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Peru is an adventure for the senses, it has become a hotspot for conferences and incentives seeking an emerging destination that can deliver long-lasting memories.






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Living culture

Traditions and popular celebrations

Traditional festivals

Are celebrated throughout Peru. During the festival of Virgen del Carmen (Virgin of Carmel) in Paucartambo (Cusco), the image of the virgin is taken out in a procession surrounded by dancers as well as magical and religious characters.





Caballitos de totora (Totora reed boats)

These vessels are handmade from totora reeds and were used by people belonging to the Moche and Chimu cultures for fishing. Currently, they are a work tool and a form of transportation for fishermen and vacationers who surf the waves at Huanchaco Beach (La Libertad), Pimentel Beach and Santa Rosa Beach (Lambayeque).

Rural community tourism

There are plenty of areas in Peru that have not yet been influenced by modernity and still keep their ancient traditions such as the island of Taquile in Lake Titicaca (Puno) which is home to a community of weavers.



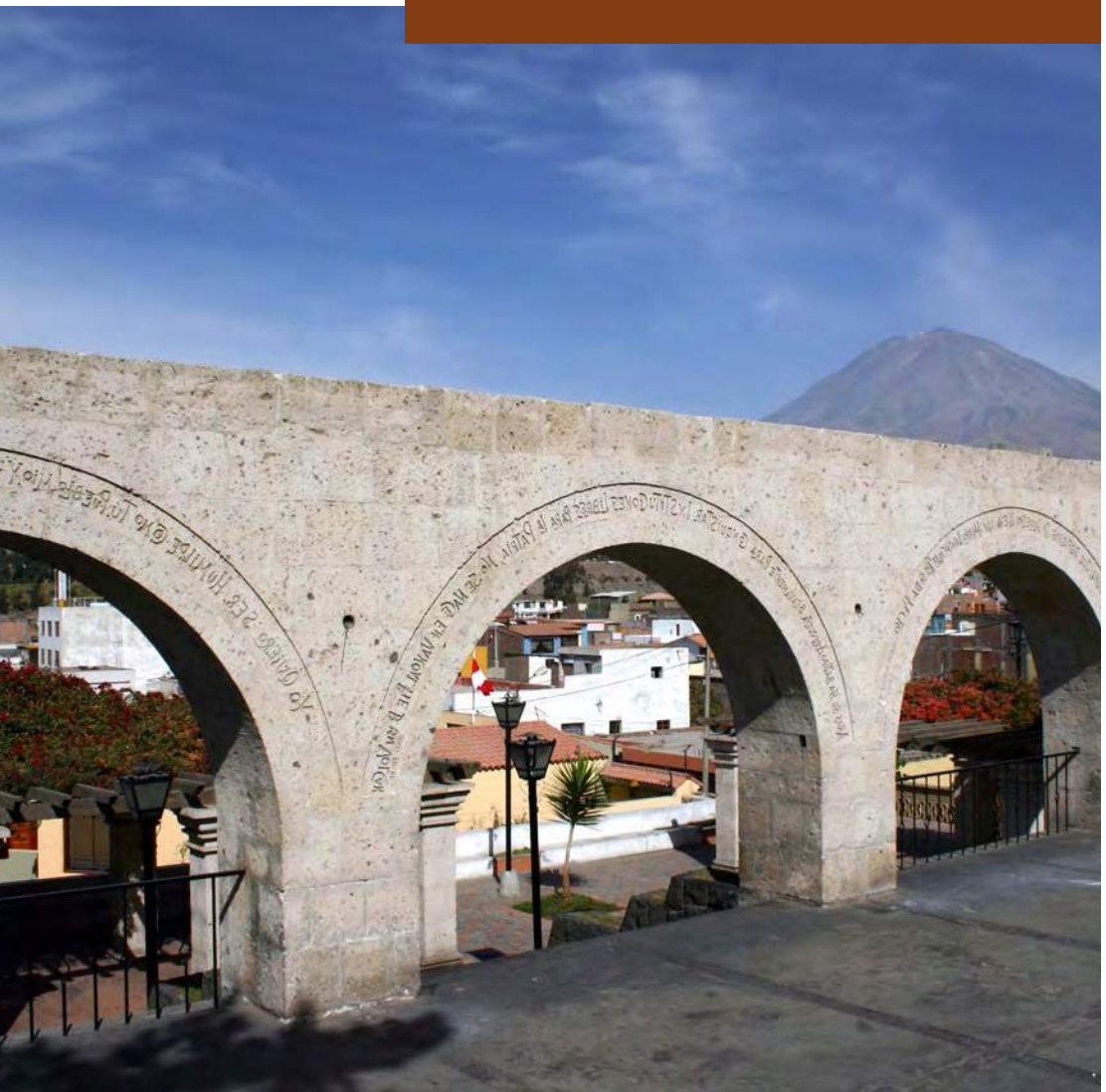


Indigenous Amazonian communities

In addition to being a refuge for biodiversity, the Peruvian rainforest is home to communities that have their own identity, language, and customs such as the Yagua community from Loreto.

Living Culture

Experience how the stonemasons of Arequipa continue to use ancestral techniques for carving the local sillar stone.





Experiential tourism

Rural community tourism on the islands of Taquile, Amantaní, Tikonata and in the towns of Llachón and Luquina, located on the peninsulas of Capachica and Chucuito.

The Marinera is Peru's national dance

National Marinera Dance Competition, an unrivalled opportunity to appreciate this typical dance in its full splendor.





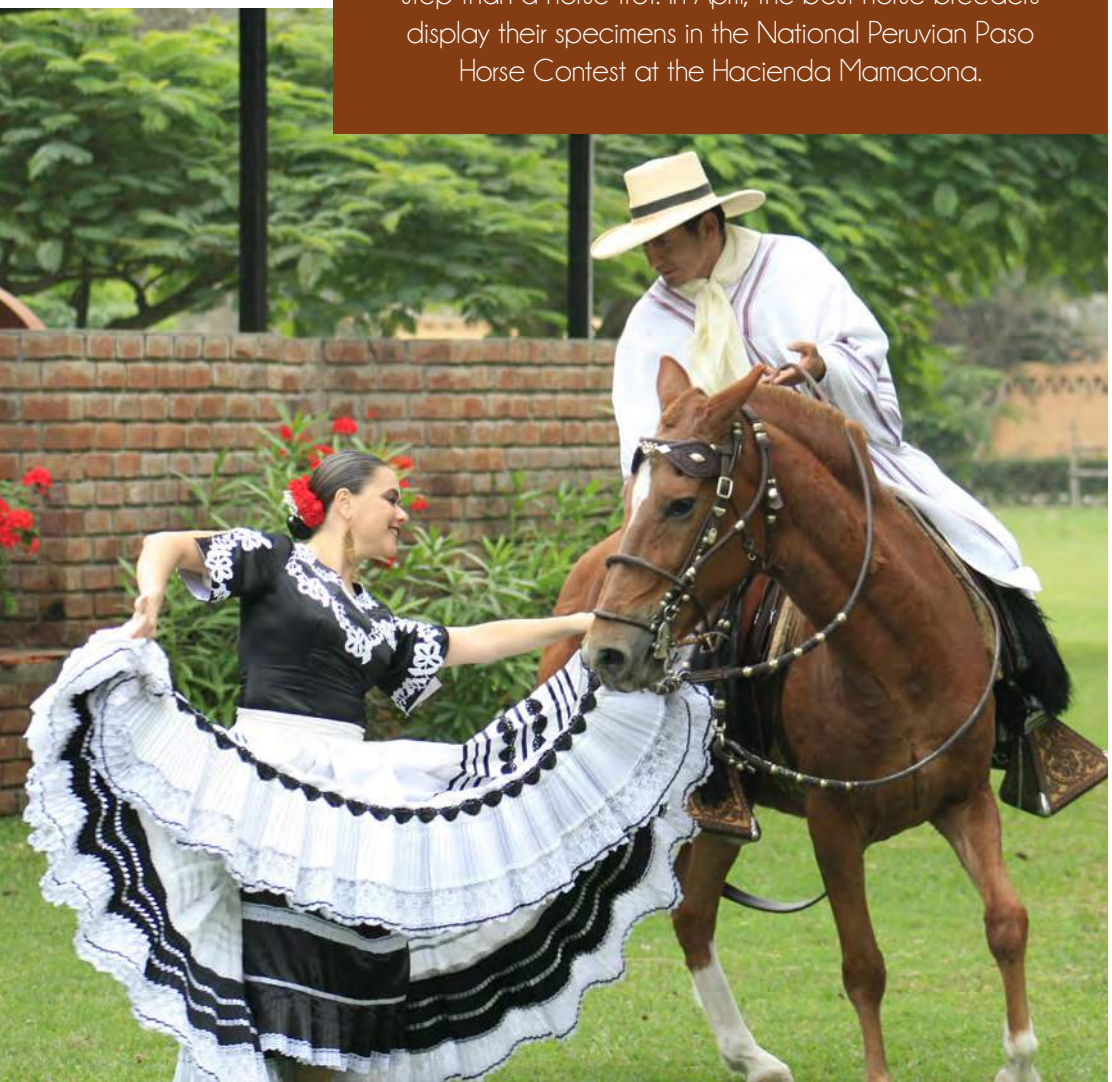
Folk Art Chulucanas Ceramics from Peru

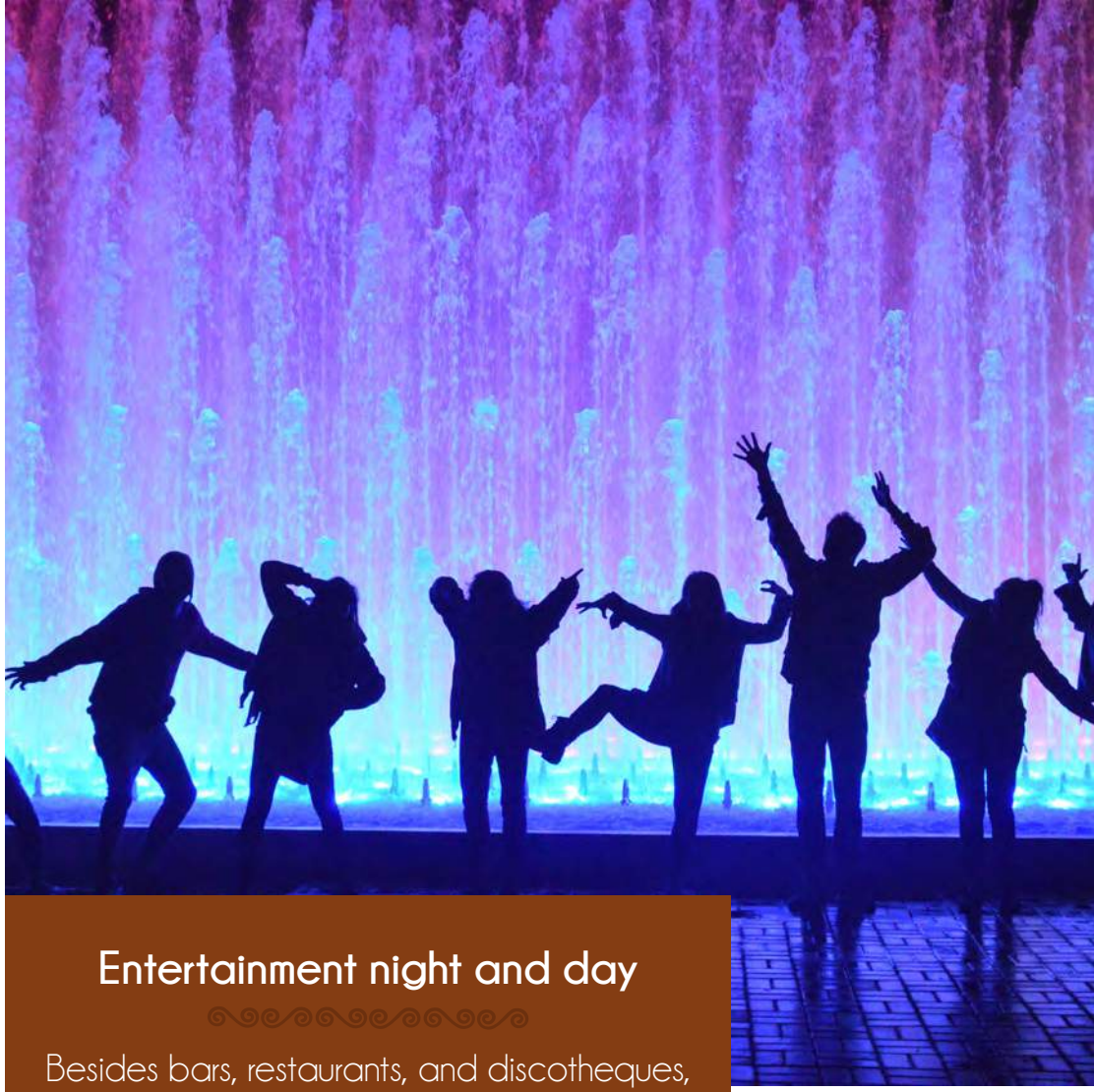
Visit the city of Chulucanas with its famous decorative ceramics and the town of Catacaos, with its filigree gold and silverwork (see photo) and woven toquilla straw.


Vibrant cities
modern and cosmopolitan

Watch the dance of the Peruvian paso horse

On the outskirts of Lima at the haciendas and fields of the Lurin Valley. This breed of unique characteristics stans out for its particular gait which looks more like a dance step than a horse trot. In April, the best horse breeders display their specimens in the National Peruvian Paso Horse Contest at the Hacienda Mamacona.





