



Dear Colleague,

And here we are in the middle of August, already working on our 2024 marketing plans and budgets. I can't believe how fast everything goes.

Today is a very important date on my calendar. Little Napoleon — my four-legged child, a Jack Russell Terrier — is celebrating his first birthday.

From a professional perspective, we're also celebrating the addition of the **M/Y Passion** luxury yacht to **Enchanted Expeditions'** fleet in the **Galapagos Islands**. What better way to celebrate than a 40% discount on select departure dates for anyone interested in chartering the entire vessel (maximum capacity 14)? [Contact me](#) if you're interested!

For the remainder of August, and during the entire month of September, I'll be at home, and available to conduct webinars and schedule one-on-one training sessions or Zoom calls. If you want to chat with me, or take a deep-dive into any of our clients or destinations, book a virtual appointment [here](#).

Be sure to browse our blogs and news below from cool companies in **Chile, Colombia, Ecuador** and **Panama**. They have some amazing promos at the present time for buyouts, wedding celebrations, and the festive season, and are working hard on tailor-made proposals for the upcoming high season. If you have clients interested in traveling to any of those countries, please give us (or them) a try!

Enjoy the rest of the northern hemisphere summer while I'm counting the days to say goodbye to the South American winter!

Best regards,

Ana, on behalf of The Emerging Destinations team (Jane + Jenna + Ana)



Upcoming Travel! Emerging Destinations On The Road

We will be in the following places over the next few months, and would love to see you! If we will be in your area, click on the link below to request an event invitation or schedule an appointment with us:

- [Denver, CO](#): Friday, September 15th (appointments only, no event)
- [Boston, MA](#): Thursday, September 20th (appointments only, no event)
- [Phoenix, Scottsdale & Tucson, AZ](#): Monday, October 16th to Friday October 20th

News at a Glance

Enchanted Expeditions

- **Check online availability** on Enchanted Expeditions' fleet of yachts [here](#) (username: **tour_operator** and password: **03avail**). The platform is updated on a daily basis. Please note that the only way to confirm spaces will still via email with your account executive Debora (debora@enchantedexpeditions.com) or Wendy (wendy@enchantedexpeditions.com).
- Need to **charter a yacht** for a **multi gen trip** or a **friends' celebration**? Take advantage up to **40% discount** on selected departure dates during September,

October, November and December. You can choose to sail onboard luxury M/Y Passion, superior first class M/Y Beluga or first class M/Y Cachalote Explorer. More info [here](#).

- Are you attending the **Synergy - The Retreat Show from October 24th to 27th?** Please make sure to schedule a meeting with **Owner & Founder Judy Carvalhal**.

La Coralina Island House

- **Love is Love.** Nestled in a unique Bay, caressed by the tides of the turquoise sea, and cradled among the dunes of fine white sand, La Coralina Island House stands as an idyllic paradise for souls united in love. Check out the **Wedding Package** [here](#) and/or [contact us](#) if you want to receive a tailor-made proposal.
- **It's turtle season at Bocas!** Two lovely species of sea turtles, the leatherback and the hawksbill, nest at Bluff, our neighboring beach. Don't miss out on witnessing this incredible phenomenon!
- Are you attending the **Synergy - The Retreat Show from October 24th to 27th?** Please make sure to schedule a meeting with **Managing Director Ariel Barrionuevo**.

Las Torres Reserve

- **Check online availability** on Las Torres Reserve's new platform! Las Torres Reserve has launched a new platform where you can check online availability on both, Hotel Las Torres Patagonia and the mountain hostels and the campsites. The platform is updated twice a day and can vary every minute. Please note that the only way to confirm spaces will still be via email with your account executive. Check availability of **mountain hostels and camping sites** [here](#). Check availability of **Hotel Las Torres Patagonia** [here](#).
- **Welcome Sarah Ranfone to Las Torres Reserve's family!** Let us introduce you to our new **KAM - Global Market Manager**, Sarah Ranfone. Originally from Virginia, USA, Sarah has been living in Chile for the past 10 years. We are confident with her wealth of experience, professionalism, and high motivation, she will be an invaluable addition to our team. If you want to contact Sarah and/or schedule a Zoom meeting with her, please feel free to contact her at sarah.ranfone@lastorres.com
- **Jenny Vidal Ludeña** takes over as new **Hotel Manager at Hotel Las Torres Patagonia**. A professional with nearly thirty years of experience in the hospitality industry, he has had an extensive career with prestigious tourist resorts in Lima, Peru. More info [here](#).

