

4 nights

# Peony Experience

In December, the peonies blooming in Trevelin await you. Discover these magnificent flowers, native to Asia, known for their large size and colors ranging from white to intense ruby red. You'll also discover the region's main tourist attractions, such as Los Alerces National Park and the Welsh Route.







# → First day

TRANSFER IN - Esquel Airport to accomodation.
FREE AFTERNOON.

# → Second day

# LOS ALERCES NATIONAL PARK | Full Day

**Includes:** Transportation from Esquel, insurance, professional Spanish-speaking guide, picnic lunch and snacks / Not included: Entrance to the PNLA.

Departure from Esquel and visit Villa Futalaufquen, the park's administrative headquarters. From there, we'll head to Puerto Limonao for a short 500-meter hike where you can appreciate the beauty of La Hostería Futalaufquen. We'll continue to the mural trail with ancient cave paintings and from there climb to a natural viewpoint of Lake Futalaufquen. Next, we'll head to Yrigoyen Waterfall and from there, we'll cross into the heart of the national park via the also iconic Arrayanes River footbridge. Following a low-difficulty trail, we'll spot a "young" larch tree older than the Brazilian Republic. Finally, we'll glimpse the Menendez River, and upon reaching Puerto Chucao, on Lake Menendez, we'll see the Torrecillas Glacier in the distance.

# → Third day

### WELSH ROUTE WITH A VISIT TO THE PEONY FIELD

Includes: insurance, professional Spanish-speaking guide, entrance to Nant Fach Waterfalls, Nant Fach Mill, and Taiyō Mountain Garden.

This tour combines the history, production, flavors, and landscape that make Route 259 a unique option. The expedition starts at Trevelin, the Welsh word for mill, the epicenter of Welsh culture in the region. Here, you can also admire the centuries-old Bethel Chapel and Trevelin's main square. Next, we visit the Taiy Cordillerano Garden, the Peony Field, and botanical gardens, where you can enjoy the beauty of these flowers. The itinerary continues to the Nant y Fall waterfalls, and then we visit the Nant Fach mill, a reconstruction of the mill that existed in the early 20th century, a period when the valley was renowned for producing high-quality wheat.







# → Fourth day

# PANORAMIC VIEWS OF ESQUEL

We'll begin our tour in the city center, visiting the Plaza San Martin sundial and the first general store. Then, we'll head to the La Hoya mountain activity center, 13 km away. One of the highlights of the tour is the viewpoint with the city sign, from which you can capture a postcard-worthy photo. Next, we'll continue toward the La Zeta Lagoon Urban Nature Reserve, following an ascending path from which we can enjoy excellent views and admire the region's rich biodiversity.

# → Fifth day

TRANSFER OUT | Esquel Airport.

### THE PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- ★ 4 nights of selected accommodation with breakfast
- ★ Arrival/Exit Transfer
- ★ Full-Day National Park Tour to Los Alerces with Picnic Lunch
- ★ Welsh Route Tour with entrance to Nant y Fall Falls, Flour Mill, and Taiyo Range Garden with Peony Field
- ★ Esquel Scenic Drive



