From lush rainforests and coral reefs teeming with life to ancient ruins and ceremonial structures, Belize is a trove of natural and cultural treasures to discover. Visit mountains, reserves, caves, and Maya sites on the mainland; then, spend two nights on Ambergris Caye to immerse yourself in the underwater world of the Belize Barrier Reef, the second largest reef system in the world. During your journey, encounter some of the wildlife of Belize and learn about conservation efforts undertaken to preserve this small but remarkable country. Join your fellow Arizona State University alumni on an unforgettable journey to the tropics of Belize!

**Program Highlights**

- Observe tapirs, jaguars, and harpy eagles at the world-renowned Belize Zoo.
- Delve into the Maya underworld at Actun Tunichil Muknal cave, a Maya ceremonial burial ground and site of the “Crystal Maiden” skeletal remains.
- Visit the Community Baboon Sanctuary (CBS), a small grassroots project committed to saving the habitat of the black howler monkey.
- Climb to the top of El Castillo pyramid, the second tallest man-made structure in Belize, at Xunantunich, Belize’s most accessible Maya site of significance.
- Look for colorful fish, sea sponges, stingrays and other marine life during snorkeling excursions at Mexico Rocks and Hol Chan Marine Reserve.

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NOVEMBER 13 - BELIZE CITY
Upon arrival at the airport in Belize City, transfer to the Radisson Ft. George Hotel, situated in front of the Ft. George Marina. Gather this evening to have dinner, meet your guide, and receive an orientation to the program. Overnight at Radisson Ft. George Hotel. (D)

NOVEMBER 14 - SIBUN RIVER
This morning after breakfast, visit the Belize Zoo. Situated upon 29 acres of tropical savanna, the zoo exhibits over 150 animals representing more than 45 species, all native to Belize. The zoo is home to orphaned, rescued, and rehabilitated animals as well as those born at the zoo or sent as donations from other zoological institutions. Upon arrival, receive an introduction to the animals of Belize and visit the exhibits. Highlights include the jaguar rehabilitation program, the harpy eagle exhibit, and the Baird’s tapir enclosure. Have lunch at Cheers restaurant and then continue to Sleeping Giant Rainforest Lodge, located along the Sibun River with views of the mountains and rainforest. This evening after dinner, take a walk around the lodge to look for nocturnal wildlife. Overnight at Sleeping Giant Rainforest Lodge. (BLD)

NOVEMBER 15 - SIBUN RIVER
After breakfast, explore the Maya underworld during a visit to Actun Tunichil Muknal cave. This excursion combines land and river hiking and caving, beginning with a 45-minute hike up the Roaring River Valley and through the rainforest of the Tapir Mountain Nature Reserve to the entrance of the cave. Explore this geologically fascinating cave and also the main attraction, the “Cathedral” chamber, which was a Maya ceremonial site and burial ground. Later this afternoon, return to the lodge. Overnight at Sleeping Giant Rainforest Lodge. (BLD)

NOVEMBER 16 - SIBUN RIVER
This morning is at leisure to enjoy the amenities of the lodge, which include a swimming pool, hot tub, spa services (at extra cost), and complimentary kayak rental. This afternoon, cross the Mopan River via a hand-winched ferry at the Maya village of San Jose Succotz for a visit to Xunantunich, Belize’s most accessible Maya site of significance. The site’s dominant structure, El Castillo, rises 130 feet above the jungle floor, offering superb views of western Belize with forest stretching out all around and the rest of the ancient city mapped out beneath you. Return to the lodge for dinner. Overnight at Sleeping Giant Rainforest Lodge. (BLD)

NOVEMBER 17 - AMBERGRIS CAYE
After breakfast, transfer to the airport in Belize City. En
route, visit the Community Baboon Sanctuary (CBS), a small grassroots project committed to saving the habitat of the black howler monkey. More than 200 private landowners in seven villages stretching over 20 square miles have voluntarily pledged to conserve their land for the protection of the black howler monkey habitat. Many of these landowners benefit directly from the sanctuary thanks to ecotourism, and many others benefit indirectly through educational programs. Moreover, the population of the black howler monkey in the sanctuary has risen to more than 2,000 monkeys. With four main goals—conservation, education, research, and tourism—the sanctuary has helped ensure the protection of not just black howler monkeys but many species of flora and fauna in the area. Continue to Belize Municipal Airport for the 20-minute flight to Ambergris Caye. Upon arrival in San Pedro, walk across the small dirt street and check in at the Sunbreeze Hotel, facing the Caribbean Sea. The afternoon is at leisure to explore the island. This evening dinner is on own. Overnight at Sunbreeze Hotel. (B)

