



JOURNEY OVERVIEW

During this private tour of Costa Rica, you will discover the highlights of a country known for its adventurous spirit and eco-chic accommodations. Begin in the Osa Peninsula, where your remote lodge will make you feel immersed in the surrounding rainforest. Explore isolated beaches during a private boat ride with a naturalist guide, who will point out dolphins and caimans, witness the lush jungle end at a pristine beach on horseback, or hike until you reach a secluded waterfall. The journey continues in the Pacuare Forest, where you may arrive at your lodge via white-water raft, a unique luxury travel experience. During your hiking excursion to the Talamanca Mountains, follow a centuries-old indigenous trail, learning about the history and customs of the country's largest indigenous group along the way. After a short hike through the jungle, thrillseekers will find adrenaline-pumping canyoning or ziplining adventures. Finally, your Costa Rica luxury tour ends with a charter flight to Liberia and a private transfer to your beachfront resort in the Papagayo Peninsula. There, enjoy a beach and water activities such as swimming, snorkeling, kayaking, or simply relaxing on a sandy beach located steps from your accommodations.

A Taste of Blue Parallel's Insider Access

- Your own private plane to take you from lodge to lodge
- Meet indigenous communities
- Access to off the beaten track trails and waterfalls
- Private dinners on the beach facing the Pacific Ocean

The Discovery

- Osa Peninsula
- Pacuare River
- Peninsula Papagayo

The Adventure

- Horseback riding
- Hiking
- Rafting
- Zip lining
- Waterfalls
- Volcano climbing
- Snorkeling
- Scuba diving
- Sea kayaking
- Surfing

Duration When to go?

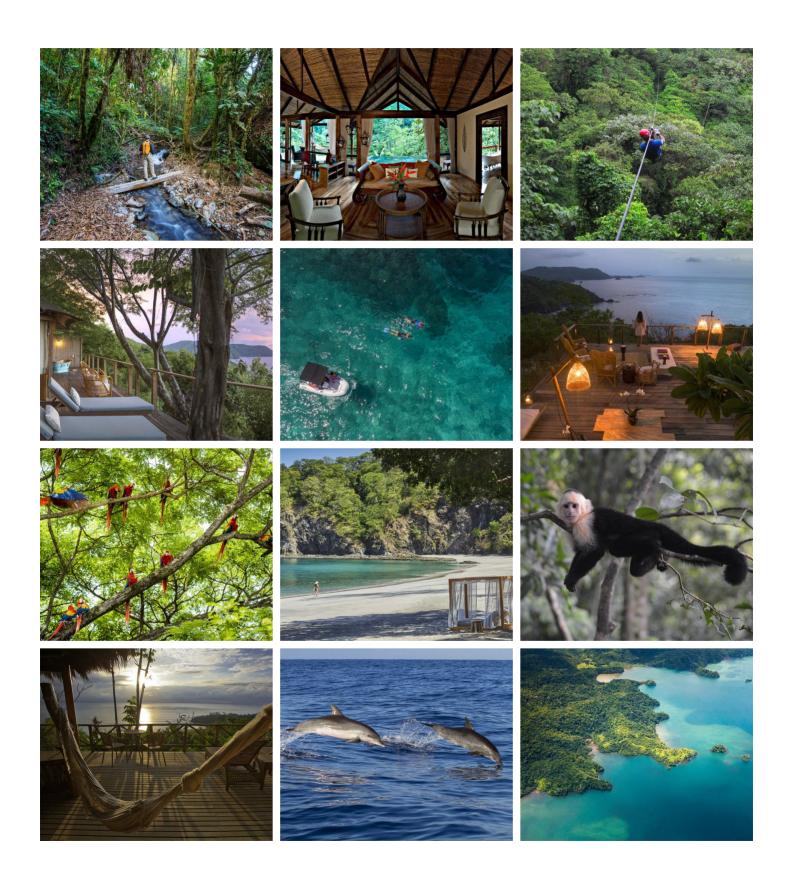
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PRIVATE TOUR COSTA RICA

Please note this private Costa Rica tour is an example, as all of our luxury journeys are custom-made. You will find below a summary outline.

Please contact us to start planning your custom-made private adventure of a lifetime.

