The Minnesota Landscape Arboretum in conjunction with Knowmad Adventures is proud to announce an incredible group trip to Brazil. With awe-inspiring landscapes, forests and gardens, Brazil was also home to one of the most revolutionary landscape architects of all time, Roberto Burle Marx.

On this incredible fourteen-day trip we will explore several of his landscaping projects while making our way through Rio de Janeiro and the Brazilian gold route. Join Director Emeritus Peter Olin along with exceptional local guides on this once-in-a-lifetime adventure as we walk the streets of historic colonial cities, visit some of the countries most beautiful museums, observe the exotic birds and wildlife found in the world’s largest urban forest, see why Burle Marx was said to “paint with plants”, take a look at some of the country’s and world’s rarest species of plants, and much more!

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE TRIP

- Breathtaking views of lush mountains and the white sand beaches of Rio from the top of Sugar Loaf Mountain.
- Visit Christ the Redeemer statue on Corcovado Mountain.
- Walk through the world’s largest urban forest.
- Explore Burle Marx’s home and botanical collection of approximately 3,500 plant species.
- Visit Brazil’s largest folk-art museum.
- Private orchid reserve visit.
- Visit the old Imperial Palace, the most visited museum in Brazil.
- Discover new flavors and local ingredients in a Brazilian cooking class from a local chef.
- Learn about Brazil’s colonial period and its revolutions, architecture, and gold mining in the countries most beautiful colonial towns and two World Heritage sites.
- Visit a coffee plantation, and an “Alambique”, used to produce Cachaca, a Brazilian distilled spirit made from sugarcane.
- See the first works of famous architect Oscar Niemeyer, further landscape projects by Burle Marx, and paintings by Portinari at Pampulha Complex in Belo Horizonte.
- Explore Inhotim Institute on 5,000 acres of Burle Marx gardens with over 500 works of art.
- Visit Brazil’s flagship brewery and enjoy a beer!
- Do it in style staying in small boutique properties.
- Trip escorted by Arboretum Director Emeritus Peter Olin and Knowmad’s Jordan Harvey.
- $300 tax-deductible donation to Arboretum & BGCI included. Your donation helps less fortunate public gardens around the world in their conservation efforts.
- Travel in a small group of less than 25.
A ROUTE OVERVIEW: BRAZIL: LANDSCAPES OF ROBERTO BURLE MARX AND BEYOND

DAY 1-4  Rio De Janeiro
DAY 5-6  Teresopolis & Petropolis
DAY 7-8  Tiradentes
DAY 9-10 Congonhas & Oura Preto
DAY 11-13 Belo Horizonte
DAY 14  Arrive Home

MAP OF BRAZIL
ITINERARY: BRAZIL: LANDSCAPES OF ROBERTO BURLE MARX AND BEYOND

MAR 9  Depart Minneapolis, Minnesota or your hometown
Overnight flight to Rio de Janeiro. A recommended flight will be supplied closer to travel time along with a corresponding reservation should you wish for assistance in purchasing, which we recommend.

- No meals

MAR 10  Arrival - Rio de Janeiro
Upon our morning arrival to Rio de Janeiro, we are met at the airport and transferred to our accommodations situated in front of the gorgeous and famed Copacabana Beach in Rio. After check-in, take some time to relax before lunch and a half-day guided tour to Sugar Loaf Mountain. We ascend by cable car to the top of Sugar Loaf Mountain while taking in breathtaking views of the lush mountains and white sand beaches of Rio. Afterwards we will return to the hotel and have a traditional barbecue welcome dinner.

- D - Hotel Tulip Inn Copacabana or similar

MAR 11  Rio de Janeiro – Burle Marx’s Home & Gardens
After a hearty breakfast, spend the morning exploring famous landscape architect Burle Marx’s private residence and botanical and landscape collection of approximately 3,500 plants. Learn more about his life and astonishing work as we tour the property that over the years has been transformed in to an incredible garden. Continuing on we visit the Casa do Pontal Museum, considered the largest and most significant museum of folk art in the country. Its collection – the result of forty years of research and travel across the country from French designer Jacques Van Beuque – consists of about 8,000 pieces of 200 Brazilian artists, produced from the twentieth century. Enjoy lunch with some of the best views of Rio de Janiero and incredible seafood. Before returning to the hotel, we end our first full day with a visit to the Instituto Moreira Salles, a former private residence containing one of Marx’s most beautiful gardens as well as art expositions and an incredibly tranquil and beautiful setting.

