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Flavors of Argentina Travel Experience

Join the next **KJZZ Travel Club** adventure: twelve days of cooking classes, winery visits, and cultural experiences in Buenos Aires and Mendoza.

This isn't an experience you can have with commercial tours. An intimate group of public radio listeners like yourself will go on this exclusive trip that has been produced with the same **attention to detail** that we give to our on-air broadcasts.

If you enjoy food and wine, if you like to travel, if you're naturally curious, and if you'd like to **escape the heat of the desert southwest**, this will be the experience of a lifetime.

With at least four unique cooking classes in both cities, you'll learn how to re-create the flavors of Argentina. We'll explore La Boca, the **Buenos Aires** neighborhood that still evokes its Italian roots. And, of course, we'll visit the wineries of **Mendoza** to learn why there's more to Argentina's wines than just Malbec.

Cost

\$4,450 per person • **\$750** single supplement

Trip fee includes:

- Twelve (12) nights' accommodation with daily breakfast
- Most lunches and dinners, many of which you will cook yourself
- Activity fees for all cooking classes, food tours, and winery visits
- An authentic tango experience (no need to dance!)
- Airfare from Buenos Aires to Mendoza
- Private charter bus to most activities & drivers' gratuities
- Medical travel health insurance

Trip fee does not include:

- Airfare between Phoenix and Argentina
- Travel insurance

How to Join Us

- 1** Call Linda Pastori at **(480) 774-8452** or email **lpastori@rioradio.org** to make your non-refundable deposit of \$750 in order to reserve your spot.
- 2** Make final payment of the trip fee no later than May 7, 2018.
- 3** Attend the pre-trip orientation dinner on May 23, 2018, and meet your fellow travelers and KJZZ staff leading the trip.
- 4** Embark on a travel experience like you've never had before on August 5, 2018.

*Would you also be interested in skiing with KJZZ in the Andes mountains of Argentina from July 29th to August 5th? Visit **travelclub.kjzz.org***

Detailed Trip Itinerary

Part 1: Buenos Aires



Day 1: Arrive in Buenos Aires. Get to know your trip companions at the welcome dinner.

Day 2: Free time in the morning. Afternoon food tour in the neighborhood of La Boca.

Day 3: First cooking class.

Day 4: Second cooking class.



Day 5: Free time in Buenos Aires. Evening tango experience.

Day 6: Third cooking class.

Day 7: Go *gaucho* and take a daytrip to a working farm.

Day 8: Explore the Tigre Delta and the *Puerto de Frutos*.

Part 2: Mendoza



Day 9: Fly to Mendoza. Walking tour and dinner.

Day 10: First wine tour.

Day 11: Learn how to barbecue meat on an Argentine *parrilla*.

Day 12: Study the wineries of Mendoza in the countryside.

Day 13: Depart Mendoza.

Please Read Before You Book

Disclaimer

This is a study tour that focuses on developing an authentic understanding of Argentine culture by cooking the country's food. We will be preparing various vegetables, meats, and spices, many of which you may never have encountered before or which may be at odds with your dietary preferences.

While you will be free to refrain from participating in any activity, **the very nature of this experience does not allow us to provide accommodations** to individual dietary allergies or preferences, including but not limited to dairy, eggs, wheat, nuts, alcohol, beef, fish, and pork.

Additionally, this experience will require significant physical activity, including walking, climbing stairs, and standing on hard surfaces for long periods of time. Because of this, **we cannot guarantee assistance for travelers with mobility issues.**

Passports

Please provide your passport number, expiration date, and nationality when you make a deposit, as this information is required to secure transportation. **Your passport must be valid for at least six (6) months** from the first day of the trip. If you do not have a passport at the time of deposit, you agree to reimburse Friends of Public Radio Arizona for any additional transportation costs incurred due to a delay in obtaining a valid passport.

Health Certification

Please be prepared to assent to the following health certification:

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge, I am in good physical health, can readily walk three to five miles per day, climb at least three flights of stairs without stopping, and stand on hard surfaces for at least an hour at a time.

Additionally, I agree to provide the leaders of this experience a sealed envelope at the orientation dinner at the studios of KJZZ with a listing of the medications that I am taking at the time of departure that can be supplied to medical personnel in the event of an emergency. If unneeded, this envelope will be returned to me before leaving Argentina.