

**CARTAGENA
6 DAY TOUR
PACKAGE
2020/2021**



ITINERARY

DAY	ITINERARY IN SUMMARY	ACCOMMODATION
1	<p>CARTAGENA ARRIVAL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Airport pickup and transfer to hotel in private transportation • DiningOUT Experience - Welcome Dinner Culinary Experience <p>Meals Included: Dinner</p>	5-Star Luxury Boutique Hotel
2	<p>CARTAGENA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community OUTing: Historic Cartagena Walled City Tour • Dinner reservation <p>Meals Included: Breakfast</p>	5-Star Luxury Boutique Hotel
3	<p>CARTAGENA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OUTdoor Adventure: National Aviary Experience • Rum & Chocolate Tasting Experience • Dinner reservation <p>Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch</p>	5-Star Luxury Boutique Hotel
4	<p>CARTAGENA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exclusive Island Retreat <p>Meals Included: Breakfast</p>	Exclusive Island Resort
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6	<p>CARTAGENA DEPARTURE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Airport transfer in private transportation <p>Meals Included: Breakfast</p>	



CARTAGENA

Get ready to escape to paradise as you head to the hot, Caribbean coast! Although founded in 1533 by the Spaniards, the history of this area dates back to 4,000 BCE. Cartagena once played a central role in Spain’s political and economic activity in the New World. Today, Cartagena is the most popular tourist destination in Colombia and was declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1984.

Cartagena is known as a very warm city with average year-round temperatures of 88 degrees Fahrenheit, lows of 75 derees, 90% humidity, with beautiful breezes rolling in from the Caribbean Sea.

QUICK DATA



Altitude
2m/ 6.56168 ft



Avg. Temperature
84° / 81° F



Population (2019)
952,024



CARTAGENA

DiningOUT: GASTRONOMIC EXPERIENCE

What better way to learn about a city than by exploring its culinary secrets. On this DiningOUT experience, we'll pick you up from your hotel and your gracious, knowledgeable local hosts will guide you through at least three of Cartagena's top restaurants, all treasured by locals. This experience is offered either as a dinner or lunch option.

At the first two restaurants, tempt your palate with delicious appetizers. At the third, enjoy a local favorite entrée and cap off your experience with one of our best-loved desserts. The tastings have been carefully selected for your pleasure. No two of these tours are exactly alike. Between stops, experience the gorgeous colonial architecture and lively urbane life around this bustling sector of the walled city. After you fall in love with these exceptional restaurants, we'll gladly help make reservations for return visits.



Includes:

Round-Trip Transportation, Dining Experiences, including wine, at minimum 3 Restaurants, Medical Assist Card/Insurance.



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Community OUTing: HISTORIC WALLED CITY TOUR

Your guide will meet you at your hotel to take you on a tour to discover Cartagena’s colonial past. You’ll walk through the winding streets of this exquisite, historic city, surrounded by a 16th-century wall the Spaniards built to defend the city against enemy attacks. You’ll have an opportunity to walk atop this historic wall and experience the heart of Cartagena in the lively streets of its Old Town.

Your guide will also introduce you to sites of incredible history and local culture, like the massive 16th-century Castle of San Felipe de Barajas, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of Colombia’s Seven Wonders. There’s the Palace of the Inquisition and opportunities to stroll through picturesque plazas, past colorful houses with flowered balconies, artisan shops and cafés. There are opportunities to visit additional museums and historical sites, like the Convento de la Popa that sits on the highest point of Cartagena, a 30 minutes hike.

Includes: Round-Trip Transportation, Bilingual Guide, Bottled Water, Entrance to All Sites on the Route, Medical Assist Card/Insurance.

Estimated Time: 4 hours



CARTAGENA

OUTdoor Adventure: NATIONAL AVIARY EXPERIENCE

We're a bit biased, but Colombia is a very special place. We've got 300 beaches, more than 10% of our terrain is National Parks, and it's the second most bio-diverse country on our planet (watch out, Brazil!). Colombia also boasts the largest variety of bird life in the entire world, and it's all on display for you here at our National Aviary. Located on Isla Barú, 50 minutes outside of central Cartagena, this over 17-acre facility is home to more than 2000 birds of 190 species.

