



Center for Responsible Travel

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TERMS & CONDITIONS: Responsible Travel in Cuba November 4 – 11, 2017

Trip Cost:

Double Occupancy: \$3,500 per person

Single Occupancy: \$3,850 per person

CREST has contracted Cuba Educational Travel to organize and run this custom designed tour. A CREST staff member will accompany you on the trip.

- Space limited to approximately 20 people.
- First come, first serve basis. To reserve your spot, contact CREST managing director, Samantha Hogenson, at shogenson@responsibletravel.org. Only request to have a spot reserved if you are serious about attending, as there will be a waiting list for others. A CREST staff member will notify you as soon as possible regarding your participation status and next steps.
- In order to ensure the availability of accommodation, there are deadlines for payments to secure a position on the trip. Deadlines include:
 - **A deposit of \$1,000 per person is due by Thursday, August 24, 2017.**
 - **A signed copy of the Responsibility Statement should be turned in with the deposit (to be provided to traveler upon registration for the trip).**
 - **The remaining balance per person is due by Thursday, August 31, 2017.**
 - Please inquire if you are interested in purchasing trip insurance from a certified, third party.
- Payment may be made to CREST via check, wire transfer, or credit/debit card. Check is the preferred method of payment. Please note: If a credit or debit card is used, there will be a processing fee per transaction. If you would like to pay by credit card, please contact shogenson@reponsibletravel.org. Please make checks to CREST and send to:

Center for Responsible Travel (CREST)
Attn: Samantha Hogenson
1225 Eye St. NW, Suite 600
Washington, DC 20005

CANCELLATION and REPLACEMENT POLICIES:

- Due to the limited number of spots on this trip, please only sign up if you are committed to attending.
- Cancellations made before 120 days prior to the trip (July 7, 2017) eligible for a full refund.
- Cancellations made 119-91 days to trip departure (August 7, 2017) are eligible for a 50 percent refund.
- Cancellations made within 90 days of trip departure (August 8, 2017) are not eligible for a refund.
- In some instances, time permitting, a different traveler can take the place of a scheduled participant for a processing fee of \$350.

UNUSED SERVICES & REFUNDS:

No refund or adjustment can be made for any portion of the services voluntarily not used such as hotel accommodations, scheduled meals, or any planned activity described in your itinerary.

PASSPORT AND VISA:

All travelers are required to carry a valid passport and a Cuban visa. Please inquire with your airline directly to purchase your visa.

IMPORTANT: Those without a valid passport will not be allowed to enter Cuba. Passport must be valid for a minimum of 6 months after departure date. Cuba Educational Travel and CREST are not responsible for lost or stolen passports in Cuba.

INCLUDED IN TRIP PRICE:

- 7-night hotel accommodations in Cuba
- Daily breakfast
- Meals (as specified on the itinerary)
- Full time, professional, bilingual guide
- Local ground transportation to listed activities
- Airport transfers to and from Holguin's Frank Pais International Airport (HOG) (ground transportation)
- Pre-trip departure information
- Compliance with U.S. Treasury Department regulations
- Speaker fees and tips to specialists
- Admission to all museums and public buildings listed in itinerary
- Coordination of all listed activities

NOT INCLUDED:

- Airfare (travelers should arrive and depart from Holguin's Frank Pais International Airport)
- Cuban insurance (health insurance is included with airline ticket)
- Cuban Visa (you can purchase your visa directly through your airline provider for \$50)
- Meals or activities other than listed on itinerary
- Individual house/hotel expenses (mini bar, room service, laundry fees, etc.)
- Gratuities:
 - Recommended tips for guides and drivers range from \$12 to \$20 per person per day, depending on group size.
 - Recommended tips for meals is 1 – 2 CUC per person per meal.
 - Recommended gratuities for hotel staff is 2 CUC per person per day.

For reservations and more details contact: Samantha Hogenson, CREST managing director, Email: shogenson@responsibletravel.org.