

# Atacama, Los Lagos, and Patagonia trip

## Identity card

Client: Gaston Sacaze Turismo SPA

Start date: 14/12/24 - 27/12/24

Duration: 14 days

## Visited countries

### Chile

Chile has many different adventures to offer: stargazing in the driest desert in the world, millennial glaciers in the southernmost part of the planet, enchanted forests, and lakes located at the foot of massive volcanoes. It has islands full of legends, winemaking traditions, great challenges to be overcome, and the modern and accessible city of Santiago.

## Regions to discover

## SANTIAGO

Dynamic and cosmopolitan Santiago is a vital and versatile city. Home to many events showcasing the very best of Chilean culture, it also hosts superb international festivals of sound, flavor and color! Set out to explore the city streets and you'll discover beautiful and original art galleries, design shops and handicraft markets, as well as a great selection of restaurants, bars and cafes.



## ATACAMA

Northern Chile is home to the world's most arid desert and its salt flats, hot springs and geysers as well as large deposits of copper and other minerals and mines in Chuquibambilla, Calama and other parts of the altiplano. It also boasts fertile ravines and oases whose unique fruits make for excellent culinary tours and is inhabited by some of the country's native peoples.



## LAGOS

Los Lagos is a region of southern Chile known for its forests, the Andes mountains and lakes. The regional capital, Puerto Montt, is a busy port with a neoclassical wooden cathedral. Among the active volcanoes nearby are Osorno, with its cone covered by a glacier, and Calbuco. To the south, the island of Chiloé is known for its wooden churches and fjords where whales can be seen. The capital city, Castro, has colorful houses built on stilts.



## CHILEAN PATAGONIA

Dream of all great traveler, Patagonia is a mythical destination at the end of the world where nature has gathered what it has most spectacular. This region holds some treasures such as the Torres del Paine Park located between the Andes Cordillera and the Patagonian steppe. The park preserves various types of landscapes, pampas, thick forests, lakes, lagoons and impressive glaciers.



## CENTRAL REGION

The Central Valley is nestled between two mountain ranges (the Andes and the Coastal Mountain Range) and crossed by the rivers that make their soil so fertile. A drive of just a little over an hour on modern highways separates Santiago's Andean walls from the mighty Pacific Ocean.



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## Itinerary Summary

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- ☆ Day 1 - Saturday 14/12/24: Santiago Aeropuerto - Santiago - Providencia
- ☆ Day 2 - Sunday 15/12/24: Santiago - Providencia
- ☆ Day 3 - Monday 16/12/24: Santiago - Santiago Aeropuerto - Calama - San Pedro de Atacama
- ☆ Day 4 - Tuesday 17/12/24: San Pedro de Atacama
- ☆ Day 5 - Wednesday 18/12/24: San Pedro de Atacama - Calama - Santiago Aeropuerto - Santiago - Providencia
- ☆ Day 6 - Thursday 19/12/24: Santiago - Santiago Aeropuerto - Puerto Montt - Castro
- ☆ Day 7 - Friday 20/12/24: Puerto Varas
- ☆ Day 8 - Saturday 21/12/24: Puerto Varas
- ☆ Day 9 - Sunday 22/12/24: Puerto Varas - Puerto Montt - Punta Arenas - Puerto Natales
- ☆ Day 10 - Monday 23/12/24: Puerto Natales
- ☆ Day 11 - Tuesday 24/12/24: Puerto Natales
- ☆ Day 12 - Wednesday 25/12/24: Puerto Natales - Punta Arenas - Santiago Aeropuerto - Santiago - Providencia
- ☆ Day 13 - Thursday 26/12/24: Santiago - Valparaíso - Santiago - Valparaíso - Providencia
- ☆ Day 14 - Friday 27/12/24: Santiago - Santiago Aeropuerto

## Detailed itinerary

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### Day 1: Saturday 14/12/24, Santiago Aeropuerto - Santiago - Providencia

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Private transfer from Santiago airport to your hotel.

Service includes French-speaking guide.

Night at Hotel Novotel Providencia | Standard Room

Dinner at Novotel Providencia Hotel includes:

Starter, main course and dessert with a mineral water.