- B, L - Hotel Tulip Inn Copacabana or similar

MAR 12  Rio De Janeiro – Corcovado & Tijuca Forest & Botanical Garden
Start the day out with a bang as we visit the famous Christ the Redeemer statue on Corcovado Mountain. Afterwards continue on to Tijuca National Park & the Botanical Garden. The Botanical Garden, one of the greatest tropical botanical gardens in the world, houses some of the most rare species of plants from both Brazil and around the world and is around 300 acres large. There are also many species of tropical birds, fish and mammals. The Tijuca National Park is known as the largest urban forest on earth and will not disappoint as we walk through the trails and possibly see monkeys, sloths and exotic birds.

- B, L - Hotel Tulip Inn Copacabana or similar

MAR 13  Rio De Janeiro – Orchid House – Petropolis
Departing after breakfast, we head north from Rio we continue our adventure with a scenic mountain drive toward Petropolis, the Imperial City of Brazil. On the way, we stop in Teresopolis to visit the Aranda Orchids House, a private collection of beautiful and exotic flowers containing many hybrid species native to their laboratory. Enjoy lunch in Rio’s jockey club with great gardens and food before an amazing visit to a traditional ceramic factory where we learn of their process and production methods.

- B, L - Pousada Solar de Imperio or similar

MAR 14  Petropolis
Today we visit The Imperial Museum, Brazil's most visited. Petropolis was the emperor’s most popular vacation spot in the 19th century, and this museum is located in the old Imperial Palace, the preferred residence of D. Pedro II, built in 1845 and completed in 1864. We will also visit the home of Brazil’s famed inventor Alberto Santos Dumont which reveals insights into his life and
personality. Next we visit the magnificent Petrópolis Cathedral, built in Gothic Revival style of the eighteenth century. And finally we end the day with a visit to the Bohemia Brewery, home to Brazil’s beers popular throughout South America.

- B, L - Pousada Solar de Imperio or similar

MAR 15 Petropolis – Tiradentes
Today we depart Petropolis and make the trip’s longest drive (5 hours) to Tiradentes, a charming colonial town, making stops along the way. We will arrive by late afternoon and enjoy a delicious lunch and the afternoon to explore town on your own or to relax and enjoy our historic hotel.

- B, L - Pousada Villa Allegra or similar

MAR 16 Tiradentes – Walking tour, cooking class & candy workshop
After Breakfast, depart for a walking tour in the historical center of Tiradentes, a tranquil, picturesque, colonial mining town. After exploring charming Tiradentes we’ll arrive to the delicious Emporio Santo Antonio Restaurant where their celebrated chef awaits to unveil Brazilian cuisines may flavors and local dishes coming from their array of native ingredients as you enjoy a cooking class. Following your interactive lunch experience we head to a famous traditional neighbourhood sweet shop, Chico Doceiro. The shop’s owner and namesake has made the store’s every candy since 1965 and is happy to welcome you into his shop and the timeless tradition of small town candy making. Following our visit we’ll return to the hotel for a relaxing evening. Enjoy discovering their lavish and extensive grounds and gardens.

- B, L - Pousada Solar de Ponte or similar

MAR 17 Tiradentes – Congonhas – Ouro Preto
After a little over an hour’s drive we arrive to beautiful Congonhas, a UNESCO World Heritage site known for colonial architecture as well as it’s town center dominated by 18th-century-style gardens, and impressive soapstone statues of the 12 Old Testament prophets. After a delicious lunch we continue north for approximately an hour and a half to Our Preto town. En route we will stop at Sao Joao del Rei, a beautiful 18th century town with important historical significance, and check in to our hotel, a beautifully maintained property dating back to 1840.