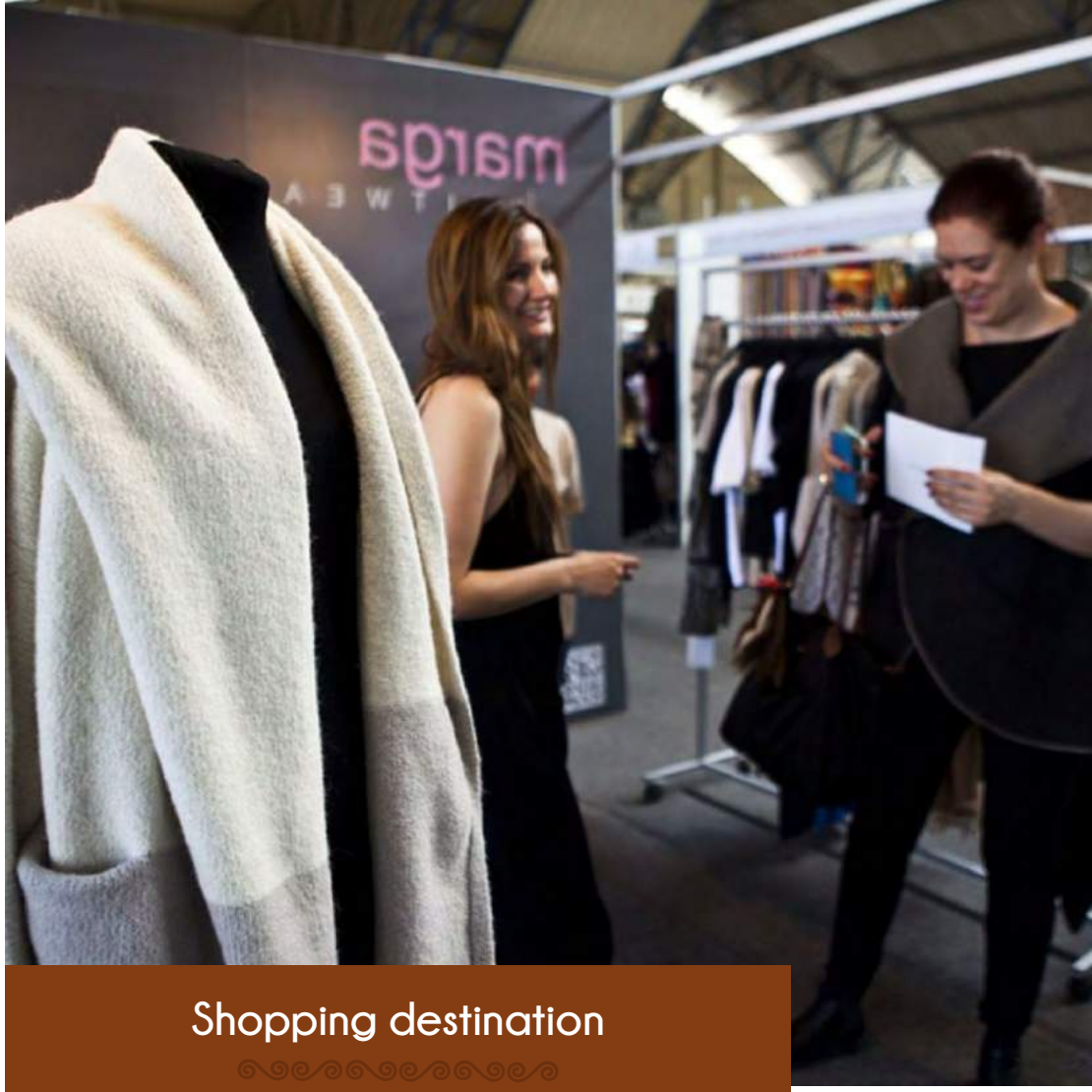
Entertainment night and day

Besides bars, restaurants, and discotheques, there are plenty of cultural a ractions in Lima such as theather plays, fashion shows, film festivals, art exhibits, concerts as well as photography, book, and food fairs, just to name a few.

City of museums

Peru's history is reflected in the diverse museums of the city through the extraordinary collections of gold and silver pieces, textiles, and ceramics from ancient Peru as well as artworks and handicrafts.





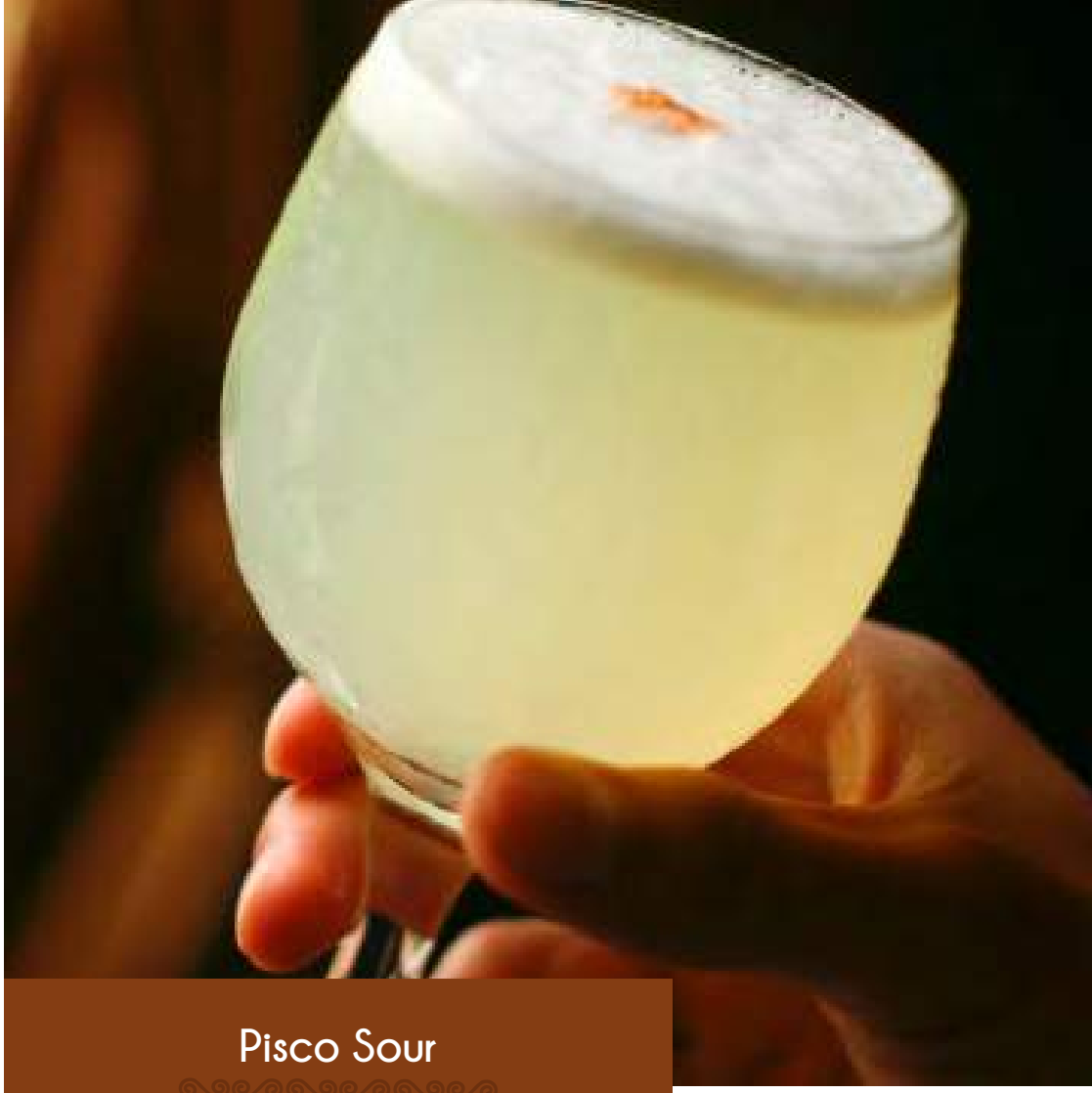
Shopping destination

In Lima, it is possible to find handricrafts and products from all over the country such as fine garments made of cotton, vicuña and alpaca fiber; gold and silver jewelry; embroidered cushions, retablos from Ayacucho, pottery from Chulucanas (Piura), blankets and carpets from Cusco, among others.

Peru Gourmet

Gourmet lunches and dinners in some of the restaurants of the area: there is a choice of international, vegetarian and regional cuisine.





Pisco Sour

Enjoy a pisco sour in the bars looking out over the Huacachina Lake (Ica).

Virgin of Candelaria Feast

Be part of the feast of the Virgen de la Candelaria, one of the most important festivals in Peru.





Scientific Tourism

Occupies a privileged position as this is the most diverse place on earth, containing many unique species and others that are already extinct elsewhere, including a wide variety of medicinal plants.


The perfect place
for adventure

Rafting the Urubamba River, in Cusco

This river features short rapids of low technical dificulty as well as thundering rapids of greater dificulty and risk.



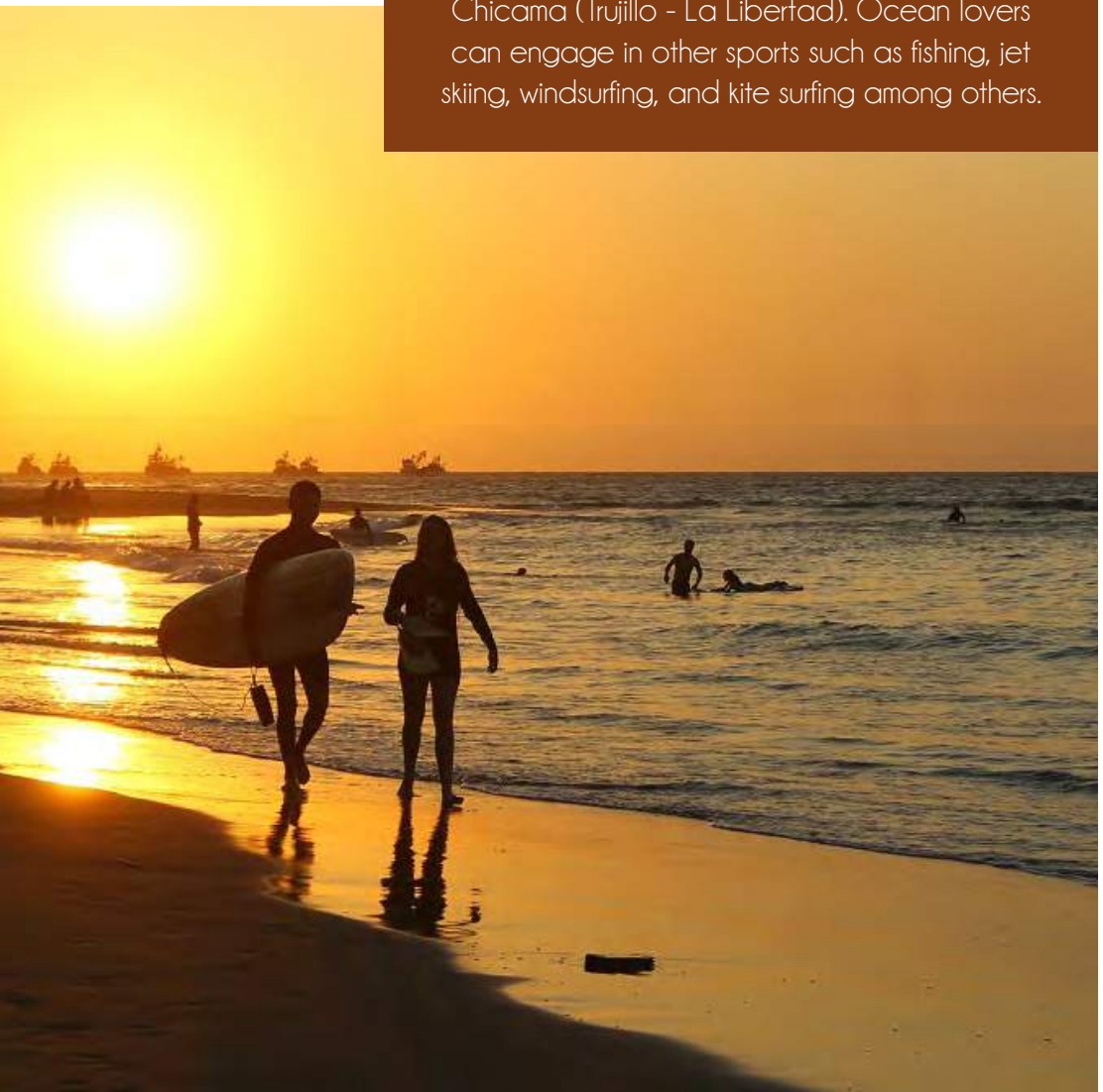


Inca Trail in Cusco

It is such an experience to take some of the trails the Incas marked in order to connect their empire, especially when the final destination is the impressive city of Machu Picchu.

Surfing and other marine sports

Expert surfers can ride the longest left hand wave in the world (2 km / 1.2 mi) in Puerto Chicama (Trujillo - La Libertad). Ocean lovers can engage in other sports such as fishing, jet skiing, windsurfing, and kite surfing among others.