*Included: private transport, french guide, room inc. breakfast, dinner*

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## Day 2: Sunday 15/12/24, Santiago - Providencia

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### **Half day Santiago City Tour with Santa Lucia hill 4 hours (without Lunch) :**

Meeting in the morning or afternoon in the hotel hall to start our visit at city tour in Santiago. This tour will include the historic center: Plaza de Armas, the cathedral, La Moneda Palace and the central fish market. We will end the visit at Santa Lucia hill in order to have a panoramic view above the capital.

Service includes French-speaking guide.

Lunch menu included in the El Galeon restaurant.

Tips included.

Night at Hotel Novotel Providencia | Standard Room

Dinner at Novotel Providencia Hotel includes:

Starter, main course and dessert with a mineral water.

*Included: private transport, guided tour in French, lunch, room inc. breakfast, dinner*

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## Day 3: Monday 16/12/24, Santiago - Santiago Aeropuerto - Calama - San Pedro de Atacama

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Private transfer from your hotel to Santiago airport.

Service includes French-speaking guide.

Flight Santiago - Calama.

*Flight not included in the quotation.*

Private Transfer from Calama airport to your hotel in San Pedro de Atacama.

Lunch menu included in the La Casona restaurant.

### **Half Day Moon Valley - Private Service**

One of the best-known destinations between Calama and San Pedro is the Valle de la Luna. With the Licancabur volcano providing the backdrop, strange salt, and rock formations in the middle of the valley's barren sandy landscape really do look like a moonscape. After a tour past the bizarre natural rock and salt shapes, you will ascend a lookout point on a giant sand dune where you can enjoy a breath-taking view of the valley and the Licancabur volcano. Then, you pass by the bizarre rock formation "Tres Mariás" and end the excursion at "Coyote's rock" ("Piedra del Coyote"). From the top of this rock, you overlook the Kari-Canyon and wide parts of the desert, you can even catch a glimpse at the Salar de Atacama. The setting sun bathes the landscape in a light that changes with every minute, providing a mesmerising play of colours. The return drive to San Pedro is after sunset.

**Recommendations:** Comfortable clothing and shoes, mineral water, sunscreen, sunglasses, hat and coat for sunset.

Aperitif at the end of the excursion included.

Half Day speaking guide service french.

Dinner menu included in the Adobe restaurant

La Casa de Don Tomas Hotel | Superior Room

*Included: private transport, professional guide, lunch (no drink), English-speaking guide, Appetizer, entrance ticket(s) mentioned in the itinerary, room inc. buffet breakfast*



### **Private Full Day Atacama Salt / Miscanti and Meñiques lagoon**

Almost on the heart of the Atacama Salt Flat and part of Los Flamencos National Reserve, at the Chaxa lagoon we will enjoy a variety of birdlife, mainly flamingos, which because of their beauty are the main attraction at the salt flat. We will walk around the site following a trail to learn about this unique species and admire the general splendor of the lagoons at the salt flat, one of the biggest saline deposits in the world. Moreover, On the way to the High Andean lagoons, we will see the small town of Socaire, locally known for its traditional gastronomy based on the work carried out by its inhabitants since ancient times with crop terraces and irrigation canals that allows corn, quinoa, fava beans, carrots and potatoes to grown which have allowed them to remain here and keep this small and far away village alive.

In the High Andean plains, we will visit the Miscanti and Miñiques lagoons located at 4,200 meters (13,779 feet) above sea level on the foothills of the volcanoes of the Andes Mountain Range under the same names. Through their trails, we will enjoy nature in a breathtaking landscape full of contrasts, such as the deep blue clear sky, colorful vegetation and wildlife.

**Recommendations:** Comfortable clothing and shoes, water, sunscreen. landscape not suitable for people with heart conditions, hypertension or pregnancy.

Simple lunch during excursion.

Entrance fee at the Altiplanic lagoons included.

Entrance fee at the Atacama Salt Lake included.

Full Day speaking guide service in french.

Ckunna Restaurant | Agency menu

La Casa de Don Tomas Hotel | Superior Room

*Included: English-speaking guide, private transport, lunch, entrance ticket(s) mentioned in the itinerary, room inc. buffet breakfast*



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Day 5: Wednesday 18/12/24, San Pedro de Atacama - Calama - Santiago Aeropuerto - Santiago - Providencia

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**Private Full Day Geysers del Tatio & Machuca**

Very early in the morning, departure towards the Tatio Geysers located at 4300m above sea level: arrival at sunrise, time when the geysers are the most spectacular. Located 90 km north of San Pedro de Atacama and with nearly 80 active geysers, El Tatio is the largest site in the southern hemisphere. This site is visited at dawn, when the difference of temperatures makes possible to admire the steam chimneys.

