

## Guided Introduction to Ecuador Motorcycle Adventure Tour Itinerary

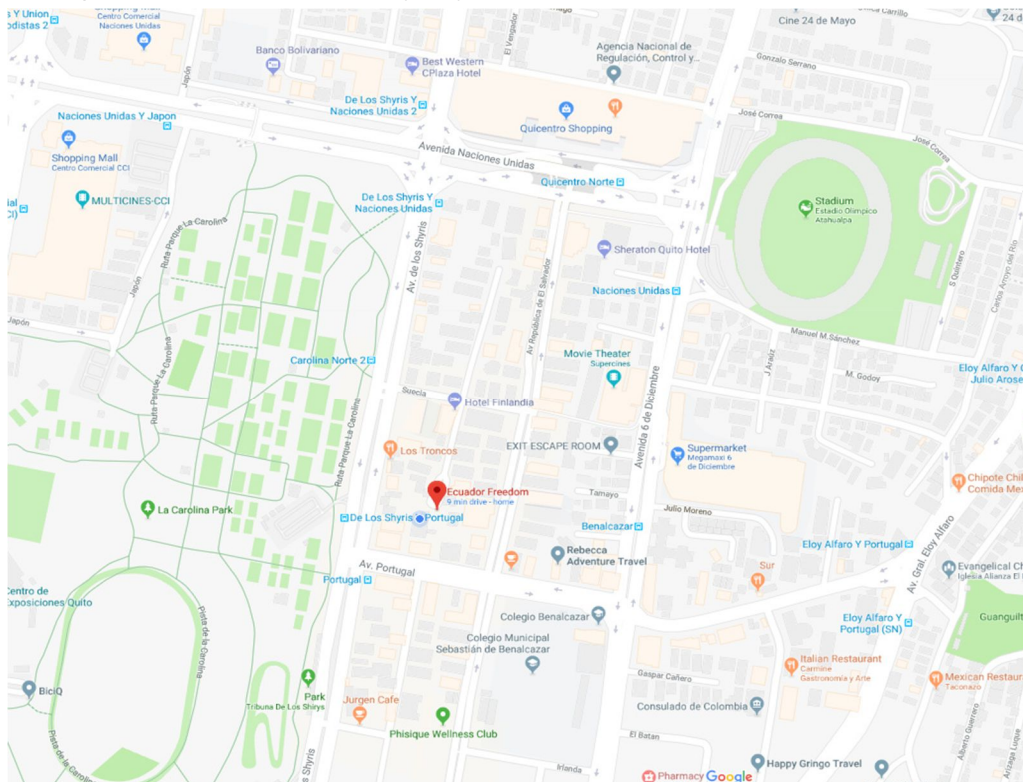
**1 or 2 days prior to the tour start date: Travel day to Quito** Fly to Quito Airport code UIO ). Transfer to the city using the well-regulated taxi services. There is never a wait at the airport for a taxi and it only costs about \$27 to get to the city from the airport. We can book a taxi for you (just ask!) but it usually just ends up taking more time to find the driver, walk to the parking, etc. There is NEVER a wait at the general taxi line, so we recommend just taking the first available from the queue.

**Accommodations: in Quito Not included.** We will provide you with a list of recommended hotels in Quito near our shop in the heart of the fashionable La Carolina neighborhood so that you can relax and explore the nearby galleries, museums, and cafés.

### Pre-Tour Registration

Stop into our shop to finish up the paperwork and choose any accessories you would like for your trip. Getting the paperwork out of the way in advance makes for an easier first day on the road.