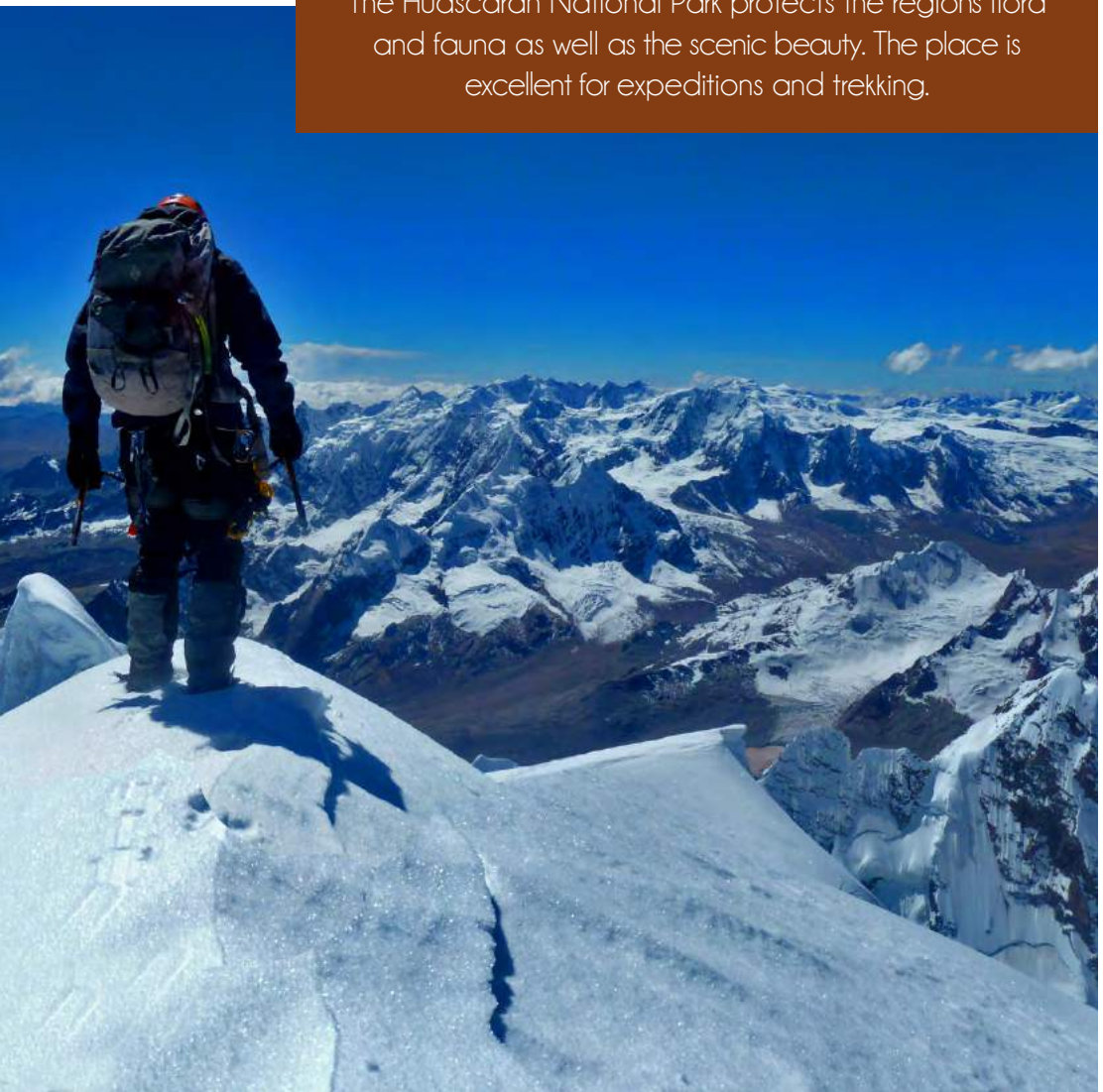


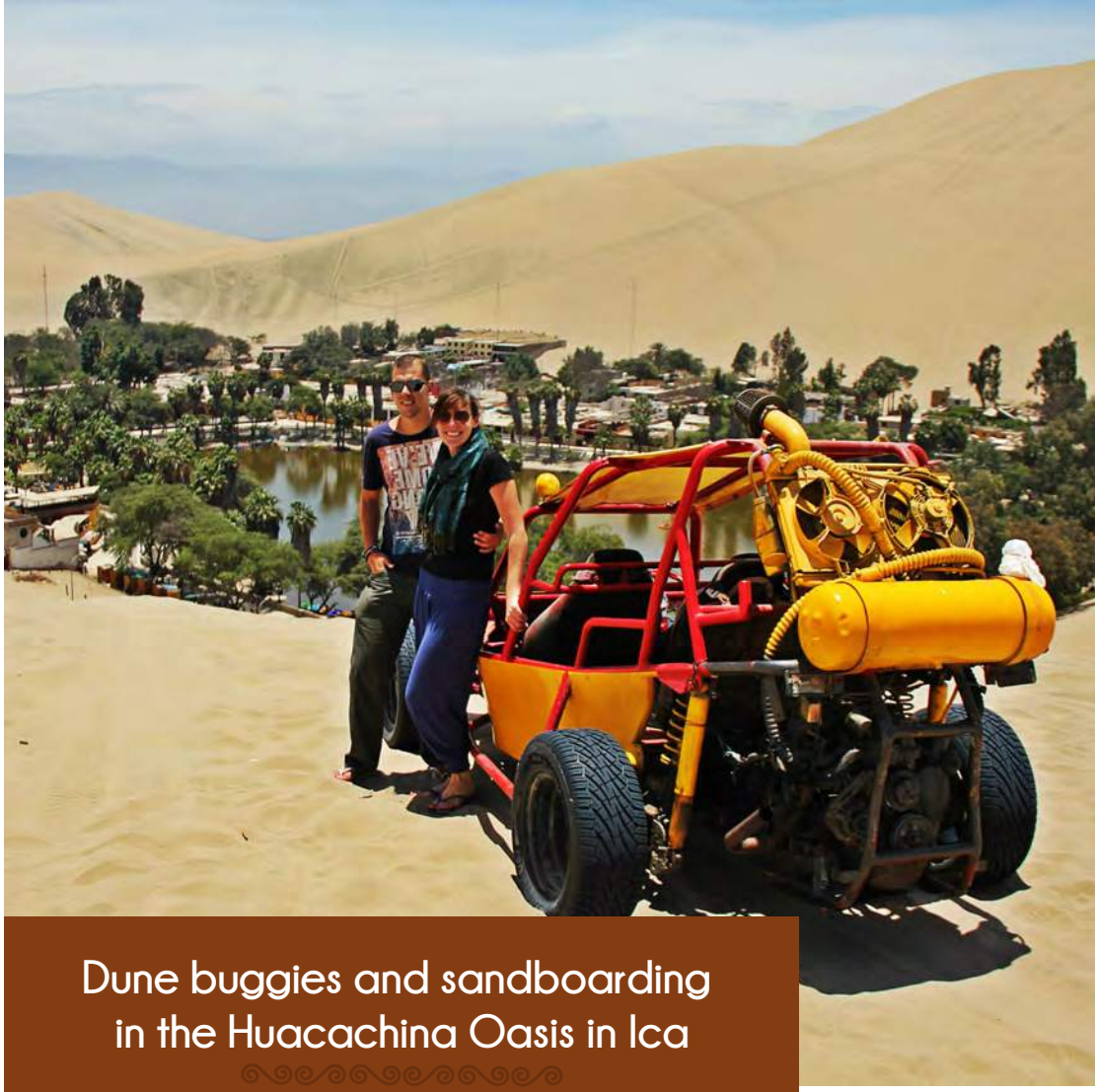
Tambopata National Reserve in Madre de Dios

It is such an adventure to access the reserve sailing down the river and then staying at one of the local lodges.

Mountain climbing in the Cordillera Blanca in Ancash

This stunning mountain range is home to the highest mountain in Peru: Mount Huascaran (6,768m / 22,205 ft). The Huascaran National Park protects the region's flora and fauna as well as the scenic beauty. The place is excellent for expeditions and trekking.



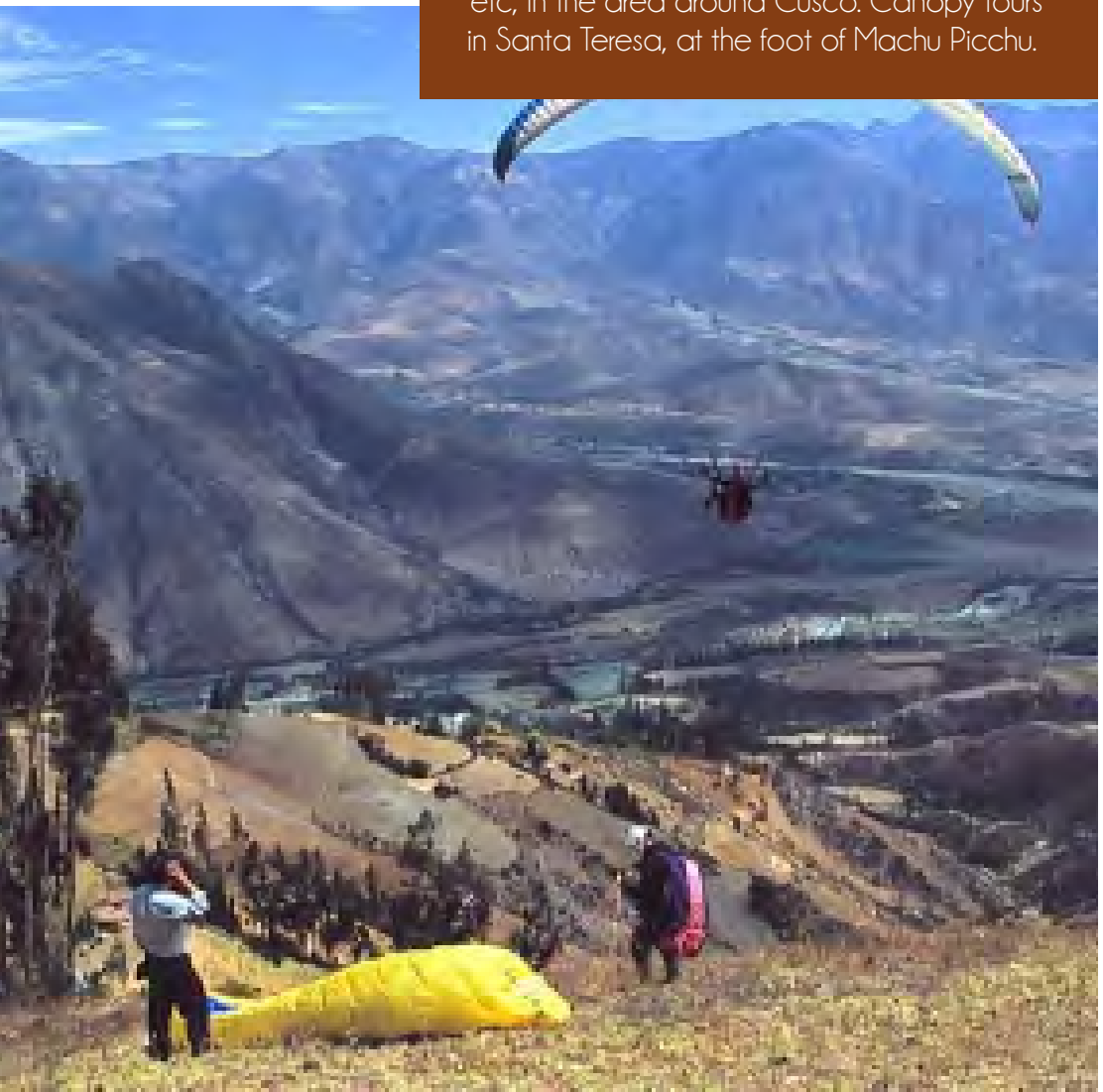


Dune buggies and sandboarding in the Huacachina Oasis in Ica

There are dune buggy tours in Paracas or in the Huacachina desert driving over dunes at full speed. Also, in order to engage in sandboarding, stops are made along the way. It is possible to go through the California desert in Pisco on a 4x4 buggy or dune buggy.

Best Traveling adventures

Canoeing, mountain biking, paragliding etc, in the area around Cusco. Canopy tours in Santa Teresa, at the foot of Machu Picchu.





