Penn Alumni Travel presents

PATAGONIAN FRONTIERS
Argentina and Chile by Land & Sea
January 21-February 7, 2015

18 days from $7,169 total price from Miami
($6,395 air, land & cruise inclusive plus $774 airline taxes and departure fees)

This tour is provided by Odysseys Unlimited, six-time honoree Travel & Leisure’s World’s Best Tour Operators award.

An Exclusive Small Group Tour for Alumni & Friends of the University of Pennsylvania
Featuring Professor Paul Sniegowski
Enjoy the rare privilege of face-to-face encounters with two of the world’s last great frontiers: the majestic fjords and glaciers of Southern Patagonia, on a small-ship cruise; and the stunningly dramatic scenery of Torres del Paine on a three-night stay at the park. Along with visits to Buenos Aires and Santiago, we discover the remarkable diversity of South America.

Your Small Group Tour Highights

Buenos Aires sightseeing … Argentine dinner and tango show … Four-night Southern Patagonia cruise … Beagle Channel, Cape Horn, Strait of Magellan … Three-night stay in Torres del Paine with excursions … Chile's Lake District, including Vicente Rosales Park, Osorno Volcano, Petrohue Waterfalls … Santiago touring … Home-hosted dinner with Santiago families

Day 1: Depart U.S. for Buenos Aires, Argentina

Day 2: Arrive Buenos Aires After arriving in this lively city this morning, we transfer to our hotel to rest (rooms are ready for our early arrival). After time to relax we embark on a short orientation walking tour followed by a welcome briefing. Tonight we enjoy a welcome dinner. B,D

Day 3: Buenos Aires Today's city tour features the lovely mansions and parks of Palermo; the colorful bohemian district of La Boca; picturesque San Telmo; elegant Recoleta cemetery; and historic Government House. Tonight we visit one of the city's top tango houses, for dinner and a performance. B,D

Day 4: Buenos Aires We have a day at leisure to explore this vibrant city on our own. B

Day 5: Buenos Aires/Ushuaia We fly today to Ushuaia, Argentina, the world’s southernmost urban center. After checking in at our hotel, we tour this windswept city on the Beagle Channel. B

Day 6: Ushuaia Our excursion today takes us to Tierra del Fuego National Park, a 155,676-acre nature preserve with Andes peaks, rivers, glacial lakes, forest, and wildlife. Late this afternoon we embark our ship; early evening we set sail through the Strait of Magellan to Tierra del Fuego. B,D

Day 7: Cruising – Cape Horn/Wulaia Bay Today we see up close one of the world’s last unspoiled frontiers as we sail through the Beagle and Murray channels, perhaps glimpsing sea lions and Antarctic fur seals along the way, to Cape Horn National Park. The spot where the Atlantic and Pacific merge, the sheer promontory of Cape Horn rises some 1,400 feet from the roiling waters below. This afternoon we take a guided walk along sheltered Wulaia Bay. B,L,D

Cover photo: We spend two days exploring unspoiled Torres del Paine National Park.
Explore the stunning natural scenery of Patagonia at Torres del Paine National Park.

Day 8: Cruising – Pia and Garibaldi Glaciers
This morning we disembark on Zodiac boats near Pia Glacier for a short hike. This afternoon we enter Garibaldi fjord on the southern coast of Tierra del Fuego, then take an excursion through Patagonia’s cold jungle and glacial waterfall. After our expedition, we return to the ship.  

Day 9: Cruising – Piloto and Nena Glaciers
This afternoon we see awe-inspiring Alakaluf Fjord from the decks of our ship. Then we take a Zodiac excursion close to Piloto and Nena glaciers.

Day 10: Cruising – Magdalena Island/ Punta Arenas/Torres del Paine
Early this morning we visit Magdalena Island, home to an immense colony of more than 120,000 Magellanic penguins that we’ll take time to observe; and to a lighthouse, which we visit. Then we cruise to Punta Arenas, where we disembark and board our motorcoach for the journey to Torres del Paine National Park.

Day 11: Torres del Paine National Park
Today we encounter breathtaking Torres del Paine, a 700-square-mile World Biosphere Reserve and one of the most unspoiled and beautiful nature preserves on Earth. We spend the day exploring this unparalleled landscape of jagged peaks, ice-blue glaciers, turquoise lakes, rushing rivers, and thunderous waterfalls. Lunch today is at magnificent Lago Grey.

Day 12: Torres del Paine National Park
Our second excursion through the park features Laguna Amargo, Laguna Azul, and Cascade Rio Paine. We’re sure to see some of the park’s only permanent residents: 106 species of birds and 26 species of mammals, including the beloved guanaco.

Day 13: Torres del Paine/Punta Arenas/ Puerto Montt/Puerto Varas
We travel by coach today to Punta Arenas, where we board a flight to Puerto Montt, gateway to Chile’s Lake District.

Day 14: Vicente Rosales National Park
Glacier-topped volcanoes, forests of dense green, and cobalt lagoons color our excursion to Chile’s oldest national park. Here we visit conical Osorno Volcano and sprawling Petrohue Waterfalls.

