



Peru Culinary Experience

Prices from **C\$5,985**

Summer 2020

Duration: 8 days **Visiting:** Peru

JOURNEY HIGHLIGHTS

- **Lima:** Visit the UNESCO declared historical centre of the city and admire the colourful colonial architecture. Peru's capital was founded by Francisco Pizarro and given the name City of the Kings. Witness the Plaza San Martín, one of the most beautiful squares in Lima, Plaza de Armas, Lima's first public square and the San Francisco Monastery, known for its network of catacombs which lie below the foundation.
- **Cusco:** Visit the TreadRight Foundation supported Centre for Traditional Textiles of Cusco (CTTC) and meet Nilda Callanaupa, a local weaver. This organization is dedicated to preserving the art of weaving beautiful Peruvian textiles.
- **Machu Picchu:** Spend the morning exploring the ancient Inca citadel of Machu Picchu. A Local Expert helps you understand the enigmatic fortress abandoned by the Incas in the 16th century.



EXCEPTIONAL DINING

- Sacred Valley: Delight in a 3-course Farm-to-Table Lunch experience at Hacienda Sarapampa, where family recipes and local cuisine come to life. The Hacienda is dedicated to the production of Cusco Giant White Corn and a simple way of life.
- Moray: Enjoy lunch at star Peruvian chef Virgilio Martínez's restaurant Mil. The winding drive from Cusco will bring you 3,500 metres above sea level to the edge of the ruins at Moray: huge stone depressions that have been cut into the earth, which acted as an agricultural lab for the Incas for centuries. One of Latin America's most talked-about dining experiences, Peru's ample and eclectic climates and ingredients have created a unique menu dedicated to the Andes.
- Cusco: Savour an innovative selection of local cuisine from Cusco at Chicha, the innovative restaurant by Gaston Acurio, one of the leaders of Peru's gastronomic revolution.
- Dining Summary: 8 Breakfasts (B), 2 Lunches (L), 1 Lunch with wine (LW), 2 Dinners (D) and 2 Dinners with wine (DW).

LUXURY HOTELS

- Lima: Share in Lima's storied past at the Country Club Lima Hotel, one of the country's first luxury, boutique properties.
- Sacred Valley: Inkaterra Hacienda Urubamba is in the heart of Urubamba Valley, set among flowers, mountains and trees. The hotel has a design inspired by the colonial architecture of the Cusco region, with an interior design enhanced with local materials.
- Machu Picchu: This enchanting Andean village hotel is located within 12.3 acres of pristine cloud forest. The spectacular grounds are laced with paths that wind past waterfalls and trails, and organic gardens that wander through the misty forest. A place to relax, while exploring nature and encountering the wonders of the Incan civilization, experiencing authentic travel.
- Cusco: Dating back nearly five centuries, the storied mansion of the Palacio del Inka stands in the historic center of Cusco. Directly across from the Qoricancha (Temple of the Sun), it is a five-minute walk from the main square and less than a mile from an array of museums, markets and restaurants. Uniting the past and present, Andes Spirit Spa presents indigenous treatments and an indoor therapy pool. Meanwhile, Inti Raymi Restaurant offers authentic Peruvian dishes.

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