

# SACHA

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## Galapagos, Amazon & Andes 15 days / 14 nights

4 nights in Quito, 5 nights in Galápagos, 3 nights at Sacha Lodge and 2 nights in Hacienda Piman

Day 1, 2	Quito, Hotel in Quito (A/B)
Day 3, 4, 5	Galápagos, Scalesia Lodge-Isabela Island (F/B)
Day 6, 7	Galápagos, Finch Bay Hotel-Santa Cruz Island (F/B)
Day 8	Quito, Boutique hotel in Quito (A/B)
Day 9, 10, 11	Amazon, Sacha Lodge (F/B)
Day 12, 13	Andes, Hacienda Piman, train ride, El Angel Reserve , Otavalo market (F/B)
Day 14, 15	Quito, Boutique hotel in Quito (A/B)

### Includes:

- Accommodation in Quito, Galápagos, Sacha Lodge and Hacienda Piman
- Breakfast at hotel in Quito
- Full board Galápagos, Sacha Lodge and Hacienda Piman
- Full day city tour of Quito
- Otavalo market
- El Angel Reserve excursion
- Salinas-Ibarra train ride or rose plantation visits
- Cotacachi town visit
- Transfers airport-hotel-airport in Quito for international and local flights
- Aquatic transportation in Galápagos and Sacha Lodge
- Land transportation in the Andes
- Air tickets Baltra-Puerto Villamil-Baltra (10kg per person only) and Quito-Coca-Quito
- Train ticket Salinas –Ibarra.
- Guided excursions with an English-speaking guide



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### Not Included:

- Air ticket Quito-Baltra-Quito USD 475.00 – USD 540.00 depending on season per person (subject to change)
- Galápagos National Park entrance fee US \$ 100.00 per person
- Galápagos Transit Card US \$ 20.00 per person
- Puerto Villamil entrance fee US \$ 10.00 per person
- Meals in Quito
- Drinks, gratuities

### Detailed Itinerary:

#### DAY 1

Arrive in Quito.

#### DAY 2

Explore Quito's Historic Centre.

#### DAY 3

Journey to Scalesia Lodge, Galápagos. Afternoon visit to Cave of Sucre. Overnight at Scalesia Lodge.

#### DAY 4

Explore Isabela Island's Sierra Negra and Chico Volcano. Return to Scalesia Lodge for lunch. In the afternoon we visit Concha Perla bay to swim and snorkel.



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### DAY 5

Visit to the Tintoreras, an islet formed by lava flows. In the afternoon visit El Muro de las Lagrimas (Wall of tears).

### DAY 6

Early in the morning transfer to the airport to take our flight back to Baltra. Pick up and transfer to Puerto Ayora. Visit Las Grietas. In the afternoon visit Tortuga Bay beach. After the visit we will be taken to Finch Bay Hotel.

### DAY 7

Day trip navigation to one of these islands: Bartolome Island (Saturday, Sunday), Santa Fe Island (Wednesday), South Plazas Island (Tuesday, Friday) or North Seymour Island (Monday, Thursday) Overnight at Finch Bay Hotel.

NOTE: Itineraries in Galápagos subject to change without notice. The sequence of visits might be altered depending on arrival of flights to Baltra or Isabela, weather conditions, or other unexpected circumstances beyond our control.

### DAY 8

Return to Quito



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### DAY 9

Journey to Quito airport. Fly to Coca, where we will be met by a naturalist guide and will board a large motorized canoe for 2-hour ride down the Rio Napo to Sacha Lodge.

We will arrive with time to settle in, bird-watch, swim, or take a walk under the canopy before dinner.

### DAY 10 and 11

Activities in Sacha Lodge in the morning, after lunch, and in the evening.

### DAY 12

Journey from Sacha Lodge to Quito. After lunch Visit the Otavalo indigenous craft market and then arrive at Hacienda Piman to enjoy the grounds, trekking options around the hacienda with astonishing views or just relax on the swimming pool, before dinner.

### DAY 13

Excursion to “El Angel Reserve” where we will explore its strange and beautiful plants, forest and lakes. Lunch in the area and return to the hacienda at the end of the day.

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### DAY 14

Visit Salinas de Ibarra and the local salt museum, followed by lunch at a local restaurant serving regional favourites. Board the train for the ride back up the Andes to Ibarra, visit Cotacachi town. Return trip to Quito, arriving around 5 pm.

Overnight at the Hotel in Quito

Note: The train operates on fixed days (from Wednesday to Sunday). In case we cannot fit the excursion on a train day we will offer an alternative excursion to a Rose Plantation, visit Cotacachi town and lunch in the area before return to Quito at the end of the day.

### DAY 15

End of our programme