Breakfast served in the place.

We will return to San Pedro with a stop on the way at the village of Machuca, located at 4000mts above sea level. this is a small village of shepherds very sparsely populated.

Crafts and skewers of llamas are offered to visitors (to be purchased on spot). Its very picturesque little church is worth seeing.

Entrance fees for the Tatio Geysers included.

Full Day speaking guide service in french.

Box Lunch

Private transfer from your hotel in San Pedro de Atacama to Calama airport.

Includes English speaking guide services.

Flight Calama - Santiago.

*Flight not included in the quotation.*

Private transfer from Santiago airport to your hotel.

Service includes French-speaking guide.

Night at Hotel Novotel Providencia | Standard Room

Dinner at Novotel Providencia Hotel includes:

Starter, main course and dessert with a mineral water.

*Included: English-speaking guide, private transport, transfer to the hotel, entrance ticket(s) mentioned in the itinerary, tour includes a box lunch, french guide, room inc. breakfast, dinner*

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Day 6: Thursday 19/12/24, Santiago - Santiago  
Aeropuerto - Puerto Montt - Castro

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Private transfer from your hotel to Santiago airport.

Service includes French-speaking guide.

Flight Santiago - Puerto Montt.  
Flight not included in the quote.

Private transfer from airport in Puerto Montt to your hotel in Castro.

service includes french guide

### **RURAL TOURISM AND GASTRONOMY "CURANTO AL HOYO" (HALF DAY)**

Chiloé was named by the FAO among the first seven Ingenious World Agricultural Heritage Sites (SIPAM), for being a fundamental part of the conservation of both the agricultural heritage and its peasant culture. Bearing this in mind, we will start touring the Yumbel fair in Castro, where we will be able to appreciate very well the gastronomic and agricultural context of the Island, where fruits and vegetables, seafood and fish and typical foods are sold, among other products that are part of the gastronomy. from Chiloe. After this, we will pass through the stilt houses of Castro, to finally head towards the rural sector of the Island, where a family will receive us and teach us all about: Curanto al Hoyo, a preparation that brings together products from the sea and land, such as shellfish, meat, potatoes, milcaos and chapaleles. Preparation in which passengers may participate.  
Lunch with the family to appreciate the Curanto

Services with English speaking guide

Classic Dinner Castro Hotel | Option A

Night at Hotel Enjoy Chiloé | Standard Room

*Included: private transport, professional guide, private tour, dinner, room inc. breakfast*



**Private Full day Tour Ancud - Castro - Dalcahue**

We will start our tour by the city of Parga, where we will board a ferry to sail through the Chacao Canal. During the navigation, we will be able to observe sea-wolves, pelicans and other marine species of this region. We will finally arrive at the village of Chacao, where we will visit his church and other monuments that characterize him. We will continue our journey by the city of Castro, then by Dalcahue and finally to the city of Castro.

Night at Cabañas Del Lago hotel | Superior Room.

Half board included. does not include beverages.

*Included: tour includes a box lunch , private tour, guided tour in English / Spanish, guided tour in French, room inc. buffet breakfast, half board (excluding drinks)*

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## Day 8: Saturday 21/12/24, Puerto Varas

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### **Private City Tour Puerto Montt - Puerto Varas**

We will begin our tour visiting the beautiful city of Puerto Varas, well known as roses city. We will meet their principal tourist attractions: the church of Sagrado Corazón de Jesus, built between the years of 1915 to 1918 with a Barroco Monumental style and the old neighborhood. From there, we will go to the Monument of the German settlers. Then, we will go to the centric center while boarding the beautiful Llanquihue lake and if the weather permits, we will see the Osorno volcano.

We will take the route of German settlers, going to the populated Alerce and acceding to the city of Puerto Montt, we will visit the most high point of the city where we will see a panoramic view of the Pacific Ocean and the Tenglo Island. We will go to the monument of German settlers that is located in front of the main square, the dock and their cathedral. Finally, we will continue to the Angelmo sector, famous for their large numbers of craft shops and the caleta de pescadores where we will meet the daily activity of the people that work in the sea.