Pre-Tour Option
January 19-22, 2015
IGUAZU FALLS
2 days/2 nights for $1,096 total price
($1,045 air & land inclusive plus $51 airline taxes and departure fees)
Single Supplement: $295
Discover the magnificence of one of the world’s iconic landmarks and great natural wonders.

Your Tour Price Includes
• Round-trip air transportation Buenos Aires/Iguazu Falls inclusive of airline taxes and departure fees
• 2 nights’ accommodations at Loi Suites Iguazu Hotel/ Superior First Class
• 3 meals: 2 breakfasts, 1 dinner
• Services of an Odysseys Unlimited representative
• Private motorcoach/van transportation
• Included sightseeing: Iguazu Falls National Park (Argentine side of the falls) with viewing opportunities
• Gratuities for dining room servers, airport and hotel porters, and all drivers

Land only guests: $1,395 total price
Day 15: Puerto Varas/Puerto Montt/ Santiago  We fly today to the Chilean capital, where our city tour features the colonial Plaza de Armas and the traditional city center. Tonight we are dinner guests in the homes of gracious Santiago families. B,D

Day 16: Valparaiso  Today we encounter the old port of Valparaiso, a one-time fishing village marked by colorful wooden houses and narrow streets. En route we visit a local winery for a private tour and tasting. Tonight we celebrate our adventure at a farewell dinner at a local Santiago restaurant. B,D

Day 17: Santiago/Depart for U.S.  After a morning at leisure, we enjoy an afternoon visit to La Chascona in the Bella Vista district, the home and museum of Nobel laureate Pablo Neruda. Then we have time to explore on our own. From here we transfer to the airport for our overnight flights to the U.S. B

Day 18: Arrive U.S.  We arrive in the U.S. this morning and connect with our return flights home.

M/V Via Australis

Built: 2005-2010  Length: 236-293 ft
Decks: 4-5  Width: 44-48 ft
Cabin: 64-100 (all outside)  Draft: 11 ft
Gross Tonnage: 2,716-4,508

Amenities: restaurant, 2 lounges, Zodiac expedition boats, boutique, on-board lectures, open bridge, panoramic open deck

Your Tour Price Includes

• Round-trip air transportation from listed cities; all flights within Argentina and Chile
• 15 nights’ accommodations: 4 nights aboard M/V Via Australis (Superior First Class); 11 nights in Superior First Class and First Class hotels
• 34 meals: 16 breakfasts, 7 lunches, 11 dinners
• Extensive sightseeing as described, including all entrance fees
• Open bar service (wine and select liquors) on board ship
• Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
• Private motorcoach transportation throughout the trip
• All port taxes and national park fees
• Luggage handling for one bag per person
• Gratuities for local guides, dining room servers, airport and hotel porters, and all drivers

Your Tour Price Includes

Tour Departs: January 21, 2015

Prices include international airfare and all taxes, surcharges, and fees.

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Please call if your city is not listed. Prices are per person based on double occupancy in a Category B outside cabin on Deck 1 (Patagonia) with window, and include airline taxes, fuel surcharges, and departure fees of $774, which are subject to change until final payment is made. Single travelers please add $2,495. Please note that single room availability is very limited. All prices above (excluding airline taxes, fuel surcharges, and departure fees) are guaranteed.

Upgrade to Category A outside cabin on Deck 2 (Magellan): $495; Category AA outside cabin on Deck 3 (Tierra del Fuego): $695; Category AAA outside cabin on Deck 4 (Cape Horn): $795. Please note: all cabin categories have limited availability.

Business Class upgrade on round-trip international flight: $3,495 per person (upgrade is subject to availability and pricing is subject to change).

Please note: This trip involves walks on uneven terrain and embarking and disembarking on ships. You should be in good physical condition to enjoy the tour to the fullest.

For reservations and information, please call Odysseys Unlimited toll-free at 888-370-6765

Monday-Friday, 9:00AM-7:00PM, Eastern Time

Faculty Lecturer

Paul Sniegowski is a Professor in the Department of Biology. Sniegowski received a B.Mus. degree in Violin Performance from the Indiana University School of Music (1982), an M.A. in Biology from Indiana University (1988) and a Ph.D. in Evolutionary Biology from the University of Chicago (1993). His past scientific research has included field studies on bird migration and the structure of natural yeast populations. In current research, he uses experimental evolution in the lab to develop and test theories about the evolution of mutation rates and the predictability of evolution. He is the recipient of the Excellence in Teaching Award from the Department of Biology and the Ira H. Abrams Award for Distinguished Teaching from the School of Arts and Sciences.

“THE SPIRIT OF A PLACE IS A GREAT REALITY.”

– D.H. LAWRENCE
Dear Penn Alumni and Friends,

Join alumni, friends, and Penn faculty host Paul Sniegowski, a Professor of Biology, on an exciting 18-day tour to Patagonia to discover, by land and sea, the remarkable diversity of southernmost South America.

