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## HACIENDA URUBAMBA

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## **DESCRIPTION OF HACIENDA URUBAMBA**

Inkaterra Hacienda Urubamba is a contemporary hotel with colonial inspiration, built in the heart of Urubamba Valley (Cusco), among mountains and trees. It creates an enabling environment for mental, spiritual and physical rest.

The hotel has a design inspired by the architecture of the Cusco region, with an interior design inspired by local materials. A luxurious Andean environment proper of the Inkaterra spirit preserves the authenticity of Peruvian highlands.

It is ideal for family holidays, offering various activities at the Valley and its surroundings, which are perfectly designed to assist travellers with the process of acclimatization. These allow the discovery of ancient traditions on the Andean farm and emphasize the history, traditions, nature and charm of the Sacred Valley.

## **SACRED VALLEY INFORMATION**

The traditional village of Urubamba is one of the 7 districts belonging to the province of Urubamba. Also known as "The Heart of Sacred Valley of Incas" or "The Pearl of Vilcanota", it has a warm and welcoming atmosphere, and today is one of the most beautiful cities in the Sacred Valley.

The Incas chose this land to establish their main towns and farmland, which they worked harvested conditioning plants for human consumption, as well as producing the best corn, potatoes, vegetables and tropical fruits unique in the area. These fertile fields are irrigated with waters of Vilcanota River, which upon entering the Province is named Rio Urubamba.

Across the river banks, you can find towns founded by Conquistadors. These seem unaltered as frozen in time, as well as the numerous remains of pre-Columbian temples, palaces and water systems, some easily accessible and others requiring a long walk on trails over the mountains.

## **LOCATION**

The Sacred Valley of the Incas is home of some of the finest Inca sites, offering a great start for your visit to Cusco. The Valley's good weather and beautiful scenery, picturesque villages, folk arts and crafts and friendly local people, reflect the authenticity of Peru that travellers come searching for. The valley is also a paradise for ecofriendly adventure sports such as trekking, horseback riding, mountain biking and rafting.