Service includes English speaking guide.

Lunch menu at the Olla Restaurant.

Night at Cabañas Del Lago hotel | Superior Room.

Half board included. does not include beverages.

*Included: private tour, guided tour in English / Spanish, guided tour in French, lunch, room inc. buffet breakfast, half board (excluding drinks)*

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## Day 9: Sunday 22/12/24, Puerto Varas - Puerto Montt - Punta Arenas - Puerto Natales

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Private transfer from Puerto Varas to airport in Puerto Montt.

Flight Puerto Montt - Punta Arenas.  
Flight not included in the quote.

Private transfer from Punta Arenas airport to bus station in Punta Arenas.

Bus ticket from Punta Arenas to Puerto Natales (3 hour route).

Arrival to the bus station in Puerto Natales.

Transfer from the bus Station to your Hotel in Puerto Natales.

Night at Costaustralis hotel | Seaview Room.

dinner at Hotel Menu Asutralis

*Included: private transport, guided tour in French, bus ticket, shared transport, room inc. breakfast, dinner*





**Full day Torres del Paine, private service**

We will start our excursion departing from the city of Puerto Natales to the majestic Torres del Paine National Park, which was declared a Biosphere Reserve by UNESCO in 1978 and belongs to the National System of Protected Wild Areas of the State of Chile. On the way to the park, we will visit the Cueva del Milodón, a Natural Monument formed by three caverns and a rocky conglomerate called "Silla del Diablo", which is important because there have been remains of skin and bones of an extinct animal; the Mylodon Darwini, a large herbivore that became extinct thousands of years ago. We will continue our journey until we reach the entrance gate of the Park, the Laguna Amarga sector. From there with clear skies we can take a beautiful postcard of the Torres del Paine, main attraction of the park and part of the Paine mountain range. Later we will stop to appreciate another symbol of the park; the "Horns of Paine" granite massif, where the black sedimentary rock of its tips is characterized, product of the contact with the magma of the interior of the earth, which shaped it thousands of years ago. We will walk to "Salto Grande", the largest waterfall in the park, about 15 meters high, is mainly characterized by the power it has to drain Lake Nordenskjöld and feed Lake Pehoé, a beautiful turquoise lake. Our last stop will be Gray Lake, where we will walk through a Forest of Coigues and a suspension bridge over the Pingo River, to then reach its beach and observe the different shapes and tones of the floating icebergs in the lake, product of the melting of the Glacier. We will have the Paine Grande as a backdrop.

Night at Costaustralis hotel | Seaview Room.

dinner at Hotel Menu Asutralis

*Included: guided tour in English / Spanish, guided tour in French, lunch, entrance ticket(s) mentioned in the itinerary, room inc. breakfast, dinner*





transfer from your hotel to Port Bories.

#### **Full day Navigation Balmaceda Serrano**

We will start our adventure heading to Puerto Bories Pier, there we will embark on a typical local construction boat that will take us through Seno de Ultima Esperanza to the magnificent Balmaceda & Serrano mountain glaciers. On its way to the Bernardo O'Higgins National Park, the largest park in Chile, we can appreciate the lush vegetation that covers the mountains to the coast, the huge waterfalls produced by melting ice and the presence of Cormorants and Sea Lions, a beautiful environment in this mythical Patagonian channel. The first glacier we will see will be the Balmaceda, which falls off the mountain that bears its name and has the peculiarity that it has had a notable setback to such an extent that it is said that ten years ago the ice fell to the water level. We will dock in Puerto Toro and walk about a kilometer through a wonderful Native Forest composed mainly of Coigues, Murtilla de Magallanes, Chaura and many lichens covering trunks and rocks. We walk along the edge of a lake formed by the melting of this mountain glacier, appreciating the different shapes and tones of the floating icebergs of the Serrano Glacier until reaching the feet of its imposing front wall.

#### **Lunch in Estancia Perales.**

transfer from port Bories to your hotel.