- B, L - Hotel Solar de Rosario or similar

MAR 18 Ouro Preto
Departing on a cultural walking tour, today we discover interesting aspects of the colonial period, it’s revolutions, traditions, architecture rich in baroque and rococo styles, and the gold mining era of Brazil’s late 17th and early 18th centuries that caused this area’s development.

- B, L - Pousada Solar de Ponte or similar

MAR 19 Ouro Preto – Belo Horizonte
After breakfast we’ll head north and visit a beautiful coffee plantation learning about the production process and exportation. From their we will visit an Alambique, where sugarcane is made and distilled to make cachaco, which is the base of Brazil’s famous drink the caipirinha. After a tour and explanation of the process enjoy a tasting before lunch. From here we continue on to Belo Horizonte (approximately an hour and a half) where we will have an amazing half-day exploration of the Pampulha Complex. Here you’ll see the first works of the famous architect Oscar Niemeyer amongst some of Burle Marx’s expansive landscapes and gardens, as well as paintings by Candido Portinari. We will visit Niemeyer’s Church of Saint Francis of Assisi and other sites before heading into the city to spend a relaxing evening.

- B, L - Hotel Promenade Pancetti or similar
MAR 20 Belo Horizonte – Inhotim Complex
Today we enjoy a full day and lunch at the Inhotim Institute and Contemporary Art Center, a place for education, meditation and delight. Artists from the world over come to show their works inside magical galleries and within the 87 acres of beautiful gardens, including Burle Marx’s last design projects before his passing. The collection is home to about 500 works by over 100 artists from 30 different countries. This is one of the most unique mix of landscape, architecture, nature, art, and design on Earth.
- B, L - Hotel Promenade Pancetti or similar

MAR 21 Belo Horizonte
Enjoy a leisurely morning exploring Belo Horizonte independently until we are transferred to the airport in accordance with our flight back to Rio and then onward back home. We suggest visiting the Liberty Plaza with its impressive manors turned museums and cultural centers.
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MAR 21 Arrive Home

NOTES ON SPECIFIC POINTS OF INTEREST IN BRAZIL

BELO HORIZONTE
Belo Horizonte was the first planned city in Brazil. Built on several hills and surrounded by mountains, the city is characterized by parks and is home to the modern architectural icons such as the Pampulha Complex.

OURO PRETO
The city of Ouro Preto is famous for its colonial architecture, with works by Athayde and Aleijadinho. It was the first Brazilian city declared an UNESCO world heritage site and is the original capital of Minas Gerais, the Brazilian mining state.

TIRADENTES
This city is also listed as UNESCO World Heritage Site for the sculptures called “The Twelve Prophets” made by “Aleijadinho” (Antonio Franscisco Lisboa). The sculptures were carved in soapstone and designed for the forecourt of the Sanctuary of Senhor Bom Jesus de Matosinhos.

PETRÓPOLIS
Petropolis, also known as the “Imperial city”, was one of the favorite places of Don Pedro II (former Brazilian emperor), for its location (among Serra dos Orgãos National Park) and pleasant climate. Nowadays, the main attraction is the Imperial Museum (former Imperial Palace) located in the city centre in which you find a fascinating collection of clothing, personal objects, paintings, carriages, and furniture related to the monarchy during the imperial periods of Brazil.

RIO DE JANEIRO
Over its nearly 500 years of history, it has been the spring board for all the country’s principal cultural exports, and the port of entry for major international art exhibitions or musical events bringing top names from the classical to the contemporary. Rio’s architecture embraces churches and buildings dating from the 16th to the 19th centuries, blending with the world-renowned designs of the 20th. In the South Zone, along the sea front, the city preserves the memory of names such as Tom Jobim and João Gilberto, who wrote the first chords of the Bossa Nova.
ACCOMMODATION HIGHLIGHTS

*These are the preferred accommodations but are subject to change based on availability at time of trip confirmation.

HOTEL TULIP INN COPACABANA, POUSADA SOLAR DE IMPERIO, POUSADA SOLAR DE PONTE, HOTEL SOLAR DE ROSARIO, HOTEL PROMENADE PANCETTI.
COST DETAILS

$5,995  Per traveler, double occupancy.

$1,400  Single supplement.