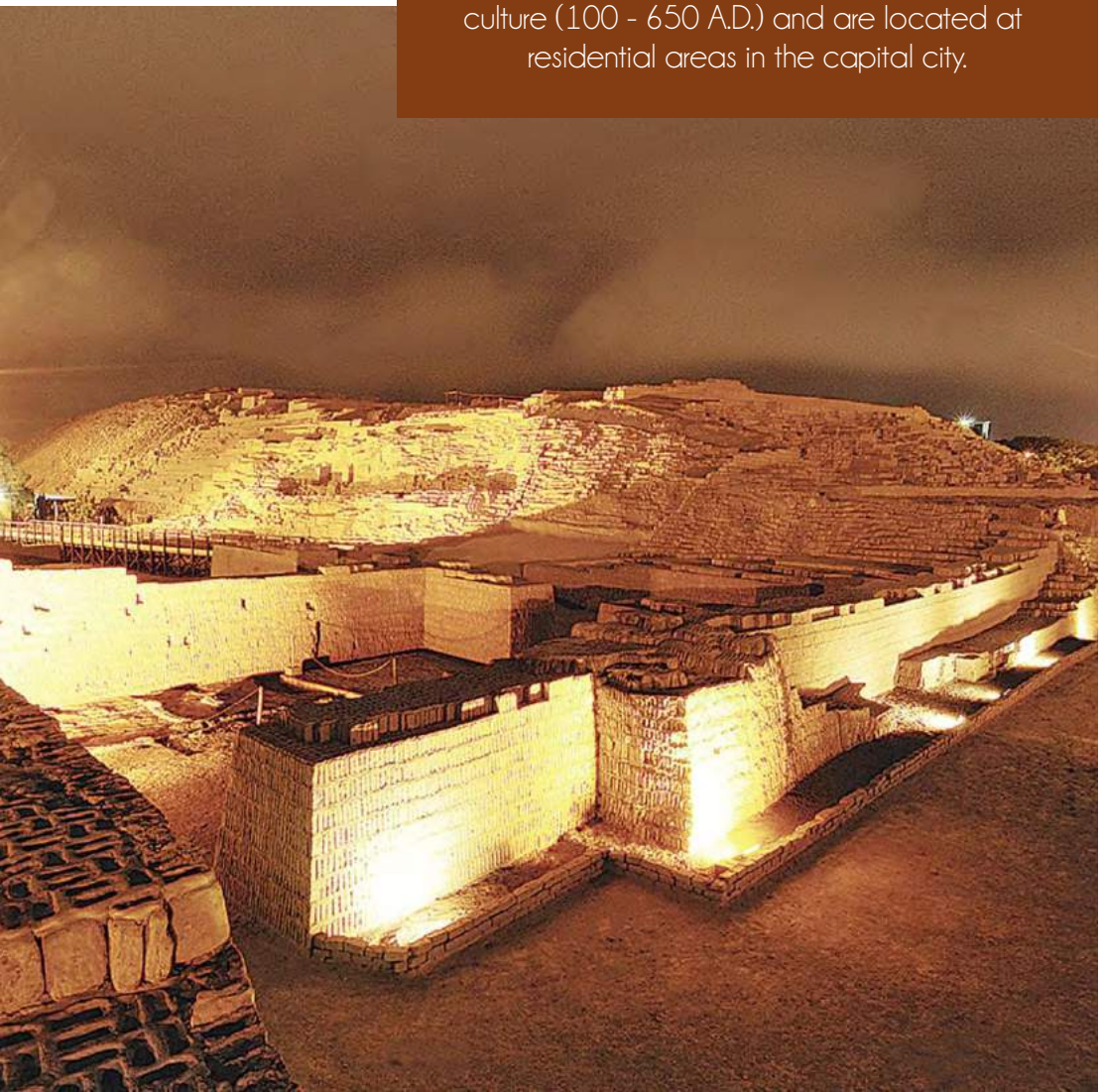
Mountains in Peru For Climbing

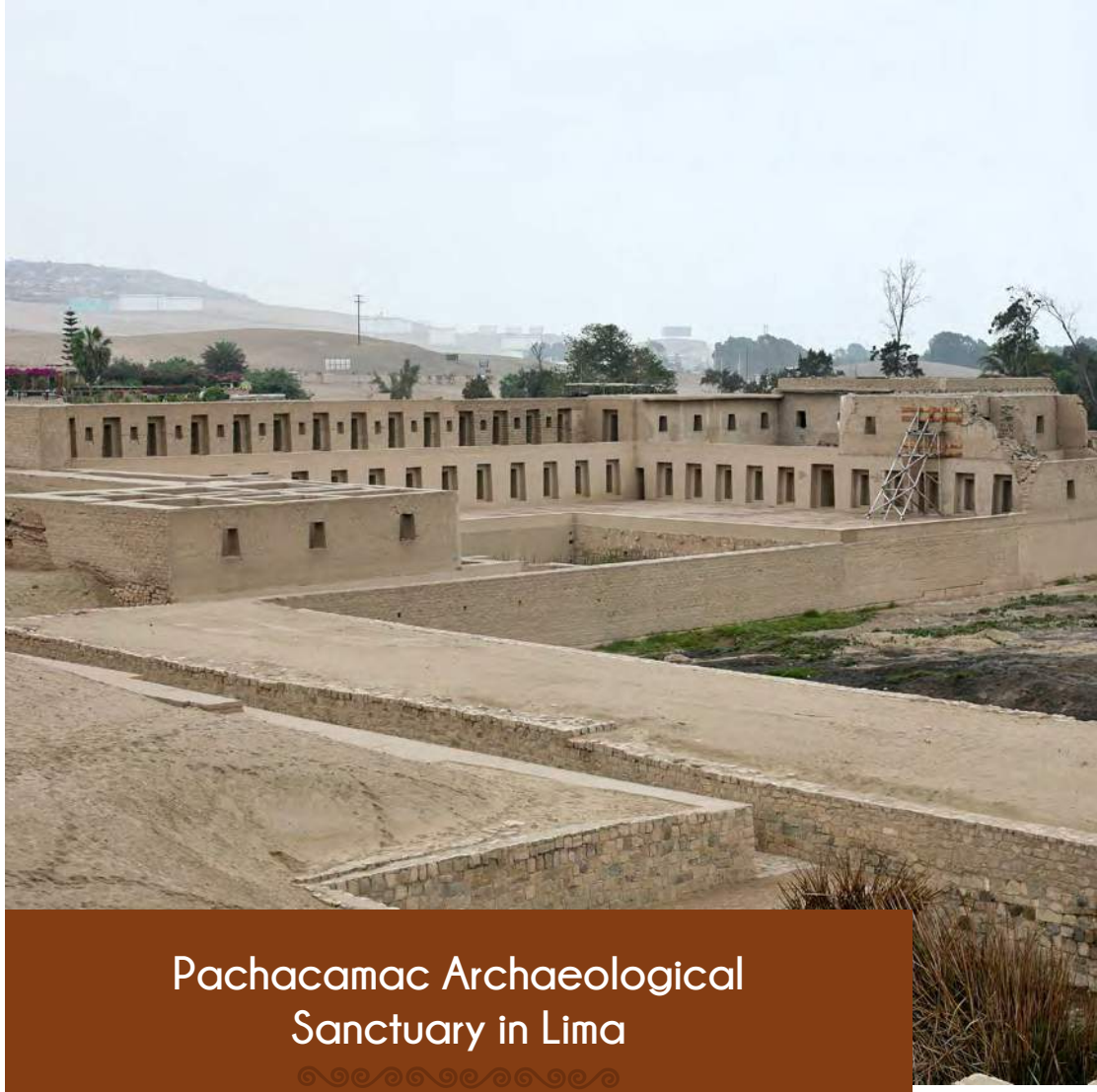
Mountaineering in the highest and most beautiful mountains of Peru (Huascaran, Huandoy, Yerupajá, Alpamayo, etc.)


Ancient cities and
world heritage sites

Huaca Pucllana and Huaca Huallamarca in Lima

Both ceremonial centers belong to the Lima culture (100 - 650 A.D.) and are located at residential areas in the capital city.



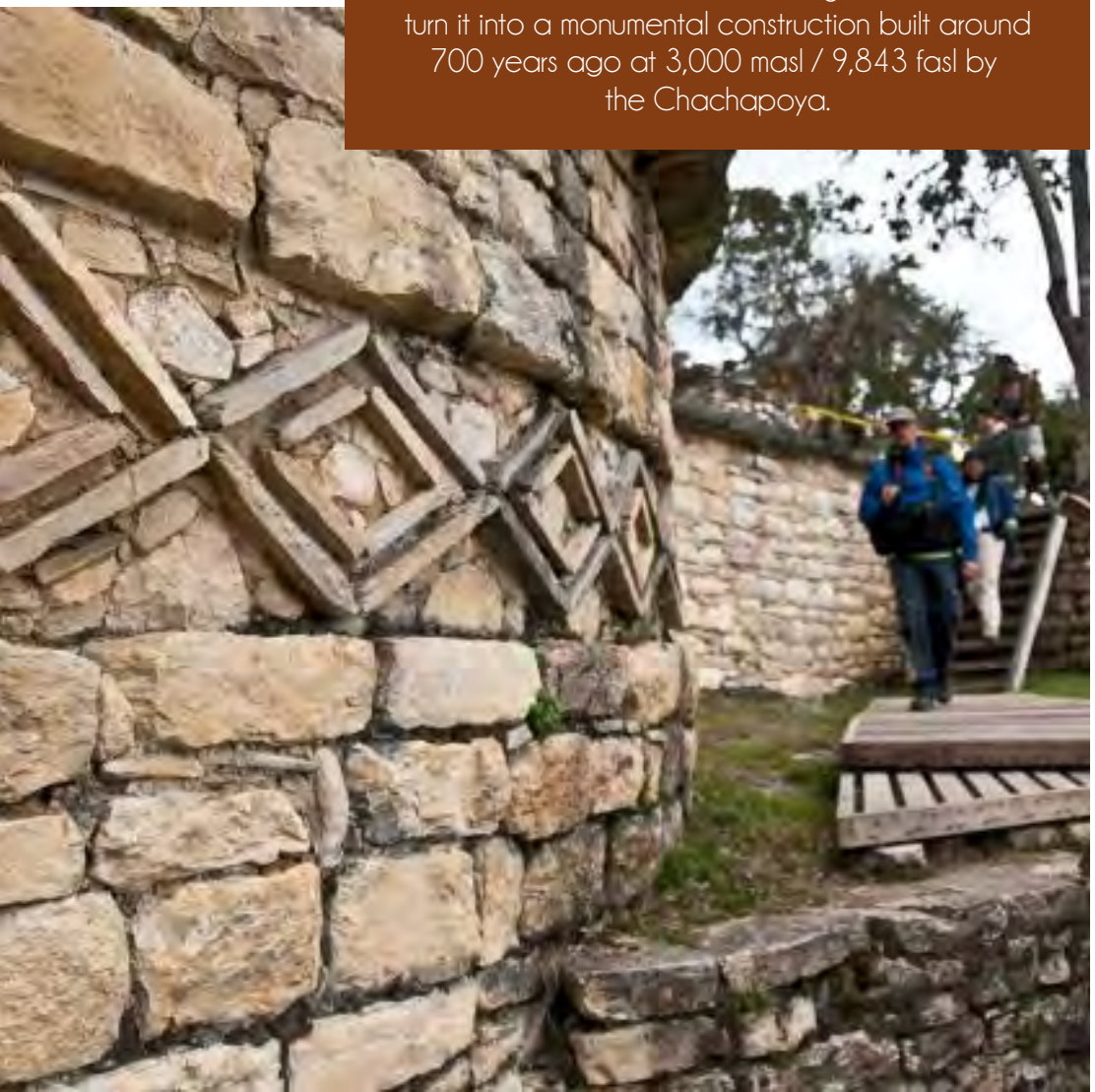


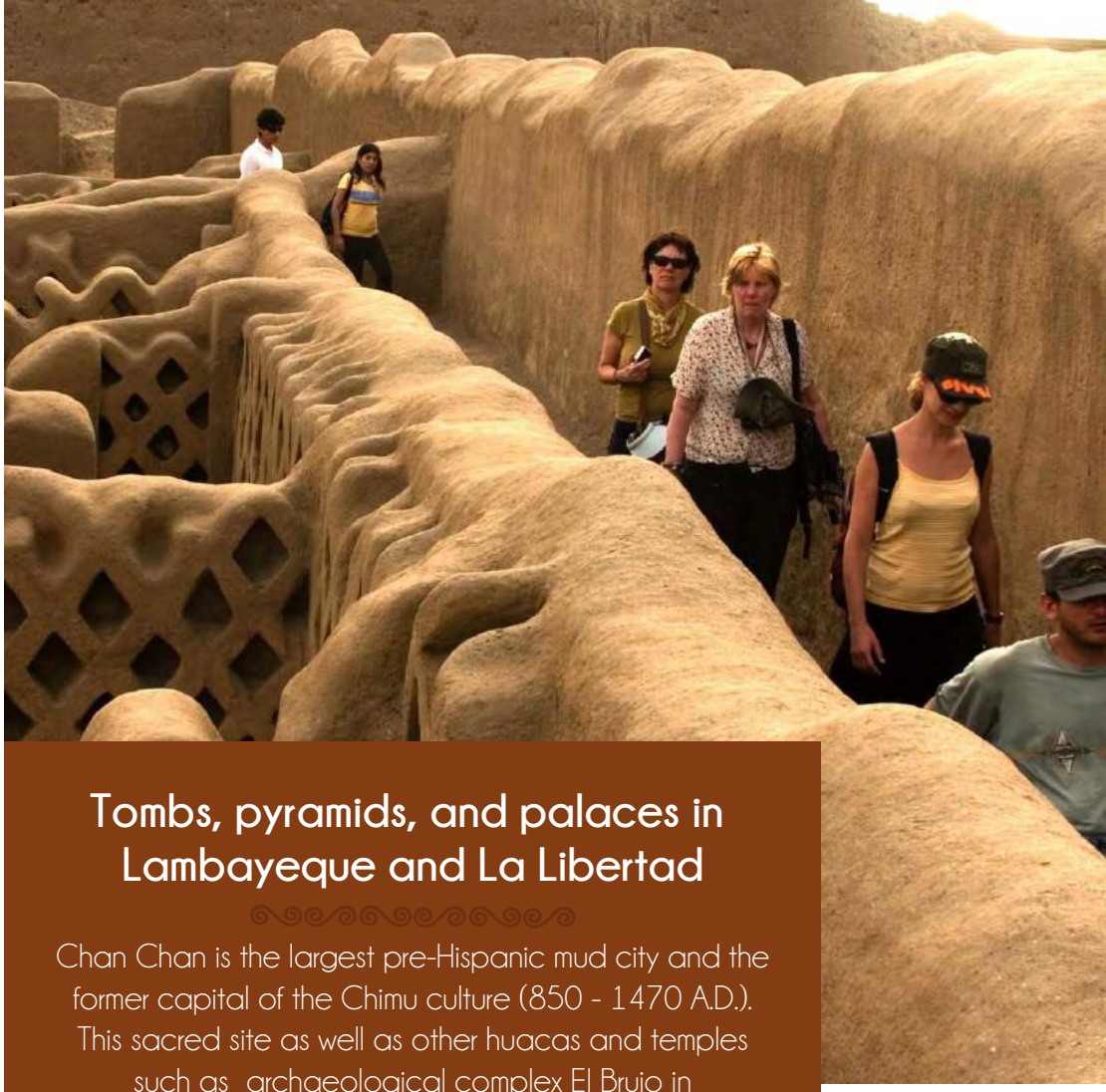
Pachacamac Archaeological Sanctuary in Lima

This oracle of God Pachamac is 45 minutes south of Lima (31,5 km / 22 mi). This was once the main Inca worshiping center on the coast and features temples and pyramids from the Lima, Wari, and Ychsma cultures which preceded the Incas.