Night at Costaustralis hotel | Seaview Room.

dinner at Hotel Menu Asutralis

*Included: shared transport, lunch, port entrance, entrance ticket(s) mentioned in the itinerary, guided tour in English / Spanish, room inc. breakfast, dinner*

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## Day 12: Wednesday 25/12/24, Puerto Natales - Punta Arenas - Santiago Aeropuerto - Santiago - Providencia

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Private transfer from Hotel in Puerto Natales to Bus Station.

Bus ticket from Puerto Natales to Punta Arenas airport

Flight from Punta Arenas to Santiago.  
Flight not included in the quote.

Private transfer from Santiago airport to your hotel.

Service includes French-speaking guide.

Night at Hotel Novotel Providencia | Standard Room

Dinner at Novotel Providencia Hotel includes:

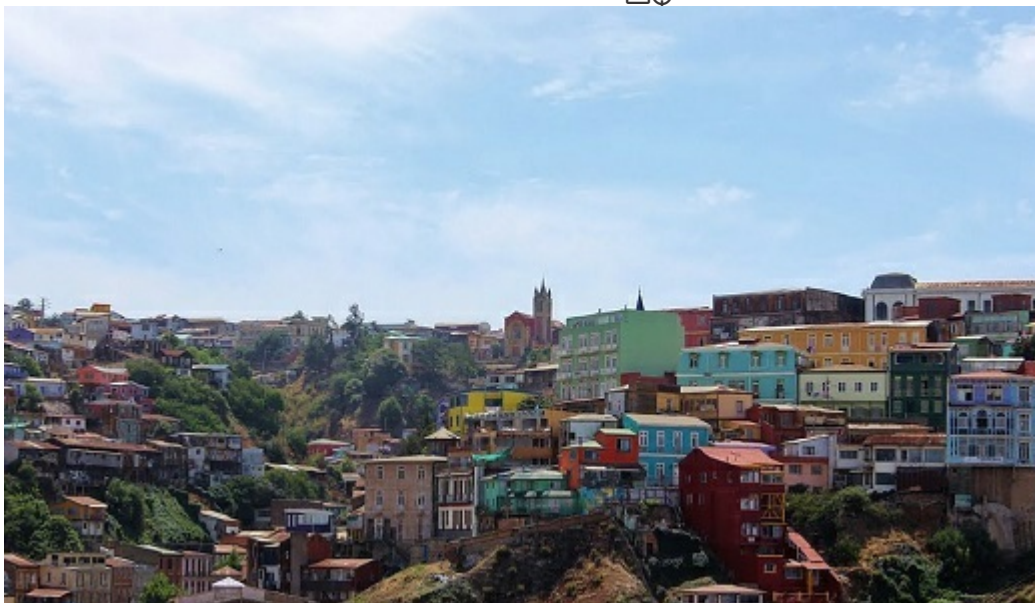
Starter, main course and dessert with a mineral water.

*Included: private transport, bus ticket, guided tour in French, french guide, room inc. breakfast, dinner*

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## Day 13: Thursday 26/12/24, Santiago - Valparaíso - Santiago - Valparaíso - Providencia

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### **Private full day Valparaiso & Viña del Mar**

Meeting in the morning in the hotel hall. Departure to Valparaiso and Viña del Mar for a full day tour. Valparaiso is located 120 km from the capital city. Valparaíso used to play an important geopolitical role in the second half of the 19th century, when the city served as a major stopover for ships traveling between the Atlantic and Pacific oceans by crossing the Straits of Magellan. Always a magnet for European immigrants, Valparaíso mushroomed during its golden age, when the city was known by international sailors as "Little San Francisco" or "The Jewel of the Pacific." The UNESCO declared World Human Heritage in 2003. Viña del Mar, also known locally as La Ciudad Jardín (Spanish for: "The Garden City"), is best known as a tourist and beach destination.

Service includes French-speaking guide.

Funicular Valparaiso  
Lunch menu at Cafe del Pintor

Night at Hotel Novotel Providencia | Standard Room

Dinner at Novotel Providencia Hotel includes:

Starter, main course and dessert with a mineral water.

*Included: private transport, guided tour in French, lunch (no drink), room inc. breakfast, dinner*

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## Day 14: Friday 27/12/24, Santiago - Santiago Aeropuerto

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Private transfer from your hotel to Santiago airport.

Service includes French-speaking guide.

International Flight.

