack animals can no longer reach. In this part, our logistics is fully supported by the porters.

**Who are the porters?** They are people from the area who were born and live in the heights of the towns,

they are very strong and are very acclimatized, the reason is that after the tourist season ends they dedicate themselves to agriculture and livestock for that reason they are people They are used to the altitude and have lived in nature all their lives and they are happy to be in the mountains together with our expeditions. **For calls or inquiries to this number: +51 943 081 066**

## How will accommodation and meals be handled during the trek?

**About accommodation or meals during the tour:** Well, depending on the type of tour, when the tour is a classic cultural tour or a city tour, we eat during the route in tourist restaurants and sleep in category hotels that the client has requested.

**If the tour is with camps and trekking:** During the activity, logistics we include the service of Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner with traditional and typical meals of the region where you are going to travel with us, during the night we stay in tents, and we have a special tent for the kitchen and another for the dining room.

**If the trip is at altitude or in the mountains:** We bring special high mountain food, It are quicker meals to cook and we provide complete logistics such as Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner, and we sleep in special 4-season high mountain tents, with the best tents. If you have any questions or concerns, we can schedule an appointment via Whatsapp to clarify all your doubts and give you better information so that your trip is an unforgettable tour.

## What is the guide-to-client ratio to climb this mountain?

**In mountains above 5000 meters:** A local guide takes a maximum of 3 clients = Ratio 3pax = 1 local guide

**In technical mountains:** In large-big mountains we manage the travel policy, a guide and a maximum of 2 clients = Ratio 3pax = 1 local guide. **For calls or inquiries to this number: +51 943 081 066**

## What is the best time of the year to climb this mountain?

For all the trips that we offer within our main tourist destinations such as South America and Central America, also including the ascent of the 7 continents and the 7 highest peaks of each continent, on each page of our website for each trip we indicate that month or what season to travel, then please read the information you find in our travel offers for each tour. If you have any other questions you can contact us by WhatsApp with one of our travel experts. Thank you so much. **For calls or inquiries to this number: +51 943 081 066**

## Do I have what it takes to succeed on this expedition?

In the interest of the team’s enjoyment and success, we work with every single guest to ensure they are properly prepared and ready for this expedition. We pride ourselves on vetting every member to make sure that the team can bond and succeed together. It really sucks to be grouped with members that are much faster, or much slower, than you are. No one wants to the weakest link on a trip like this. By setting expectations and a solid training plan, we work to insure maximum cohesive success. Use this trip as an exercise motivator, and we will succeed together with style.

## How can I get to the trailhead/meeting point?

For the pick-ups of each trip, depending on the place or the trip that you are going to make with us, the meeting point is always at our office, in one of our trips we pick you up where you are staying or staying, or in some cases a A representative of our company will pick you up and then ship you to your transport to continue with your destination of the tour or trip you have booked with us. If you wish to request more information, do not hesitate to contact us. **For calls or inquiries to this number: +51 943 081 066**

## What is the best time of the year for this hike?

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## What happens in the event of bad weather?

About the meteorological conditions of the climate, we try to organize the trips of each tour in the best season to have the best views and enjoy the selected trip but sometimes even is good season we can have bad weather, in this case on hiking or treks trips The complications are minimal, but when this happens during high-altitude climbing expeditions, the complications can become very difficult, that is why the bosses or leaders of the local guides must always make the most correct decision for the safety of our passengers, so we always recommend listening to the best advice from the local guide assigned for each tour. If you have any other questions please contact us. **For calls or inquiries to this number: +51 943 081 066**

## Can I join a group?

We as a local company and connoisseurs of tours have departures on different dates. The best thing to do is to join a travel group to take care of your budget, and of course you can join our groups, but on trips like mountaineering we recommend going in small groups. To join a group, ask us for the dates and we will send you the necessary information to be able to join any of our trips.

**Why go in a private trip:** For trips whether trekking or high mountains, going privately is the most recommended option, but the costs are more expensive. So, if one joins a group, the prices will be more reasonable. In the mountains, the only disadvantage is if you are in a wall with another partner and if one of the participants gets tired or gets sick. In this case, you have to abort or cancel the summit and return together. For more information, contact us. We can schedule a call via WhatsApp to clarify all your questions.

In a mountain, for example, if 3 people go and one of the participants falls ill on the route, for security reasons they have to cancel or abort the summit or return all together. The same in a technical mountain if the climbing partner gets sick they all have to return, for these reasons sometimes it is better to go private only because for a single person the costs are more expensive for the same reason that the trip would already be private .

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# Additional information

**We help in the purchase of air tickets:** we set up convenient flight options with each participant of the trip and book tickets such as international flights and domestic flights in each destination city of the countries that we offer our trips. We recommend you booking international flights tickets well in advance so we can find current flights offer prices from the airlines. In order for us to search for and book your flight, please contact us and we will be happy to help you!. → **More information click here**
**About a Satellite Phone or inReach® Messenger - GARMIN:** On each trip we recommend having a satellite phone at your disposal. The possibility of quick contact from anywhere on the mountain will guarantee your safety on the road. In case of need (for example, contact with the family or the travel company), for this service the participants have to request to rent a satellite phone, of course this service has an additional cost, contact us or ask our office for more information. A practical device is to have an inReach® Messenger - GARMIN also helps for any emergency. → **More information click here**
**Many of the participants or clients** of our adventures, hikes and expeditions in the mountains are people who sign up alone, but in some of our trips you will be able to find a travel partner companion to join a group. We have many options for you from day tours, short treks, long duration tours, and even the most extreme climbing high mountains on each country or South American continent and other destinations, as like the destinations you can see on our website. The mountains are a great place for rapid integration and a very healthy sport. → **More information click here**
**Our mountain guides or tour leaders:** All of our Tour Leaders are multiple conquerors of the peaks they lead the expeditions to. Each of our cultural guides, high mountain guides, mountainbike guides, among others are internationally recognized and certified guides, such as the certifications of **(UIMLA)** Union of International Mountain Leader Associations & **(IFMGA)** International Federation of Mountain Guides Associations. The mountaineering experience, skills and knowledge of your guides are a priority for us. → **More information click here**