$1,325** Estimated airfare costs. It is estimated international air on Delta will be around $1,200 plus an additional $125 for your regional flight in Brazil.

*Note: As currency exchanges and fluctuations vary, this is an approximate cost, which Knowmad Adventures reserves the right to adjust. Tour price based on minimum 15 travelers. Knowmad reserves the right to adjust this price in order to accommodate fewer registrants should there be less than 15. Trip size is capped at 25.

**Knowmad Adventures will assist in arranging your airfare to/from and within Brazil, but is not responsible if available flights exceed the price estimate. You may also purchase independently. Please contact Knowmad Adventures prior to purchasing international airfare however to be sure your arrival and departure schedule comply with the trip.

WHAT YOUR TRIP COST INCLUDES

Pre-trip services: Trip Information Packet (contains a pack list & details about regions, weather, electricity, etc.) and personalized pre-departure support
11 nights boutique hotel accommodations
Professional English-speaking guides throughout
11 breakfasts, 11 lunches and cooking class, and 1 dinner
Local excursions as indicated
Airport transfers as indicated
Field arrangements as necessary
Ground transportation and support vehicles
Additional guides and porters as needed
Escorted by Director Emeritus Peter Olin and Knowmad co-Founder Jordan Harvey
A $300 tax-deductible donation to the Arboretum
Entrance fees and permits other than those specified below
Taxes and surcharges while on the tour

WHAT YOUR TRIP COST DOES NOT INCLUDE

International and domestic airfare (see estimates for airfare cost guidance)
Visa, passport, departure/arrival and excess baggage fees
Trip insurance (trip insurance including cancellation coverage strongly recommended)
Activities listed as optional and/or denoted with asterisk
Meals not indicated in the itinerary
Tips to local guides, staff, and cruise ship crew
Personal items
Alcoholic beverages, some non-alcoholic beverages on cruise

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

DUE UPON RESERVATION  $1,000 deposit per traveler
75 DAYS PRIOR TO DEPARTURE  Remaining Balance

Knowmad Adventures accepts checks, money orders & Visa, Discover & Mastercard credit cards.

PLEASE REFER TO REGISTRATION FORM FOR TERMS & CONDITIONS

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT JORDAN HARVEY AT KNOWMAD ADVENTURES
jordan@knowmadadventures.com • 1 877 616 8747 • www.KnowmadAdventures.com
READY FOR THE TRIP OF A LIFETIME?

Signing up is easy. Call us at 1-877-616-8747 and reserve your spot. Or simply fill out the Registration & Payment Forms, read & sign the Booking Information & Liability Release, and mail, fax or email pages 1-3 of this document to Knowmad Adventures (see page 2 for contact info). We thank you for choosing to explore with Knowmad Adventures.

REGISTRATION FORM

If you’re more than 2 travelers, download additional forms at www.KnowmadAdventures.com/contact.html. Please print clearly in blue or black pen.

TRIP NAME ___________________________ START DATE ___________________________

TRAVELER ONE NAME (Important: exactly as it appears on passport)

STREET ADDRESS ___________________________

CITY ___________________________ STATE ______ ZIP

PHONE ___________________________ EMAIL ___________________________

GENDER □ male □ female  BIRTHDAY (mm/dd/yyyy) ___________________________ OCCUPATION ___________________________

PASSPORT NO. ___________________________ EXPIRATION DATE ___________________________ CITIZENSHIP ___________________________

MEDICAL CONDITIONS/ALLERGIES ___________________________ DIETARY RESTRICTIONS ___________________________

EMERGENCY CONTACT ___________________________ PHONE ___________________________

ACCOMMODATION INFO I will share accommodations with ___________________________. We prefer □ 2 twin beds □ 1 bed

I am a single traveler □ yes □ no  If available, assign me a roommate □ yes □ no

TRAVELER TWO NAME (Important: exactly as it appears on passport)

STREET ADDRESS ___________________________

CITY ___________________________ STATE ______ ZIP

PHONE ___________________________ EMAIL ___________________________

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PAYMENT FORM

In order to make a reservation for your trip please fill out the Registration Form on page 1, read the Booking Information and Liability Release, signing on page 3, fill in your deposit payment method below, and sign the insurance section at the bottom of this page. Mail pages 1 - 3 to Knowmad Adventures, PO Box 50572, Minneapolis, MN 55405. If your trip departs soon and availability may be an issue, please scan and email forms to travel@knowmadadventures.com or fax to 1 612 293 3935.