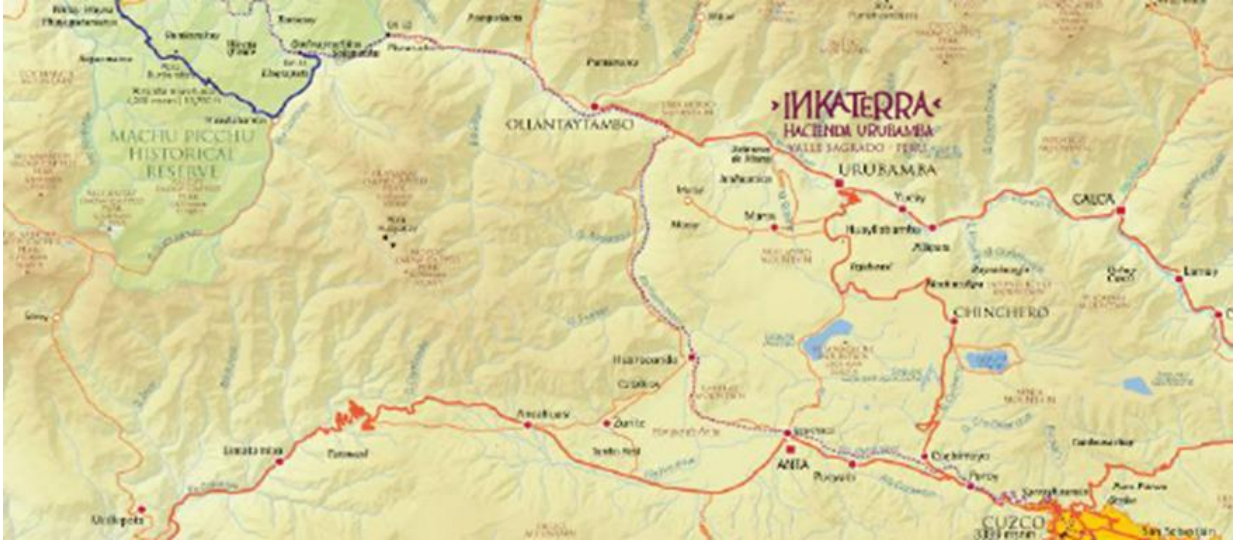
## **ACCESS FROM CUSCO**

Inkaterra Hacienda Urubamba is located in the Town Center of Huayocari, Huayllabamba district, province of Urubamba. It is located at KM62 of the Cusco-Urubamba-Pisac-Calca Highway. It can be accessed in a 1.15-hour car ride. Other access is through Chinchero-Cusco-Urubamba highway with a distance of 72 Km in a 1.30hour car ride.

## **WEATHER**

The Urubamba Valley presents a dry and mild climate, with temperatures varying from -5 ° C (28 ° F) to 18 ° C (64 ° F) in areas located between 2800 and 3800 m; while in areas located below 2500 m temperatures range from 9 ° C (48 ° F) to 23 ° C (73 ° F), with a lower annual rainfall of 500 mm (19 inches). The driest month is June and the rainy season is from November to March.

## LOCATION MAP



## ROOMS

All 12 rooms in the Casa Hacienda and 24 stand-alone luxury *casitas* feature breath-taking views of the valley, immersing guests in open space, serenity and relaxing solitude.

Architecture and interiors are inspired on the area's cultural history, with colonial furniture, authentic Inca masks and handcrafted woodwork adding to the hacienda's local charm.

## TYPE

Urubamba Owners Quarters (Up to 6 guest)	(Suite+ 2 Superior)
Urubamba Owners Quarters (Up to 4 guest)	(Suite + Superior)
Urubamba Suite	1
Urubamba Junior Suite	2
Urubamba Casita	24
Urubamba Superior Deluxe	9

**URUBAMBA OWNERS QUARTERS (Up to 6 guests)**

(190m<sup>2</sup> / 2045 Sq. ft) Suite + 2 Superior

A spacious duplex room to enjoy the Sacred Valley of the Incas in private. The house’s upper part has a privileged panoramic view of the imposing green mountains and the fields surrounding the property.

The warmth of a chimney, the twin /king beds with baby alpaca blanket, handmade wool coverlets, 100% Pima cotton sheets, down duvet and hypoallergenic pillows, guarantee the traveller’s pleasant rest after excursions within the property and its surroundings.

At Urubamba Owners Quarters can enjoy a large living room to dine privately, full-length mirror and a colonial style wardrobe. For maximum comfort, it is equipped with flat screen with DirecTV and DVD player, iPad, Bluetooth speakers, minibar and a complimentary bottle of Pisco. It also includes Wi-Fi, a safety box and cordless telephone.

Spacious bathroom equipped with heated towel rail, Pima cotton towels, hairdryer, bio-degradable toiletries with natural essences bathrobes and slippers.

Includes breakfast in the room and three-daily turndown services.



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**URUBAMBA OWNERS QUARTERS (Up to 4 guests)**