Monumental Archaeological Zone of Kuelap in Amazonas

It features 20-meter / 66-feet high walls which turn it into a monumental construction built around 700 years ago at 3,000 masl / 9,843 fasl by the Chachapoya.





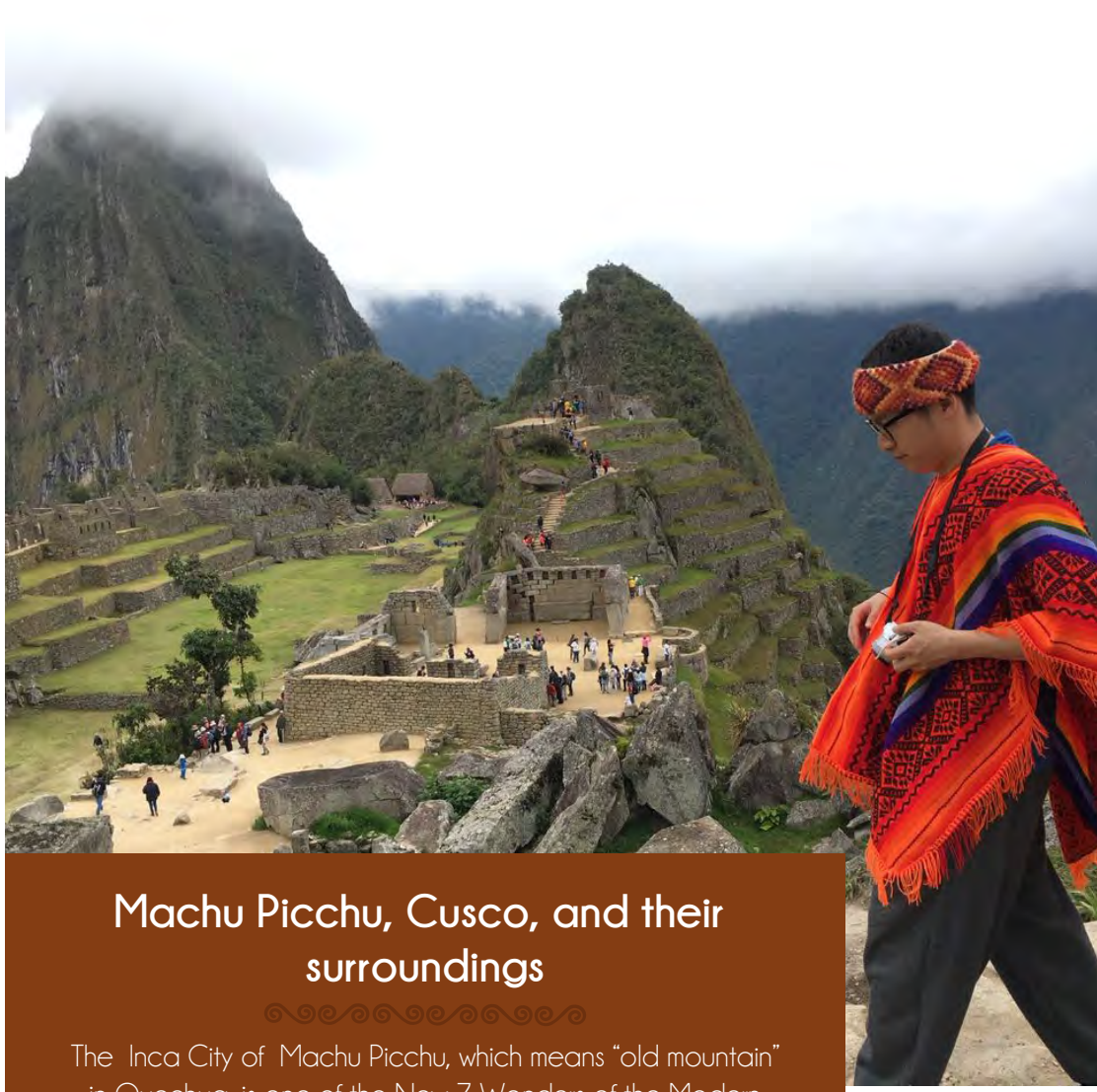
Tombs, pyramids, and palaces in Lambayeque and La Libertad

Chan Chan is the largest pre-Hispanic mud city and the former capital of the Chimu culture (850 - 1470 A.D.). This sacred site as well as other huacas and temples such as archaeological complex El Brujo in Magdalena de Cao, are accessible from the city of Trujillo in La Libertad. The Museum Royal Tombs of Sipan, located in Chiclayo (Lambayeque), displays the gold and silver belongings of a Moche dignitary (100 - 800 A.D.) found in a burial site; and in Batán Grande is the tomb of Señor de Sican (Lord of Sican) together with an impressive group of adobe pyramids from the Lambayeque culture (750 - 1400 A.D.).

Nasca Lines and Geoglyphs in Ica

These mysterious lines furrowed by the Nascas are gigantic geometric, anthropomorphic, and zoomorphic shapes with lengths and depths of up to 275 m / 902 ft and 30 cm / 12 in respectively. The legacy of this culture is still maintained after nearly 1500 years.



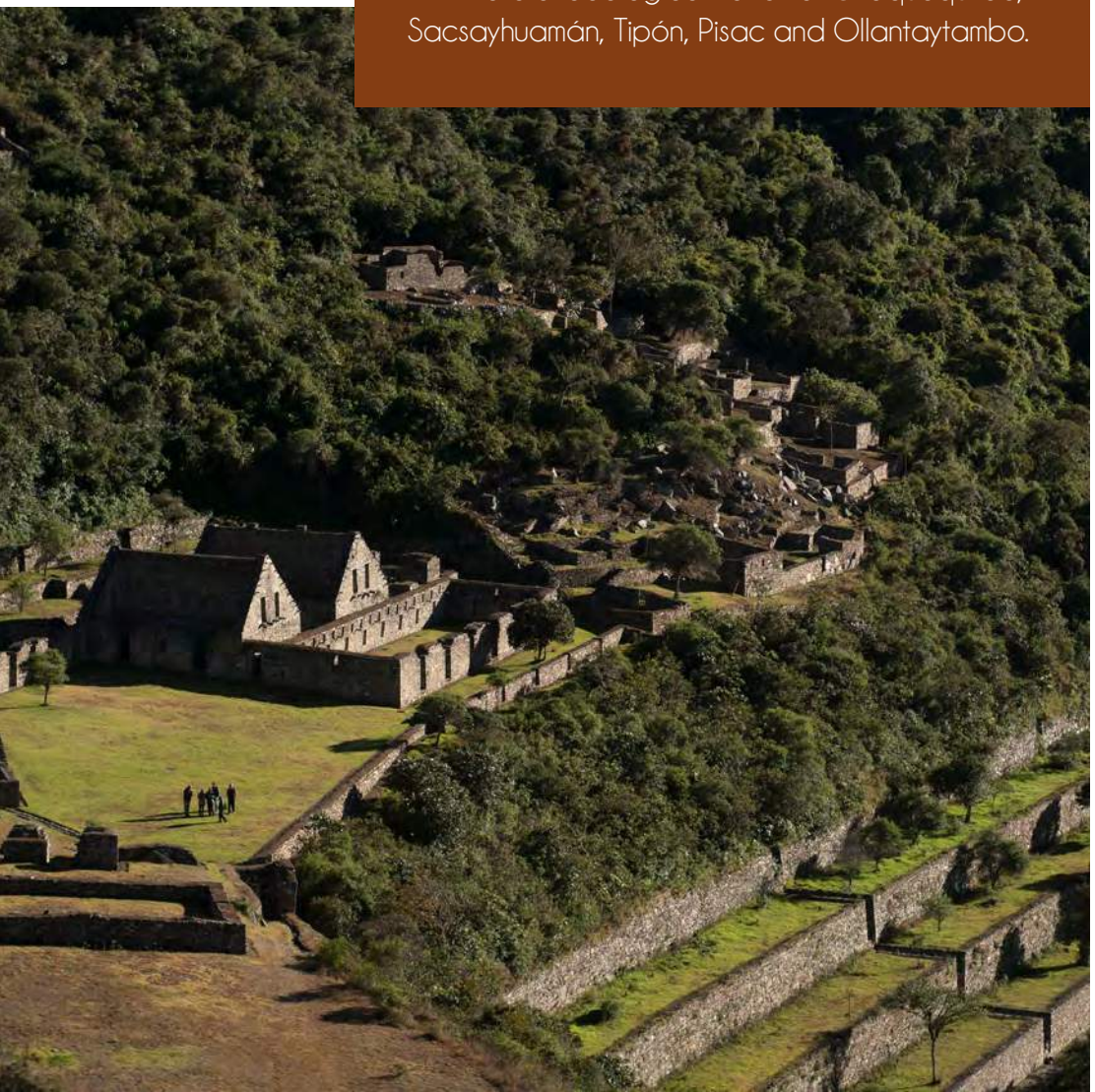


Machu Picchu, Cusco, and their surroundings

The Inca City of Machu Picchu, which means "old mountain" in Quechua, is one of the New 7 Wonders of the Modern World. This millenary construction, located just over 112 km / 62 mi by train from the city of Cusco, mimics the shape of the mount it owes its name to and is next to Mount Wayna Picchu which means "young mountain" in Quechua.

Best Inca Ruins & Archaeological

Visit the archaeological zones of Choquequirao, Sacsayhuamán, Tipón, Pisac and Ollantaytambo.





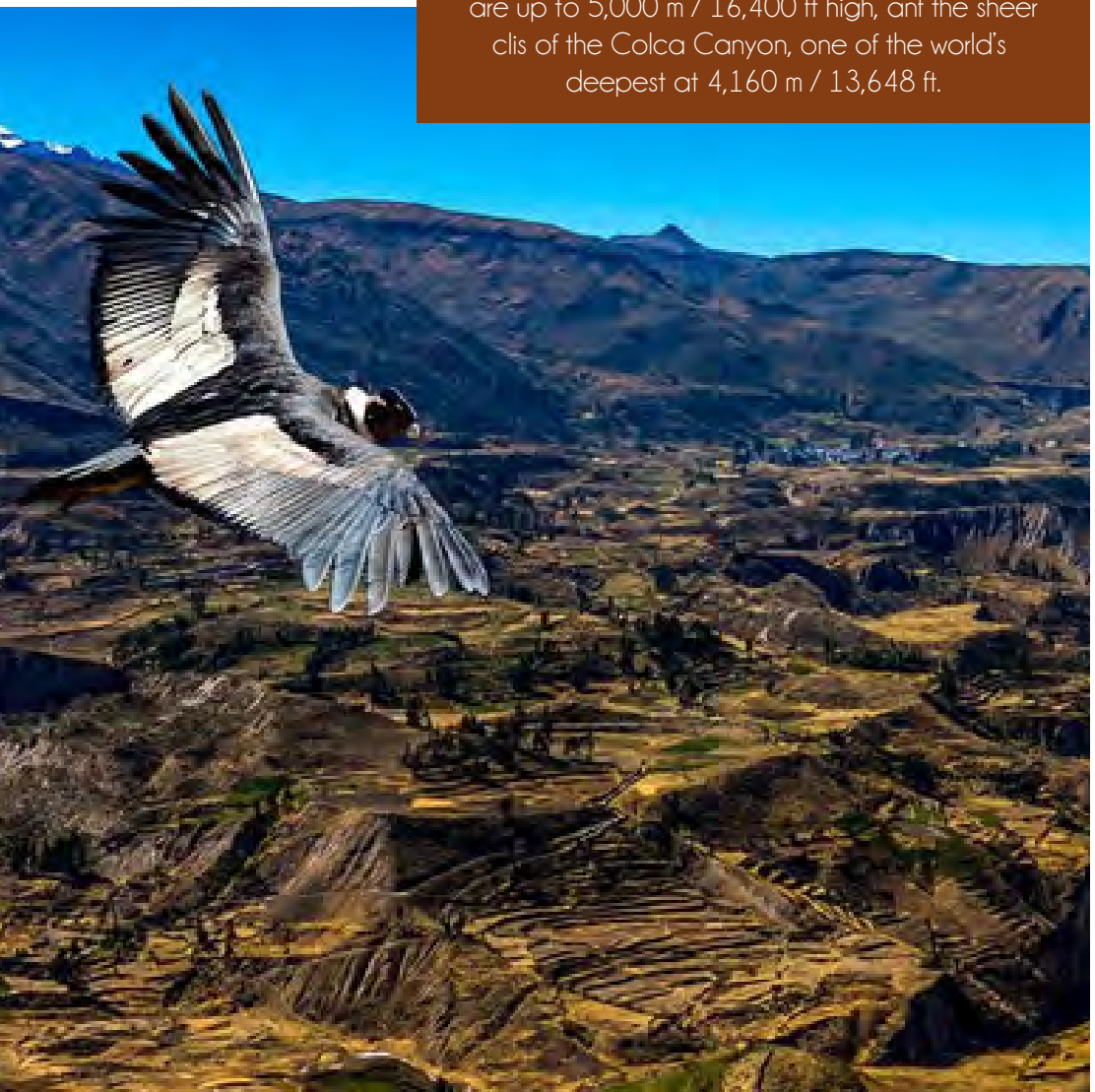
Kuelap Fortress

Visit less well known archaeological sites such as the fortress of Kuélap, the sarcofagi of Karajía (see photo) and the Lake of the Condors.


Magical biodiversity
all around Peru

Colca Valley in Arequipa

This is an awesome spot for watching the majestic condor soar among mountains, which are up to 5,000 m / 16,400 ft high, anf the sheer clis of the Colca Canyon, one of the world's deepest at 4,160 m / 13,648 ft.



