



Portfolio of activities in Cartagena

GEMA TOURS S.A.

We are a diverse agency, experts in the management of inbound and outbound tourism. Leaders in the organization of congresses, conventions, incentives and leisure programs. Our efforts have been granted for ten consecutive years with the "Rosas de los Vientos Prize" as the country's best DMC in operational management and logistics.

Gema was founded 35 years ago, with offices in Cartagena, Bogotá, Medellín, Santa Marta and the island of San Andrés. We offer our services 365 days a year, with an experienced and solid team.

The services of the agency are backed by the Icontec Guarantee Seal, under the ISO 9001 standard. Regarding the tourist quality certification, we are approved by NTS AV01 for reservations and NTS AV02 for customer services and in 2011 we obtained the NTS AV04 certification - Design of leisure packages.

In Gema we have our transport fleet, which allows us a complete operational flexibility; We were the first agency to specialize in private tourism vehicles. We create innovative programs, designed according to the needs of our clients and our specialty is the budget, always providing high quality products and personalized services.

Gema is a company with extensive experience in the management of international and national tourism. We manage pleasure plans, incentive trips, cruise tours, dream weddings and tours within Colombia for individuals or groups.

In each city of Colombia we offer transfers and excursions specially designed for each segment:

- + Conventions
- +
 - + Groups
 - + Incentive
 - + Congresses
 - + Meetings
 - + Cruises
 - + Weddings



CARTAGENA

Cartagena is located in the Caribbean coast of Colombia. This city was one of the richest cities of the Spanish Crown, place where all the jewelry was stored and then shipped to Spain and the official center of the slave commerce. The local nobles of the period had the pleasure to construct the most beautiful houses and a great number of churches. During two decades, these riches had made Cartagena one of the most envied places by the colonial empires and of the pirates. The city had to confront numerous attacks which have made the city rich in impressive fortresses and defensive constructions. This amazing architectonic patrimony has been perfectly preserved and gives the enchantment of the old colony with its narrow streets, colorful houses within high walls made out of stone.

Passing through the “Puerta del Reloj” the main entry of the city during the colonial times, one discovers a long square where you will see the vending of typical Caribbean sweets and sense the aromas from the region. After doing some shopping, one will get lost in one of the bends of the city, distracted by the architecture that surrounds you. Majestic doors, gateway to the inner house will let you discover a different world within the house where big patios are found and numerous rooms. To highlight your visit, stop at one of the beautiful plazas where life flows in slow motion during the day and at night it’s full of life with different rhythms and music. Classified by **UNESCO** World Heritage Site, Cartagena known as the “golden gate to America” is one of the most visited cities of Colombia.



Tour Cartagena and the Magic of its Squares

Walk to know the main squares and churches of the walled center of Cartagena, such as the Santa Teresa square that bears this name because it was once a convent of one of the first religious communities that arrived in Cartagena and today is the headquarters of a prestigious hotel, the Plaza de San Pedro that bears that name in homage to San Pedro Claver, known as the slave of the slaves, the Plaza de la Aduana, an important site where the economy of Cartagena began, the Plaza de la Paz, the Plaza de la Merced , the plaza and church Santo Domingo, the Plaza de la Proclamación, where the independence of Cartagena is signaled, and the square of the liberator Simón Bolívar where the Cathedral and other places of interest are located such as the Historical Museum and the Gold Museum.

Duration 2.5 hours / Departures: Private services departs daily, regular service departs when minimum capacity of 6 pax is completed.

It Includes

- Private transportation hotel - hotel .
- Tickets for San Pedro Cloister and Gold Museum
- Local specialized guide.

Recommendations:

- The use of sunscreen and hat / cap & comfortable walking shoes are recommended.

RATES PER PERSON				
2/3 PAX	4/6PAX	7/9 PAX	1 PAX	REGULAR TOUR
USD53	USD38,5	USD26,5	USD100	USD25





Plaza de Los Coches



Claustro San Pedro Claver

City tour San Felipe fortress and Getsemaní

Departure from the hotel to the letters of Cartagena located in Marbella at the entrance of the city, with a stop for photos, then departure to the Getsemaní neighborhood for a walk through its streets and squares, steeped in history, culture and Cartagenas traditions that are reflected in its architecture, its murals and its inhabitants. Then transfer to enter the Castle of San Felipe de Barajas, the most surprising colonial fortress of Spanish engineering in America, passing through the Barrio de manga, an island connected to Cartagena by bridges and recognized by its Republican style mansions.