(100m<sup>2</sup> / 1076 Sq. ft) Suite + Superior

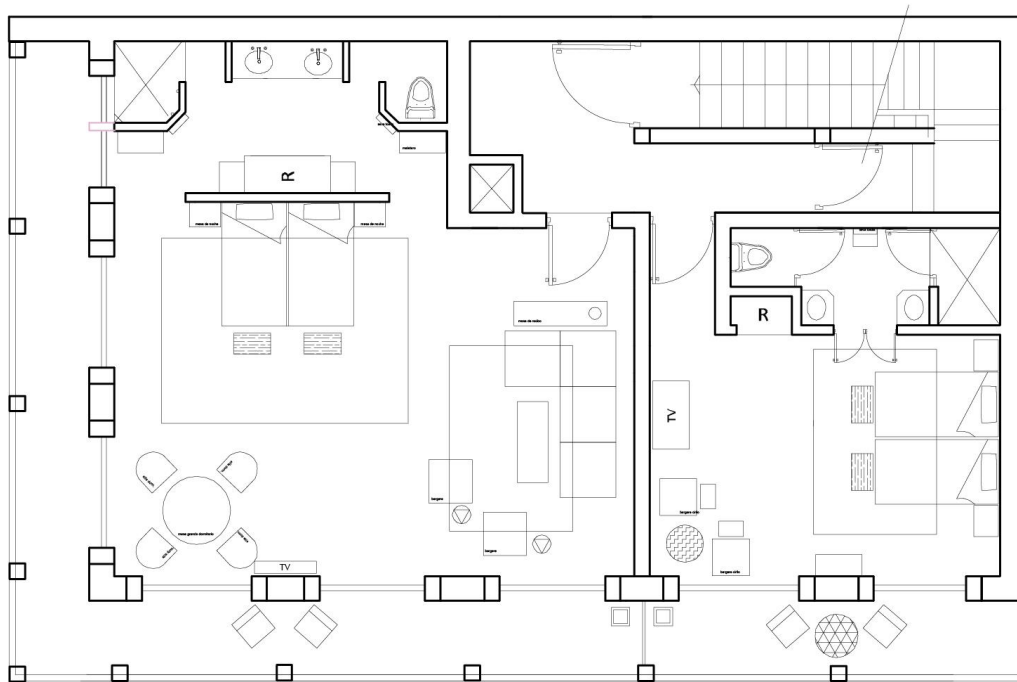
Two spacious rooms connected by terrace, to enjoy the panoramic view of the imposing green mountains and the fields surrounding the property.

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## URUBAMBA SUITE

(64 m<sup>2</sup> – 89 m<sup>2</sup> / 689 – 958 Sq. ft)

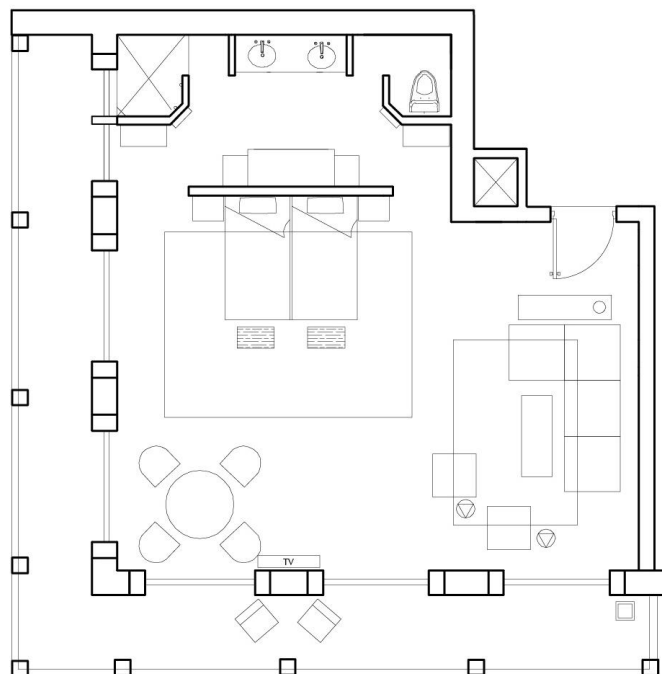
The contemporary hacienda style and the essence of Andean culture inspire the design of this large and warm room, with a chimney, terrace and panoramic view to fully appreciate the Mountains.

The Urubamba Suite includes twin/king beds, sofa bed, 100% Pima cotton sheets, baby alpaca blanket, handmade wool coverlets, down duvet and hypoallergenic pillows, full-length mirror and closet.

It has a spacious living room and dining area to dine privately. For maximum comfort, the suites are equipped with flat screen with DirecTV, Wi-Fi, iPad, Bluetooth speakers, minibar, coffee maker, a complimentary bottle of Pisco, safety box and cordless phone.

Spacious bathroom equipped with heated towel rail, Pima cotton towels, hairdryer, bio-degradable toiletries with natural essences, bathrobes and slippers.

