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**TOUR OPERATOR:**  **POLLINA TOURS AND TRAVEL, INC.**

## BRAZIL, ARGENTINA & PERU 2024



Professional Tour Guides Services



Christ the Redeemer Statue, Rio de Janeiro



Group boarding Machupicchu Train in Perú



### HIGHLIGHTS

- \* Flights Miami-Rio De Janeiro & Lima-Miami coach class aboard scheduled airline selected by Pollina Tours
- \* All intra-flights: Rio De Janeiro - Iguassu Falls -Buenos Aires – Lima - Cuzco - Lima coach class aboard scheduled airline selected by Pollina Tours
- \* 2 Nights Rio De Janeiro
- \* 2 nights Iguassu Falls
- \* 2 nights Buenos Aires
- \* 2 nights Lima
- \* 3 nights Sacred Valley
- \* 1 night Cusco
- \* All airline and Hotel taxes, fees & service charges
- \* Portorage at the hotel.
- \* All airport “meet and greet” with transfers to hotel & vice versa
- \* Buffet breakfast daily at the hotel
- \* Buffet/set menu dinner daily at hotel or local restaurant

## TOUR

- \* Modern motor coach/van in seat-in coach shared basis.
- \* Services of English-speaking local guides
- \* Folklore show in Brazil.
- \* Visit to Corcovado Mountain in Rio De Janeiro
- \* Visit to Sugar Loaf Mountain in Rio De Janeiro
- \* Sightseeing tour of Rio De Janeiro
- \* Enjoy the Copacabana & Ipanema beaches of Rio de Janeiro
- \* City tour of Buenos Aires
- \* Tango show in Buenos Aires
- \* Visit to Iguassu Falls (Argentinian & Brazilian Side)
- \* Peruvian folklore dance show
- \* All Entrance fees to the places of visit as per itinerary
- \* Tour of Capital city of Peru (UNESCO World Heritage Site)
- \* Tour of Cusco - ancient capital city of Inca Empire
- \* Visit to Machu Pichu
- \* Roundtrip panoramic Vistadome Train Sacred Valley to Machu Pichu
- \*\* A truly fun filled holiday

## EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT

**Book your Tour 180 DAYS before departure and get \$ 200 Per person EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT**

Tour Code	Tour Departure	Land Cost*	Air & Land Cost*
24SAM0419	April 19, 2024	\$ 4885	\$ 5999
24SAM0517	May 17, 2024	\$ 4885	\$ 5999
24SAM0614	June 14, 2024	\$ 4885	\$ 5999
24SAM0719	July 19, 2024	\$ 4885	\$ 5999
24SAM0816	August 16, 2024	\$ 4885	\$ 5999
24SAM0920	Sept. 20, 2024	\$ 4885	\$ 5999
24SAM1025	October 25,2024	\$ 4885	\$ 5999
24SAM1122	November 22,2024	\$ 4885	\$ 5999
24SAM1213	December 13, 2024	\$ 4885	\$ 5999

## TOUR ITINERARY

### DAY 01 - MIAMI - RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL

Fly this afternoon from Miami to Rio De Janeiro with change of flight en route.

### DAY 02 - RIO-DE JANEIRO

Arrive in Rio De Janeiro. Welcome upon arrival at the airport by our local English-speaking guide. Later, transfer to your hotel. Check in time is 3 PM. Later in the afternoon, explore the neighborhood of Santa Teresa and downtown Old Rio De Janeiro. Visit Arcos da Lapa, Teles Arches and Praça XV. In Santa Teresa, pass by stately mansions from the early 1900s. See Rio's original tram, built in 1897. Visit the world-famous Brazilian soccer icon – Maracanã stadium from outside for a photo stop. Visit the Sambadrome where the Rio Carnival takes places every year in February. Tour of Sugar Loaf Mountains. A cable car takes you to the top of the Sugar Loaf Mountain for a panoramic view of the beaches and Guanabara Bay. Drive past the world-famous Ipanema and Copacabana beaches of Rio.

Overnight in Rio

(Meals: Complimentary Lunch, Dinner)



Tour Group at Sugar Loaf Mountain, Rio De Janeiro

### DAY 03 - RIO DE JANEIRO

After breakfast at the hotel, your local English-speaking guide will take you through the Tijuca Forest, to board train to the top of Corcovado to see the wonder of the world- Christ the Redeemer statue. The statue of Christ the Redeemer was completed in 1931 and stands 98 feet (30 meters) tall, its horizontally outstretched arms spanning 92 feet (28 meters). The statue has become major highlight of not only the city of Rio de Janeiro but the whole nation of Brazil



In the evening enjoy dinner in local restaurant.