Duration: 2.5 hours / Daily departures

It Includes

- Private transportation hotel - hotel .
- Tickets for San Felipe fortress
- Local specialized guide.

Recommendations:

- The use of sunscreen and hat / cap is recommended.
- The use of comfortable walking shoes are recommended.

RATES PER PERSON			
2/3 PAX	4/6PAX	7/9 PAX	1 PAX
USD56,5	USD38,5	USD28,5	USD103,5





Fuerte San Felipe de Barajas



Mural in Getsemaní

Caribbean Cooking class

Cooking classes of Caribbean food, dictated by the chef of a renowned hotel in the city. The following drinks are offered with the menu: soft drink, natural juice, national beer or glass of house wine.

Dishes: Cheese Mote, Fish Salpicón accompanied by boronía, Dulce de leche de coconut, Ceviche de Pescado Fresco, Tuna steak

Approximate duration: 3 hours / Daily departures

It Includes

- Private transportation hotel - hotel .
- Specialized Chef
- Meal after the cooking class

Recommendations:

- The use of sunscreen and hat / cap is recommended.
- The use of comfortable walking shoes are recommended.

RATES PER PERSON			
2/3 PAX	4/6PAX	7/9 PAX	1 PAX
USD87,5	USD80	USD75	USD111





Caribbean Cooking Class



Day Tour to Rosario Islands

60 minute boat ride, crossing the Cartagena Bay and ending at the beautiful Rosario Islands. The Rosario Islands are archipelagos where passengers can enjoy crystalline water and white beaches of the Colombian Caribbean.

Optional: Visit to an aquarium where the different sea-life species can be seen, including a dolphin and sharks show. Snorkeling and diving can also be arranged.

Duration: 6 hours aprox / Daily departures

It Includes:

- Collective land transfer hotel - pier (hotel within urban perimeter - pax located in other areas of the city must move on their own)
- Regular maritime transport dock - Islas del Rosario - dock.
- Typical lunch consisting of fried fish, coconut rice, patacon, salad and a non-alcoholic drink.
- Transfer back from the pier to the hotel ONLY FOR HOTELS IN BOCAGRANDE

Does Not Include:

- Land transfer return of the dock (except for pax in the sector of Bocagrande, where it is included)
- Dock and environment taxes. (USD7 approx per person)
- Additional services and consumptions not described in the tour.
- Optional activities (Entrances to the Aquarium, Snorkeling, Diving and others)

Recommendations:

- The use of sunscreen and hat / cap & comfortable walking shoes are recommended.

RATES PER PERSON	
ISLAND NAME	REGULAR TOUR
Isla del Sol	USD57,5
San Pedro de Majagua	USD81,5
Isla del Encanto	USD67,0
Isla del Pirata	USD59,5





Isla San Pedro de Majagua



Isla del Encanto



Isla del Pirata



Isla del Sol

Mud Volcano

After 45 minutes ride through the countryside you will reach El Totumo Volcano, a small mud volcano, where you are allowed to dip in. It rises 15 meters above the ground like an over-sized anthill. This is certainly a messy experience you don't want to miss.

A mud volcano is created by natural gases emitted by decaying organic matter underground. As the mud is pushed upwards by the gas, it deposits and hardens above ground. As more mud oozes out and spills over the edge, it grows in size, gradually forming what you can see today- a miniature volcano with a rich, creamy mud crater at the top.

If you have never been in a mud volcano before, then the initial feeling of mud on skin is a bit unusual to say the least. But relax, lie back, and enjoy a massage from an experienced local masseuse. This feeling will have you drifting off into a hippo-like state of well-being. When you feel like you are about to become one with the Earth, just climb back down the staircase and stroll down to the nearby swamp, where you can wash yourself down.