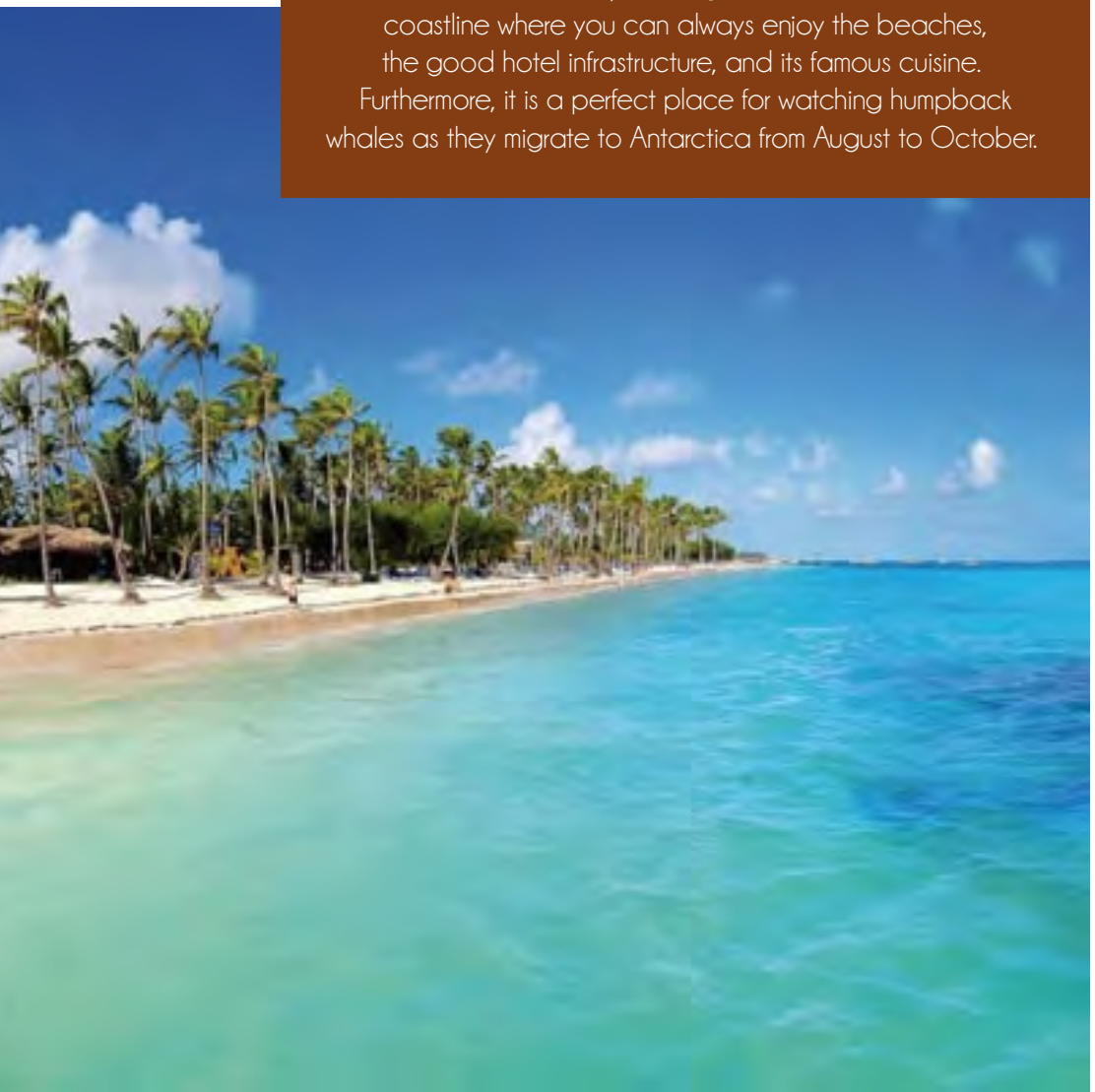


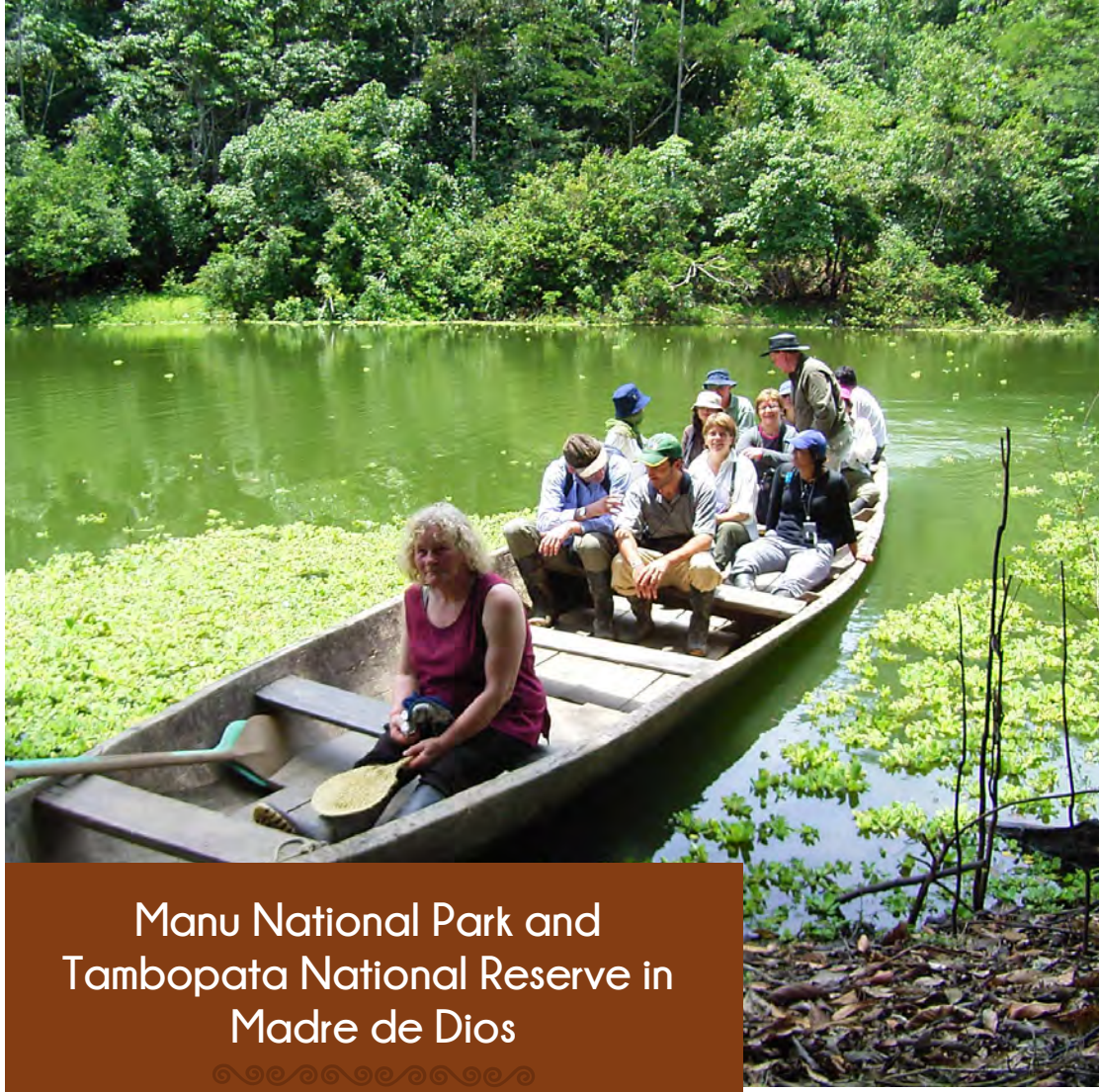
The Bosque de Pomac Historic Sanctuary and the Chaparrí Private Conservation Area in Lambayeque

The first is a fertile ecosystem that shelters mammalian species such as wildcats and a variety of birds such as the Peruvian plantcu·er, the burrowing owl and the lineated woodpecker. The second one is located in the dry forests of Lambayeque featuring a great variety of wild life species such as the spectacled bear and the white-winged guan.

Northern beaches in Tumbes and Piura

It is summer all year long on Peru's northern coastline where you can always enjoy the beaches, the good hotel infrastructure, and its famous cuisine. Furthermore, it is a perfect place for watching humpback whales as they migrate to Antarctica from August to October.



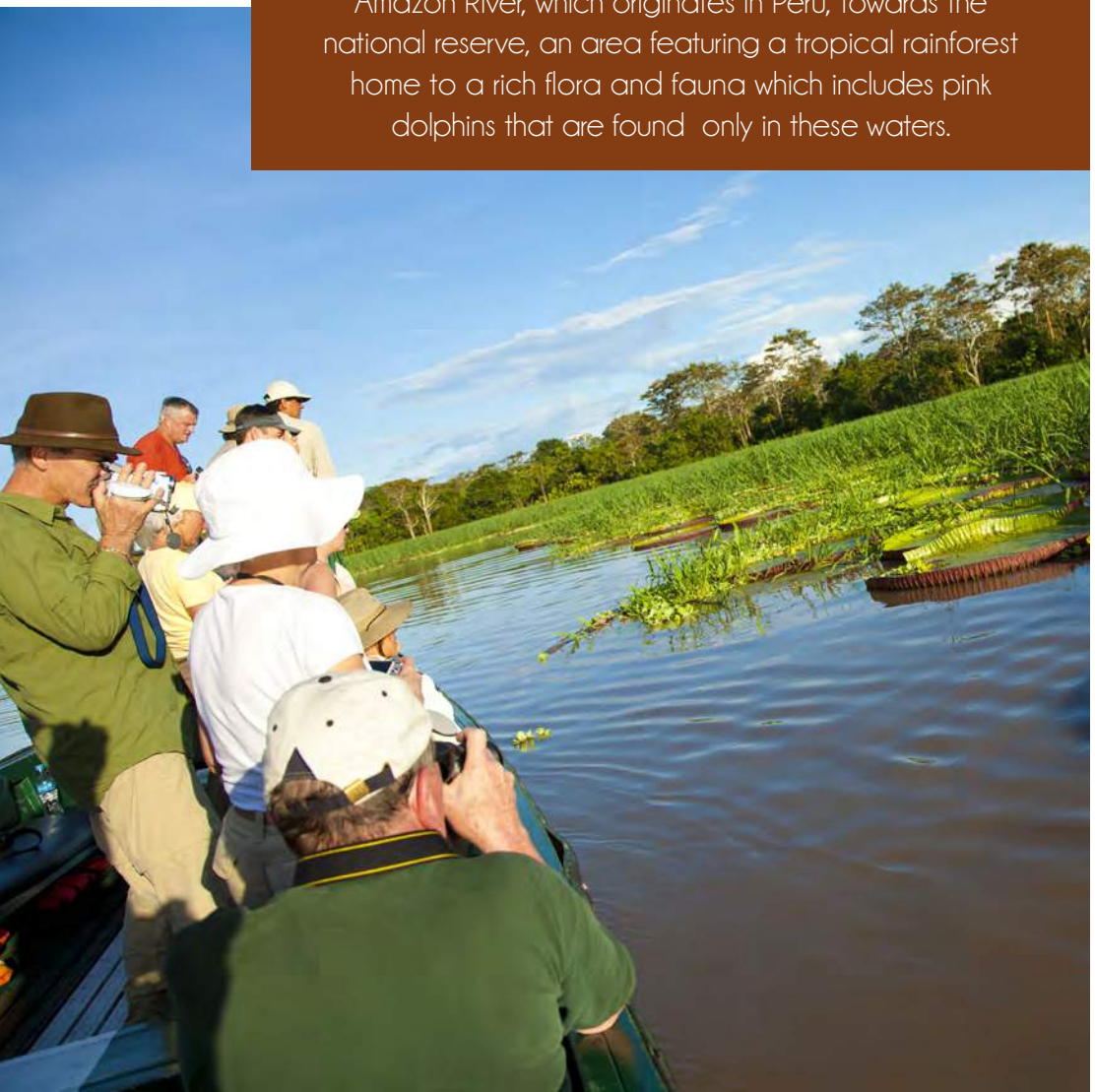


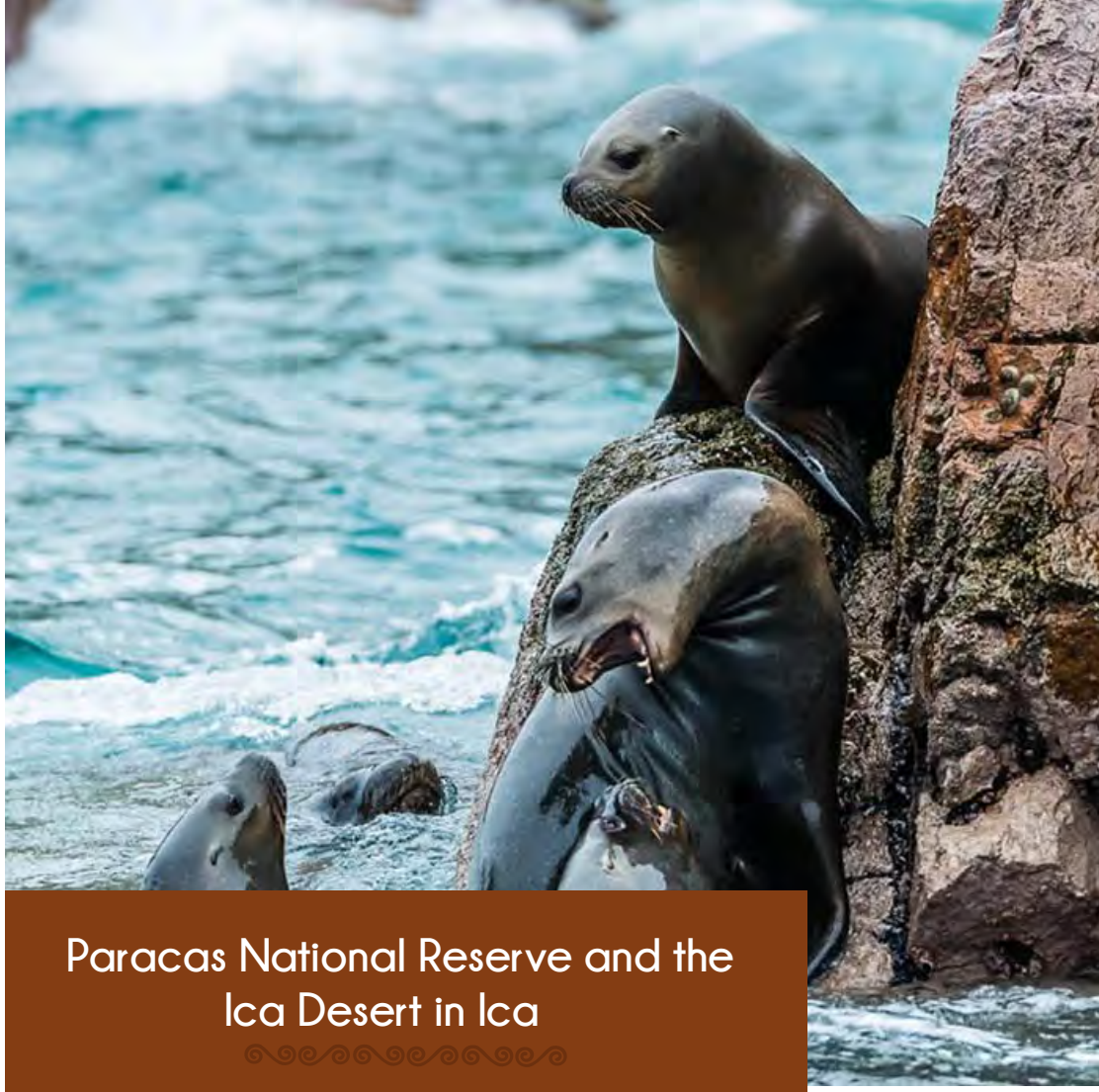
Manu National Park and Tambopata National Reserve in Madre de Dios

