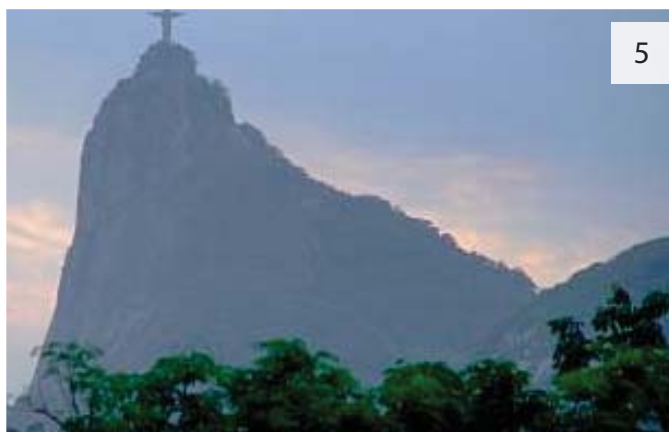


Luxury South American Holiday

Sample 13 night itinerary



- 1 Buenos Aires, Palacio Duhau Park Hyatt
3 Nights
- 2 Argentine Wetlands, Rincon del Socorro
3 Nights
- 3 Foz do Iguacu, Hotel das Cataratas
1 Night
- 4 Costa Verde, Pousada Picinguaba
3 Nights
- 5 Rio de Janeiro, Hotel Santa Teresa
3 Nights

Day 1

Arrive Buenos Aires (EZE).
Greeting in arrivals and luxury
private transfer to your hotel.



Luxury Hotel in Buenos Aires

3 nights

Though there is a very European look to the city with its Parisian-style avenues, grand squares and elegant cafés it still has a distinctively South American feel, with laid-back and friendly locals.

This city is a real joy to explore with well preserved historic districts coupled with an excellent nightlife and a relaxed café culture. You will have our extensively researched Dehouche recommendations on the best restaurants bars and nightclubs.



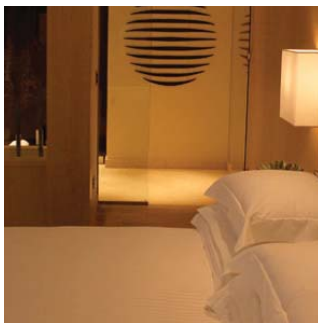
You stay in an elegant luxury hotel in the heart of the Recoleta district. The classic architecture and palatial surrounds make for a truly luxurious experience.

Our experienced guide Ana will join you for a custom-made tour of the city based on your requirements, making sure that everything is done at your pace. She is great fun to be with and has access to many locations off the tourist trail.

On an evening of your choice you will be driven to the best tango show in town, where you will be served dinner whilst enjoying the performance, before being taken back to the hotel.



- *Double Room, Breakfast included*
- *Champagne & Honeymoon treats*
- *Private city tour with Ana*
- *Tango show, including champagne, wine and dinner and transfers*



Day 4

Luxury private transfer to the airport in time for your flight to the wetlands.

Flight: Buenos Aires (AEP) – Posados (POS). You will be met in arrivals by your pilot who will be waiting to bring you by light aircraft, across this stunning landscape, before landing on a grass runway next to the Estancia.



Complete Luxury Estancia in the Argentine Wetlands

3 nights

The Esteros del Iberá is one of Argentina's hidden secrets, a vast swathe of wetlands and savannah, teeming with abundant animal life. One can see Caimans, capybara, deer, and over 400 species of bird (including Rhea – a large land bird) in this remarkable place.

This Estancia, originally built in the 18th Century, is part of a conservation project to protect the area with a resident biologist monitoring the area and the vast estate is allowed to grow wild, (apart from the immaculate gardens immediately surrounding the buildings).



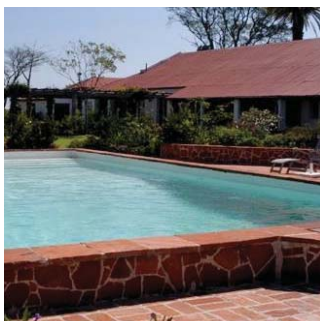


The refurbishment of the estancia has been done with a remarkable attention to detail. Taps are antique French brass, and the beautiful wildlife prints and maps on the walls are all originals. A large garden supplies the kitchen with fresh organic produce and the meals are a delight, hearty country food with a contemporary edge. There is a special 'Quincho' (Barbeque outhouse) which is an event in itself.

Tours are tailor-made to your needs, with trips to the local lagoon (which you navigate by speedboat, stopping for a barbecue at sunset), light aircraft flights across the wetlands and trips across the savannah by Land Rover or on one of the 12 beautifully kept Criollo horses with an Argentine gaucho (cowboy).

The light aircraft remains at the Estancia during your stay and can be hired for further flights to the other two Estancias in this area.

- *Double Room, All activities, meals & non-alcoholic drinks included*
- *Champagne & Honeymoon treats*



Day 7

Light aircraft flight across the wetlands, providing stunning aerial views of the Iguacu Falls as you come in to land. Tadeu will meet you in arrivals and bring you to your luxury hotel in the grounds of the national park.



