



## CHOQUEQUIRAO TREK

4 Days / 3 Nights



FOLLOW THE OLD ROUTE OF THE INCAS, EXPLORE THE ANDES AND DISCOVER THE MYSTERIES OF MACHU PICCHU



## Who We Are? - MACHUPICCHU TERRA S.R.L

**INCA TRAIL MACHU PICCHU** is a brand MACHUPICCHU TERRA, Travel Agency and Tour Operator authorized to sell **Inca Trail Machu Picchu**. Our company is located in Cusco, the capital of the Inca Empire and the Tourist Capital of South America.

We created this web site considering that availability for the **Inca Trail Machu Picchu** is quickly exhausted; since it is limited to only 500 people per day (including support staff porters, chefs, guides, etc..) making it extremely necessary booking several months in advance; at least 2 months in advance in low season (October to May) and 6 months in advance in high season (June to September).

**MACHU PICCHU TERRA**, feels proud to provide superior service to all our customers, and we manage all services necessary to operate and organize all the packages offered, cars, minibuses, equipment, office-qualified staff, specialized assistants and guides professionals.

Whether you are looking for a trip to Peru that includes a hike to Machu Picchu or just a relaxing family vacation, it is our mission to MACHUPICCHU TERRA work with you to create your trip to Peru. We welcome all types of customers with special travel interests, economic and Premium. Our excellent service always searches at any time and satisfy all customers throughout Peru.

All MACHUPICCHU TERRA packages have been prepared by our travel consultants with experience and knowledge, our company MACHUPICCHU TERRA is based on 4 different categories of hotels:

- Basic Class, based on 2 stars hotels.
- Economy Class, based on 3 stars hotels.
- Premium Class, based on 4 stars hotels.
- VIPs Class, based on 5 stars hotels.

## Legitimacy of Inca Trail Machu Picchu

**MACHU PICCHU TERRA** is an Authorized Agency by the Ministry of Culture, the assigned code is: **MA0473**, responsible and efficient company willing to provide the best service.

Our main objective is satisfy the expectations of our customers, so we have a **chat online in real time** where our travel agents will attend you with any questions and / or consultation.

You can check on the official website: <http://www.machupicchu.gob.pe/> following the next steps:

- Go to the menu of the page, on the tab "**Queries**"
- At the bottom click the tab "**Travel Agency**"
- The search can do it by name: "**MACHUPICCHU TERRA**" or code "**MA0473**"



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## Choquequirao Trek 4 days / 3 nights

**Choquequirao** in the Quechua language means *Golden Cradle*, also known as the sacred sister of Machu Picchu, distributed at different levels, from the lowest level to the highest peak, which was leveled and fenced with stones to form a platform.

At the time when it was inhabited would have been a cultural, religious and administrative center, served as a checkpoint to ensure access to Antisuyo, after it was abandoned for a long time I pass unnoticed but not unknown until the American explorer Hiram Bingham who gave notice and motive a greater interest. Today in its residential buildings and innumerable terraces still keeps the mystery that is little known, but very visited. The **Choquequirao Trek 4 days** program is an excellent choice to continue hearing the diversity of both archaeological and natural attractions which when combined is excellent for the visitor. Where you can enjoy the walk through beautiful landscapes with amazing panoramic views like mountains which form impressive canyons starting from 1550m/5085ft until 4700m/15419ft, accompanied by snow-capped as Salkantay, the Apu Tutelary of Cusco with m/20574ft 6271.

By having this geography is possible to see the majestic *Flight of Condors*. **Choquequirao** has numerous buildings many of them of two floors with niches inside, possibly to house some Inca deities, you can also see some irrigation canals.

### Include:

- Briefing where our guide will explain about the walk and give us the maps.
- Transfer from hotel in Cusco to the start point of the Choquequirao path.
- Professional bilingual tour guide.
- Additional guidance for groups over 9 people.
- Chef.
- Assistant cook for groups over 9 people.
- Drover mules loaded with camping equipment and food.
- Food during the Choquequirao Trek: 3x breakfast, 4x lunch, 3x dinner.
  - Vegetarian option is free, only inform us in advance, please.
- First Aid Kit, Blood pressure, oxygen bottle.
- Camping equipment: tents and mattresses.
- Kitchen equipment: kitchen tent, dining tent, kitchen utensil.



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## Day 01 Cusco – Cachora – Playa Rosalina

Early morning pick up from your hotel and then move towards the region of **Apurimac** (God speaking) during our trip we will pass by towns like Izcuchaca, Limatambo and Curawasi, reaching the small picturesque village of **Cachora** (2900 m/9514ft) we will have a hearty breakfast to start our hike. In this first installment we begin our flat walk without difficulty through Andean landscapes up to the **Mirador de Capuliyoc** (2,995 m/9826ft) from this viewpoint can appreciate a little distant the Inca City of Choquequirao, also the stunning view of the mountains that surround us. Our path continues downhill to Chiquisca spend the night near the river Apurimac.

## Day 02 Playa Rosalina – Marampata – Choquequirao

This day will be one of the most unforgettable days since we have the longest stretch go down a little until the sector **Playa Rosalina** (1550m/5085ft) and then climb across the Apurimac river to get to the top, so we need a hearty breakfast, we start our trek very prepared to mid-mountain, reach the hamlet Santa Rosa, where you can taste a little brandy distillery, after this short break we continue the walk. During the journey we will observe the flora own this place including the world's most beautiful flowers, orchids, reaching our second camp **Marampata** (3000m/9842ft), then we will have a typical lunch break and an afternoon of leisure.



