



CONTIKI VACATIONS WELCOMES COSTA RICA AND ECUADOR/GALAPAGOS AS EXCITING NEW DESTINATIONS IN 2012-2014 LATIN AMERICA BROCHURE

Youth tour operator offers 11 itineraries throughout Mexico, Costa Rica, Ecuador/Galapagos, and South America

Anaheim, Calif. (April 16, 2012) – Building upon the success of last year’s inaugural South America program, Contiki Vacations - the worldwide leader in fun travel packages for 18-35’s - is thrilled to introduce the addition of hot spots Costa Rica and Ecuador to its lineup for the 2012-2014 Latin America brochure, which also features Mexico as well. The brochure is available in print and online at www.contiki.com/brochures.

Contiki now offers 11 itineraries across six countries in Latin America and increased their departures across all trips in the program – an easy decision to make after the initial South America program sold out months before its first tour departure.

The newly added [11-day Galapagos & Ecuador](#) tour and the [12-day Costa Rica Unplugged](#) tour give travelers more life-changing adventures to experience, including:

- A Galapagos BBQ feast – one of the best in the country
- Ride on the world-famous Devil’s Nose Train, one of Ecuador’s famous attractions
- Sunset cruises in Tortuguero, Costa Rica
- Rafting, canopy zip-lining, canyoneering, or [abseiling](#) in Costa Rica’s Sarapiquí Rainforest
- Special stays at the Sarapiquí Rainforest Lodge or the Jungle Lodge in Tortuguero

“Contiki continues to evolve by listening to our fans and fellow travelers and delivering the destinations that excite them and the experiences they crave,” said Greg Fischbein, President of Contiki Vacations. “It’s fitting to introduce Costa Rica and Ecuador/Galapagos in this all-new Latin America program, especially after the success of our inaugural launch of South America.”

Each Contiki tour averages 30 passengers, an intimate small group experience that is large enough to meet plenty of other travelers. Each itinerary includes land-only transportation and internal flights, accommodation, breakfast daily and many other meals, sightseeing tours of all major areas, and the services of an experienced Contiki crew and professional driver, plus an English-speaking local guide. Travelers can book these trips immediately, with the first tours running in November 2012. For more information, visit www.contiki.com.

About Contiki

Contiki has inspired 18 – 35 year olds to travel to the world’s most fantastic destinations for 50 years. The trips are hassle-free and include the perfect mix of sightseeing, culture and free time. Travelers can choose from over 200 itineraries throughout Europe, Russia, Egypt, Asia,



Australia, New Zealand, Mexico, Canada, South America, & the USA. For more information, please visit <http://www.Contiki.com>