*Flight not included in the quotation.*

*Included: private transport, professional guide*

# Hotels

## Novotel Santiago Providencia

Dates: 14/12/24 - 15/12/24 - 18/12/24 - 25/12/24  
Providencia

Hotel Novotel Providencia | Standard room - Category: Hotel 4\*

Included: room inc. breakfast

☎: +562 26062200

Avenida Holanda 222, Providencia, Santiago, Metropolitana, Chile

<https://novotelsantiagoprovidenciahotel.com-chile.website/>

The Novotel Santiago Providencia offers excellent location, comfort, tranquility and contemporary design to transform your stay into a new experience. It offers 176 rooms with air conditioning and private bathroom. It has a business center and a kids club.



Dates: 16/12/24 - 17/12/24  
San Pedro de Atacama



## Hotel Casa de Don Tomás

Superior Room - Category: Hotel 3\*

Included: room inc. buffet breakfast

☎: (0056) 55 2 851 055

Tocopilla S/N, Norte Grande, San Pedro de Atacama, Antofagasta, Chile

<http://www.dontomas.cl>

Near of ruins of Pukará de Quitor. Offers Wifi, swimming pool, buffet and breakfast and restaurant. Laundry service. Ideal for family group and couples. /\* Room : picture may differ from actual products



Dates: 19/12/24  
Castro



## Enjoy Chiloé

Hotel Enjoy Chiloé | Habitación Standard - Category: Hotel 4\*

Included: room inc. breakfast

☎: 600 700 6000

Ruta 5 Sur 2053, Castro, Chiloé, Los Lagos, Chile

<https://www.enjoy.cl/chiloe/hotel/>

Located in Castro, the Hotel de la Isla of Enjoy Chiloé surprises with its natural and traditional surroundings of the southern culture of Chile. Its 72 rooms offer the rest and comfort you deserve, whether to relax on your vacation or take advantage of your time on business. Come to know their spaces and services and start living the Enjoy experience.





## Hotel Cabañas del Lago

Dates: 20/12/24 - 21/12/24  
Puerto Varas

Accommod - Upgrade room 1 - Category: Hotel 4\*

Included: room inc. buffet breakfast

☎: 65 2 200 100

Klener 195, Sur, Puerto Varas, De Los Lagos, Chile

<http://www.hotelcabanadellago.cl>

3-minutes walking away from the beach, in front of Llanquihue Lake. Offers fantastic panoramic views of Puerto Varas and Volcanoes. Offers an indoor swimming pool for the family, sauna, free rent bike, spa, airport shuttle, massage and restaurant. The rooms featured AC, Cable TV and WIFI. / \* Room : picture may differ from actual products



## Hotel Costaustralis

Dates: 22/12/24 - 23/12/24 - 24/12/24  
Puerto Natales

Seaview Room - Category: Hotel

Included: room inc. breakfast

☎: 61 2 715 001

Pedro Montt 262, Austral, Puerto Natales, De Magallanes y La Antártica Chilena, Chile

<http://www.hotelcostraustralis.com>

Designer Hotel in front of "Última Esperanza" fjord. Offers comfortable and stylish rooms with AC, wifi, Cable TV and private Bathrooms. Also guests can enjoy the bar/lounge and the restaurant offers wines and typical meal. / \* Room : picture may differ from actual products



### **TERMS & CONDITIONS CHILE**

#### PAYMENT

##### 1. Price Currency

All prices are stated in US dollars (USD).

##### 2. Price Validity

Prices are per person and based on shared twin room occupancy.

Prices on our website are subject to change at any time.

Prices do not include international, regional nor domestic flights.

Prices do not include credit/debit card and/or PayPal© payment commissions.

Stated prices do not include extra costs applying during national or regional holidays in the visited country(ies).

In case of human or computer error, the Travel Agency reserves the right to re-invoice for the correct price or service. If the Traveler does not agree to pay an increase due to a mistake from the Travel Agency, the Travel Agency will proceed to the cancellation and refund the Traveler entirely.

##### 3. Payment

##### 3.1. Deposit Payment



In order to confirm his booking, the Traveler must make a 30% deposit payment on the total booking amount within 7 days of trip participation written confirmation.

If the deposit payment is not received by the Travel Agency within 7 days, the Travel Agency has the right to cancel the booking.