Overnight in Rio De Janeiro  
Meals: Breakfast, Complimentary Lunch Dinner

#### **DAY 04 - RIO – IGUASSU FALLS, BRAZIL**

After breakfast, check out and transfer to airport for flight to Iguassu Falls on Brazil side.

Arrive in Iguassu and transfer to hotel. In the evening enjoy Local Folklore dance show and dinner at local restaurant.



**Brazilian dancer**

Overnight at Iguassu Falls, Brazil  
Meals: Breakfast, Complimentary Lunch, Dinner

#### **DAY 05 - IGUASSU FALLS, BRAZIL**

After breakfast, visit Iguassu Falls on Brazilian side.



**Iguassu Falls, Brazilian side**

Located on the west end of the Paraná River, the Iguazú Park is a huge tropical rainforest which has been declared a World Heritage Site: it is one of the largest forest reserves in South America. Countless flora and fauna species live in it. The contrast of green, dense vegetation, black basaltic rocks and the whirlwind of water that precipitates from 72m high causes an intense communion with nature. From a 1,000-meter footbridge, you will be able to admire the majestic Iguazú Falls and the Salto Floreano viewpoint. Overnight at the hotel.

Meals: Breakfast, Complimentary lunch, Dinner

#### **DAY 06 - IGUAZU FALLS - BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA**

After breakfast, check out and cross the border to visit Iguassu Falls on the Argentina side, Arrive and proceed directly to enjoy the Iguazu falls from Argentine side to view the Devil's throat. Iguassu Falls is one of the world's natural wonders, consists of over 275 separate cataracts across a span of two and half miles wider than Victoria Falls. Iguazú National Park a total of 55,500 hectares bears the name of the river serving as northern border, which means "great waters" in the guaraní language. Surrounded by a lush subtropical rainforest, you will find the majestic Iguazú Waterfalls. Its water volume and more than 275 falls places it among the most important and spectacular waterfalls in the world. On different footbridges, you will visit the heart of the waterfalls, appreciating them from different angles. You will visit the lower circuit, and feel part of nature, refreshing ourselves with waterfall drizzle. On the upper circuit, you will stop at different viewpoints, and then reach the balcony at Garganta del Diablo (Devil's Throat). No doubt, this is the most amazing of all falls: water falls down from 80 meters.



**Iguassu Falls – the widest in the world**

After the tour, transfer to airport for flight to Buenos Aires. Arrive in Buenos Aires and transfer to hotel. Overnight at the hotel.  
Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

#### **DAY 07 - BUENOS AIRES**

After breakfast, enjoy the tour of Buenos Aires- also known as the Paris of South America built in the 19th century era of plenty of the wealthy Gauchos (cowboys) land barons in Argentina; this city rivals the architecture and sophistication of Paris. On an unforgettable route, you will live all the porteño magic. These few hours feature all the magic of Argentina's capital city. In this most complete overview of the Paris of South America you will visit the glamorous neighborhoods of Recoleta and its most famous cemetery, Palermo, May Square and the Pink House, the Metropolitan Cathedral, the newest & trendiest Puerto Madero Area and many other emblematic buildings and palaces of unique architectural, historical, and cultural value. The visit would not be complete without the sights of the first settlements of the city of Buenos Aires.



**Bustling City of Buenos Aires**

The picturesque neighborhood of San Telmo, residence to the porteño aristocracy until the end of the XIX century and where the renowned antiques market is held every Sunday; Caminito Street, in the colorful, Italian immigrant's neighborhood of La Boca. In the evening enjoy tango show at local theatre.



**Tango show at local theatre**

Overnight at the hotel.  
Meals: Breakfast, Complimentary lunch, Dinner

#### **DAY 08 – BUENOS AIRES - LIMA, PERU**

Morning local running in Buenos Aires to explore this city once called the “Paris of South America”. After lunch, transfer to airport for flight to Lima. As the group will be at the airport during dinner time, dinner is not included on this day in the tour cost. Passengers can buy dinner at the airport directly). Arrive late in the evening in Lima, Peru. Welcome at the airport by our local Peruvian guide and then transfer to your hotel.

Meals: Breakfast, Complimentary lunch.  
Overnight at the hotel.

#### **DAY 09 – LIMA – CUSCO – SACRED VALLEY**

After breakfast, transfer to airport for flight to Cusco. Arrive in Cusco and transfer to your hotel in Sacred Valley Rest of the day is free to acclimatize to high altitude (approximately 12,000 feet above the sea level).