Osa Peninsula (2 nights)

Upon arrival at San José International Airport, board a private plane to the Osa Peninsula. Here you will stay at a lodge nestled in the forest overlooking the Pacific Ocean. You'll have the opportunity to horseback ride through the lush rainforest and along the peaceful beaches of the Osa Peninsula. This exclusive lodge is set away from other touristic locales, providing a unique experience of the pristine rainforest.

Your guide will take you on a boat to explore the bay and its river tributaries along the Golfo Dulce. You'll likely spot dolphins, crocodiles, and whales out in the gulf. Later, hike through the forest, crisscrossing the river until you reach hidden waterfalls. Enjoy an exciting night walk with your expert guide to witness nocturnal wildlife.

Pacuare Forest (2 nights)

Continue your luxury Costa Rica tour by visiting the unspoiled Pacuare Forest in the Cartago province with your expert guide. The Pacuare Forest is a 25,000-acre protected area with diverse plant and animal species.

After a private plane journey to Siquirres, embark on an exhilarating white water rafting experience to the lodge. Later, glide through the jungle on zip lines connecting the treetops, or embark on rappelling and canyoning adventures.

The following day, embark on a hike through the Talamanca Mountains, home to the Cabecar indigenous group – the largest in Costa Rica. You will trek on the paths which the Cabecar have used for centuries. The trail offers a wonderful opportunity to discover the secrets of the forest and interact with the ecosystem. Unlike other tribes, the Cabecar do not live in villages but in separate family units away from other neighbors, which has helped them to maintain their customs, language and culture.

Peninsula Papagayo (2 nights)

Leave the jungle by private plane and head to the Pacific coast. You'll stay at the magnificent Four Seasons Costa Rica Resort – the keynote resort property in Central America – with easy access to two white sand beaches.

On the final day of your private Costa Rica tour, enjoy the resort's many activities including rum tastings, relaxing in the spa, lounging on its two beaches, kayaking, and sailing. During your stay, your guide will take you on a private boat trip to explore the peninsula at sunset.



ABOUT BLUE PARALLEL

Blue Parallel is a bespoke luxury travel boutique.



Our mission is to take discerning, time-constrained travelers to the most spectacular natural and cultural wonders of Latin America, the Mediterranean, and the Polar Regions.



We create private, tailor-made journeys that focus on UNESCO World Heritage Sites, insider access experiences, and extraordinary outdoor adventures.



Since launching in 2003, we have become the go-to service for luxury travelers searching for top-of-the-line experiential journeys. We have been selected as an A-list Top Travel Advisor by Travel + Leisure every year since 2009, and are proudly part of the leading luxury travel network Virtuoso and their Ultraluxe Community (a by-invitation-only membership for the industry's most exclusive services and providers). We have hosted numerous eminent travelers since our inception and are frequently featured in prestigious international publications.



Blue Parallel journeys feature breathtaking outdoor adventures led by expert guides or accomplished athletes. Scuba diving in the Belize Reef, biking through Berber villages in the Atlas Mountains, ice-trekking on the Perito Moreno Glacier, dog sledding in Lapland, rafting on the Pacuare River in Costa Rica, and hiking the fjords of Norway are only a few examples of the extraordinary outdoor adventures we incorporate in our tailor-made itineraries. We take great satisfaction in designing custom-made adventures of a lifetime.



At Blue Parallel, we open doors to unique opportunities that match our travelers' interests. Our team travels year-round, seeking out the most intriguing insider experiences. Over the years, we have developed invaluable relationships with esteemed scholars, acclaimed artists, Olympic athletes, renowned chefs, directors of historical and natural landmarks, as well as with local leaders in politics and business, to name just a few examples.



Privacy has always been a top priority in all aspects of a Blue Parallel journey. Exclusive accommodations range from remote, fully-serviced villas in Iceland, a lighthouse on a private island in Norway, or a luxury private camp in the Sahara Desert. Examples of private custom experiences include an after-hours tour of the Alhambra in Andalucia, chartering a luxury yacht in the Galapagos Islands, or taking a private train ride to Machu Picchu. We can provide all these ultimate exclusive experiences and more so that our travelers can have the option to enjoy some of the world's most spectacular sights without the crowds.