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## URUBAMBA JUNIOR SUITE

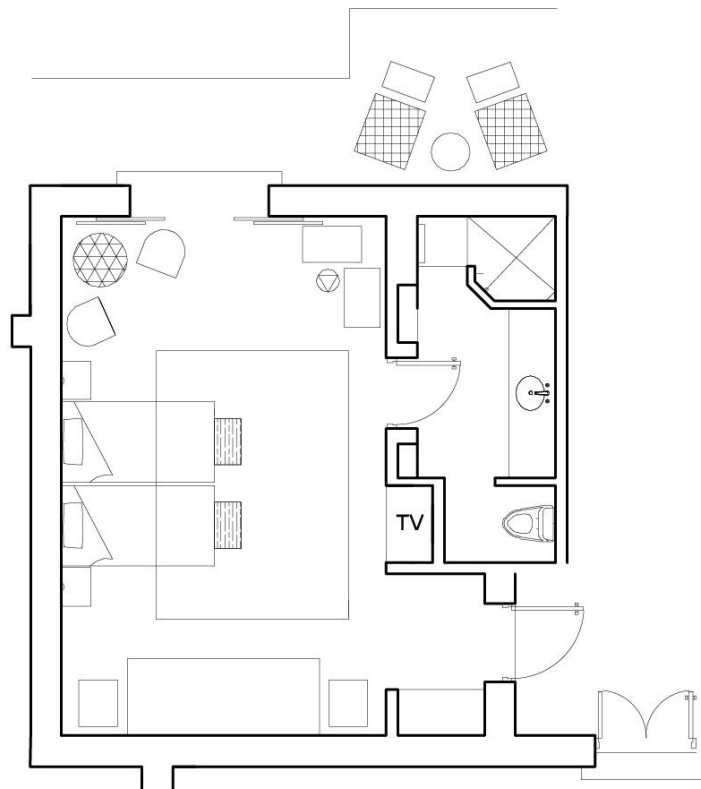
(46m<sup>2</sup> / 495 Sq. ft.)

Welcoming guests to enjoy the serenity of open space, this large and warm room has terrace and panoramic view to enjoy the imposing mountains.

The Urubamba Junior Suite includes twin/King beds, 100% Pima cotton sheets, hypoallergenic pillows, down duvet. It has a spacious living room, a dining area, a coffee maker, minibar, a complimentary bottle of Pisco, full-length mirror and a colonial style wardrobe.

For maximum comfort, the junior suites are equipped with flat screen with DirecTV, Wi-Fi, iPad, Bluetooth speakers, safety box and cordless phone.

Spacious bathroom with heated towel rail, Pima cotton towels, hairdryer, bio-degradable toiletries with natural essences, bathrobes and slippers. Housekeeping service three times daily.



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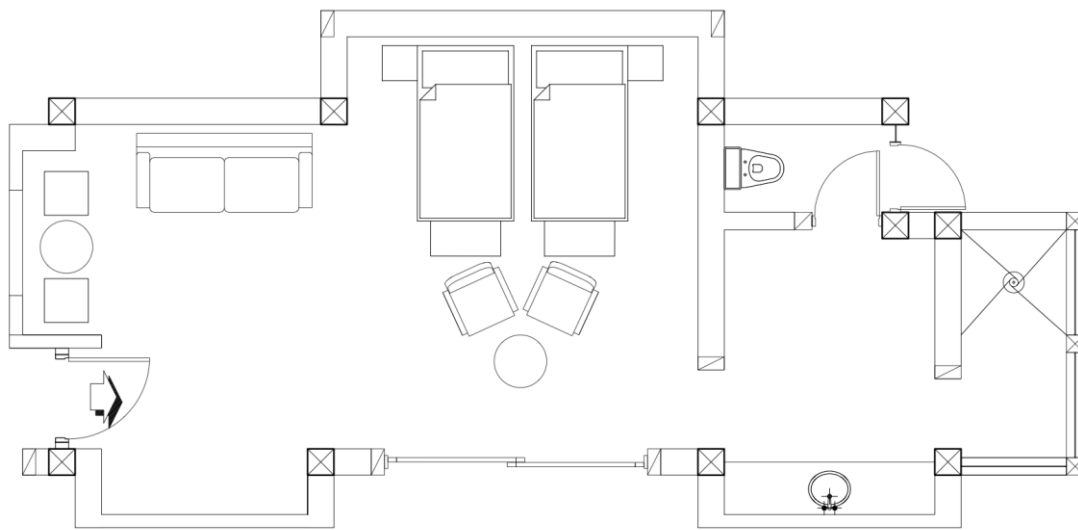
**URUBAMBA CASITA**

(45m<sup>2</sup> / 484 Sq. ft.)

