



SANTIAGO AND EASTER ISLAND
8 Days/6 Nights from \$1,229



This tour combines Santiago with Easter Island. Santiago is one of South America's most modern cities, with excellent restaurants and a vibrant nightlife. It sits between the Andes and the coastal mountain range in the country's central valley. Easter Island is one of the most isolated places on Earth. It is situated 2,200 miles west of Chile in the Pacific Ocean, and is known for its

colossal stone statues that stand up to 33 feet tall, and whose origin is still a mystery.

ACTIVITIES: Cultural/historical sightseeing and hiking.



DEPARTURE DATES: Departures every day except Monday and Friday throughout the year.

GROUP/PRIVATE: All airport transfers in Santiago are private, and the city tour and winery tour are group tours for single passengers and 3 Star accommodations, and private for 4 Star, 5 Star, and Deluxe accommodations. All services in Easter Island are operated on a group basis for single passengers and 3 Star accommodations, and are private for 4 Star, 5 Star, and Deluxe accommodations. (Hotel Altiplanico provides its own shared transfers).

ELEVATIONS: Santiago is 1,700 feet above sea level.

DETAILED ITINERARY

DAY 1: Santiago.

Depart to Santiago via overnight flight.

DAY 2: Santiago/Folkloric Dinner Show.

After passing through immigration and customs, proceed to the reception area, where our inbound services representative will be holding a sign with your name on it. You will be greeted and then transferred to your hotel. In the evening, you will have a folkloric dinner show with typical Chilean dishes, dances, music, and costumes. Overnight in Santiago. (B,D)

Note: Check-in time is 2:00 PM. We can request early check-in but cannot guarantee it.

DAY 3: Santiago/City Tour/Winery Tour.

In the morning, you will have a panoramic city tour of Santiago, which will include Parque O'Higgins, Plaza de Armas (the city's historic center), Palacio de la Moneda, ex-National Congress, Mapocho Station Cultural Center, Santa Lucia Hill, the place of Santiago's founding in 1541, and the Bohemian district of Bellavista. In the afternoon, you can choose to visit one of the following vineyards around Santiago (included in price): Concha y Torro, Cousino Macul, and Undurraga. Overnight in Santiago. (B)

DAY 4: Santiago/Easter Island.

Transfer to the airport for your flight to Easter Island. Upon arrival, you will be transferred to your hotel. Overnight in Easter Island. (B)

Note: There are no flights from Santiago to Easter Island on Mondays and Thursdays.

DAY 5: Easter Island/Rano Raraku/Anakena Beach.

Full day excursion visiting the archaeological center of Akahanga and the quarry at Rano Raraku volcano, where all of the moai on the island were carved. You will see over 300 statues in various stages of completion, and one giant moai, 21 meters (69 ft.) tall. You will also visit Ahu Tongariki, the largest ahu (burial site), whose moai were re-erected after a tsunami flattened the statues, Ahu Te Pito Kura, site of the largest moai moved from the quarry, and the ahu Nau Nau at Anakena Beach. Picnic lunch at Anakena Beach. Overnight in Easter Island. (B,L)

DAY 6: Easter Island/Orongo.

Half day tour to the Rano Kau crater, the Orongo ceremonial village, with its birdman petroglyphs, and Vinapu with its two ahu. Overnight in Easter Island. (B)

DAY 7: Easter Island/Ahu Akivi.

Half day tour to Ahu Akivi with its seven moai facing the sea, the caves of Ana Te Pahu, and Puna Pau, the volcanic crater where the pukao (reddish stone

hats/headaddresses) that some moai wear were carved. Overnight in Easter Island.
(B)

DAY 8: Easter Island/Santiago.

Transfer to the airport for your return flight to Santiago and your final destination. (B)

B = Breakfast, **L** = Lunch, **D** = Dinner

PRICE PER PERSON (in U.S. Dollars)

	Single	Double	Triple
3 Star	\$1,859	\$1,229	\$1,109
4 Star	\$2,279	\$1,769	\$1,409
5 Star	\$3,079	\$2,079	\$1,739
Deluxe	\$3,279	\$2,199	\$1,769

The above prices are valid until December 31, 2011.

HOTELS

3 Star: Santiago, Rugendas; Easter Island, Hotel Tahatai

4 Star: Santiago, Atton el Bosque; Easter Island, Hotel Iorana

5 Star: Santiago, Santiago Marriott; Easter Island, Hotel Altiplanico

Deluxe: Santiago, Ritz-Carlton; Easter Island, Hotel Altiplanico

PRICE INCLUDES:

- South American Vacations' expert pre-departure planning services and documentation.
- Airport/hotel transfers including baggage handling.
- Hotel accommodations including taxes and service charges.
- Excursions as indicated on the itinerary including all applicable entrance fees.
- Meals as indicated on the itinerary.
- Local, English-speaking tour guides.

PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- International airfare.
- Domestic airfare.
- Chilean reciprocity tax (\$131).
- Meals not indicated on the itinerary.
- Gratuities to tour guides, drivers, and hotel staff.
- Gifts and personal items.
- Travel insurance.

We will be happy to quote the cost of international and domestic airfare and travel insurance, and to make these arrangements for you.

PASSPORT/VISA: U.S., Australian, Canadian, and EU (except Greece and Romania, which require a visa) citizens require a passport valid for at least six months from date of entry and return ticket for stays of up to 90 days. U.S., Australian, and Canadian citizens are required to pay a reciprocity fee (considered a multiple entry visa) of \$131, \$61 and \$132 respectively in cash upon arrival (subject to change without notice due to currency fluctuations or other reasons). Citizens of other countries are advised to contact the Chilean embassy in their country before traveling.

TRAVEL INSURANCE: In order to protect your travel investment from unforeseen circumstances that may arise before or during your trip, we strongly recommend that you purchase travel insurance. We offer **Access America's Classic Comprehensive** and other plans. The Benefits, Coverage Limits, and rates are summarized on our website at www.savacations.com/insurance.asp. Call your travel counselor if you have any questions or to purchase a plan.

TO BOOK THIS TRIP: We require a non-refundable deposit of \$500 per person plus the cost of the airfare (if we make the arrangements for you). The balance of the trip cost is due 60 days prior to departure.

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