



Luxury Lima, Cuzco and Machu Picchu with Lake Titicaca



Hotel Titilaka

Recently, following UNESCO recommendations, Peruvian authorities have placed restrictions on the visitation of Machu Picchu, the lost Incan ruins. Currently, no more than 2,500 people daily will be allowed to visit the ruins. While these new restrictions are great for the preservation of the ruins, they may cause some difficulties in your ability to visit them, so we recommend booking with plenty of notice.

All tours and transfers are private, and most meals are included.

This trip can be customized to fit your individual travel dates and any specific requests you may have. Your travel consultant will prepare a customized itinerary for you. We offer these Orient Express Hotels: the Sanctuary Lodge in Machu Picchu, Monasterio in Cuzco and the Park Plaza in Lima. Orient Express accommodations in Peru are very much sought after, so please book with plenty of notice.

In Lake Titicaca you will be staying at Titilaka Hotel including a personalized welcome with private transfer from airport or train station; 2 nights and facilities in an Amanecer (Dawn) Suite (all suites overlook the lake and are furnished with one king or two double beds, lake-view spa bathrooms and have individually controlled heated floors); concierge and trip planner services; choice of excursions in and around Titicaca Lake with bilingual (Spanish and English) guide; breakfast, lunch and dinner; and wireless internet access.

This tour includes airfare allowance from London (UK), on non-holiday dates. You do not need to fly via London; Yampu will fly you the most direct way to your city of destination. Depending on your travel dates and proximity of travel, we will quote you the most economical surcharge from your city or country of origin.

Pricing

Occupancy Type	Deluxe/Standard rooms
Double	£ 6970
Single	£ 9483

Prices shown above are per person, in Sterling (£).



Sanctuary Lodge



Machu Picchu

Itinerary

Day 1

Flight to Lima. Upon arrival at the airport, you will be picked up in a private car and transferred with our English-speaking guide to your hotel.

Day 2

Morning private tour of Lima, one of the most important cities in South America since its founding in 1535. Journey through the historic center of the city. Admire the beauty of San Martín and Major squares, the Cathedral, the Government Palace and visit San Francisco Convent, a religious building from the end of the 16th century, and its catacombs. Also drive through the residential districts of San Isidro and Miraflores. After the tour, we will have lunch at a typical cevicheria in Miraflores facing the Pacific Ocean. Afternoon visit to Larco Herrera Museum, Archeological Museum or Gold Museum (see details below). Evening transfer and dinner at one of the best restaurants of typical Peruvian cuisine: Las Brujas

~~Day 3~~ Dinner at the hotel.

Morning transfer to the airport to take the flight to Cuzco. Upon arrival in Cuzco, transfer to your hotel. Afternoon at leisure to acclimatize.

~~Day 4~~ Dinner at the hotel.

Morning walking tour of Cuzco. We will visit the Cathedral (hosting some of the finest artwork in all of Peru) and San Francisco Church. We will pass by some of the city's most colorful streets and Major Square (Plaza de Armas). We will have time to eat lunch before we start the afternoon tour of the Korikancha temple or Temple of the Sun, and the Inca ruins around the city of Cuzco: Tambomachay (Inca Fountains), Puca Pucara (Red Fortress), amphitheater of Kenko and finally the Sacsahuaman Fortress. Afternoon, return to your hotel. Evening, transfer and dinner, and

~~Day 5~~ Historic show at La Tunupa.

Morning transfer from your Cuzco hotel to the Poroy train station to board the Hiram Bingham Train to Machu Picchu. The train leaves in the morning, taking a spectacular journey through a changing landscape while you enjoy breakfast. We will pass through the Sacred Valley and its lush fields and colorful villages in the foothills of the Andes. From there, the journey is highlighted by wonderful vistas of the mountains and the beautiful Urubamba River which runs through the Sacred Valley. On arrival in the town of Aguas Calientes at the foot of Machu Picchu, you will be taken by bus to the Machu Picchu Sanctuary Lodge. We will have lunch there, overlooking the ancient citadel. Then, we will have a guided tour of the ruins. Machu Picchu, the Lost City of the Incas, was a flourishing ceremonial and agricultural site, probably the gateway to the jungle marches of the Inca Empire. The central buildings were erected with the polished stone works of the Cuzco Imperial style, though the site was probably occupied well before the Incas started their expansion. It was associated with the earth cult revolving around the coca leaf, which was a privilege of the Inca Royal family and priests. Typical English afternoon tea will be served at the Machu Picchu Sanctuary Lodge. Dinner at the Sanctuary Lodge.