NOVEMBER 18 - AMBERGRIS CAYE

Enjoy breakfast, then board the boat for a 20-minute ride from San Pedro and up the coast of north Ambergris Caye to Mexico Rocks, an opulent collection of star, elkhorn, and staghorn coral. Colonized by lobsters, eels, and colorful juvenile fish, this site is shallow and protected by the barrier reef from ocean swells, making it an ideal location for novice snorkelers. At this site you will see boulder coral 10 to 12 feet tall, nearly reaching the surface and providing refuge to a variety of marine life including flame scallops, anemones, tube worm shrimp, and eels sheltered in the coral’s nooks and crannies. Sea fans, azure vase sponges, and butterflyfish add life and color, and giant brain coral formations create miniature underwater habitats and islands for spiny lobster, yellowtails, and stingrays. A treacherous-looking cave is also found here, with hundreds of baby snappers looking out of its mouth. Underwater visibility at Mexico Rocks is perfect, with views of both dramatic canyon walls and caves through the coral formations. After snorkeling, the afternoon is at leisure to explore the island. Lunch and dinner on own. This evening, enjoy a night snorkel at Hol Chan Marine Reserve. Much of the reef marine life is nocturnal, and at the glow of the dive light, garden eels will peek out among stingrays flapping their wings to cover themselves on the sandy bottom. Surrounded by tiny bioluminescent blinks, it’s possible to observe jacks, snappers, and groupers whooshing around for their evening snacks. Overnight at Sunbreeze Hotel. (B)

NOVEMBER 19 - DEPART

After breakfast this morning take a short flight to Belize international airport for your flight back to the U.S. (B)
**LAND PRICING**

$2,865 per person (10 participants)

Price includes accommodations, meals, entrance fees, and activities as indicated in the itinerary, private transportation unless otherwise noted in itinerary, non-alcoholic beverages with meals, full-time guide for duration of program, departure tax, and carbon offset. Single supplement may be available at an additional cost of $395 per person.

Price does not include international airfare, trip cancellation insurance, tips and gratuities, and drinks purchased on own, or items of a personal nature.

Holbrook Travel can assist with making your flight arrangements upon request. Trip cancellation insurance is strongly recommended (offered through the Arizona State University Alumni Association).

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**PAYMENT INFORMATION**

A $500 per person deposit and enrollment form are required to hold your space on the trip. This deposit is refundable until August 10, 2021, at which time final non-refundable payment is due. Please review full terms and conditions before enrolling.

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**GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS**

Please read this information carefully, as payment of a deposit represents your acceptance of the following Terms and Conditions:

- **Not Included in Your Tour Price** international airfare from your departure city, costs of passport and visas, personal expenses such as beverages, laundry, room service, and meals not specified, communications charges, tips and gratuities, and travel cancellation insurance. Additional baggage fees levied directly by the airline(s) may apply and are subject to change at any time. You should confirm directly with your airline(s) prior to departure.

- **International Air Transportation** Estimated airfare: $789 Phoenix–Belize City. Holbrook Travel offers group airfare and ticketing. Group transfers between the airport and hotel are included in your program cost. A note about online airfare: Occasionally, you may be able to find airfares online that are listed at a lower cost. In general, individual fares lack the flexibility of group airfare and often require immediate purchase. You will receive your preliminary air schedule approximately 2½ months prior to departure. Please note that seat assignments on your international flight are usually done at airport check-in. Holbrook Travel is unable to guarantee any seat assignments. Due to the nature of tour operator tickets, other restrictions apply, including but not limited to, frequent flyer mileage accrual, stopovers, alternate travel dates, upgrades, and airline taxes and departure fees. If you prefer to make your own travel arrangements, booking the tour “Land Only” is available. We recommend that if you choose to make your own airline reservations, you do not purchase non-refundable tickets or those with high penalties for changes. If you choose to make your own air arrangements, ASU Travel & Tours and Holbrook Travel, Inc. shall not have any liability for any loss resulting from cancellation of this tour or changes in this tour.