We'll pick you up from your hotel in private transportation to Baru to visit the Aviary. Along this 2-hour tour encompassing 3 eco-systems, you can view our national bird, the very badass Andean condor. Be dazzled by our flashier avian stars: the multi-colored scarlet macaws, the vibrant green jays, and the smaller, but no less showy, blue-winged mountain tanager. The must-see here is everyone's retro favorite, the flamingo flock, busily chowing down on shrimps to help their feathers achieve and maintain that rosy shade of wonderful. But the Aviary isn't all for the birds; this ecological paradise serves an important role in education and conservation of many of the country's flora and fauna in danger of extinction.

Think you'll feel puckish while you're here? Ask us about including a lunch on this excursion.

Includes: Round-Trip Transportation to Aviary, Entrance to Aviary, Bilingual Guide, Bottled Water, Medical Assist Card/Insurance.

Estimated Time: 4 hours



CARTAGENA

RUM & CHOCOLATE TASTING EXPERIENCE

We'll pick you up from your hotel and take you to the city's top-rated bar to team up with the best mixologists for a special rum & chocolate tasting experience.

The most treasured booty for any good pirate during those seafaring times wasn't a treasure chest of gold, but a fine bottle of rum. Today, this caramel-colored liquor continues to keep the locals happy, as rum is the national liquor of Colombia. The rum taster will talk you through the ingredients, distillery process, and a brief history of the glorious spirit. Then you'll enjoy 4 special rums, accompanied by specifically paired chocolates -- the "food of the gods" -- to sample.



Includes: Round-Trip Transportation, Bilingual Host, Rum & Chocolate History and 4 Tastings, Medical Assist Card/Insurance.

Estimated Time: 90 Minutes



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OUTdoor Adventure: TWO NIGHT EXCLUSIVE ISLAND RETREAT

In the morning, you'll head to the pier to board your speedboat to one of the most luxurious, exclusive, and environmentally conscious island resorts, located just 45 minutes away from Cartagena in the Islas del Rosario.

Experience the luxury, charm, and exceptional service of this award-winning resort from the moment you arrive. On an estate framed by beautiful mangroves and its own private beach, this resort is sheer tropical magic. Settle into to your private tree top or oceanside bungalow (your choice) and enjoy the luxurious amenities the resort offers. With 3 bars, 2 restaurants, a café, a sumptuous spa, fitness room, solarium, freshwater pool and a variety of activities, you'll never want to leave this sophisticated, retreat.

This 2-night experience comes with many options to customize your stay, including private helicopter transfer from airport and upgraded accommodations. Ask us!

Includes: Round-Trip Private Transportation to Pier, Shared Speedboat Transfers to Resort, 2 Nights in Double Treetop or Oceanside Bungalow, Daily Breakfast, WelMedical Assist Card/Insurance.

OUR CONCIERGE SERVICE IS

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AIRPORT TRANSFERS

Count on us to provide fully-insured, licensed drivers for pick-ups or drop-offs at any airport you arrive to/depart from. Our drivers will be holding signs with your name outside of the Baggage Claim area to take you in private transportation direct to your accommodations or destination.



PRIVATE VEHICLE & DRIVER

Similar to above, we can arrange for a private vehicle and insured, licensed drivers for any duration of time during your visit.



DINNER RESERVATIONS:

We are happy to make dinner reservations on your behalf at the restaurant of your choice. We also provide a list of both popular and unique suggestions but are happy to book any restaurant on or off this list. Outside of the major cities, in more remote regions, this is not possible; the accommodations we have reserved for you in these locations will have meal services or our local partners will be able to guide you.



RECONFIRMING ACTIVITIES:

During your visit here, our team works continuously behind-the-scenes to make sure your trip runs smoothly. We reconfirm each activity to ensure that your local guide is always where s/he is supposed to be. If any unforeseen circumstances arise, we always keep you updated. With Out In Colombia, you never have to worry about a detail.



ON CALL FOR YOU:

Should you have questions, or unforeseen circumstances arise, or your plans or needs change, please feel free to contact your on-call 24/7 Experience Manager. They're here for you!





PRICING & PAYMENT

The 2020/2021 price for 2 travelers in double accommodation is:

- **\$ 2,266.33 USD per person in low season**

Price may fluctuate during high season. High season dates for 2021 to be determined.