Overnight at the hotel.  
Meals: Breakfast, Complimentary Lunch, Dinner

#### **DAY 10 – S. VALLEY- MACHU PICCHU - S. VALLEY**

After breakfast, you will be driven to train station to board the panoramic train to Machu Picchu on day return trip. Arrive in Machu Picchu, a wonder of the world and proceed on tour of this “Lost City of the Incas”, **Machu Picchu**, a unique, magical and mystic place.



**Group in Machu Picchu**

You will be amazed in this approximately three hours of going around Machu Picchu, the majestic and perfection of this Inca legacy. Located on top of a mountain in the middle of a tropical forest, it is considered the tourist attraction par excellence in Peru. The historic sanctuary is a place that captivates tourists not only for its dazzling architectural beauty, but also for its important historical-cultural legacy, which has led it to be recognized and admired throughout the world.



**Machu Picchu**

Declared Cultural and Natural Heritage of Humanity in 1983 by UNESCO, it is probably the most amazing architectural construction of the Inca Empire. This citadel is made up of temples, palaces, terraces, monuments, complexes, and walls; in addition to water channels, built with large blocks of stone, without any amalgam, proof of the great wisdom of the Inca civilization.

Later in the afternoon transfer to train station to board your Vista dome train to Sacred Valley. Arrive and transfer to hotel your hotel. Overnight in Sacred valley

Meals: Breakfast, Complimentary Lunch, Dinner

**DAY 11 - SACRED VALLEY**

After breakfast, free time for or you may choose Optional tour @ \$ 75 per person to visit Sacred Valley to see some important archaeological sites as Ollantaytambo with its fortress and Sun Temple.

Overnight at the hotel.

Meals: Breakfast, Complimentary Lunch, Dinner

**DAY 12 SACRED VALLEY - CUSCO**

After breakfast, check out of the hotel and depart by coach for Cusco for tour of Cusco –a city that blends Spanish colonial charm. Visit the Main Square, the Cathedral, the Temple of the Sun at Korikancha. Visit the impressive Fortress of Sacsayhuaman built on a hill overlooking Cusco, famous for its enormous carved stones, some of them standing over 9 m / 30 ft. high and weighing over 350 tons. Later check in at your hotel in Cusco. In the evening enjoy the local folklore show and dinner

Overnight in Cusco

Meals: Breakfast, Complimentary lunch, Dinner



Peruvian Mother and Child

**DAY 13 – CUSCO - LIMA**

After breakfast, transfer to airport for flight to Lima. Arrive in Lima and transfer to hotel. In the afternoon, enjoy tour of Lima.

Your guide will take you on the tour of Lima - also known as the city of Kings. Lima is long considered the colonial capital of South America. Visit the historic downtown area declared a world heritage site by United Nations. Enjoy the visit to Lima’s principal attractions: The Plaza de Armas, Government Palace, The Cathedral etc.



Overnight in Lima

Meals: Breakfast, Complimentary lunch, Dinner

**DAY 14 LIMA – MIAMI**

After relaxed morning and breakfast, check out of the hotel and proceed on tour of Lima. After the tour enjoy your late lunch last meal on the tour. After lunch. Transfer to airport for your flight to Miami.

Meals: Breakfast, Complimentary lunch

**DAY 15 ARRIVE IN MIAMI**

Arrive in Miami with happy Memories of Brazil. Argentina and Peru

----- TOUR ENDS -----

**TOUR COST\***

Tour Cost	MAIN TOUR RATES (Per Person Rates based on double occupancy)
LAND ONLY	\$ 4885
AIR & LAND	\$ 5999

\* All Tour Cost is per person based on sharing a twin/double room.

Single Room Supplement: \$ 950 \*

**ADD ON FARE:** For Add on fares from other cities, please call POLLINA TOURS at 516-358 1301

**Please read all the terms and conditions carefully before filling in the Tour Booking form and mailing your deposits**

**GROUP MEALS BOOKING:** POLLINA TOURS make the reservation for the Group Dinner arrangements at the hotel or local restaurants based on the hotel or restaurant’s Buffet or Set dinner menu basis policy. All efforts are made to offer Vegetarian and Non-Vegetarian menu choice to the Group members. However, Pollina Tours cannot make multiple dinner menu request based on each group members’ individual request, personal taste, likes and dislikes. Due to the presence of food allergens in the processing environment and in meals and snacks

served, Pollina Tours and its suppliers cannot guarantee an allergen-free meal. We encourage customers to review any health/food allergy concerns with their physicians prior to joining the tour.

**COMPLIMENTARY LUNCH:** As lunches are not part of the tour package, the cost of lunches is not included in the tour package. However, as a special gesture to IASONJ Group, Pollina Tours will provide complimentary packed/light lunch to group members.

