PRIVATE EXPERIENCE / ENGLISH

Great North

A journey through northern Chile, connecting the desert, local villages, and the high plateau (altiplano) all the way to Arica. The three-stage historical route in Chile can be expanded; however, an extension into Bolivia requires a separate itinerary and specific documentation.



Your itinerary

Stage 1 · Desert and Villages

The journey begins in San Pedro, heading toward the areas of Humberstone, Pica, and Colchane. Specific visits and accommodations are arranged, taking into account the long distances to be covered.

Stage 2 · The Altiplano (High Plateau)

The historical route passes through the areas of Isluga, Guallatire, and Surire before reaching Putre. Due to the high altitude, access challenges, and local conditions, careful planning for rest stops and acclimatization is necessary.

Stage 3 · Toward Arica

The route continues via Chungará and Parinacota before descending to Arica. Specific sites to visit and the final destination are confirmed in the proposal.

Extensions

A return to San Pedro or an international extension is not automatically included. These can be arranged separately, with specific provisions for overnight stays, meals, travel distances, and transportation.

DURATION

Depends on the specific circuit and extensions chosen.

DISTANCE / ROUTE

Travel by vehicle.

EFFORT

High altitude and long travel distances.

MEALS

Meals and accommodations are listed by stage; please confirm details regarding entrance fees and beverages.

TRANSPORT

The starting and ending points are defined in the proposal; the Chilean route connects San Pedro and Arica.

PREPARATION

Requires gradual acclimatization, appropriate clothing, and a realistic schedule. The Bolivian extension does not yet have a fully documented route.