Chile Concept

- **Tapati Festival - Easter Island.** Don't miss the Tapati Festival to be held in Easter Island from **February 9th to 17th, 2024**. The island is filled with color, music, dances, and traditional competitions during this celebration. It will be a unique experience to immerse yourself in the culture and tradition of this incredible island. [Contact us](#) if you have clients traveling during this period and we can tailor-make an itinerary for them.

- **Sewell Mineral City.** Did you know that in 1905 a mining town was established inside the Andes mountain range? It is called Sewell, and we invite you to this wonderful experience of visiting the mining town and traveling back in time to the early 1900s. Sewell was declared a **World Heritage Site by UNESCO** in 2006.

Colombian Journeys

- **4 Colombian destinations for women travelers.** **Travel Off Path** publication has listed 4 Colombian destinations recommended for women travelers that visit Colombia on their own. Read the full article [here](#).
- **10 days in Bogota, must-see and ideal places...** Among the must see places to visit in Bogota are **La Candelaria**, located in the city center and known for its culture, history, and museums. **Quinta Camacho**, a place with an incredible architecture influenced by an English style reflected on the streets, and **several delicious restaurants** like Salvaje, Abasto, Harry Sasson and many more. There are also **numerous libraries** in the capital city being the most famous the Virgilio Barco and the Julio Santo Domingo. And if you prefer to have an alternative option for getting to know the city, there are **many bike paths** to more around town in a calm and relaxed environment. To know more about this, click [here](#).
- **American Airlines will have more flights by the end of the year.** The US carrier announced that, **from December 20th, 2023 to April 7th, 2024**, it will increase its air operations, expanding its seating capacity close to 50% compared to last year in flights to Barranquilla, Cartagena, and 90 weekly flights from Colombia to the United States.
- **New route between Bogota and Orlando.** **Latam Airlines** started operating **daily routes between Bogotá and Orlando** which is part of the commercial agreement with Delta Airlines. This will provide a more direct connectivity between Colombia and The United States, promoting a bilateral tourism for both Nations.
- According to a study published by **Nature Portfolio**, thanks to the development of sustainable tourism projects in the **Colombian Eastern Plains, the extinction of Jaguars in the department of Casanare has diminished**. After the analysis of various evaluation and observation criteria, it has been proven that for the year 2014 the probability of seeing a jaguar was of 0% and for 2020 was 40%. **This species population grew considerably from 5 individuals in 2014 to 28 in 2020!** *Hato La Aurora* is a private reserve that today is part of one of the conservation projects and **it is the only place in Colombia where jaguar tourism is practiced in its natural surroundings**. This place was formally established as a reserve in 2008 and the hunting has been prohibited in the farm since 1979. Projects like this suggest that the private lands with low intensity tourism and livestock can sustain the population of jaguars under the parameters of awareness and protection. For further information or bookings please do not hesitate to [contact us](#).

Emerging Destinations

- We'd love to hear your **feedback** or **suggestions** for subjects for Emerging Destinations future **webinars**. [Tell us](#) is there something you'd like to learn more about!
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Bottoms Up! Four Traditional Colombian Drinks



Colombia's culinary richness is a reflection of its cultural diversity and indigenous roots. From ancient times, each ingredient has played an important role in a spiritual event, transmitted through centuries, filled with tradition and history.

Products like cassava (yucca), corn, pineapple, sugarcane, and aromatic herbs have not only been the main ingredients in Colombian dishes but

are also an integral part of the traditional beverages.

Read more [here](#).