**OPT OUT PLAN FOR NO DINNERS:** Dinners as mentioned above are buffet/set menu as per the menu of the hotel/local restaurant decided by Pollina Tours. Once again, no personal liking and disliking of meals request will be accepted by POLLINA TOURS.

There will be Opt-Out Dinner plan, whereby you can opt out of meal arrangements and Pollina Tours will issue refund of \$ 25 per person. However, this Opt-Out Dinner Plan must be informed to Pollina Tours in writing at least 30 days before departure.

**NOT INCLUDED IN LAND COST:** Visa fee, any airfare, meals not mentioned above, Travel Insurance, baggage handling fee, gratuity, any beverages alcoholic or non-alcoholic, items of personal nature such as laundry, telephone, lunch, dinner, room service, any increase in airfare or government-imposed taxes, any other items not mentioned in the tour inclusion list.

**AIRLINE LUGGAGE FEE:** Pollina Tours will cover for luggage fee charged on the airline booked by Pollina Tours from USA to South America as well as within South America per passenger for only **one** checked in luggage not more than 44 pounds and **one** carry on cabin hand luggage not more than 15 pounds in weight.

**TOUR OPERATOR:** POLLINA TOURS AND TRAVEL, INC is our Tour Operator. Each passenger must duly fill in Booking Form, sign it and mail to Pollina Tours with the copy of their passport.

**FORM OF PAYMENT:** Please make the check or money order payable to IASONJ for deposit amount \$ 1000 per person and mail to 665, Lincoln Highway (Route 27), Iselin, NJ 08830.

**Attn: Mrs Ushaben Shah. Phone: (732) 283 -8666**  
**E-mail:iasonj@yahoo.com Website; www.iasonj.org.**

The balance amount will be due at least 120 days before departure

**TRAVEL INSURANCE:** Pollina Tours do not sell any Travel insurance. We strongly recommend that you obtain a comprehensive Travel Insurance including but not limited to trip cancellation, delay, loss of deposit, medical expenses, personal accidents and death, loss of baggage, personal belongings. 'Cancel for Any Reason' travel insurance policy is one option that you must discuss with your Travel Insurance Company as it offers a wider range of coverage if you cancel for any reason. Most Travel Insurance companies want you to buy insurance at the time of making your initial tour deposit to obtain the best coverage. Please contact and discuss all options available to you from the

Travel Insurance companies of your choice before signing up on the tour.

**CANCELLATION AND REFUND:** Tour once booked involves cancellation penalty if it is cancelled by you for any reason or for any circumstances beyond the control of Pollina Tours & Travel, Inc, its agents, and its service providers. We highly recommend purchasing Travel Insurance policy from the travel insurance company of your choice, covering all eventualities including but not limited to trip delay, trip cancellation, medical evacuation, illness, disease, death, accident etc that can protect yourself from cancellation penalties, in case the tour is cancelled by you or due to circumstances beyond the control of Pollina Tours, its agents or service providers. An administrative fee of US \$ 500 per person will be charged for any cancellation once the tour is booked. A 25 % cancellation fee on total tour cost will be charged if the bookings are cancelled between 89-60 days prior to departure. A 50% cancellation fee on total tour cost will be charged if the bookings are cancelled between 59-30 days prior to departure. A 75% cancellation fee on total tour cost will be charged if the bookings are cancelled between 29-03 days prior to departure. For later cancellation or for any unutilized services no refund will be permissible. It is mandatory for passenger to make all cancellations in writing stating the reason for cancellation and must be received in our office. Most refunds generally take 6-8 weeks to process.

**TRAVEL DOCUMENTS:** It is the sole responsibility of each passenger/tourist to obtain and verify that all their travel documents such as passport, visa and airline tickets, vaccination requirements etc are in order and meets the guidelines to embark on the trip.

**HEALTH:** Cusco is situated around 12,000 feet above sea level and some of you may experience altitude sickness. You must consult with your physician every important aspect of your health-related issues including altitude sickness, vaccinations such as Yellow Fever, Hepatitis, malaria prophylaxis etc to ensure you are physically fit to travel. Please note all our overseas tours require considerable walking and driving, sometimes on uneven, dusty, and bumpy road conditions. You may also need to take stairs and inclines during the tour. No individual assistance to passengers requiring wheelchair can be provided as many places may not be wheelchair accessible and may be challenging for physically handicapped. For Information on vaccinations and other health precautions, such as safe food and water precautions and insect bite protection, may be obtained from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's hotline for international travelers or via the CDC's website. For information about outbreaks of infectious diseases abroad consult the World Health Organization's (WHO) web site. For information and health guidelines about outbreaks of infectious diseases such as COVID 19 and other disease abroad, please consult the World Health Organization's (WHO) official website. All passengers are personally responsible to ensure that they consult their Physicians if they are medically fit to travel and follow all the Covid Safety protocol.