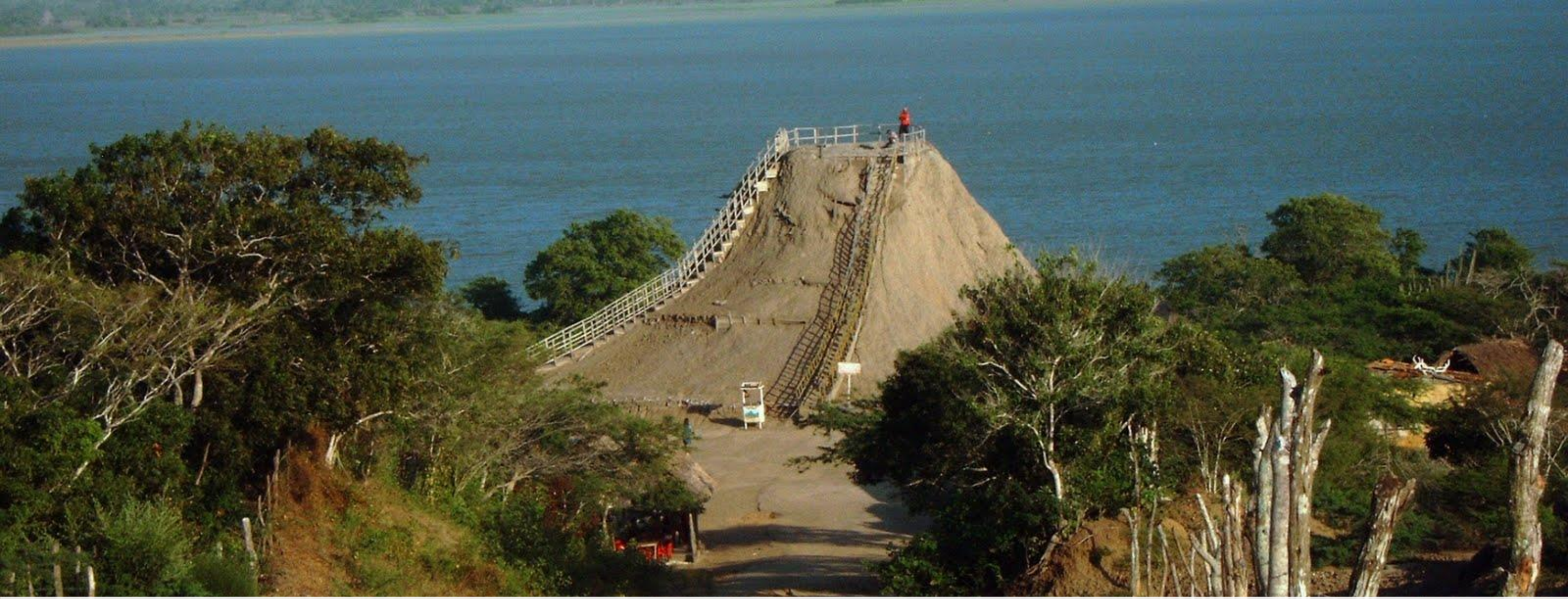
Duration: 4 horas / Daily departures

It Includes: Transportation, Guidance, entrance to the volcano for mud bath and bath in the swamp to remove the mud

Does not Include: Towel service, Massage (optional service for direct payment), extra consumptions.

RATES PER PERSON			
2/3 PAX	4/6PAX	7/9 PAX	1 PAX
USD73,5	USD48,5	USD34,5	USD138





Mud Volcano



Coffee Baptism

Café San Alberto exclusive experience , enjoying the smells, flavors and knowledge of Colombia's most awarded coffee " Cafe San Alberto".

Duration: 1 hour / Daly departures

It Includes

- Private transportation hotel - coffee tasting - hotel.
- Certificate of participation in the tasting.
- San Alberto's Cloth apron

Does Not Include

- Additional services not described.

RATES PER PERSON			
2/3 PAX	4/6PAX	7/9 PAX	1 PAX
USD64	USD56	USD50,5	USD89,5





Coffee Baptism

Chiva Bus Party

Nocturnal tour in the famous colorful buses called Chiva, with local rum, musical group on board, option of tasting typical fried snacks at a stop in the old section, and finishing the tour at a bar where passengers can enjoy the local night life.

Duration: 3 hours / Daily departures

It Includes

- Regular ground transportation in Bocagrande sector hotels - Chiva ride arrival to the club - hotels in Bocagrande sector.
- Tickets to the disco chosen by the tour operator.

