



UNIVERSAL TRAVEL SYSTEM

www.uts-travel.com

**President's
Message**



Klaus Billep
President

...Welcome

This Special South America Tour is created for travelers looking for unusual and intriguing comfortable travel. Because our emphasis on special places this tour is exclusively

for those who welcome adventure and are prepared to accept the uncertainties as well as the rewards of travel in many regions where the American is virtually unknown.



**2011
South America
A Tropical
Adventure**

10 DAYS VISITING
**GUYANA
SURINAME
FRENCH GUIANA**

DEPARTURES
2nd Thursday of the Month



Travel Arrangements By:

UNIVERSAL TRAVEL SYSTEM

Tel: 800.255.4338 • Fax: 310.395.9511 • Email: info@uts-travel.com

MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. Box 7050, Santa Monica, CA 90406-7050

SURINAME & THE GUYANAS

Day 1 - THURSDAY

Leave MIAMI by BWIA Airlines in the afternoon.

Arrive GEORGETOWN (GUYANA) in the evening.

HOTEL CARA LODGE

Day 2 - FRIDAY - GEORGETOWN - BD

Optional: Full day excursion to the Kaieteur and Orinduik Falls, which are 5 times the height of Niagara Falls. There are no falls in the world with the magnitude of the sheer drop existing at Kaieteur. This tour is operated by private chartered aircraft. (Cost \$400 per person)

Transfer to the Essequibo River for a boat trip to the Shanklands Rainforest Resort, which is a series of cottages built on a hill on the river's right bank and overlooking its enormous breadth. The resort is carved from the tropical rainforest on a majestic cliff overlooking the silver water of Guyana's largest river, the Essequibo. White colonial style gingerbread cottages are amidst 25 acres of rolling lawns with views of the Essequibo and Mazaruni Rivers and the gold mining town of Bartica. Overnight at the Shanklands Rainforest Resort.

Day 3 - SATURDAY - SHANKLANDS -,BD

Full day to explore the Shanklands Rainforest.

Day 4 - SUNDAY - SHANKLANDS (BL)

Morning free.

After lunch return to GEORGETOWN.

HOTEL CARA LODGE

Day 5 - MONDAY - GEORGETOWN - B

Morning city tour of this small quaint combination of Victorian elegance, the legacy of its British heritage and tin-roofed mining town. Visit the St. George's Cathedral, one of the tallest wooden buildings in the world.

Leave GEORGETOWN by Suriname Airways

SURINAME - Arrive PARAMARIBO.

HOTEL TORARICA

Day 6 - TUESDAY - PARAMARIBO - BL

PARAMARIBO - Morning city tour with a drive through the different areas of the city. Paramaribo with its unique blend of architecture, cultures, and religion is one of the few places in the world where Moslem Mosques, Hindu Temples, Jewish Synagogues and Christian churches peacefully coexist side by side. Also visit the Central Market, the largest in the Caribbean.

Afternoon free.

Day 7 - WEDNESDAY - B

Leave PARAMARIBO By private car in the morning via Moenga to Albina. Cross the Maroni River into FRENCH GUIANA.

You will be met at St. Laurent du Maroni and driven to nearby Kourou.

HOTEL DES ROCHES

Afternoon independent visit to the French Space Center, which launches up to nine space launches annually.

Day 8 - THURSDAY - KOUROS - B, L

Full day Devil's Island.

Full day visit to the Islands of Salvation, a trio of Islands (Royal, St. Joseph and Devil's). The name originated when settlers fled the mainland to take refuge from the disease-ridden jungle. In Royale visit the commandant's house and the houses of the prison staff. Take a motor launch to Devil's Island, which now contains the ruins of 13 cottages once used for political prisoners.

After tour transfer to CAYENNE.

HOTEL NOVOTEL

Day 9 - FRIDAY - CAYENNE - BL

Full day river tour with Creole lunch to Creek Gabrielle at Four Gassie Falls. Located on the Comte River above Stoupan, at 20 kms from Cayenne. Gabrielle creek (a stream) is a good example of Amazonian forest scenery. You'll admire beautiful butterflies and the canoe trip enables you to be in close contact with this tropical world. You'll eat a tasty local meal at Fourgassier. In the afternoon there you can bathe in the waterfalls of Fourgassier. An ecological trip in a green landscape.

Day 10 - SATURDAY - CAYENNE - B

Morning free.

Leave CAYENNE by Air France flight.

Arrive MIAMI in the afternoon.

Cost: (Minimum of 2 passengers)

Share basis, land portion \$4,200

Single room supplement \$1,200

Air Miami/Miami \$1,800 Approx.

Cost based on rates in effect - Sept. 15, 2010

Cost includes:

1. Hotels as shown, rooms with bath.
2. Meals: Full Breakfast only
Lunch on full day excursions, all meals at Shanklands.
3. All transfers & sightseeing tours.