The price is subject to change based on the number of days, locations, and activities. We reserve the right to revise rates if the exchange rate between the Colombian Peso and US Dollar fluctuates adversely.

To book this package, **a nonrefundable deposit of \$650 USD per person is due at the time of booking.** The remainder of the balance is due 60 days before the start of the trip and is 100% refundable if cancelled at least 30 days before the first day in the itinerary. If you book within 60 days of the first travel date, then payment-in-full is required to book the reservation, of which \$650 USD per person will be considered non-refundable, and the remaining balance will be 100% refundable if cancelled at least 30 days before the first day in the itinerary. We can only confirm the reservation once the initial deposit is received.

The fee includes:

- Pre-trip planning and guidance
- Accommodations as listed
- Airport transfers and ground transportation outlined in the itinerary, including transportation on tours
- Breakfast everyday at the hotels
- Some meals as indicated in the itinerary
- Entrances to all sites on the tours and tour guide fees
- Tour guides
- Dinner & Nightlife recommendations
- 24/7 Concierge support via phone, email, or text message (WhatsApp)
- Colombian Travel insurance for each client that comprehensively covers health throughout the country, expatriation, and some luggage issues
- All applicable taxes

Does not include:

- Any activities not listed or listed as optional in the proposal
- Alcohol or food not specifically listed in the proposal
- Optional tips for tour guides or drivers
- International or domestic flights



PAYMENT METHODS

Once you've approved the plan, you will receive a PayPal invoice sent to your email address, which you can pay online using PayPal and all major credits cards and debit cards. If you prefer, I can send separate invoices to each traveler, but prices are contingent upon payment for both travelers. The invoice may also include an option for PayPal financing that you could utilize subject to credit approval.

Payments may be made using PayPal's platform or by depositing the funds directly into our US bank account. You are responsible for all associated transaction fees. If payment is made through PayPal, the transaction fee will be included on the invoice (listed as Service Charge), which is charged at a rate of 4% of the total invoice.

It is your responsibility to ensure payment reaches us by the dates outlined above. Late payments will be subject to a fee and may result in the cancellation of your booking without notice. Please note that this quote is valid at time of quotation and prices may fluctuate between now and the time you book.

CONFIRMATION

Upon receipt of the initial payment you will receive a payment confirmation and a request for information we'll need from you.

After receipt of the final payment, you will receive confirmation of domestic transportation and reservations and suggestions for dining and nightlife activities. Additional activities you'd like can also be requested at this time.

If for any reason you'd like to change the dates of the trip, we will do our best to accommodate your request. The only additional costs would be changes associated with reservations and increases in costs of services in the trip itinerary reservations. Note that there is a small chance that availability on some items quoted may change. If this is the case, we will book similar accommodations or activities and let you know.



BIOSECURITY

Due to the current COVID-19 health emergency in Colombia, the availability of activities are subject to change without prior notice. If we must cancel a trip due to a government order or inability of a service provider to offer the services advertised, we will offer you the option to reschedule the trip or provide a full credit for future travel, based on the policies of the contracted service providers. If you are required to quarantine after starting your trip or are otherwise unable to complete the trip after starting it, we cannot guarantee a refund for any services not received.

Additionally, service providers are likely to have implemented biosecurity protocols and may require you to take a COVID-19 test and self-quarantine to protect the health of other guests and passengers. You may also be required to wear face masks and practice social distancing. If you fail to adhere to established protocols, service may be refused, in which case you would not be entitled to a refund.

INSURANCE

While your plan includes Colombian Travel Insurance, we recommend that you purchase trip cancellation/interruption, emergency evacuation and medical insurance. A list of insurance companies will be provided upon request.

TERMS OF SERVICE

By purchasing this package, you are agreeing to accept our Terms of Service, which are available on our website at www.outincolombiatravel.com/termservice



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INTERNATIONAL FLIGHTS



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- Ticket changes without paying the penalty fee,
- Miles and complimentary premier status in the United Airlines Mileage Plus program,
- Access to United Club lounges, and/or
- Automatic/waiting list seat improvements or courtesy upgrades

For price-matching, if you find a flight online that you'd like to book, you can send us the details and our airline partners will book the flight on your behalf with the added benefits not available to you by booking directly. If you'd prefer that we do the work for you and offer you some flight options, we will be happy to do that once you have confirmed your vacation.

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