Luxury Hotel Overlooking Iguacu Falls

1 night

Made up of some 275 separate falls that cascade over a precipice 3km wide Foz do Iguacu is, without question, one of the world's great natural wonders. Located on the border of Brazil, Paraguay and Argentina, their beauty and sheer magnificence really are indescribable. Previous visitors to the other great waterfalls of the world are consistently amazed by the sheer volume of water and consistently confirm Iguacu's reputation as the most impressive in the world. In 1986 UNESCO declared the falls a Natural Heritage of Mankind.

Tadeu will arrive to give you a walking tour of the Argentinean side before you board a powerboat to get up close to the falls to fully experience this amazing phenomenon.

We use the only hotel actually based within the national park of the falls, a charming hacienda-style lodge set amongst tranquil gardens and with all the amenities one would expect from a top quality hotel.

- *Deluxe Room, breakfast included*
- *Champagne & Honeymoon treats*
- *Walking tour of the Argentinean side*
- *Speedboat tour*



Day 8

Tadeu will bring you back to the airport. Flight: Foz do Iguacu (IGU) – Sao Paulo (GRU). Pascoal will meet you in arrivals and bring you down the 'Costa Verde', a stretch of beautiful coastal rainforest, which is also home to some of Brazil's finest beaches.



Boutique Pousada on the Costa Verde

3 nights

This really is a unique location as the pousada is top quality, yet this is a genuine fishing village where locals (although extremely friendly) are concerned with fish and not tourists. This makes for a fabulous look at the real Brazil where you get a genuine feel for the people and culture of the country.

This location is perfect for a mix of beach relaxation combined with a look at real unspoilt Brazil with some fantastic natural pursuits on the mainland and nearby islands.

The Pousada is run by a Frenchman who really knows how to make sure guests are looked after. You will be staying in the spectacular honeymoon suite, which has a private Jacuzzi and a large balcony that affords sweeping views of the bay.





Days are spent on the many superb beaches and islands of the area accessed by boat and jeep. There is never a shortage of things to do: amazing jungle treks, waterfalls, chilling out in refreshing natural pools or enjoying the sunset at a beach restaurant on one of the many uninhabited islands.

On a day of your choice you will be taken for a private trip onboard a local schooner. This will be a wonderfully relaxing excursion on which you will cruise around the bay and stop off at deserted islands with pristine beaches on them.



And for a spot of historical culture; nearby is the enchanting colonial town of Parati a UNESCO world heritage site due to the completeness of its unique architecture and charm.

We'll make sure that you access the best the area has to offer.

- *Honeymoon suite, Breakfast and evening meals included*
- *Champagne & Honeymoon treats*
- *Private schooner day trip*



Of note

The only boutique hotel in a genuine fishing village

Large choice of activities and excursions laid on beautifully by the hotel



Day II

Pascoal will arrive to bring you further along the 'Costa Verde' to your luxury hotel in Rio de Janeiro.



Boutique Hotel in Rio de Janeiro

3 nights

Set against a stunning backdrop of mountains, lagoons and beaches, Rio is a place to both relax and enjoy the pleasures of city life. Being based here ourselves, we are uniquely positioned to get you closer to the residents and their culture; we are on hand to help you, from organising samba lessons to explaining local etiquette and where the locals go to enjoy authentic live music.

Leonardo, (a Rio local himself) will take you on your first day to give you a personalised luxury city tour, showing you those hidden details often missed by the conventional tours and stopping at an excellent local restaurant for lunch before visiting the 'must see' attraction of Christ the Redeemer. Everything is done at your own pace, with relaxed and friendly guidance. The tour will conclude with a spectacular helicopter flight over the beaches, mountains, skyscrapers and rainforest that combine to make Rio the most beautiful city on earth.





Perched on a mountainside in the centre of downtown Rio, Santa Teresa enjoys some of the best views imaginable, with sweeping vistas that follow the blue waters of Guanabara Bay round the city to the imposing statue of Christ the Redeemer. High above the beachside streets of Rio's Zona Sul, the area's steep, cobbled lanes and 19th-century mansions feel like a different city altogether.

You stay in a luxury boutique hotel in the heart of this stylish bohemian neighbourhood, walking distance from some of Santa Teresa's excellent restaurants and art galleries.



Intricately designed throughout by a famous Rio architect, the combination of unusual natural fibres, woods and indigenous art tells the story of the unique and different cultural influences in Brazil over the centuries.

The hotel also boasts Rio's best spa, an award winning restaurant run by a French chef, and a stunning green slate swimming pool enjoying unequalled views out over the city.

- *Deluxe Room, Breakfast included*
- *Champagne & Honeymoon treats*
- *Private city tour with Leo including private panoramic helicopter flight over Rio*



Day 14

Leonardo will bring you to the airport (EZE) in time for your international flight home.



Whatever you fancy in South America from the seed of an idea to a clear plan of action give us a call or drop us an email and we will strive to create your perfect itinerary that exceeds all expectations

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