Your odyssey begins in Buenos Aires, the lively capital of Argentina, with comprehensive sightseeing. Then fly south to Ushuaia, the world’s southernmost urban center, and board the M/V Via Australis to begin your 4-night exploration of channels and glaciers of southern Chile. Travel overland and discover the wonders of Torres del Paine National Park, one of the most unspoiled and spectacular nature preserves on Earth. A two-night stay in Chile’s Lake District includes visits to Osorno Volcano and Petrohue Waterfalls in Vicente Rosales National Park. Your tour concludes with two days in the Chilean capital of Santiago.

This air-inclusive small group tour is limited to just 24 Penn alumni and friends. We encourage you to register today to guarantee your place on this special journey.

Sincerely,

Emilie C. K. LaRosa
Assistant Director, Alumni Education & Alumni Travel

P.S. For more information about the Penn Alumni Travel program, please visit www.alumni.upenn.edu/travel.

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GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Please read this information carefully, as payment of a $500 deposit per person represents your acceptance of the following Terms and Conditions.

**Not included in tour price**
- Airline when purchasing a land only package; costs of passports and visas; Argentinean Reciprocity fee; personal expenses such as beverages, laundry, room service, and meals not specified; airport transfers when purchasing a land only package; communication charges; gratuities to your Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director and shipboard personnel, which are at your discretion (suggested gratuities $10-$15 per day, per traveler); optional sightseeing or shore excursions; travel protection insurance. Additional baggage fees may apply and are subject to change at any time. You should confirm directly with your airline prior to departure.

**Cancellations, refunds and changes**

If you must cancel your trip, the effective date of cancellation will be upon our receipt of your written notification. Refunds for cancellations are subject to the following per person charges:
- Cancel 95 days or more before departure: $200 charge;
- Cancel 94-65 days before departure: 50% of tour price;
- Cancel 64-30 days before departure: 75% of tour price;
- Cancel 29-0 days before departure: No refund.

If a guest makes any changes to their reservation from 94 to 30 days prior to departure, Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. will apply a $100 per person administrative fee, in addition to any fees or penalties imposed by third parties. Changes are subject to availability and cannot be guaranteed. If your reservation changes from double occupancy to single occupancy for any reason, you will be charged the single supplement. No changes are allowed within 30 days of departure.

Upon reservation you must provide your full legal name as it appears on your passport as well as your date of birth and gender. In the event an airline ticket is issued with incorrect information you have provided, you will be responsible for charges associated with the ticket's reissue.

**Responsibility**
The liability of the University of Pennsylvania, as sponsor, and Odysseys Unlimited Inc., as tour operator, is strictly limited. Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. purchases transportation, hotel accommodations, restaurant and other services from independent suppliers not under our control. We serve only as agents for these suppliers in securing tour arrangements, and therefore will not accept responsibility for wrongful, negligent, or arbitrary acts or omissions of these independent contractors, their employees, agents, servants or representatives. The University of Pennsylvania and Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. are not liable for injury, death, loss, accident, or delay that may be caused by events not within our control, including without limitation, acts of terrorism, war, strikes, the defect of any vehicle, or the negligence or default of any third party. All coupons, receipts, and tickets issued are subject to the terms and conditions specified by the air carriers, cruise line, and other independent suppliers. We will make every effort to operate our tours as planned, but we reserve the right to make itinerary changes as necessary. If unforeseen circumstances require us to change a hotel, we will select alternative accommodations of the same or better quality.

**Health and Medical Issues**
We request that you be in good health to participate in this Odysseys Unlimited tour. There is a reasonable amount of walking, and you must be able to get on and off motorcoaches and ships on your own. If you require the use of a wheelchair or have other personal needs, you must be accompanied by a companion who will assist you. We reserve the right to remove anyone whose physical or mental condition, in our opinion, compromises the operation of the tour or detracts from the enjoyment or safety of the other passengers. In that event, Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. and the University of Pennsylvania assume no financial responsibility for any unused portion of the tour.

**Air Transportation - Important Information**

Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. includes in its tour price round trip economy air from designated gateway cities as shown and contracts with those airlines they feel provide the level of service, routings, and value necessary for your entire trip. While another airline may offer a more direct connection, it may be at a price unavailable at the lower group rates. You will receive your preliminary air schedule approximately 2½ months prior to departure. Please note that seat assignments on your international flight are usually done at airport check-in. Odysseys Unlimited is unable to guarantee any seat assignments. Due to the nature of tour operator tickets, other restrictions apply, including but not limited to, frequent flyer mileage accrual, stopovers, alternate travel dates, upgrades, and airline taxes and departure fees. If you prefer to make your own travel arrangements, Land Only is available on most tours. Since international and domestic air schedules are subject to change at any time, we recommend that if you choose to make your own airline reservations, you do not purchase non-refundable tickets or those with high penalties for changes. If you choose to make your own air arrangements, Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. shall not have any liability for any loss resulting from cancellation of this tour or changes in this tour.

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Guaranteed Small Group: Limited to 24 Guests

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