These are two of the most important protected natural areas in the country where an enormous variety of bird, mammal, fish, insect, reptile, and plant species thrive, many of them endemic.

The Amazon River and Pacaya - Samiria National Reserve in Loreto

It is possible to start your trip in Iquitos, sailing down the Amazon River, which originates in Peru, towards the national reserve, an area featuring a tropical rainforest home to a rich flora and fauna which includes pink dolphins that are found only in these waters.



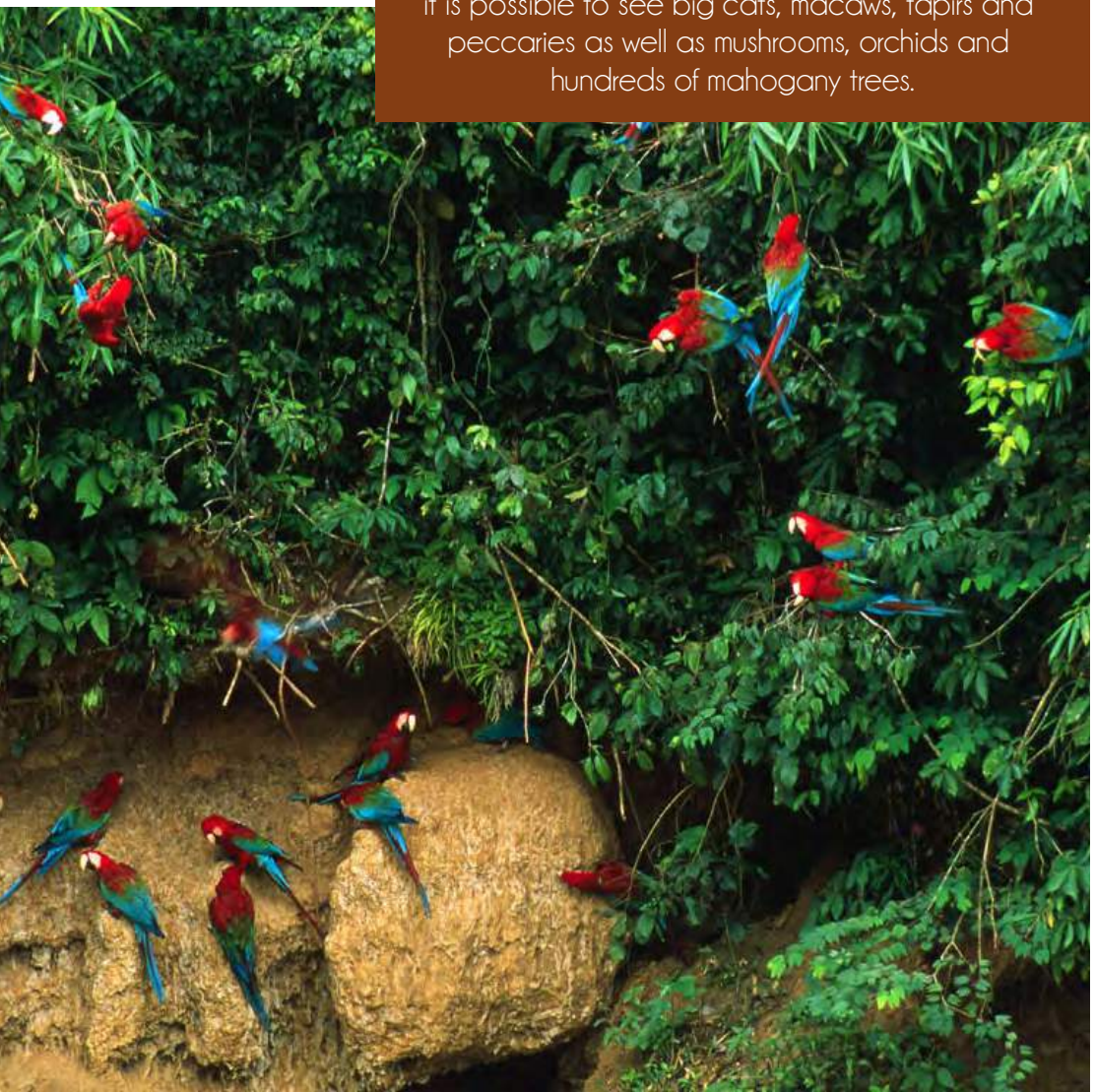


Paracas National Reserve and the Ica Desert in Ica

The reserve and the neighboring Ballestas Islands are home to sea lions, Humboldt penguins, dolphins, flamingos, and other birds. Farther south, you enter into a desert of amazing sand dunes and the Huacachina Oasis.

Observation flora and fauna

Observe the flora and fauna. In itd nature reserves it is possible to see big cats, macaws, tapirs and peccaries as well as mushrooms, orchids and hundreds of mahogany trees.





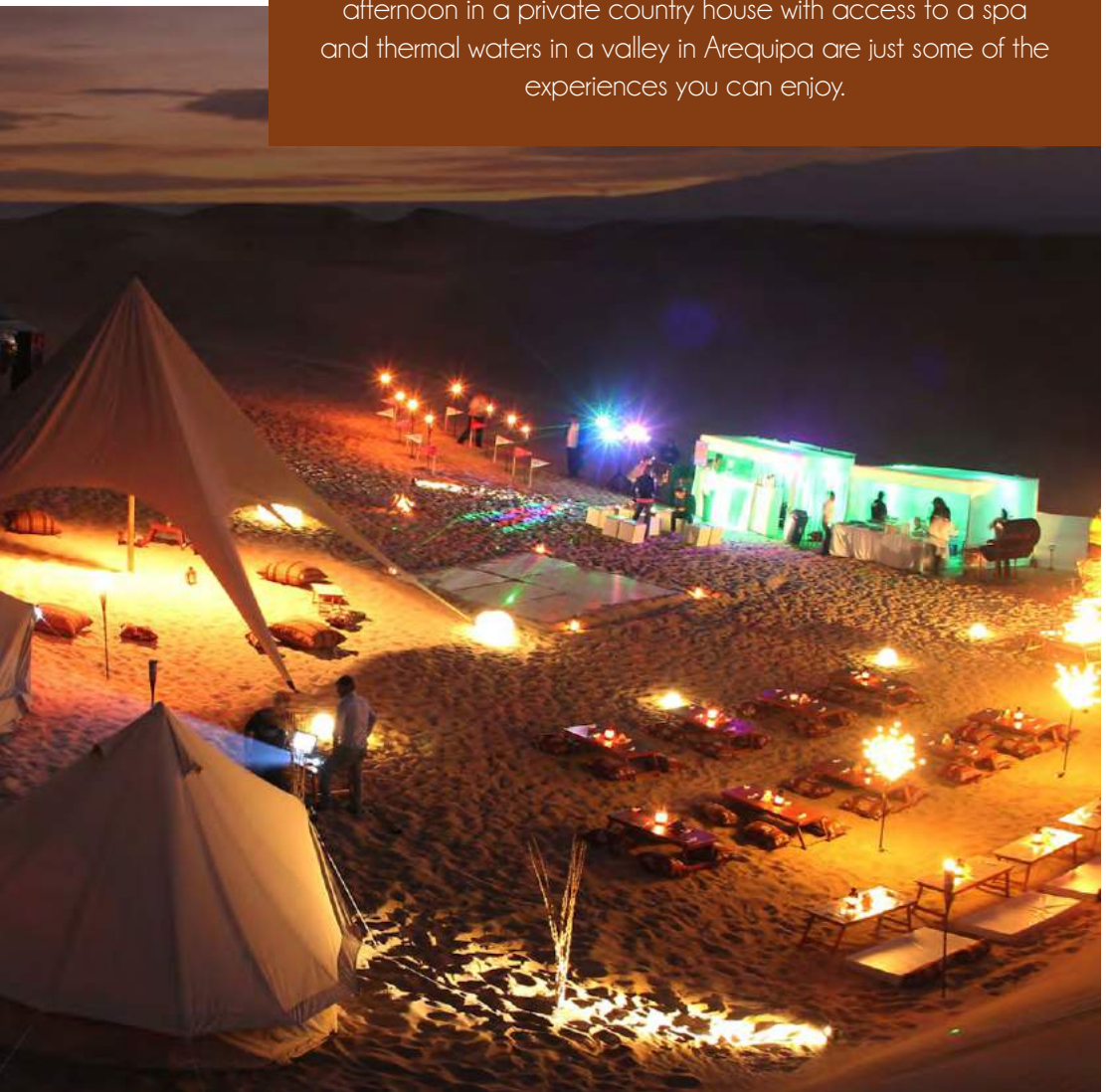
Native species

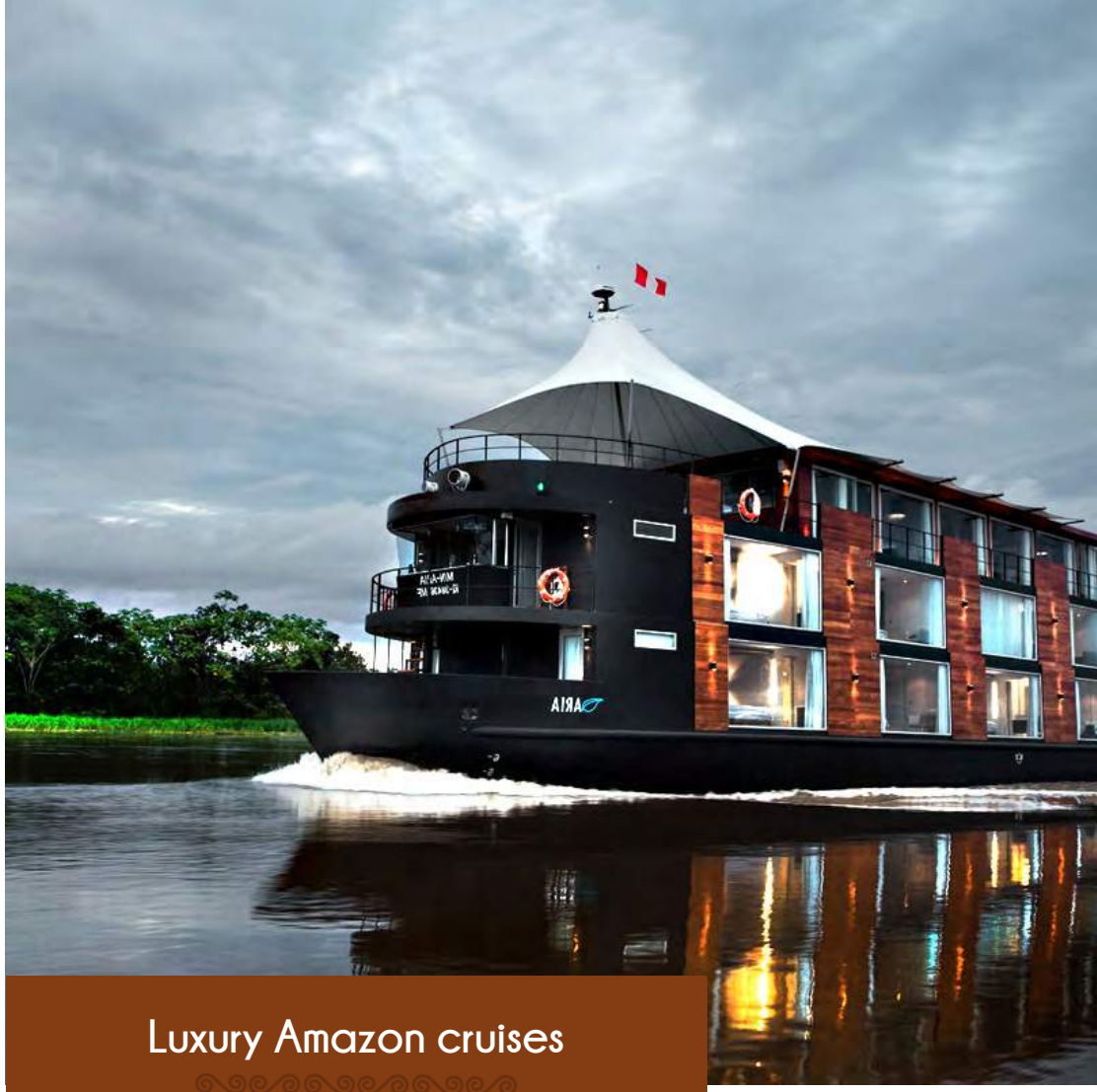
See vicuñas on the islands of Umayo and Anapia; come across native species of fish, amphibians and birds like the Junín Grebe on the lake.