Spacious independent Casitas with a chimney and terrace with panoramic view. Includes 2 twin/king beds, 100% pima cotton sheets, down duvet, hypoallergenic pillows and handmade wool coverlets.

For comfort, it is equipped with flat screen with DirecTV, Wi-Fi, iPad, a coffee maker, minibar, safety box, cordless phone, full-length mirror, a colonial style wardrobe, plus an inviting dining area for two.

Spacious bathroom with heated towel rail, Pima cotton towels, hairdryer, full length mirror, bio-degradable toiletries with natural essences, bathrobes and slippers. Housekeeping service three times daily.



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\*Note: Sofa beds available in some categories. Limited capacity max. one per room.

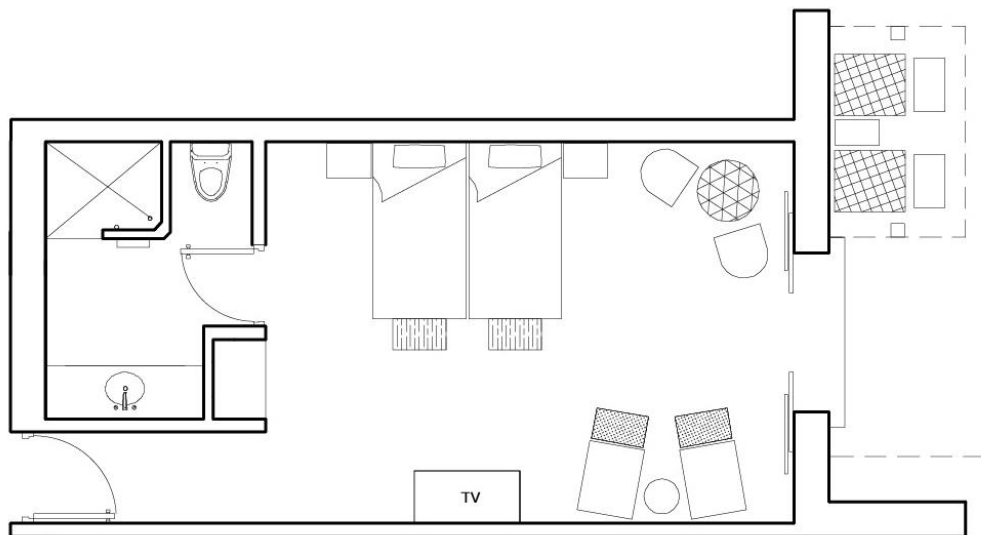
**URUBAMBA SUPERIOR DELUXE**

(24- 32m<sup>2</sup> / 258 - 344 Sq. ft.)

The surrounding mountains and harvest fields are fully appreciated from this spacious room with terrace, equipped with king or two twin beds, 100% pima cotton sheets, hypoallergenic pillows, down duvet and handmade wool coverlets.

The Urubamba Superior Deluxe has a living room, a dining area, full-length mirror and colonial style wardrobe. For comfort, it is equipped with flat screen with DirecTV, Wi-Fi, iPad, minibar, safety box and cordless phone.

Bathroom with heated towel rail, Pima cotton towels, hairdryer, bio-degradable toiletries with natural essences, bathrobes and slippers. Housekeeping service three times daily.



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## **FACILITIES**

### **DINING ROOM**

Our chefs created a menu emphasizing local ingredients harvested from the property's organic farm: red and black quinoa, Urubamba corn, purple corn and a great variety of potatoes.

The restaurant and adjacent terraces offer a gorgeous view of the Sacred Valley and the imposing mountains that surround it.

