Amazon River Expedition and Machu Picchu

aboard the exclusively chartered, deluxe river boat

ZAFIRO

October 1 to 13, 2023

Destinations including:
Lima
Sacred Valley
Ollantaytambo
Machu Picchu
Cuzco

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Up to $2,700 per couple!

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## Highlights include:

- Small group Amazon River cruise averaging just 36 participants on a uniquely comprehensive program—featuring rainforests, wildlife, marine life, culture, and history.

- Includes inter-Peru air and ideally located, luxury accommodations in the Sacred Valley, Machu Picchu, and Cuzco.

- Tour the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Machu Picchu, the “lost city of the Incas,” with a separate visit to see the sun rise over the ruins.

## 10 Day Itinerary

1. Depart home city/Lima, Peru
2. Lima/Iquitos/Nauta/Río Amazonas/Embark ZAFIRO
3. Río Amazonas/Río Ucayali
4. Río Amazonas/Río Ucayali/Río Marañón/Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve
5. Río Marañón/Río Pucate/Río Ucayali
6. Río Marañón/Nauta
7. Nauta/Iquitos/Lima/Cuzco/Sacred Valley
8. Sacred Valley
9. Sacred Valley/Ollantaytambo/Machu Picchu
10. Machu Picchu/Ollantaytambo/Cuzco
11. Cuzco
12-13 Cuzco/Lima/Return to home city.

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Dear Alumni and Friends,

We invite you to join an unforgettable journey to the mysterious Río Amazonas basin, where the biodiversity of Earth’s largest rainforest ecosystem is coupled with the marvels of awe-inspiring Machu Picchu, the legendary “Lost City of the Incas.”

Our voyage begins aboard the deluxe, exclusively chartered ZAFIRO, a small expedition river boat and one of few passenger vessels permitted to navigate the remote tributaries of the Peruvian Amazon and the pristine wetlands of Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve. English-speaking naturalists will guide us through this fragile biome to see endemic butterflies, endangered pink river dolphins, squirrel-sized tamarins, resplendent birdlife, and enormous blooming water lilies.

Gain further insight into the culture of ribereños (indigenous river people) during visits to two Amazon villages.

We continue to the Sacred Valley of Urubamba, the cradle of the mighty Inca Empire. This wondrous valley connects Machu Picchu and the UNESCO-inscribed, ancient Inca capital of Cuzco, evocative Inca temples, and sublime colonial architecture. The highlight of our extraordinary Andean experience is an included visit to the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Machu Picchu—featuring more than 200 archaeological treasures built amid emerald green peaks, which deftly obscured the citadel from the outside world for over four centuries.

The perfect complement to your Peruvian expedition is the Lima Pre-Program Option in the coastal capital’s historical center, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. This outstanding small group expedition is a great value. Reserve now while space is available. For further information, please visit our website: alumni.asu.edu/travel. You can also contact ASU Travel & Tours at 480-965-4034 or email asutravel@asu.edu.

Sincerely,

Dr. Christine Wilkinson
CEO and President of the ASU Alumni Association

P.S. Your friends and family are welcome to join you on our programs, even if they’re not ASU alumni!
Machu Picchu and the Sacred Valley

Cradled by the soaring peaks of the Andes Mountains, the Inca citadel of Machu Picchu evokes awe and wonder like few places on Earth. Our itinerary includes an extraordinary opportunity to experience the majesty of this “lost city of the Incas” and other treasures of the lush Sacred Valley. Built in the 15th century as a summer retreat for the Inca emperor Pachacuti, Machu Picchu was unknown to the outside world for four centuries until American explorer Hiram Bingham III discovered it in 1911. A century of extensive research and study still has not revealed the secrets of its purpose, its residents, or its abandonment; nevertheless, this UNESCO World Heritage Site has been carefully excavated and preserved. Our exploration of the Sacred Valley’s ancient engineering marvels also includes a visit to the fortress of Ollantaytambo, which stands as a lasting testimony to the powerful and far-reaching Inca Empire. Here, village craftsmen employ age-old techniques to weave intricate tapestries and sculpt colorful pottery. You will also discover the Inca stone fortress of Sacsayhuamán in the Inca capital of Cuzco and see the UNESCO-designated city’s grand Baroque- and Renaissance-style churches—a fascinating mix of pre-Columbian and colonial influences.
Home city/Lima, Peru

**Day 1**

Day by Day Itinerary

Arrive in Peru’s cosmopolitan capital of Lima and check into the **Wyndham Costa Del Sol Lima Airport Hotel**.

Lima/Iquitos/Nauta/Río Amazonas

**Day 2**

Fly to Iquitos and embark the river boat, where naturalists will share insight into the Amazon Basin’s complex ecosystem.

Río Amazonas/Río Ucayali

**Day 3**

Wake up in the heart of the Amazon Basin, where the jungle teems with the greatest diversity of plant and animal life on Earth. Embark a small excursion skiff to visit a Butterfly Farm and Village.

Río Amazonas/Río Ucayali/Río Marañón/Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve

**Day 4**

Explore the Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve, the largest wetlands reserve in the world, to watch for pink and gray river dolphins. After lunch, board a small river skiff in search of exotic wildlife and giant Victoria Amazonica water lilies.

