

Wild Earth Travel

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CLASSIC PATAGONIA: GLACIERS AND PEAKS EXPEDITION

Discover the essence of Patagonia--iridescent glaciers, snow-draped peaks, and sprawling landscapes--on an immersive voyage that reveals the region's highlights. Navigate Chile's maze of winding narrows, wild islands, and glacially carved valleys. Marvel at untouched vistas as you sail through Montañas Fjord en route to Bernal Glacier. Hike with naturalists through beech forests and Zodiac or kayak along windswept coastlines in search of elephant seals, Magellanic penguins, and guanacos. Venture to Karukinka Natural Park with special access to over 735,000 acres of protected land.



ITINERARY

Day 1 Puerto Natales, Chile

Arrive in Puerto Natales and transfer from the airport to the Hotel Costaustralis (or similar).

Arrival Time: Arrive before 11:30 a.m. local time.

Arrival City: Puerto Natales, Chile

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Day 2 Embark Ship / Kirke or White Narrows / Montañas Fjord / Bernal Glacier

Embark the National Geographic Resolution and make your way to the observation deck as this state-of-the-art vessel sets sail into the wilds of Patagonia. Be on the lookout for condors and other wildlife as you transit the narrow sliver of water known as the Kirke or White Narrows--always a challenge to navigate because of the powerful currents that flow through its pinch points. Sail into the Montañas Fjord with its majestic cliffs that appear close enough to touch and then spend the afternoon at Bernal Glacier, one of the most beautiful spots in the region.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Days 3-4 Exploring the Chilean Fjords

Over the next few days, you'll discover spectacular features of an active glaciated landscape with hanging valleys and tributary glaciers, sailing in the wake of Ferdinand Magellan's historic expedition which found its way through the channels that lie between the continental mainland and Tierra del Fuego to the south. If conditions allow, your first stop will be in the maze of channels and islands of the Chilean fjords, where you may explore by Zodiac and kayak.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 5 Exploring Tierra del Fuego and Karukinka Natural Park

Tierra del Fuego is one of Patagonia's crown jewels and you'll visit its newest and largest protected area: Karukinka Natural Park. Established in 2004 through a gift from Goldman Sachs, it's one of the largest donations ever made for conservation. Spanning 1,160 square miles, this private reserve harbors endangered culpeo foxes, Andean condors, albatross, grebes, petrels, fulmars, and more and you'll have the opportunity to explore with special permission from the Wildlife Conservation Society. You may also explore Jackson Bay, backed by a skyline of rugged mountains and home to black-browed albatross, which nest on one of the nearby small islands, as well as elephant seals which you may spot on the beach, in grass meadows, and

even in the small river draining the valley inland.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Days 6-8 Exploring Fjords and the Beagle Channel

Experience more stunning wilderness as you explore fjords and glaciers of the region by Zodiac, kayak, and on foot. This vast area is scarcely touched by humans and features snowcapped mountains, gigantic glaciers, serene lakes, waterfalls, and thousands of verdant islands. Take Zodiacs out to explore these protected waters and rugged shores, keeping watch for the shearwaters, petrels, and many other birds that inhabit this wild realm. Sail the Beagle Channel where you might stop to hike or kayak through beech forests, mountains, and rivers.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 9 Ushuaia, Argentina / Disembark Ship / Santiago, Chile

Disembark in Ushuaia and board our recommended flight to Santiago to connect with your overnight flight home; we'll provide transfers to the airport and hotel and luggage assistance.*

*If you are not purchasing our recommended flight, please get in touch with us to confirm your arrangements.

Departure Time: Depart after 9:00 p.m. local time.

Departure City: Santiago, Chile

Please note:

Itineraries are subject to change.

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YOUR SHIP: NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC RESOLUTION

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VESSEL TYPE:	Expedition Ship
LENGTH:	
PASSENGER CAPACITY:	126
BUILT/REFURBISHED:	2020

One of two next-generation ships purpose-built for polar exploration, National Geographic Resolution is named in tribute to Captain James Cook's legendary second voyage aboard HMS Resolution. With a Polar Code Category A ice-class hull and a pioneering X-Bow® design, she offers unmatched comfort, stability, and quiet passage through even the most challenging polar waters--opening access to remote corners of the Arctic, Antarctica, and beyond.

Designed for immersive exploration, the ship's interior is warm, modern, and elegantly Scandinavian, with expansive windows throughout that keep the wild, ice-bound world always within view. Her six decks house 76 spacious cabins, inviting public spaces, and a full complement of expedition tools. Guests can relax in the observation lounge, library, or spa; enjoy flexible dining across three venues; or gear up in the Expedition Base before heading out in Zodiacs or kayaks. From polar bear sightings in Svalbard to navigating ice-choked channels in the Southern Ocean, Resolution is a state-of-the-art platform for discovering the planet's most astonishing frontiers.



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INSIDE YOUR SHIP

Observation Deck



Bridge Deck

- Category 5
- Category 6
- Category 7



Lounge Deck

- Category 4
- Category 8 Solo



Main Deck

- Category 3
- Category 2 Solo

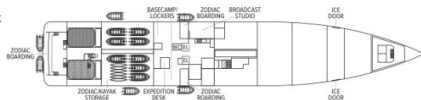


Fore Deck

- Category 1
- Category 2



Expedition Deck



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