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### **ESSENTIAL ARGENTINA**

15 days / 14 nights - **TBK 0100**

#### **DAY 1 Buenos Aires**

Arrival and reception at the airport; transfer to the hotel. Afterwards, city tour visiting the most interesting places in Buenos Aires. At night, transfer to El Querandí to assist at *dinner and Show*.

**Note: Early Check in guaranteed only for our fixed departures**

#### **DAY 2 Buenos Aires / Puerto Madryn**

Transfer to the airport to board the scheduled flight to Trelew. Arrival to Trelew and departure towards Punta Tombo Fauna Reserve, the largest Magellan penguin colony in the continent.

**From Mid-April to Mid-September the visit to Punta Tombo Penguin Rookery will be replaced by a tour to Avanzado Mount and Punta Loma where it's possible to see Sea Lions.**

#### **DAY 3 Puerto Madryn**

Full day tour in Peninsula Valdés, declared a World Heritage by UNESCO due to its geography, flora and fauna, features that turn it into a paradise of nature. During the tour you will be able to embark for whale watching, available from June to December (optional).

#### **DAY 4 Puerto Madryn / Ushuaia**

Transfer to the Airport to board the scheduled flight to Ushuaia. Arrival and transfer to the hotel.

#### **DAY 5 Ushuaia**

In the morning, excursion to Tierra del Fuego National Park, the only one with Sea coast in Argentina. During the excursion, you can take the End of The World Train (optional). In the afternoon sail through the Beagle Channel admiring the Sea Lions Island and Les Eclaireurs Lighthouse. Return and transfer to the hotel.

#### **DAY 6 Ushuaia / El Calafate**

In due time, transfer to the airport to board the scheduled flight to El Calafate. Arrival and reception at the airport.

#### **DAY 7 El Calafate**

Visit the Perito Moreno Glacier situated within Los Glaciares National Park.

Because of its beauty it was declared a World Heritage by UNESCO. During the excursion, it is possible to take an optional boat trip and enjoy a different view of the glacier wall. Return to El Calafate.

#### **DAY 8 El Calafate**

Day at leisure. Do not miss the chance to sail along Argentino Lake through Ice Rivers Express excursion.

#### **DAY 9 El Calafate / Buenos Aires**

At due time, transfer to the airport, to board the scheduled flight to Buenos Aires. Arrival and accommodation.

#### **DAY 10 Buenos Aires/ Salta**

Transfer to the airport to board the scheduled flight to Salta. Arrival and reception at the airport. In the afternoon, enjoy a visit to the beautiful city of Salta including a must, the MAAM (Museum of High Altitude Archaeology), with a great archaeological asset because of the girls mummies found in the Lullailloco Volcano.

**Maximum altitude. 1.454 masl.**

#### **DAY 11 Salta**

Today we will enjoy a full day excursion to Humahuaca's Gorge visiting typical and colorful villages such as: Purmamarca, Tilcara, Uquía and Humahuaca. In return, we will stop at Maimará and San Salvador de Jujuy, where we will shortly visit the main square, the Cathedral, the Cabildo, and the Government House. Return to Salta.

**Maximum altitude: 3.000 masl.**

**Total travelled distance: 450 km.**

**DAY 12 Salta / Cachi / Cafayate**

Departure from Salta through slopes and ravines to the Calchaquí Valleys. We will visit Cachi, Route 40, De las Flechas's Gorge, to finally arrive at Cafayate. Accommodation.

**Maximum altitude: 3.348 masl.**

**Total travelled distance: 329 km.**

**DAY 13 Cafayate / Salta/ Puerto Iguazu**

In the morning we will take a brief tour of the town including a visit to a winery. After lunch (not included) departure towards Salta visiting the Quebrada de Cafayate (Cafayate's Gorge) with its strange rock formations. Arrival at Salta and transfer to the airport. Reception at the airport and transfer to the hotel.

**Maximum altitude: 1880 masl.**

**Total travelled distance: 198 km.**

**DAY 14 Puerto Iguazu**

In the morning we will visit the Argentinean side of the Iguazu Falls, declared World Heritage Site by UNESCO and one of the New Seven Wonders of Nature. We will visit the Devil's Throat Balcony, upper and lower paths from where you can take the Great Adventure as an optional tour.

**DAY 15 Iguazu- Buenos Aires**

In the morning departure from the hotel to the Foz do Iguazu National Park, to get a different view of the falls. Return to Puerto Iguazu. Transfer to the airport to board the scheduled flight.

**DAY 16 Buenos Aires**

At due time, transfer to the hotel to aboard your scheduled flight.

**DEPARTURE DATES**

DAY 1 in Buenos Aires

2016		2017	
	October 03	January 09	April 10
	October 17	January 23	Mayo 8
August 08	November 07	February 06	June 05
September 05	November 21	February 20	July 03
	December 04	March 06	August 07
	December 24	March 20	

**Due to different rescheduling of flights, please consult our required flights at time of booking flights.**

April - September			
ROUTE	FLIGHT	FLIGHT SCHEDULE	
BUE - REL	AR1864	05:20	07:20
REL - EZE	AR1865	07:55	09:45
BUE-USH	AR1890	15:55	19:30

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USH-FTE	AR1699/AR1871	16:00	17:20
FTE - BUE	AR1821	15:20	18:15
BUE - IGR	AR1720	09:20	11:05
IGR - BUE	AR1733	07:55	09:50
BUE-SLA	AR1460	12:55	15:15
SLA - BUE	AR2459	21:00	23:00
October - March			
ROUTE	FLIGHT	FLIGHT SCHEDULE	
BUE - REL	AR1864	05:20	07:20
REL - USH	AR1896	10:00	12:13
USH - FTE	AR1699	16:00	17:20
FTE - BUE	AR1821	15:20	18:15
BUE - SLA	AR1454	10:30	12:50
SLA-IGR	AR2812	18:55	20:40
IGR - BUE	AR1733	16:45	18:40

***What's Included:***

- English Speaking Guide
- Arrival/ departure airport transfers.
- 14 nights with breakfast.  
Buenos Aires (3)- Puerto Madryn (2)- Ushuaia (2) + Calafate (2) - Salta (2) + Cafayate (1) Iguazú (2)
- Tours:  
Buenos Aires: City tour and dinner show  
P. Madryn. Punta Tombo and Península Valdés  
Ushuaia: National Park and Beagle navigation  
Calafate: Perito Moreno Glacier  
Iguazú: Argentinian and Brazilian Falls.  
Salta: City Tour with MAAM, Humahuaca Gorged Trip, Calchaquí Valleys
- Necessary admission fees.

***RATES: email for rates***