Note: Government regulations limit the number of visitors to Machu Picchu daily. Entrance is subject to availability. Please book with plenty of

~~Day 6~~ time so we may confirm your entrance to the ruins for today and tomorrow.

Huayna Picchu, please contact your Yampu travel consultant. Early in the evening we will return to Cuzco by Hiram Bingham Train. Cocktails and dinner will be served on board. Upon arrival in Cuzco, transfer to your hotel.

Day 7

Transfer to the airport to take the flight to Lake Titicaca. En route to the hotel, visit the necropolis of Sillustani (12,000 feet above sea level), the lagoon of Umayo and the fabulous “chullpas,” cylinder-shaped tombs. Transfer to your hotel.

Note: You may also take the Andean Explorer train from Cuzco to Puno (10 hour scenic ride), although it operates only on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. Additional cost of \$ 125 per person applies. If you take this option, you will arrive in Puno in the evening so we recommend an extra night at Titilaka.

Day 8

Activities at Titilaka. All meals and activities included (see activities below).

Morning at leisure. Afternoon transfer to the airport to take the flight to Lima. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. Evening farewell dinner at La Pose Maitica. This restaurant is located on a pier on the shores of the Pacific Ocean with amazing views.

Day 10

Transfer to the airport to take the flight back home, or choose from optional tours in Peru or other South American countries (check-out of the hotel at 12 pm. Late check-out available at an additional cost). If your flight departs in the evening, you will have time for a shopping tour of Lima, visiting the famous handicraft markets accompanied by our guides. You may also visit some of the fascinating art galleries in Barranco or Miraflores.

Price includes:

Air transportation from Miami to Lima in economy class. Surcharge applicable from other cities. Business class available, so please enquire. Air transportation from Lima to Cuzco, Cuzco to Juliaca and Juliaca to Lima in economy class, Hiram Bingham Train from Cuzco to Machu Picchu, deluxe hotel accommodation including buffet breakfast, all transfers in a private car and English-speaking guide between airports and hotels with assistance and baggage handling, private guided tours by English-speaking guides, including all entrance fees and meals where specified as well as gratuities and taxes

Note:

1. Availability at the Orient Express hotels is very limited. We recommend booking with plenty of advance notice. If we are not able to book some of the hotels, we will request the Libertador Hotel in Cuzco, the Pueblo Hotel in Machu Picchu or the JW Marriott in Lima, and will put you on the waiting list at the Orient Express with a chance of confirmation 30 days prior to arrival. If the Orient Express does not confirm, there will be a price adjustment.
2. The deluxe service Hiram Bingham train features an observation wagon with a bar and two dining cars. In addition, this train includes a gourmet brunch on board, exclusive bus return to Machu Picchu, entrance to Machu Picchu as well as a guided tour. Afternoon tea in the Sanctuary Lodge, pre-dinner cocktails and a 4-course, a la carte dinner is also included. Does not operate on Sundays.

Note: As part of our program, you may either fly from Cuzco or take the fabulous Andean Explorer train on day 7 of the trip. An extra night in Lake Titicaca will be needed if choosing the train option.

Andean Explorer train from Cuzco to Puno or Puno to Cuzco (Monday, Wednesday and Saturday only). A fantastic train ride that takes a gentle climb to higher and cooler altitudes. The first half of the journey is dominated by the magnificent Andean Mountains which tower over the deep valleys of the meandering Huatanay River. It then reaches the gentler, rolling Andean Plains, where vicuña and alpaca can be seen. The glass-walled observation car provides the perfect opportunity to view the beautiful scenery. The journey is broken by a scenic stop at La Raya, which is also the highest point on the route. Three-course lunch included. Restaurant and bar service is available at an additional cost. Train leaves Cuzco at 8 a.m. and arrives at Puno at 6:00 p.m.

Titilaka Quarter Day Excursions

Rowing Around the Reeds

Take a paddle boat tour through the totora reeds on the lake near the hotel. The totora reeds are aquatic plants used by the locals for different purposes ranging from construction to food. Just like land, the reed areas are divided among the villagers, who every so often harvest them for various uses. The reeds also provide a special ecosystem for birds such as wrens, grebes, moorhens and egrets.