NOTE >> Never email credit card information. If paying by credit card and emailing the forms please sign below, but call us at 1 877 616 8747 to give your card number and additional information verbally. We thank you and look forward to traveling together.

DEPOSIT PAYMENT METHOD

º PERSONAL CHECK OR MONEY ORDER

º CREDIT CARD   ○ Visa ○ Mastercard ○ Discover

CARD NUMBER  EXPIRATION DATE  3/4 DIGIT SECURITY CODE (on back of card)

BILLING ADDRESS   ○ Same as address listed on Registration Form.   If different, please list below.

STREET ADDRESS

CITY    STATE    ZIP

CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION SIGNATURE  DATE

NAME AS IT APPEARS ON CREDIT CARD

$1,000 USD MULTIPLIED BY NO. OF TRAVELERS = TOTAL DEPOSIT AMOUNT IN USD

>> Note that the above deposit amount is for Classic Knowmad Itineraries and some Custom Itineraries. If your trip is custom please refer to your proposal for specific deposit amount.

>> PLEASE READ THE LIABILITY RELEASE & BOOKING INFORMATION, AND SIGN ON PAGE 3.

INSURANCE

All travelers with Knowmad Adventures are required to be covered by travel related personal medical insurance. I agree to obtain or verify that I have the above personal medical insurance. Baggage and cancellation insurance are also highly recommended (ask us about supplemental insurance). If you choose to decline this protection, you are assuming any financial loss associated with your travel arrangements.

SIGNATURE OF TRAVELER ONE  DATE
Parents and/or Legal Guardians must sign for participants under the age of 18

SIGNATURE OF TRAVELER TWO  DATE
Parents and/or Legal Guardians must sign for participants under the age of 18

PAPER FREE

In an effort to create a little less waste in our planet, it is our standard procedure to send your itinerary, trip information packet, and all related materials by email. If you prefer that we send paper copies of these documents by post mail, simply check the box below.

º I would like paper copies of my Knowmad documents mailed to me.

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

FOLDER OR GROUP NAME

TRAVEL DATES

TOTAL PAX #  PAX # FOR THIS PMT ONLY

NAME(S) FOR THIS PMT ONLY:

PAYMENT TYPE   ○ Credit Card   ○ Check

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TOTAL TO PROCESS (Detail Above)

DATE FORMS RECEIVED (For Insurance)
LIABILITY RELEASE

This Agreement is important. It includes terms and conditions and releases Knowmad Adventures, Inc., doing business as Knowmad Adventures and Macalester College in the role of trip sponsor, from liability. It must be signed by all participants.

RELEASE FROM LIABILITY.

Knowmad Adventures, Inc., is defined to include its employees, shareholders, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, representatives and agents. Macalester College in the role of trip sponsor is not legally liable for any negligent or willful act or failure to act of any person or entity related to travel arrangements made through Knowmad Adventures. Neither Macalester College nor Knowmad Adventures Inc. owns or operate any entity which provides goods or services for your trip including, for example, lodging facilities, bus, plane, train, kayak, yacht or other transportation companies or devices, food service providers, equipment suppliers, etc. All such persons and entities are independent contractors. As a result, Knowmad Adventures, Inc. and the trip sponsor, are not liable for any negligent or willful act or failure to act of any such person or entity, or of any other third party. Without limitation, Knowmad Adventures, Inc. and the trip sponsor, are not responsible for any injury, loss, or damage to person or property, death, delay or inconvenience in connection with the provision of any goods or services occasioned by or resulting from, but not limited to, acts of God, acts of government, force majeure, acts of war or civil unrest, insurrection or revolt, strikes or other labor activities, criminal or terrorist activities of any kind, or the threat thereof, overbooking or downgrading of accommodations, structural or other defective conditions in hotels or other lodging facilities, mechanical or other failure of airplanes or other means of any sort, dangers incident to recreational activities such as swimming, kayaking, canoeing, rafting, hiking, horseback riding, bicycling, rock climbing, etc., sanitation problems, food poisoning, lack of access to or quality of medical care, difficulty in evacuation in case of a medical or other emergency, illness, epemics or the threat thereof or for any other cause beyond the direct control of Knowmad Adventures, Inc. or associated sponsors. In addition, I release Knowmad Adventures, Inc. and its sponsors, from its own negligence and assume all risk thereof.