**AIRLINE GROUP BOOKING AND SEAT ASSIGNMENTS:** POLLINA TOURS makes the booking with the Group Department of the airline, which means all the group members must travel together to and from a common gateway, as one Group. The Group tickets are lower fare tickets and carry restrictions. The tickets are nonrefundable, non-transferrable,

non-re-routable, and non-endorsable. Policies governing seat assignments for groups vary greatly by airline. Most airlines currently offer preferred seating, a system which allows them to charge additional fees for more desirable seats, which may include window and aisle seats. As a result, many seats displayed on airline seat maps are set aside for clients willing to pay additional fees for them. Some seats may only be accessible at airport check-in, although sometimes passengers with frequent flyer status may have earlier access. Seat assignments preferences are not guaranteed by Pollina Tours. Loss of assignments may occur, at any time, due to airline schedule changes, or even as a result of individual passengers making changes directly with airlines on their group seat assignments. In many cases, airlines will not assign seats for groups until approximately 30 days prior. At this time, Pollina Tours will do all possible to seat passengers together and in the best available seats. However, it may not be possible for Pollina Tours to assign seats of each passenger's individual choice. Once assigned, typically seats may only be changed at airport check-in. Domestic US flights, as well as flights within Europe, do not permit group seat assignments. An exact passport name is required to complete seat assignments. Subsequent name corrections may result in the loss of seat assignments, in addition to other fees. Some airlines reserve the right to refuse subsequent seat changes, once preliminary seat assignments have been completed. Airline reservation agents are often prohibited from assisting with seat requests for group reservations.

**GROUP HOTEL/CRUISE BOOKING:** POLLINA TOURS makes the booking of the hotel or cruise in the specified hotel in "Standard" twin-bedded (two single beds) rooms or "Standard" double bedded (one double bed) room with private facilities, unless you have specifically requested and paid for an upgraded room category. Special requests, such as bed types, smoking preference and connecting rooms are subject to availability. Room selection in all cases, unless otherwise reserved, is strictly at the discretion of the hotel's management on a run-of-house basis.

**RESPONSIBILITY:** Pollina Tours & Travel, Inc. and/or their agents give notice that all tickets, vouchers and the coupons issued by them and all arrangements for transportation or for conveyance/hotel accommodation, sightseeing, excursions etc made by them as AGENTS of the passenger upon the express condition that they shall not be held liable for any injury, damage, loss, accident, death, delay or irregularity which may be occasioned either by reason or defect of any vehicle, or through the act or default of any person or company engaged in conveying or housing the passengers or in connection therewith, or any of hotel proprietor or employee. Pollina Tour and/or their agents can accept no responsibility for cancellation penalties or losses or incidental expenses due to delay or change in schedules of airline, rail, motor coach, cruise or any transportation companies etc, hotel overbooking or default, sickness, injury, death, weather, strike, political or social unrest, disease, epidemic, pandemic, terrorism, natural calamities, quarantine or any other causes beyond the control of Pollina Tours & Travel, its agents and suppliers of services. All such losses or incidental expenses will have to be borne by the passengers. Baggage is at owner's risk throughout the tour. Obtaining a suitable travel insurance policy to cover the **medical and non-medical eventualities** from any Travel Insurance company of your choice is solely the responsibility of each passenger/tourist booked on our tour. Pollina Tours & Travel reserves the right to accept or reject any

person as tour participants, to expel any tour participants from the tour, to make changes in the itinerary whenever the company deems it is necessary for the comfort, safety and convenience of the participants or their agents /service providers. Although, all safety measures are taken by our suppliers to ensure you have an enjoyable and safe tour. However, our Service provider will require you to sign their responsibility form to not hold them responsible for any injury, accident, death etc caused to you during any adventure tourism activities, jungle safari etc which was beyond their control. All prices are quoted in US Dollars. The transportation, airlines, rail, cruise, ferry companies etc concerned are not to be held responsible for any act, omission, or events during the time passengers are not on board their carriers and conveyance. The passenger's contract in use by the airline carrier concerned when issued shall constitute the sole contract between the transportation company and the purchaser of these Tours/ and or passengers. Check-in time at the hotels is 3 PM and check out time is 12 Noon. Sequence of the itinerary is subject to change due to circumstances beyond our control.

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