### 3.2. Balance Payment

Balance payment is due 45 days before the Traveler's arrival date to the visited country(ies).

### 3.3. Full Payment

Full payment (instead of deposit payment) might be requested by the Travel Agency in the following cases:

- Last-minute booking
- Depending on flights availability
- Depending on the availability of certain services suppliers such as but not limited to: luxury accommodation, cruises

### 3.4. Forms of Payment

The Travel Agency accepts the following payment methods: wire transfer, Visa©, MasterCard©, American Express©, Diners Club© credit cards and PayPal© payments.

Third-party credit cards are not accepted.

All payments made within 45 days of departure must be made by Visa©, MasterCard©, American Express©, Diners Club© credit/debit cards or PayPal©. Wire transfers will not be accepted for such payments.

The Traveler is responsible for all banking fees associated with wire transfer, which might not only include the fees charged by the sending bank, but also the fees of intermediary banks, through which the money travels before reaching the Travel Agency's bank account.

In case of credit card and PayPal© payments, the Travel Agency will charge an additional commission of 6% for credit card payments, and 7% in case of PayPal© payments.

### 3.5. Late Payment

If there is any outstanding balance by the final payment due date listed on the Traveler's invoice, all travel services will be subject to cancellation. In such case, the Travel Agency will notify the Traveler who will have 3 days to confirm his choice of either:

- Accepting the cancelation
- Realizing the final payment and pay a penalty fee of 10 USD/person/day of delay

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In case of credit card payments, the Travel Agency will charge an additional commission:

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5,2% for American Express© credit card payments

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Accepting the cancelation

Realizing the final payment and pay a penalty fee of 10 USD/person/day of delay

### 4. Refunds

Refunds to the Traveler are processed in US dollars to the credit card(s) and bank accounts originally used for payment.

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## **CONDITIONS OF ENTRY TO EASTER ISLAND**

For passengers visiting Easter Island, the following form must be completed **48 hours** before admission.

What documents should you submit?

Identity card, passport or other official travel document.

Return ticket from Easter Island (non-transferable) with return date not exceeding 30 days from the date of departure.

Reservation of accommodation authorized by Sernatur, indicating the address of the place or invitation letter of a person belonging to the Rapa Nui people or another authorized person (according to article 6 of the Law) to stay and / or reside on Easter Island.

Unique Entry Form (FUI), which you have to complete before traveling. After filling it, you will receive the confirmation email that you must present to the POI at the airport. Remember that if you do not, you will not be able to embark.

### **Form to enter Easter Island**

#### **Includes**

- Nights at the aforementioned hotels or equivalent ones (in double-room basis).
  - Breakfast.
  - Meals mentioned in the program as included.
  - Land transfers with English-speaking guides as mentioned on the program.
  - Visits and excursions in private or shared services with or without English-speaking guide, as mentioned on the program.
  - Entrance fees in Natural Parks, museums and tourist sites mentioned in the program as included.
- To be noted: with the aim of optimizing the intended program, we have all rights reserved for modifying the order of the excursions.
- Web Check-in for internal flights.
  - Assistance by our local Office and our local operators during the whole journey.

#### **\*\*\* IMPORTANT \*\*\***

**As a result of the application of the new Decree 1043/16 "VAT Reimbursement Scheme (21% - Value Added Tax)" in Argentina on accommodation services for foreign tourists, the informed prices are exempt from this tax.**

**The mentioned exemption is only applied to "room + breakfast" services.**

**To benefit from this right efficiently, foreign travelers must provide the scans of their passports to Gaston-Sacaze Argentina when asking the confirmation of the reservation to prove its origin. Otherwise, Gaston-Sacaze Argentina has all rights reserved to add +21% to the concerned items within the tour and add them on the accommodations of the invoice corresponding to this estimate.**

**In case of cancellation or "no show", the passenger / client will have to pay the whole price of the booking, in other words with the 21% of VAT in addition included.**

#### **Not Included**

- Beverages.
- Meals, except if mentioned otherwise in the section "Included".
- Individual material: sunglasses, suncream, warm clothes (windcheater and fleece, woolly hats, gloves, socks),

walking shoes, hat, first aid kit etc.

- The optional activities.
- The domestic and international flight.
- Luggage carrying.
- Tips to guides, drivers, restaurants and any other personal expense or extra.

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