Knowmad Adventures, Inc., may take photographs or video of its trips and trip participants grant Knowmad Adventures, Inc. permission to do so and for it to use them for promotional or commercial use without payment or any compensation to participant.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK.

I am aware that adventure travel such as that I am undertaking involves hazardous activities, some in remote areas of the world, with a risk of illness, injury or death which may be caused by forces of nature, the negligence of Knowmad Adventures, Inc., or other persons and companies known or unknown, or of willful or criminal conduct of third parties. I am aware that weather conditions may be severe, adverse and/or unpleasant. I am also aware that medical services or facilities may not be readily available or accessible during some or all of the time during which I am participating on the trip. In order to partake of the enjoyment and excitement of this adventure travel trip I am willing to accept the risks and uncertainty involved as being an integral part of my adventure. I hereby accept and assume full responsibility for any and all risks of illness, injury or death and of the negligence of Knowmad Adventures, Inc., or of any third parties.

VOLUNTARY PARTICIPATION.

I acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to participate on the trip designated on this application (or a trip which I may change to). I am voluntarily participating in this trip with knowledge of the hazards involved.

ARBITRATION. I agree that in the unlikely event of any dispute concerning, relating, or referring to this contract, the brochure, or any other literature concerning my trip, or the trip itself shall be resolved exclusively by binding arbitration in Minneapolis, Minnesota according to the then existing commercial rules of the American Arbitration Association. Such proceedings will be governed by substantive Minnesota law. Should any part of this contract be found invalid or not enforceable by a court of law, then the remaining portion shall continue to be valid and in force.

KNOWING AND VOLUNTARY EXECUTION.

I have carefully read this agreement including the Booking Information sections on pages 4 and 5 of this document, especially those regarding cancellation and refund policies, limitation of liability, and responsibility borne by trip participants. I am aware that this is a release of liability and a contract between myself and Knowmad Adventures, Inc., and sign it of my own free will.

SIGNATURE OF TRAVELER ONE
Parents and/or Legal Guardians must sign for participants under the age of 18

DATE

SIGNATURE OF TRAVELER TWO
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DATE

BOOKING INFORMATION

WHAT YOUR TRIP INCLUDES

• Pre-trip services
• Expert leadership and guiding
• Accommodations as indicated in detailed itinerary and based on double occupancy
• Local excursions as indicated
• Airport transfers as indicated in detailed itinerary
• Backcountry field arrangements as necessary
• All necessary equipment for adventure excursions
• Ground transportation and support vehicles
• Additional guides and porters as needed
• Entrance fees and permits
• Alcohol as indicated on select itineraries
• All meals as indicated in detailed itinerary (B-breakfast, L-lunch, D-dinner)

Each trip varies slightly, so call 1-877-616-8747 to speak with us or visit www.KnowmadAdventures.com to download detailed itineraries.

WHAT ISN'T INCLUDED

• International and domestic airfare unless otherwise indicated (our travel experts can help you arrange your flights, but airfare is a separate cost)
• Visa, passport, departure/arrival and excess baggage fees
• Trip insurance
• Activities denoted by an asterisk and listed as optional
• Personal items

TIER PRICING

Trip prices listed in our catalog are based on a minimum group size of four. Please inquire about pricing for smaller groups.

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Accommodations are based on double occupancy. If you prefer single accommodations you must pay a single supplement fee, which is listed in the trip itinerary. If you are traveling alone and wish to share accommodations, we will try our best to find you a roommate of the same gender. Should no one be available at the time you register, the Single Supplement is payable and you will be invoiced accordingly. If a roommate is found prior to departure, this fee will be refunded.