Río Marañón/Río Pucate/Río Ucayali

**Day 5**

Enjoy a picnic breakfast and participate in a tree-planting ceremony dedicated to ensuring the sustainability of the rainforest. Discover endangered scarlet macaws and watch for trogons, puffbirds, and neotropical rails. See nocturnal creatures on a night excursion to the Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve.

Río Marañón/Nauta

**Day 6**

Disembark the river boat and fly from Iquitos via Lima to Cuzco. On arrival, transfer to the Sacred Valley of Urubamba, a scenic stretch of ancient ruins and small towns nestled in the Peruvian Andes. Check into the **Sonesta Posada del Inca Hotel**.

Sacred Valley

**Day 8**

In Urubamba Valley, visit the village of Chinchero Traditional Textile Center. Then visit the fascinating Urubamba Market and walk to the Pablo Seminario Workshop.

Sacred Valley/Ollantaytambo/Machu Picchu

**Day 9**

Visit the Ollantaytambo Fortress and enjoy a train ride to Machu Picchu for a walking tour of this legendary UNESCO World Heritage Site. Later that afternoon, check into the five-star **Inkaterra Machu Picchu Pueblo Hotel**.
Machu Picchu/ Ollantaytambo/ Cuzco
Day 10
Explore more of the ruins of Machu Picchu or enjoy some of the natural history activities. After lunch, board a scenic train back to Ollantaytambo and transfer to the deluxe JW MARRIOTT EL CONVENTO in historic Cuzco.

Cuzco
Day 11
On the outskirts of the historic Inca capital of Cuzco, see the ruins of Sacsayhuamán Archaeological Park. This stone fortress was built of stones varying in shape and size without the use of mortar. During the city tour of Cuzco, visit Koricancha (Temple of the Sun) as well as the Cuzco Cathedral, built in 1559.

Cuzco/Lima/Home city
Day 12-13
Transfer to the airport for your flight to Lima and enjoy the use of a day room at the Wyndham COSTA DEL SOL LIMA AIRPORT HOTEL before your overnight flight back to your home city.

Always Included with Gohagan & Company

- Transfers and luggage handling abroad if your arrival(s)/departure(s) coincide with the scheduled group transfer(s).
- Experienced, English-speaking local guides for included excursions.
- Gratuities to local guides and drivers on included excursions and transfers.
- Hospitality desk aboard the ship.
- Complimentary bottled water in your suite or stateroom and on excursions.
- Experienced Gohagan & Company Travel Directors at your service.
- Automatic $250,000 flight insurance policy for each participant ticketed on flights by Gohagan & Company.

BOOK WITH CONFIDENCE!
No cancellation fees for new bookings until 95 days prior to trip departure.
The deluxe ZAFIRO, specifically designed to navigate the unique waters of the Upper Amazon River and its tributaries, carries only 36 guests. This spacious yet intimate river boat offers a unique way to experience the colorful wildlife and cultures within the most extraordinary, remote, and untouched rainforest in the protected Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve.

Throughout the cruise, English-speaking, highly trained naturalists provide expert insight into the Amazon’s amazing array of biodiversity during lectures, small boat excursions, and nature walks.

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Single supplements apply across all categories at 160% of the per person double price.

Port taxes are an additional $395 per person. Additional fuel surcharge fees may apply. Customers will be notified of any fuel surcharge fee prior to final payment. This fee will then be charged and collected by the vessel operating company while onboard.

The ZAFIRO has been specially contracted for this program and the deck plan is available online or upon request from Gohagan & Company.
Deluxe or Five-Star Hotels

Sonesta Posada del Inca Hotel
Located in the heart of the Sacred Valley, five minutes from Urubamba, the colonial-style Sonesta Posada del Inca Hotel is nestled at the foot of the mountains.

Inkaterra Machu Picchu Pueblo Hotel
Sitting on more than 12 acres of stunningly lush cloud forest, the five-star, ideally located Inkaterra Machu Picchu Pueblo Hotel.

JW Marriott El Convento
This five-star JW Marriott El Convento hotel in Cuzco combines the feel of historic grandeur with modern luxury. Housed in a beautifully restored 16th-century convent, the hotel is ideally located in the heart of the city’s UNESCO-inscribed historical center.

Pre-Program Option

Lima
September 30 to October 2, 2023
Start your Amazon expedition early with a two-night tour of Peru’s UNESCO-inscribed capital city of Lima, featuring visits to the 16th-century Cathedral of Lima, the 17th-century Church and Convent of San Francisco, and Casa de Aliaga. Enjoy accommodations in the ideally located, deluxe JW Marriott Lima Hotel.

Price per person, based on double occupancy: $495
Price per person, based on single occupancy: $695

Further details will be provided with your reservation confirmation.
Please make my/our reservation(s):
Category: 1st Choice ________ 2nd Choice ________
- Double (two twin beds).
- Double (one queen bed).
- Single accommodations.
- Single but prefer to share and will allow you to select my roommate (shares cannot be guaranteed).

Lima Pre-Program Option September 30 to October 2, 2023
- Double $495 per person.
- Single $695 per person.
- I am reserving as a single but prefer to share accommodations.

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- I/We will make my/our own air arrangements.

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