Unique and Sophisticated Experiences

Natural energy

There are destinatiosn where yoy can still unplug from the world; places as amazing as they are legendary which fill us with energy and delight. Drinking a glass of champagne in a Bedouin tent in the midst of the Ica desert or enjoying a sunny afternoon in a private country house with access to a spa and thermal waters in a valley in Arequipa are just some of the experiences you can enjoy.





Luxury Amazon cruises

This is a unique opportunity to visit native communities and see exotic Amazonian flora and fauna, all in the comfort of a five-star trip with specialized guides and gourmet food.

Lima and the art of good eating

Peru's capital is also the culinary capital of the Americas. Lima has turned into a true caldron of flavors due to the variety and wealth of ingredients from the coast, highlands, and rainforest; the blending of ancient and modern cooking techniques; and the fusion of influences from different cultures like the the Chinese, the Japanese, the Afro-Peruvian, and the European one resulting in a culinary melting pot that is now an important part of the Peruvian identity. The "trío de cebiches", a fish and seafood based dish, is just one of the great delicacies offered in Lima.



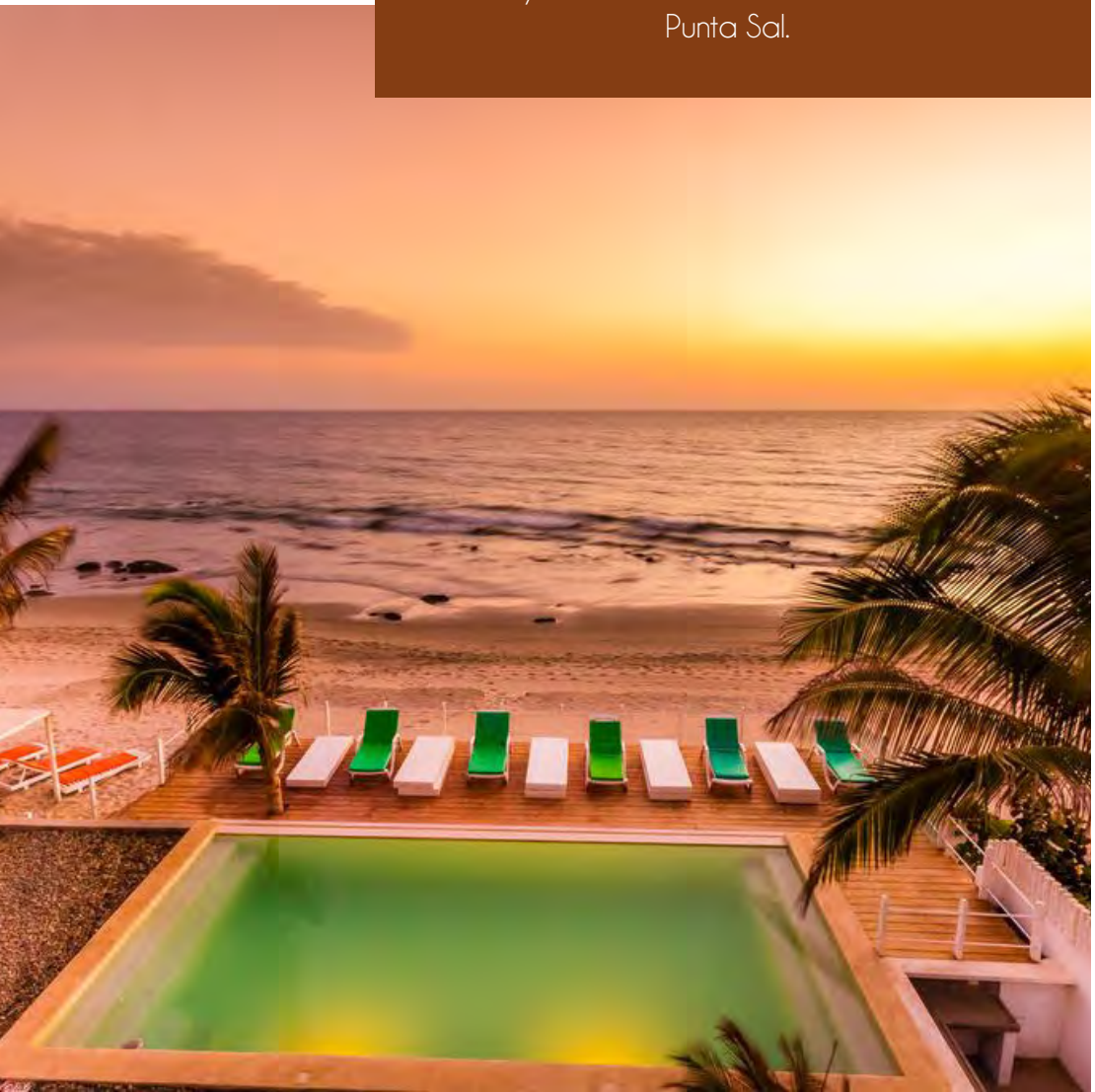


Boutique hotel

A top flight stay in Colonial houses, ancient monasteries, or designer hotels with the possibility of delighting yourself in gourmet dinners and 100% personalized service.

Days of relaxation

Days and nights of relaxation and entertainment in the luxury hotels on the beaches of Máncora and Punta Sal.



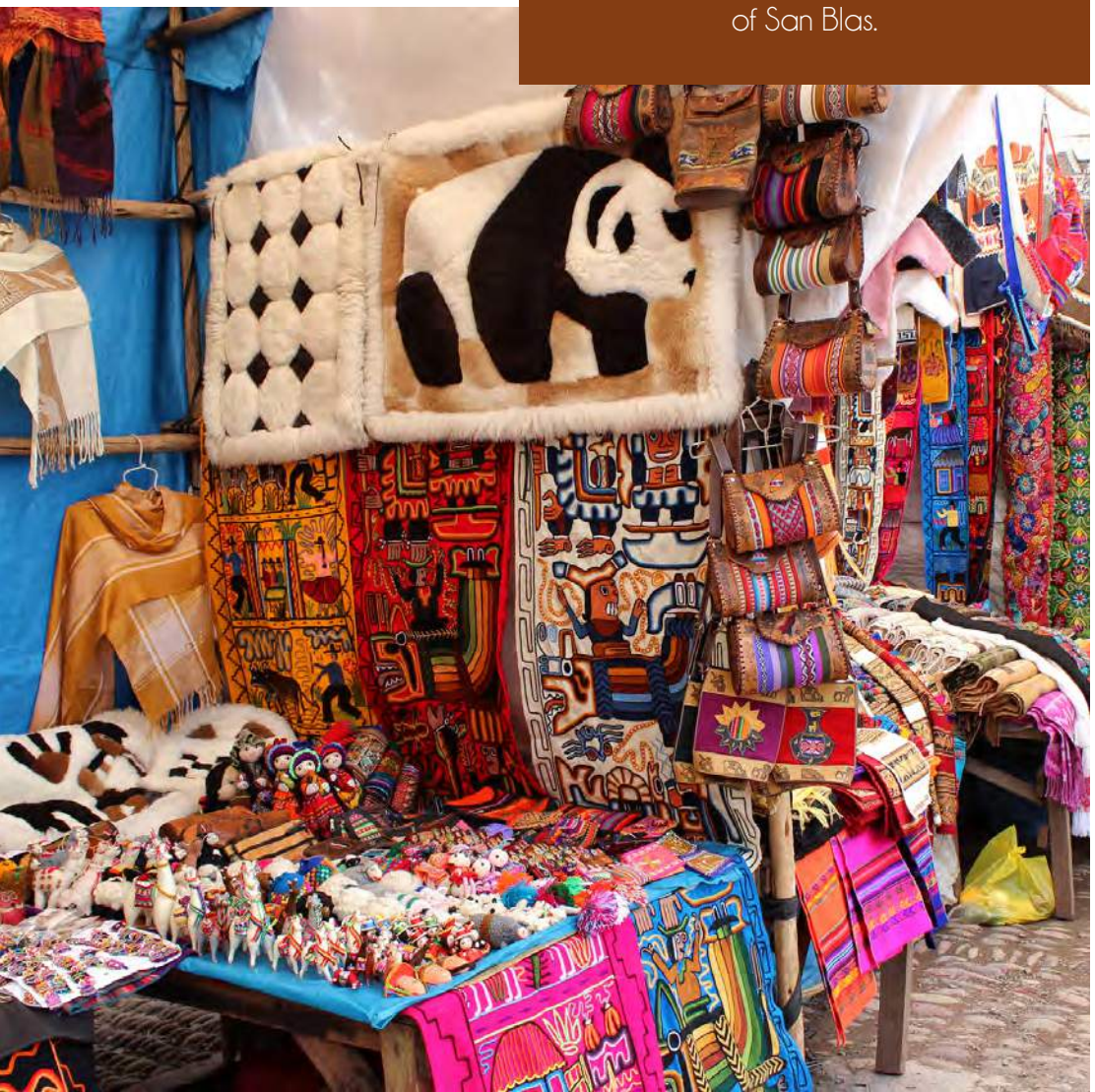


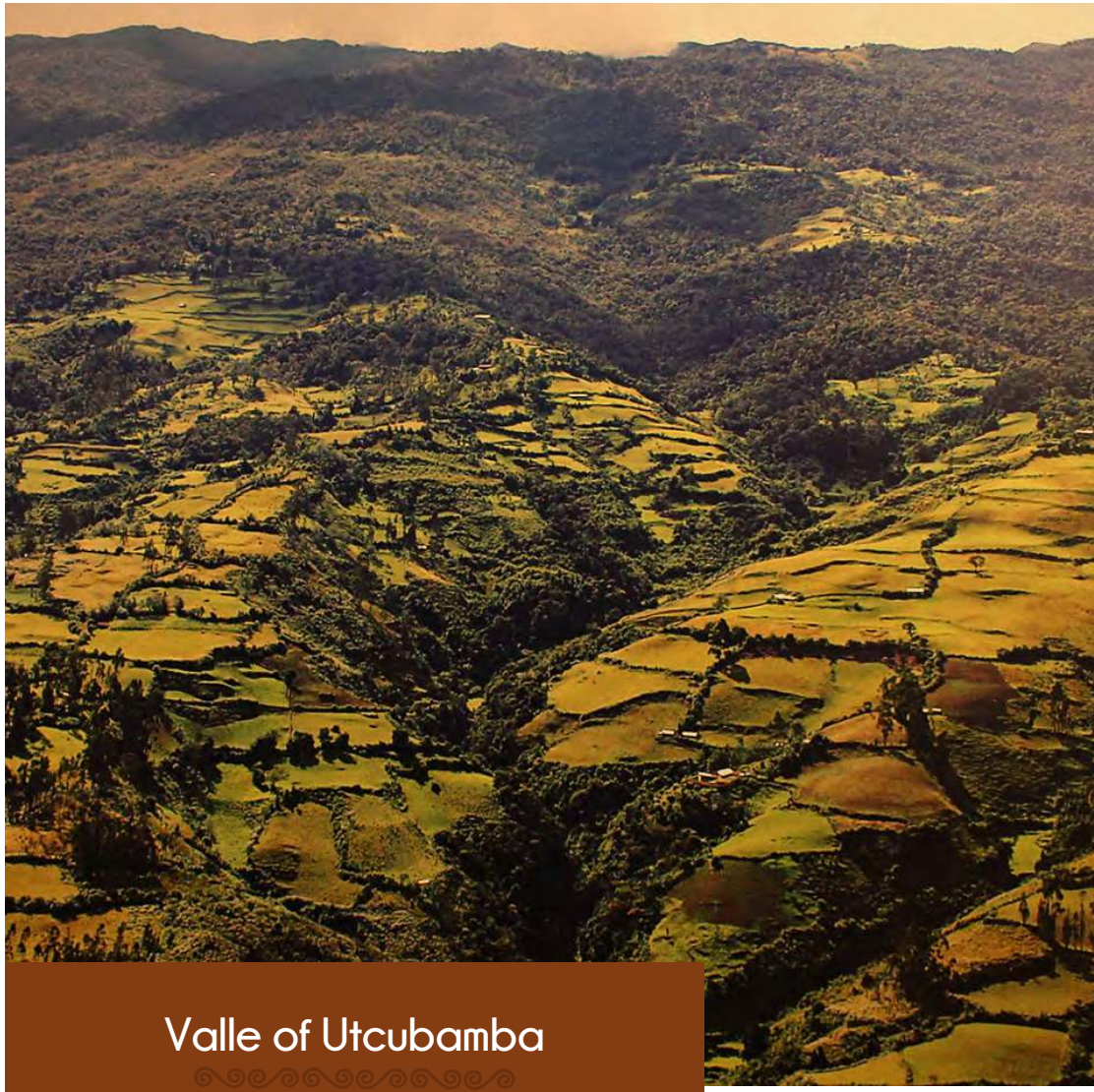
Numerous bodegas

Go to the numerous bodegas that surround the town of Ica and try the unrivalled pisco and high quality wines.

Day shopping

Spend a day shopping in the craft district of San Blas.





Valle of Utcubamba

Enjoy a day of relaxation at the Fundo Santa Isabel, with one of the most beautiful views of the valley of Utcubamba.


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