Blue Parallel travelers are assigned a dedicated team comprised of:

- A personal travel expert
- A personal host in each destination
- Expert on-site guides and scholars
- Behind-the-scenes logistical experts to monitor every step of the journey
 We are on call for our travelers 24-hours a day during their trip, ensuring a smooth and stress-free experience. Whatever happens, our team is one step ahead, and we provide the flexibility to change the program during the journey, if need be.

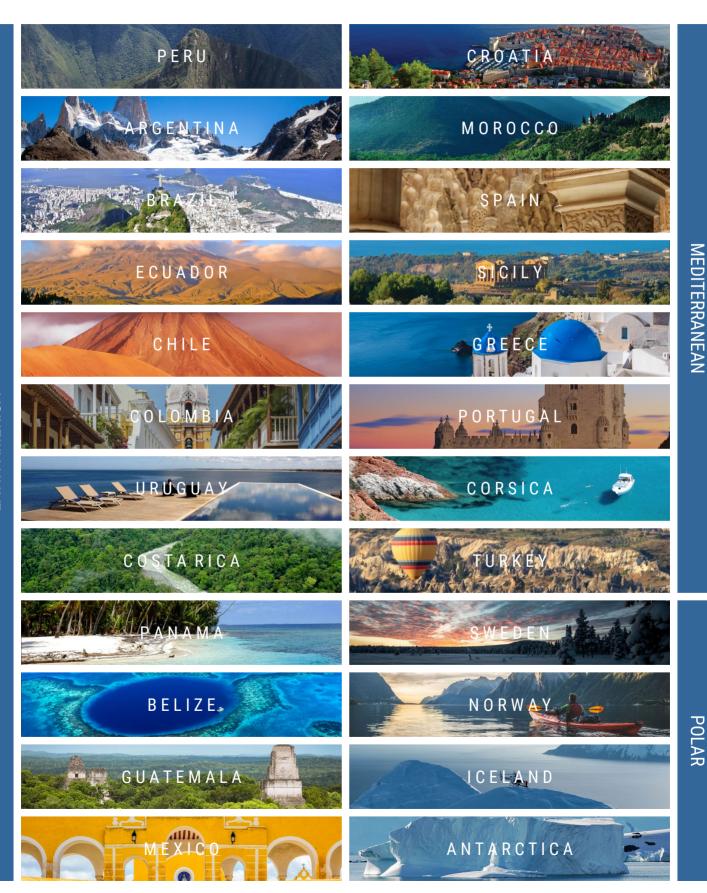
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Blue Parallel's expertise and our obsession with details offer certainty in an uncertain world. We have almost 2 decades of experience handling unforeseen circumstances, and the recent pandemic has only increased the significant value of having our dedicated teams offer limitless support to our travelers before, during, and after their journeys.

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BLUE PARALLEL IN THE MEDIA

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START PLANNING

We are experts in creating inspiring tailor-made itineraries. We will take your vision, try to enhance it, and then make your dream trip a reality. You can call us at 1-301-263-6670 Monday-Friday | 9 AM -5PM ET, or send us an email to info@blueparallel.com.

How it all works

Contact us

Give us a call or send us an email in order to connect with one of our expert travel advisors.

Initial Consultation

We will ask you questions about your dream trip, make recommendations, and answer any questions you may have.

Summary Itinerary Outline

We will check availability for your preferred travel dates with our favorite accommodations and then provide you with a recommended summary trip outline.

Detailed Itinerary Proposal

Upon your approval of the summary outline, we will make tentative reservations and create a detailed custom-made itinerary with pricing documentation for your review.

Booking Procedures

If you would like Blue Parallel to secure your itinerary, we will email you our booking procedures and kindly request a deposit payment.

Pre-Trip Support 6

Closer to your travel dates, we will mail you a personalized travel package to ensure you are fully prepared for your journey.

During the Trip

While you are traveling, our team will be available to assist you with anything you may need at any time.

Post-Trip Debrief

After your journey, we would kindly ask to schedule a "debriefing call" to hear your feedback. Alternatively, you could fill in an online survey.

We will do our very best to surpass your expectations every step of the way. Most of our travelers are repeat travelers - we take great pride in forging long-term relationships with our savvy guests.