BOOKING AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE

A $1,000 deposit, along with the signed and completed Registration Form will reserve your Knowmad Adventures trip.

Payment Schedule as Follows

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Payment can be made in the form of credit card, cash, check, money order or bank transfer. If your trip departs within 15 days of booking, payment is required by credit card in full.

CANCELLATIONS & REFUNDS

At the time we receive written notice that you must cancel your trip, the following fees will apply based on land cost per person/percent of trip (all dates are from departure date):

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Please note that some trips carry a different cancellation schedule as indicated on the invoice.
Good physical and mental health is essential for the enjoyment of these trips. By forwarding the deposit, the client certifies that he/she does not have any physical or other conditions that would create a hazard for himself/herself or other travelers. Any client over the age of 65 or with preexisting medical conditions must complete a medical certificate. If the medical form cannot be completed for any reason and has not been returned by the client by the final payment date specified above, Knowmad Adventures reserves the right to treat the booking as cancelled by the client. Once a trip has been confirmed, medical conditions will not be considered as exceptions to the cancellation policy.

FLEXIBILITY
Trip itineraries as stated for each tour are simply an indication of each trip’s events and what the group may realize, and are not a contractual obligation. The client acknowledges that the nature of this type of travel requires significant flexibility and should allow for changes. The client understands that the amenities, type of transport, route, schedule, and itinerary may change without prior notice due to events or local circumstances, which may include but are not limited to mechanical breakdown, flight cancellations, illness, strikes, political disputes, weather, border crossing issues and other unforeseeable events.

CHANGES BY KNOWMAD ADVENTURES
Knowmad Adventures does its best to operate all trips as advertised, however reasonable changes may be made to itineraries where considered necessary. Knowmad Adventures reserves the right to change any of the services and facilities described in the trip descriptions before a booking is made. If such a change is made, the client will be informed at the time of booking. If Knowmad Adventures makes a major change (a major change is defined as one that effects one day in a five day itinerary) after a client has booked, the company will inform the client as soon as possible if there is time before the departure. If the major change is due to force majeure or unforeseen circumstances, no refund or compensation is payable.

TRANSFERS
Clients may transfer to another trip without a fee up to 90 days before departure on most trips. If you transfer from one trip to another within 89 days of departure, however, clients are subject to the usual Cancellation Fees outlined above. This transfer date corresponds with the date we receive notification of transfer in writing.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF TRIP MEMBERS
Trip members have certain responsibilities to Knowmad Adventures and other trip members. The client must at all times comply with the laws, customs, foreign exchange and drug regulations of the countries visited. At all times the decision of the local guide or local supplier is final on all matters that may threaten the safety or interfere with the well being of the group or individual travelers. Should the client fail to comply with the above or jeopardize the well being of others or the group, then the local guide or local supplier may order the client to leave the trip without recourse to any refund.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS
The client must obtain and have possession of a valid passport and all visas, permits, and vaccination certificates required for the entire trip. The client accepts responsibility for obtaining these documents and any other necessary documents. Information or advice given by Knowmad Adventures on visas, vaccinations, climate, clothing, baggage, special equipment, etc. is given in good faith but without responsibility on the part of Knowmad Adventures.

CLAIMS AND COMPLAINTS
If a client has a complaint against Knowmad Adventures, the client must first inform the local guide/supplier in order that the guide/supplier can attempt to rectify the issue.

INSURANCE
It is the responsibility of the client to obtain personal travel insurance. The client is willing to accept full responsibility for insurance up to limits that the client may require. This insurance must cover personal accident, medical expenses, air ambulance, loss of effects, repatriation costs and all other expenses which may arise as a result of loss, damage, injury, delay, or inconvenience occurring to the client. It is compulsory that all clients have travel related medical insurance. When the client purchases travel insurance arranged by Knowmad Adventures the client acknowledges that he or she is satisfied with the levels of insurance arranged by us. If the client does not purchase insurance through Knowmad Adventures, the client understands that the price of the trip does not include any insurance. When obtaining travel insurance from a source other than Knowmad Adventures, the client must make certain that the insurer is aware of the type of travel that the client will be undertaking.

PHOTOGRAPHY
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AIRCRAFT AND PLANNING
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