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### Day 03 Choquequirao – Santa Rosa – Playa Rosalinda

This day is the most important day, we come to realize our dream of visiting the Cradle of Gold, **Choquequirao**, walk through the square, its few streets, fountains, terraces which are adorned with stones that are not of this place, as Andean camelids such as llamas and vicuna, after a heartwarming visit, we will return down to cross the river Sector **Playa Rosalinda** (1550m/5085ft) where we enjoy our dinner and overnight.

### Day 04 Santa Rosa – Capuliyoc – Cachora – Cusco

Early in the morning we will take a good breakfast to start the trek to the village of **Cachora**, here's where we will have a delicious lunch, to finally take the bus back to the Imperial City of **Cusco**.



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## Why choose MACHUPICCHU TERRA?

### 1. Personalized Attention

Each traveler or group of travelers are greeted on arrival at the airport or bus station by one of our representatives and then take him to his hotel and you can rest. During the transfer from the airport or bus station to the hotel, each passenger receives general information and practical recommendations about the city where you are, then you will get detailed information about the places you will visit during your stay in the city. At the end of the day, all passengers fill a report with feedback on our services, this will help us to improve every day. Nuestra empresa ofrece facilidades de viaje, flexibilidad y libertad que usted desee. Por eso se ha creado una variedad de viajes a los lugares que pueden ser combinados por un precio razonable.

### 2. Social Conscience and Sustentable Tourism

It is aimed at generating employment opportunities. Every time you make use of our services, a new job opportunity is created for poor people. We cooperate with communities providing food donations, social visits and health campaigns. At the same time, we offer trips of relaxation and culture, the company maintains respect for communities, customs, culture and environment providing education in care of the natural environment of the community and tourist places to be visited, and those who benefit with our visit as a fundamental principle. Our company supports the local people and help improve their quality of life in different activities.

### 3. Policy and Code of Conduct

Always we respect all agreements made between you and the agency. We work professionally in every detail, as we consider only the total satisfaction of our customers is our best endorsement and

the recommendation of our service is the result of a satisfied customer. When we provide our services, always we identify with our passengers.

### 4. Fair Prices

We are a tour operator, this means that we operate our tours directly and all the services we offer. For that reason, no increases in our rates, and consequently our prices are quite reasonable. Our rates are the result of an analysis of the costs and at the same time ensuring a fair return to our work.

### 5. Environmental Protection

In our company we help preserve the environment by providing ongoing training to our staff in the field of environmental protection this training will help us to develop professionally in the workplace, so they can offer you a quality service, we also educate people from distant places and places where our groups make their visits as well as assisting in the collection of inorganic waste in some communities to care for their natural environment, in the different visits or walks we try not damage the ecology, through the use of natural materials that do not pollute the place to visit, and the proper use of water without chemicals to maintain the natural purity thereof. All this has a purpose, that each customer whom we serve help us to promote our services, our culture and natural wealth. We develop close cooperation with Andean communities to explain on the protection of the environment.

One of the priorities of the company is the management of environment, therefore we are committed to comply with applicable law.

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## Interesting Links - Inca Trail - MACHUPICCHU TERRA

**Inca Trail Weather:** Weather Seasons and Ecological Levels of the Inca Trail to Machu Picchu Historical Sanctuary. Seasons adequate to do the Inca Trail.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/inca-trail-weather/>

**Inca Trail Detailed Map:** Check the Inca Trail Map, altitude Inca Trail map and detailed map of the route with their archaeological sites located along the route.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/inca-trail-detailed-map/>

**Inca Trail Trekking Regulations & Fees:** The number of hikers is increasing the Peruvian government established conservation standards that are necessary to fulfill the preservation of the Inca Trail.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/inca-trail-regulations-fees/>

**Inca Trail Responsible Tourism:** The customs, language and environment are different, responsible tourism is vital so you can interact more easily during your trip.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/inca-trail-responsible-tourism/>

**Inca Trail Permits:** The spaces or permits for the Inca Trail are limited. To preserve the UNESCO and the government limited the access to the Inca Trail.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/inca-trail-permits/>

**Inca Trail Availability Online:** Plan your trip by checking the availability of spaces on the Inca Trail on the date of your trip. Book early because spaces are limited to only 500 people per day.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/availability-online-inca-trail-to-machu-picchu/>

**Inca Trail Route Options:** The Inca Trail has several alternative routes some more famous than others, such as Traditional and Short Inca Trail, Lares, Salkantay, Choquequirao, Inca Jungle.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/inca-trail-route-options/>

**Inca Trail Tours & Guides:** Because the mass of tourists who make the different routes of the Inca Trail, today is a must do so with a licensed guide.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/inca-trail-tours/>

**Inca Trail Fitness, Exercise and Heart Rate:** The route of the Inca Trail requires good physical condition because of its difficulty, for being located in a very uneven geographical area and high.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/inca-trail-fitness/>

**Inca Trail Altitude Effects:** During the hike the Inca Trail will amount to 5000 meters, so the body needs more oxygen causing some ailments.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/inca-trail-altitude-effects/>

**Inca Trail Equipment and Packing:** It is essential to have the proper luggage to the Inca Trail, otherwise you can not continue the path of the walk going Machu Picchu.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/inca-trail-equipment-packing/>

**Planning Your Inca Trail Trip:** The Inca Trail experience that needs to be well planned, the details as season, which carry luggage, choose the appropriate path.

<http://incatrailmachupicchu.org/planning-your-inca-trail-trip/>

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