

BOGOTA BIRDING AND BIRDWATCHING COLOMBIA TOURS

Colombia country of the birds

ANDEAN ENDEMICS

BOGOTA D.C (1 day)



Birding tours (@Photo Bogota Birding)

Colombia is the country with the big number of birds of the world with approximately 1921 species including endemic, near endemic, migratory and permanent residents. Colombia's wide variety of ecosystems and habitats make it a megadiverse country in fauna and flora.

The observation of birds in Colombia is fantastic and wonderful because you can find diversity of ecosystems and different birds according to the region of the country that you want to visit like for example: Andean Region (Eastern mountain, Central mountain and Western mountain), Magdalena Valley, Santa Marta, Choco Region, Llanos, Orinoquia, Pacific Coast, Atlantic Coast and Amazon.

Thanks for trusting us!!!

TOUR DETAILS

Birding trip La Florida Wetland, Laguna el Tabacal and Jardin Encantado – Hummingbird Feeders
Starting city: Bogotá D.C. Ending city: Bogotá D.C.

Transportation: The roads are mostly good along this trip. We will use (4 by 4)

Note: Good opportunities for bird photography's

Cold weather in Florida Wetland – Warm weather in Tabacal Lagoon and Jardin Encantado – Hummingbird Feeders
Clothing: Jacket, cap, trekking shoes

LA FLORIDA WETLAND EASTERN ANDES





FLORIDA WETLAND (@Photo Bogota Birding)

Morning (5:30am):

We will depart to the Florida Wetland in the city Bogota, at a altitude of 2600m. Wetlands are vital to human survival. They are one of the most productive environments in the world, and are cradles of biological diversity and sources of water and primary productivity of which countless plant and animal species depend to survive. Wetlands are indispensable because of the innumerable benefits or "ecosystem services" they provide to humanity, from freshwater supply, food and building materials, and biodiversity, to flood control, groundwater recharge and mitigation of climate change (Ramsar 2014).

You will can see some very interesting birds as Bogota Rail, Spot-flanked Gallinule, Noble Snipe, Andean Duck, Andean Teal, Blue-winged Teal, Andean Teal, Ruddy Duck ssp. Andina, Great Egret (American), Cattle Egret, Striated Heron, Black-crowned Night-Heron, Black Vulture, American Coot, Rock Pigeon, Eared Dove, Greentailed Trainbearer, Tropical Kingbird, Brown-bellied Swallow, Great Thrush, Rufous-collared Sparrow, Eastern Meadowlark, Southern Lapwing (Northern). Tropical Mockingbird and many more.

Endemic Birds: Bogota Rail, Silvery-throated Spinetail and Apolinar's Wren

Other target birds: Subtropical Doradito, Masked Ducks, Striped Owl



Bogota Rail (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Spot-flanked Gallinule (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Silvery-throated Spinetail (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Andean Teal (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Apolinar´s Wren (@Photo Bogota Birding)







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LAGUNA EL TABACAL NATURE RESERVE

Morning (10:30am):

We will start our way to the high Magdalena Valley. After of Birding in Florida Wetland, we will move to La Laguna el Tabacal Nature Reserve in the municipality La Vega at 2 hours from Bogota and at a altitude of 1250m.s.n.m. Presents abundant native vegetation of premontane forest surrounding the lagoon.

Endemic Birds: Velvet-fronted Euphonia, Apical flycatcher

Near endemic birds: Bar-crested Antshrike, Scrub Tanager, Spectacled parrotlet, Grey-throated warbler

Other target bird species: Pied-billed Grebe, White-throated Crake, Ruddy Quail-Dove, Squirrel Cuckoo, Grayrumped Swift, Plain Antvireo, Rusty-breasted Antpitta, Wedge-billed Woodcreeper, Boat-billed Flycatcher, Rusty-margined Flycatcher, Black-bellied Wren, Pale-vented Thrush, rufous-capped Warbler, Buff-rumped Warbler, crimson-backed Tanager, Saffron Finch, Blue-black Grassquit, Rosy Thrush-Tanager, Ash-browned Spinetail, White-bellied Antbird, Stripe-breasted Spinetail, Black-headed Brush-Finch, White-bearded, Striped Manakin, Band-backed, Speckle-breasted Wren, White-winged Becard, White-fringed Antwren, White-bellied, Jet, Dusky Antbirds and many more birds.





Laguna el Tabacal (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Bay-headed Tanager (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Spectacled Parrotlet (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Scrub Tanager (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Speckle-breasted Wren (@Photo Bogota Birding)



White-throated Crake (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Green Hooneycreeper (@Photo Bogota Birding)

JARDIN ENCANTANDO – HUMMINGBIRDS FEEDERS SAN FRANCISCO – CUNDINAMARCA

Afternoon:

We will visit the Jardin Encantado: This hummingbird feeding station is only going to get more famous! Close to the birding site of La Vega and convenient for birders day-tripping from Bogota, several rare species of hummingbirds are virtually guaranteed here. This place is located near the Cañas River in the Municipality of San Francisco, at an altitude of 1500 m.s.n.m; The average temperature is 22C and the distance of Bogota D.C is 52 km.

Endemic Birds: Indigo-capped Hummingbird

Near endemic birds: Red Billed Emerald, Lazuline Sabrewing

Key Species hummingbirds: White bellied woodstart, White-necked Jacobin, Green Hermit, Andean emerald, rufous tailed hummingbird, Gorgeted Woodstar, Ruby Topaz, Black Throated Mango, Rufous-tailed Hummingbird, White-vented Plumeleteer, White-bellied Crowned Woodnymph, White bellied and many more species.



White-bellied Woodstar (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Indigo-capped Hummingbird (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Black Throated Mango (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Rufous-tailed hummingbird (@Photo Bogota Birding)



Saffron Finch (@Photo Bogota Birding)

Return to Bogota D.C. in the afternoon.

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