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PERU

THE AMAZON, SACRED VALLEY OF THE INCA, AND MACHU PICCHU
MARCH 10-21, 2019

FEATURING

MARY MILLER

Mary Miller is Sterling Professor of the History of Art at Yale University, where she served as Dean of Yale College 2008-2014. A member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, she curated the acclaimed 2004 exhibition *The Courtly Art of the Ancient Maya* and she is the author of many award-winning publications. In spring 2015 she delivered the Slade Lectures at the University of Cambridge; in 2015-16 she was Paul Mellon Fellow at the National Gallery of Art. A native of New York State, Miller earned her AB degree from Princeton and her PhD from Yale.
SUNDAY, MARCH 10 - U.S.A. / LIMA, PERU
Depart U.S. and fly to Lima, Peru. Arrive late this evening and transfer to the hotel.
Belmond Miraflores Park

MONDAY, MARCH 11 - LIMA
Begin the day with a welcome orientation, followed by a Lima city tour by motorcoach and lunch in the Larco Herrera Museum. This evening, gather for a welcome reception and dinner at ámaZ restaurant, widely regarded as one of the country’s finest.
Belmond Miraflores Park

TUESDAY, MARCH 12–FRIDAY, MARCH 15 - UPPER AMAZON
Fly to Iquitos, the world’s largest city that cannot be reached by road. Cruise for four nights along the Upper Amazon through the heart of the jungle aboard the beautiful Delfín III riverboat. Delve into the art, textiles, and archaeology of the Sacred Valley of the Inca. Finally, visit the 15th-century Inca citadel of Machu Picchu from Belmond’s Machu Picchu Sanctuary Lodge, the only property next to the entrance of this UNESCO World Heritage site.

SATURDAY, MARCH 16 - URUBAMBA, VALLEY OF THE INCA
Disembark and fly to Cuzco (via Lima), arriving in the late afternoon. Transfer to the hotel in the Sacred Valley of the Inca.
Tambo del Inka

SUNDAY, MARCH 17 - URUBAMBA
Visit a weaving demonstration of textile experts at Chinchero followed by a visit to the Inca site of Moray to examine its unique circular terraces. In the afternoon, meet master ceramicists at Pablo Seminario’s workshop and attend a Peruvian Paso horse demonstration.
Tambo del Inka

MONDAY, MARCH 18 - MACHU PICCHU
Start the day in Ollantaytambo, an ancient Inca archaeological site that has become a thriving town. Board the luxury Hiram Bingham train to Aguas Calientes and enjoy a guided afternoon visit of the incomparable ruins of Machu Picchu. Linger until the crowds depart, and explore the site independently before sunset.
Belmond Machu Picchu Sanctuary Lodge

TUESDAY, MARCH 19 - CUZCO
Spend a free morning exploring Machu Picchu before departing in the late morning for a return via a panoramic Vistadome train. Travel to Cuzco and gather this evening for a farewell dinner.
Belmond Monasterio

MONDAY, MARCH 19 - CUZCO / LIMA
Before departing, visit Cuzco’s Sacsayhuaman citadel and historic Plaza de Armas. Fly to Lima late this afternoon to connect to evening flights home.

THURSDAY, MARCH 21 - ARRIVE U.S.A.
Arrive in the U.S.

PROGRAM COST ............ $10,990
(per person, based on double occupancy)
SINGLE SUPPLEMENT ...... $4,300

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