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## VISA NEEDED

Citizens traveling for tourism purposes are exempt from the **visa requirement for up to 90 days.**

The passport must be valid for at least 6 months from the date of return to the country.

There are some countries that have some restrictions on the visa to be able to **visit some countries in the world,** for this important information request us to be able to give you more exact information, since the information changes every year and then to be able to provide you for more accurate updated

information, **→ contact us!**

#### CURRENCY

## CURRENCY EXCHANGE DEPENDING ON WHERE YOU ARE:

**Local money | $1** = 000 | **EUR 1** = 000 = Let us to know which destination would you like to travel to so we can send you the current information of the day to your → **E-mail,** or by **WhatsApp.**

Local currency is exchanged on site. You can change both dollars and euros, the two currencies are the most used. We recommend taking bills of different denominations.

**ATMs are available** in the larger cities. Attention! We avoid dollars from the years 1996-2006 (some series from these years are not accepted at all). It is better to take dollars issued after 2006 to better the most recent of the current year.

#### VACCINATIONS

## VACCINATIONS BEFORE YOU LEAVE

**Compulsory vaccinations:**

– They are not required

**Recommended vaccinations:**
– Hepatitis A and B (3 doses: 0/1/6 months, at least 2 doses administered at least 2 weeks before departure)
– Tetanus
– Diphtheria
– Typhoid fever
– Yellow fever (yellow fever)
– Antimalarial prophylaxis is recommended for traveling in the jungle area

In some destinations that you are going to visit, the information that is on our website may not be updated. To have more precise information, contact us by → **E-mail** or **WhatsApp** and we will provide you with more detailed information.

#### FIRST AID KIT

## TRAVEL FIRST AID KIT

Everyone should have a personal first aid kit, and in it: medicines against diarrhea and stomach problems (sometimes appearing when the bacterial flora changes), painkillers and medicines for the throat. In addition, good creams with a UV filter or so-called blockers (sun radiation in the mountains is very high).

**ATTENTION!** Due to parasites and bacteria for drinking, we recommend using mineral water in the original bottle and boiled. To have more precise information, contact us by → **E-mail** or **WhatsApp** and we will provide you with more detailed information.

**WHY CHOOSE US?**

## WHO ARE WE AND WHY CHOOSE US?

We are a travel agency that provides authentic and innovative experiences with a respectful relationship with the socio-cultural customs, the environment and the regulations of the countries we promote. We are characterized by the personalization of our tourist services, with empathy, attitude and professionalism; turning customer dreams into reality and exceeding their expectations. We are “Registered Travel and Tourism Agency”. To know more about → **US click here please!**

The company Peru Expeditions Tours has the most experience in organizing commercial ascents and complex high-altitude expeditions.

We have the most **experienced and qualified guides** for cultural trip, climbing tours, MTB tours, Ski tours, including famous climbers.

We always give away team **jerseys-T-shits, buffs, or a cap as a gift**

Good own **personal tents to live in height** and special big tents to dine inside the trekking or mountain.

The highest percentage of **successful ascents.**

We provide the best living and eating conditions. We take into account the peculiarities of nutrition **(you can order a vegetarian menu).**

Free conferences in the office with **own videos material and photographs**

**JOIN A GROUP**

## ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A TRAVEL PARTNER?

**Join a group with us:** Trekking, hiking and expeditions. What is your profile? Are you planning to go on a trek or expedition in South America and you are not yet sure about the most suitable offer? If you are looking for a partner, we have the solution. **Peru Expeditions Tours** has some groups that you can join and share you experience with on an unforgettable journey. (» Upcoming Trips / Upcoming Departures / Open groups / Confirmed / Trips Guaranteed 100%) » WHERE **WOULD YOU LIKE TO CLIMB, WALK, HIKE, AND TREK?** For more information please click here! **→ JOIN A TRIP WITH US!**

# Why Travel with us

### Your Safety is Our Priority

### Expert Guides

### Sustainable Tourism

### Andean Chefs

### Food on the Trail

### Small Groups

- Recommended Tours

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**Inca Trail to Machu Picchu 5**

Perú 07 Days/06 Nights

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**Choquequirao Trek Adventure 5**

Perú 04 Days/03 Nights
Recommended

**Rainbow Mountain, Vinicunca 5**

Perú Full Day
Recommended

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**Vilcabamba Trek to Machu Picchu 5**

Perú 05 Days/04 Nights

## Reviews

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You are an adventure lover and you dream of leaving with a thrill. **Peru Expeditions Tours** is also an option for you. Take advantage of our travel offer that we have for you!

**“We don’t sell tours, we provide memorable lifetime experiences.”**

We are a recognized tour operator **100% peruvian company** that specialists in adventure and traditional tours service.