Breakfast:	5:30 am – 10:00 am
Lunch:	12:30 am – 4:00 pm
Tea Time:	4:00 pm – 6:00 pm
Dinner:	7:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Capacity: 70 travelers / 18 tables.

### **BAR**

Enjoy exquisite selection of macerated *piscos* and delight a wide range of wines. The Bar at Inkaterra Hacienda Urubamba features an intimate setting overlooking the Sacred Valley.

Cocktail Hour:	6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Scheduled:	12:00 am – 11:00 pm

### **ECOCENTER**

It is the house of the Inkaterra Explorer Guides, located in the central courtyard, starting point of the excursions. There you can find books, magazines, information about ITA conservation projects outings, and activities offered.

### **GALLERY**

Our boutique gift shop offers a fine selection of alpaca products, clothing, local souvenirs plus a full range of hotel keepsakes.

## **SERVICES**

### **INCLUDED SERVICES**

- Welcome gift
- *Chicha* Welcome drink
- Check-in 1:00 pm / Check-out 11am
- Buffet breakfast
- Tea time
- Complimentary Pisco Sour
- Express Check-out
- Reception 24/7
- Turndown service
- Wi-Fi
- Luggage storage
- Personalized Wake-up calls
- In-house included excursions
- Shoes cleaning

### **ADDITIONAL SERVICES (At extra charge)**

- Minibar
- Lunch Bag
- Early Check-in / Late Check-out (50% of the published rate)
- Room service
- Day use
- Transfer from/to the airport or train station
- Excursions
- Private Explorer Guide
- Binoculars for rent
- Urubamba Explorer Kit: Flashlight, cap, colored pencils, magnifying glass, granola bar, and postcard in a child's back pack.
- Treasure Hunt: Game of tracks and tasks. Reward for participants and winner. It consists on the accomplishment of fun and educative tasks such as riddles, handicrafts, drawings and research, taking as a reference the fauna, flora, and the hotel experiences.

## Special Services

- Movie night: Popcorn, movie, ice tea, ice cream, grilled cheese sandwich.
- Celebration: Cake, special gift, bottle of cava, special greeting card in Quechua.
- Private dining: Candles, cava /wine, butler service, and a-la-carte dinner
- Cooking classes: Recipe, cooking, tasting.
- Wine tasting: Explore with our sommelier a unique selection of wines, produced in some of the finest vineyards of Peru, South America and Europe. Include four bottles of your choice within the selected category
- Chef table: Enjoy a tasting menu with wine pairing, or plan upon special request a charming candle-lit dinner in our cellar, assessed by our in-house chef and attended by a private butler.
- Pachamanca: Enjoy a traditional Pachamanca where local ingredients are cooked underneath the ground.
- Musical group: A variety of live regional music for 1 hour.
- Payment to the Earth ceremony: Ancient ritual for giving thanks to the Andean gods, performed by a local *shaman*.

## **EXCURSIONS**

During their stay, travellers may choose among a variety of excursions, get involved in one of our projects, enjoy a morning of adventure or simply explore the environment and landscapes.

The length of excursions can be ¼ day, ½ day and full day. There are included excursions and others require an extra fee. Four levels are available: Easy (I), Moderate (II), Difficult (III) or Very Difficult (IV). Each activity can be replaced with another of the same duration. Every traveller can organize activities with an Explorer guide upon arrival. Some excursions require a reservation and additional payments.

All excursions are guided by one of our trained professional Inkaterra Explorer Guides in Spanish or English (other languages available upon request, and may be subject to additional charge). Their knowledge and interpretive skills combine to provide understanding, insight and an enhanced experience of the surrounding environment.

\*All activities and excursions are subject to change depending on weather conditions.

## **INCLUDED EXCURSIONS**

### **ECOLOGICAL FARM**

Visit the Inkaterra Ecological Farm. Learn about the harvesting of crops throughout the year, their uses and natural properties.