Galapagos Cruise Deals

Why not personalize your Galapagos adventure?

Just tell **Enchanted Expeditions** about your unique situation and they'll customize a Galapagos small-ship cruise to suit your dreams. Don't miss this opportunity to charter a whole boat with just your family or your small social bubble.



Continue reading [here](#).

Six Life-Changing Experiences in Torres del Paine

From strengthening ties with your family, embarking on an introspective journey into nature, or just saying "yes", there are six reasons why Torres del Paine should be your next destination.

Pop the Question.

Many people brainstorm for months, even years, on how



and where to propose to their life partner. Torres del Paine, one of the most iconic places in adventure tourism, is an amazing destination for two people to link their lives together forever.

Read more [here](#).

Chile's Big North

Chile's far north is a mixture of ocean, desert and the Andes, starting with Arica, called "*The City of the Eternal Spring*" because of its almost ideal weather, its rich history, and imposing Morro hill.

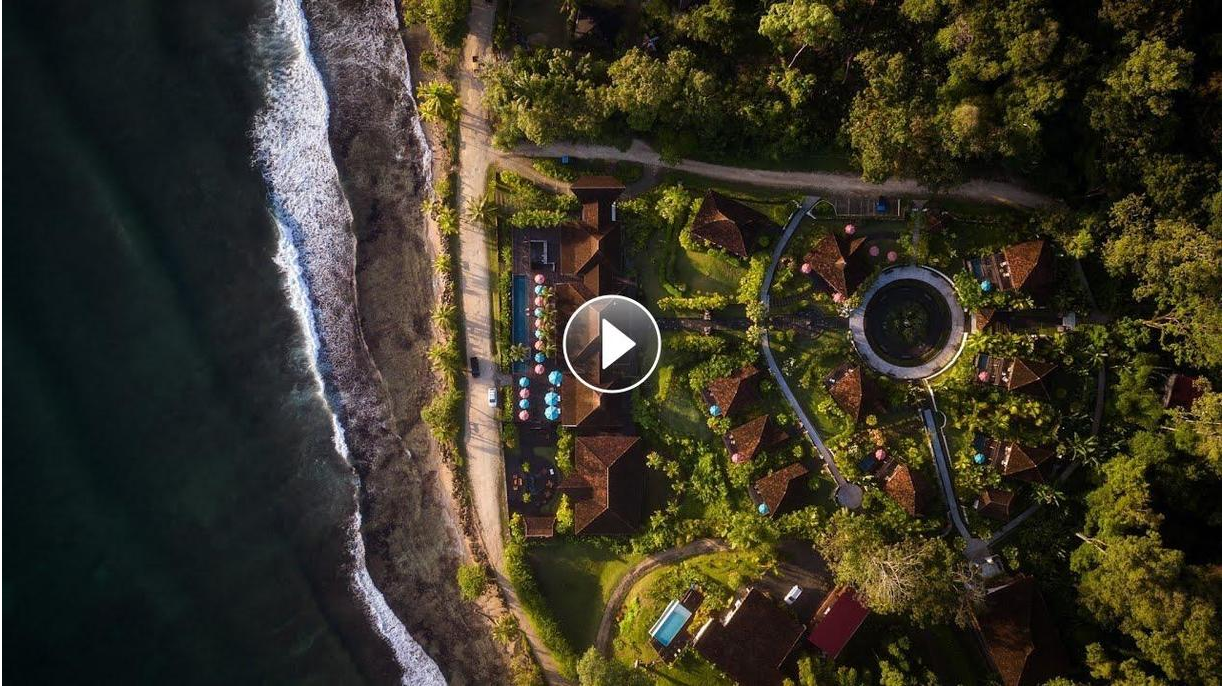
The Great North also offers Lauca National Park, with its snowcapped Parinacota, deep blue Lake Chungara and starkly beautiful altiplano landscape.



More [here](#).

La Coralina Island House... Where It's Always Summer

Journey into another world. The world of **La Coralina Island House** in Panama. A life-changing passage that rejuvenates and enlightens the mind, body and soul.



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