- **Cancellations, Changes and Refunds** If you must cancel your tour, the effective date of cancellation will be upon our receipt of your notification. All cancellations need to be submitted in writing. Due to COVID-19 policy changes, the $500 deposit for this program is refundable until 95 days before program departure (August 10, 2021). From 94 to 60 days before departure, if you make any changes to your reservation, a $100 per-person administrative fee will apply, in addition to any fees or penalties imposed by airlines, hotels, or other third parties. Changes are subject to availability and cannot be guaranteed. If your reservation changes from double occupancy to single occupancy for any reason, you will be charged the single supplement. No changes to your reservation can be made within 30 days of departure. If due to unforeseen circumstances Holbrook Travel cancels your tour, you will receive a complete refund of all payments you have made to us. Itineraries may be subject to change due to protocols and adjustments related to the COVID-19 pandemic. For the latest information regarding our COVID-19 policies, please visit holbrooktravel.com/covid19

- **Health and Medical Issues** We welcome all travelers, but request that you be in good health to participate on a Holbrook Travel tour. All of our tours involve a reasonable amount of walking (typically two to three miles per day). You must be able to get on and off motorcoaches on your own. We regret that we cannot provide individual assistance, in such cases you must be accompanied by a companion who will assist you. Please note that our itineraries cannot accommodate wheelchairs. We reserve the right to remove anyone whose physical condition or behavior, in our opinion, compromises the operation of the tour or detracts from the enjoyment or safety of the other tour members. In that event, ASU Travel & Tours and Holbrook Travel assume no financial responsibility for any unused portion of the tour. For the convenience of the majority of our travelers, Holbrook Travel has a no smoking policy on all tour buses. We will arrange sufficient rest stops so those who wish to smoke may do so.

- **Required Information** Upon reservation, you must provide your full name as it appears on your passport (last name, first name, initial, if any), date of birth, and gender (for details, please visit tsa.gov). In the event an airline ticket is issued with incorrect information you have provided, or if you use a different passport than originally cited, you will be responsible for charges associated with the ticket’s reissue. A passport valid for at least six months after the completion of your tour is required for U.S. citizens on this tour.

- **Responsibility** The liability of ASU Travel & Tours as sponsor, and Holbrook Travel Inc., as tour operator, is strictly limited. ASU Travel & Tours and Holbrook Travel, Inc. purchase transportation, hotel accommodations, restaurant and other services from independent suppliers not under our control. We serve only as agents for these suppliers in securing tour arrangements, and therefore will not accept responsibility for wrongful, negligent, or arbitrary acts or omissions of these independent contractors, their employees, agents, servants or representatives. ASU Travel & Tours and Holbrook Travel, Inc. are not liable for injury, damage, loss, accident, or delay that may be caused by events not within our control, including without limitation, acts of terrorism, war, strikes, the defect of any vehicle, or the negligence or default of any third party. All coupons, receipts, and tickets issued are subject to the terms and conditions specified by the air carriers, cruise line, and other independent suppliers. We will make every effort to operate our tours as planned, but we reserve the right to make itinerary changes as necessary. If unforeseen circumstances require us to change a hotel, we will select alternative accommodations of the same or better quality and may change due to factors such as government regulations, water levels, or weather conditions. The services of any IATA and ATC carrier may be used in connection with these tours. The participant understands that if he/she books special low cost airfares with penalties, and cancels the reservation, he/she is responsible for any penalties incurred from the airline.
Enclosed is my/our deposit for $______ ($500 per person) for ____ person/people on the tour listed below. I/we understand the final payment is due at least 95 days prior to departure (August 10, 2021). Payment may be made by American Express, Discover, MasterCard, or VISA or by personal check. Please make check payable to Holbrook Travel, Inc. and mail deposit check to: Holbrook Travel, 3540 NW 13th Street, Gainesville, FL 32609. For more information please contact Pleshette Axtell at 480-965-4034 or Pleshette.Axtell@asu.edu.

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Please book my/our air from ________________________. I/we request an air upgrade to ____________________________.
☐ I will share a room with ______________________________________________.
☐ I request a single room (limited availability).

Note: The undersigned has read the schedule of activities for the above-referenced tour, and agrees that their signature(s) below represents their acceptance of the General Terms and Conditions.

Signature _____________________________________________________________ Date_____________________

Signature _____________________________________________________________ Date_____________________

Method of Payment        ☐ Check        ☐ American Express        ☐ Discover        ☐ MasterCard        ☐ VISA
Account # ________________________________ Security Code ____________ Exp. Date ______________
Name of Cardholder ___________________________________________________________
Signature __________________________________________________________________________

Final invoicing will be sent by our tour operator, Holbrook Travel, Inc. The balance of the program price must be paid to Holbrook Travel. Final payment is due no later than 95 days prior to departure (August 10, 2021, by check or credit card).