**Ecuador Freedom Office Location:**  
Opening hours: 10AM–6PM every day



Address: Calle Finlandia N35-06 y Suecia, Quito 170135 -- Tel: (02) 600-4459

### **Day 1 Quito - Otavalo**

**Distance:** 157 km | 98 Miles

**Elevation gain/ loss:** 4198 m / -4446 m | 13,773 ft/ -14,587 ft

**Included Meals:** Lunch & Dinner

**Activities:** Inti-ñan Equator Museum, Mojanda Lake, Otavalo Market, Evening Music performance

**Accommodations:** Hacienda Pinaqui

### **Day 2 Otavalo - Galera**

**Distance:** 383 km | 241 miles

**Elevation gain/ loss:** +2344 m / -4999 m | +7690ft/-16,400 ft

**Included Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

**Activities:** Otavalo Animal Market, Cotacachi Leather Maker, Exotic Fruit Markets, Beach

**Accommodations:** Cumilinche Club

### **Day 3 Galera - Manta**

**Distance:** 339 km / 211 miles

**Elevation gain/ loss:** +977 m/-940m | +3205 ft/-3084 ft

**Included Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

**Activities:** Shrimp farm, Black Beach, Mompiche Beach

**Accommodations:** Balandra Hotel

### **Day 4 Rest Day in Manta**

**Distance:** ? - motorcycle available for you to explore on your own if you wish.

**Elevation gain/ loss:** ?

**Included Meals:** Breakfast

**Activities:** Available activities include parasailing, kite surfing, surf lessons, surfing, fishing, deep-sea fishing, snorkeling, swimming, and nightlife

**Accommodations:** Balandra Hotel

### **Day 5 Manta - Naranjito**

**Distance:** 375 km / 233 miles

**Elevation gain/ loss:** +350 m / -330 m | +1148 ft / -1083 ft

**Included Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

**Included Activities:** Banana and chocolate plantation tour, Hat maker

**Accommodations:** Hacienda La Danesa

### **Day 6 Naranjito - Zaruma**

**Distance:** 276 km / 171 miles

**Elevation gain/ loss:** +2659 m / -1608 m | +8724 ft / -5276 ft

**Included Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

**Activities:** Chocolate Experience at La Danesa, Dairy Farm

**Accommodations:** Roland Hotel

### **Day 7 Zaruma - Villcabamba**

**Distance:** 246 km / 153 miles

**Elevation gain/ loss:** +6517 m./ -6124 m | +21,383 ft / -20,092 ft

**Included Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

**Activities:** Gold Mine Tour

**Accommodations:** Descanso del Toro Lodge

### **Day 8 Vilcabamba - Cuenca**

**Distance:** 252 km | 157 miles

**Elevation gain/ loss:** +5131 m / -3130m | +16,834 ft / -10,259 ft

**Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

**Activities:** Saraguro Market, Colonial Cuenca

**Accommodations:** Hotel Victoria

### **Day 9 Cuenca - Baños**

**Distance:**

**Riding Time:** 419 km | 260 miles

**Elevation gain/ loss:** +7176 m / -7926 m | +23,543 ft / -26,004 ft

**Included Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

**Activities:** Ingapirca Ruins, Chimborazo Wildlife Refuge, Hot Springs

**Accommodations:** Posada del Arte

### **Day 10 Rest Day in Baños**

**Distance:** *You may use the motorcycle to explore on your own*

**Included Meals:** Breakfast

**Activities:** Available activities include rafting, canyoning, rapelling, swing jump, canopy zip lines, horseback riding, ATV rentals,

**Accommodations:** Posada del Arte Bed & Breakfast Inn

### **Day 11 Baños – Puerto Misahualli**

**Distance:** 150 km | 90 miles

**Elevation gain/ loss:** +2910 m /-4442 m | +9547 ft / -14,574 ft

**Included Meals:** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

**Activities:** Tibetan Bridge, Zip Line, Waterfalls

**Accommodations:** El Jardin Misahualli Lodge

### **Day 12 Puerto Misahualli - Quito**

**Distance:** 218 km / 135 miles

**Elevation gain/ loss:** +7339 m / -4933 m | +24,078 ft / -16,184 ft

**Included Meals:** Breakfast & Lunch

**Included Activities:** Motorized Canoe Expedition, Hike with Native Guide, Swim in Waterfall, Tubing on Napo River

### **Return home**

Many international flights leave around midnight from Quito. If you are catching a flight the same evening as the last day of the tour, you may enjoy VIP access to our "Freedom Riders' Lounge" - complete with a hot shower, jacuzzi, and honor bar