Amazon 4k
Brasil

PREP CLASS | March 2024
SUSTAINABILITY EXPEDITION: TAPAJÓS
WHO WE ARE

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https://eaesp.fgv.br/en/centros/centro-estudos-sustentabilidade/sobre
Intention of this class:
to get to know each other and
to kick off our learning journey
WHAT ARE WE GOING TO TALK ABOUT?

WHY AN AMAZON PERSPECTIVE?
WHO WE ARE

15 students from 7 countries

Australia
Canada
China
India
Mexico
South Africa
USA

5 business schools

EGADE Business School
UNSW
UCT Graduate Business School
University of British Columbia
Yale University
[CHECK-IN]

Your name + country + an image that reveals what comes to mind when I think of Amazon Rainforest?

(up to 1 minute)
DO NOT MISS YOUR FLIGHT!!!!

A bus departing from FGV at 5am will take us to the Airport FGV: Rua Itapeva, 432, Cerqueira Cesar, São Paulo

Viracopos Airport at 8am

- Lunch at Santarém
- Trip by bus to LBA research base, expecting to arrive around 6pm
- General presentation of the trip and a group discussion among ourselves for context before dinner
- Dinner at LBA base
- Overnight at LBA base (each person will receive a hammock for sleeping in the accommodation)
DAY 2
March 12th

- Breakfast at LBA's base
- Visit to the managed area and the carpentry + discussion with the cooperative staff
- Trip by bus to Santarém
- Boarding the regional boat
- Lunch on board as we begin our navigation and aim to reach Cachoeira do Aruã by dawn for the planned activities on day 3.

Obs: during the next days baths will be in the river Tapajós, and the meals and overnights will be on board.
DAY 3
March 13th
COMUNIDADE DO ARUÃ / MARÓ

- Breakfast on board
- Visit to Cachoeira do Aruã community
- Conversations with local leaders and visit to waterfall and hydropower plan
- Boat to Maró River

DAY 4
March 14th
COMUNIDADE DE MARÓ E ARAPIUN

- Visits to Maró Indigenous Land
- Visit to Indigenous Indigenous Village in the Maró River
- Boat to Arapiuns river
TRIP SCHEDULE

DAY 5
March 15th

- Visit to Atodi community
- Trekking in the forest
- Artisan products exhibition
- Working group activities during navigation time to Alter do Chão
- Carimbó cultural experience in Alter do Chão
- Flight to São Paulo around 4am at early morning saturday
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**IMPORTANT:** Submissions after the deadline will not be accepted.
IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- biodegradable toiletries
- bath towel
- earplugs, neck pillow and a light blanquette for the hammock
- some cash (500 reais is fine)
- your personal medications
- no internet signal

if you are taking pictures, ask for permission (no pictures of children)
if you want to bring gifts, think of something that would share some of your culture
SOME WORDS IN PORTUGUESE

Oi, tudo bem? = Hello, how are you?
Obrigado = thank you
Desculpe = sorry
Por favor = please
Meu nome é = my name is
Sou de = I am from
Não falo português = I don’t speak Portuguese
DOUBTS ABOUT THE TRIP
CONTACT US :)  
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