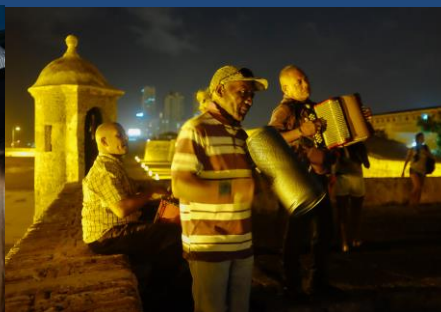
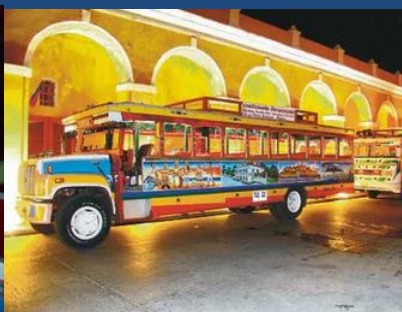
Does Not Include

- Transportation in hotels in different areas of the city
- Additional services not described.

Recommendations

- Subject to the schedule set by the tour operator.

RATES PER PERSON
REGULAR TOUR
USD14





Chiva Bus

Day tour to Santa Marta

Departure in the morning from Cartagena to Santa Marta, making a panoramic tour of the city to reach the Quinta de San Pedro Alejandrino, where Simon Bolivar died and where even important documents and elements that recreate his life and work are preserved. Free time for lunch. And in the afternoon, guided walkingtour through the romantic and colonial sector to appreciate architectural gems in very good condition such as the Cathedral, the Convent of Santo Domingo, the Gold Museum Tayrona and the Town Hall, enclosures history and tradition, taking time beach; Return to Cartagena.

Approx duration: 10 hours

It Includes

Private Transportation - Guide - Entrance to Quinta de San Pedro, a bottle of water per person

Does not Include

Lunch, services not described, extra consumptions.

RATES PER PERSON			
2/3 PAX	4/6PAX	7/9 PAX	1 PAX
USD190,5	USD105,5	USD72	USD370,5



Packages 1 night / 2 days

SANTA MARTA

Package include:

- 1 night of lodging in standard room
- Daily breakfast
- Private transfer Cartagena – Santa Marta – Cartagena
- Basic City tour with visit to Quinta san Pedro Alejandrino
- Day tour to Tayrona Park

Does not include:

- Volunteer hotel insurance
- Extra expenses in case you have it

RATES PER PERSON (Based in a minimum of 2 pax)			
HOTEL	Blue Bay Concept	Irotama Resort	Don Pepe Boutique
SGL Accomodation	USD475	USD547	USD592
DBL Accomodation	USD438,5	USD475	USD497

BOGOTA

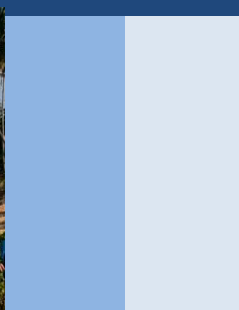
Package include:

- 1 night of lodging in standard room
- Daily breakfast
- Basic City tour with entrance to Gold Museum and Monserrate hill
- Tour to Salt Cathedral in Zipaquirá

Does not include:

- Air tickets Cartagena – Bogota - Cartagena
- Volunteer hotel insurance
- Extra expenses in case you have it

RATES PER PERSON (Based in a minimum of 2 pax)			
HOTEL	Bio Hotel	Ek Hotel	Gran Hyatt
SGL Accomodation	USD263	USD322,5	USD386
DBL Accomodation	USD227,5	USD257	USD289



Notes:

- NET Rates, per person in US dollars
- Package of 1 night are based on a minimum of 2 people. For a passenger traveling alone, ask the supplement to your advisor. / Rates valid for individual bookings – maximum 9 rooms.
- Triple accommodation consists of 1 double bed + sofa bed or additional smaller bed (depends on the hotel).
- For optional Tours or extra nights for package consult to your advisor
- Verify that you accept our Terms

VAT exempt rates for foreigners traveling by tourism. During check-in you must present passport or Andean card with the corresponding stamp. Otherwise, you lose the right to the exemption and it will be charged directly to passengers the tax, which is 19% of the total of confirmed services

"In development of the provisions of article 17 of Law 679 of 2001, the agency warns the tourist that the exploitation and sexual abuse of minors in the country, penalized and administratively sanctioned, in accordance with the laws in force. "- LAW 300 OF 1996, LAW 1111 2006 (ART 62)

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