DURATION: 1/4 day

DIFFICULTY LEVEL: I

ATTRACTIONS: Medicinal plants / Native food

RECOMMENDED FOR CHILDREN

### **TWILIGHT MOUNTAIN**

Trail walk at sunset. Take advantage of the evening to appreciate the magic effect of the sun between day and night. Enjoy the sunset while learning about the importance of astronomy in the Andean world.

DURATION: 1/4 day

DIFFICULTY LEVEL: II

ATTRACTIONS: Medicinal plants / Astronomy



### **BIRDS OF URUBAMBA**

Bird watching around the hotel. Use the various trails to look for birds in the valley. From hawks to hummingbirds, discover how they interact with their environment.

DURATION: 1/4 day

DIFFICULTY LEVEL: II

ATTRACTIONS: Birds / Photography

### **CHICHA DE JORA**

Teaches the ancestral production of Chicha de Jora beverage. Be part of the preparation of Chicha de Jora by harvesting, grinding, fermenting, and finally tasting your own Inca drink.

DURATION: 1/2 day

DIFFICULTY LEVEL: I

ATTRACTIONS: Native food / Native skills

### **CHALLA HUASI TRAIL**

Walk along the hillside Huasi Challa. Climb along the hill Huasi Challa (meaning "house of the viewer") looking for the best view of Huayocari.

DURATION: 1/2 day

DIFFICULTY LEVEL: II

ATTRACTIONS: Birds / Medicinal plants / Photography

### **ADDITIONAL EXCURSIONS (at extra charge)**

#### **INKARIY MUSEUM**

Visit the Inkariy Museum. Discover 8 of the most representative Inca and pre-Inca cultures in Peru.

DURATION: 1/2 day

DIFFICULTY LEVEL: I

ATTRACTIONS: Archaeological sites / Native skill

RECOMMENDED FOR CHILDREN

### **CHINCHERO – URQUILLOS HIKE**

Walk from Chinchero towards Urquillos. Take a car ride from the hotel to Chinchero community, also known as the "Rainbow City". Once there 8km of downhill Inca trail will take you towards Urquillos community. Enjoy the landscape and birdwatching as you head into the sacred valley.

DURATION: ½ day

DIFFICULTY LEVEL: II

ATTRACTIONS: Birds / Medicinal plants / Photography / Archaeological sites

### **URQUILLOS BIKERIDING**

Bike tour from Hacienda Urubamba to the community of Urquillos and back to the hotel. Cross the Huayocari community and the Huycho bridge towards Urquillos while enjoying the landscapes full of crops, *Haciendas* and the always present Urubamba River.

DURATION: ½ day

DIFFICULTY LEVEL: II

ATTRACTIONS: Photography

### **CHINCHERO – HUCHUY QOSQO HIKE**

Trekking from the village of Chinchero to Huchuy Cusco. The excursion begins from Chinchero towards *Abra Pukaj'asa* located at 4,200msnm. Then descend to the ruins of Huchuy Qosqo all the way to Lamay town.

DURATION: 1 day

DIFFICULTY LEVEL: III

ATTRACTIONS: Aves / Archaeological sites / Photography

### **YANACOA LAGOON**

Visit the Yanacocha lagoon. Hike for about 3 hours to reach the lake. Enjoy some birding, the beautiful landscapes and habitat changes along the way.

DURATION: 1 day

DIFFICULTY LEVEL: IV

ATTRACTIONS: Birds / Photography

## **WILDLIFE OBSERVATION**

### **BIRDS**

*Andean Parakeet*

*Mitred Parakeet*

*House Wren*

*Hooded Siskin*

*Band Tailed Seedeater*

*Band Tailed Sierra Finch*

*Black Throated Flowerpiercer*

*Chiguanco Thrush*

*Great Thrush*

*Rusty Fronted Canastero*

*Rufous Collared Sparrow*

*Golden Billed Saltator*

*Sierran Elaenia*

*Red Crested Cotinga*

*Band Tailed Pigeon*

*American Kestrel*

*Andean Swift*

*Eared Dove*

### **HUMMINGBIRDS**

*Giant Hummingbird*

*White Bellied Hummingbird*

*Bearded Mountaineer*

*Sparkling Violetear*