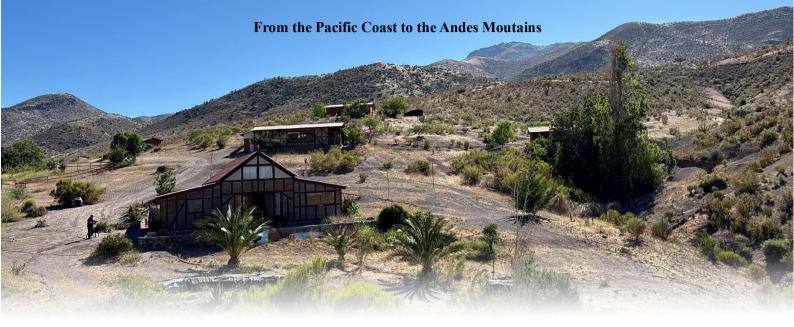






L'Hacienda des étoiles



L'Hacienda des étoiles is located in the Andes mountains of Chile, in the Rio Hurtado Valley. This haven of peace is situated five kilometers from the nearest dwelling, sheltered from any light pollution, and remains one of the only places on Earth where it is still possible to contemplate the stars under such an exceptionally clear sky.

It is a privileged place allowing for *complete disconnection* thanks to its *natural environment* and total respect for nature.

We offer different types of services:

- Cozy and comfortable chalet accommodation at 1500m altitude for a few days to enjoy peace and serenity,
- **High-quality observation equipment** provided both for imaging and visual observation to take full advantage of the sky's transparency and stability,
- **All-inclusive stays** with accommodation, equipment provided, and a specialized astronomy guide for the entire stay.
- **Excursion packages** from 1 to 5 days to optimize visits to the largest professional observatories and to discover the Atacama Desert and its many wonders.



« PACHON » Formula – Observatoire du Cerro Pachòn

- ✓ Departure from the Hacienda of the Stars early Friday morning to reach the Cerro Pachón observatory. Depending on availability (time of year), you may visit the site and enter the dome of Gemini South or SOAR. From early 2027 onwards, it should also be possible to visit Vera Rubin, once open to the public.
- ✓ At the end of the morning, following the visit, descent to the Elqui Valley for lunch in a small traditional restaurant in the village of Vicuña.
- ✓ After lunch, return to La Serena for the afternoon before heading back in the evening to the Hacienda of the Stars.

Tarifs par personne:

- Tourist: 255€/pers (min 2 people) Single supplement: 50€
- « Hacienda des étoiles » client : 190€/pers (min 2 people) Single supplement : 50€
- « Astro Evasion » trainee : Included in the price

Depending on the time of year, you may visit either Gemini South or SOAR. It is not possible to visit both domes during the same visit.

Departures for this excursion always take place on Fridays, as that is the only visiting day at Cerro Pachón Observatory.









Coupole du Gemini Sud

Telescope SOAR

Coupole du Vera Rubin

« LA SILLA » Formula – Cerro Pachòn and La Silla Observatories

Day 1 (Friday)

- ✓ Departure from the Hacienda of the Stars early Friday morning to reach Cerro Pachón Observatory. Depending on availability (time of year), you may visit the site and enter the dome of Gemini South or SOAR. From 2027, it should also be possible to visit Vera Rubin once open to the public.
- ✓ Overnight stay at a hotel on the Pacific coast.

Day 2 (Saturday)

- ✓ Departure from the hotel for a visit to La Silla Observatory (2375 m) on Saturday morning. Picnic before heading up to the observatory to discover the different domes. The visit begins in the museum area, followed by tours of the domes of the NTT (New Technology Telescope) and the ESO 3.6m telescope.
- ✓ Then, descent to La Serena for the afternoon before returning in the evening to the Hacienda of the Stars.

Tarifs par personne:

- Tourist: 615€/pers (min 2 people) Single supplement: 145€
- « Hacienda des étoiles » client : 365€/pers (min 2 people) Single supplement : 145€
- « Astro Evasion » trainee : 180€/person

Depending on the time of year, you may visit either Gemini South or SOAR. It is not possible to visit both domes during the same visit.

Departures for this excursion always take place on Fridays, as Cerro Pachón is only open for visits that day.











3.6m de La Silla Coupole du 3.6m Antenne ALMA Coupole du NTT

« ATACAMA » Formula – Cerro Pachón, Cerro Paranal and ALMA Observatories

Day 1 (Friday)

- ✓ Early morning departure from the Hacienda of the Stars to Cerro Pachón for a visit to Gemini South or SOAR depending on availability, and Vera Rubin once open to the public.
- ✓ Return to La Serena for a flight to Antofagasta (plane ticket at trainee's expense*).
- ✓ Overnight stay at a hotel in Antofagasta, a coastal city at the entrance to the Atacama Desert.

Day 2 (Saturday)

- ✓ Visit to Cerro Paranal Observatory at 2635 m altitude and its Very Large Telescope (VLT).
- ✓ Visit to the Valley of Death on the return route.
- ✓ Return to Antofagasta for an overnight hotel stay.

Day 3 (Sunday)

- ✓ Departure for San Pedro de Atacama. Visit to the Valley of the Moon and discovery of the Atacama Desert landscapes.
- ✓ Overnight stay at a hotel in San Pedro de Atacama, the 'capital' of the Atacama.

Day 4 (Monday)

- ✓ Visit to the ALMA operations base at 2500 m altitude (depending on availability).
- ✓ Depending on road conditions, it may be possible to glimpse the ALMA antenna installations located on the Chajnantor Plateau at about 5000 m altitude, on the way to Laguna Verde at the Bolivian border at the foot of Licancabur Volcano, which rises to 5900 m.
- ✓ Return to San Pedro de Atacama for an overnight hotel stay.

Day 5 (Tuesday)

- ✓ Free morning in San Pedro de Atacama.
- ✓ Return to Antofagasta, discovering the various landscapes along the way.
- ✓ Final overnight stay in Antofagasta.

Day 6 (Wednesday)

✓ Return flight* to La Serena or Santiago depending on the continuation of your journey.

Tarifs par personne:

- Tourist: 2580€/pers (min 2 people) Single supplement: 550€
- « Hacienda des étoiles » client : 2250€/pers (min 2 people) Single supplement : 550€
- « Astro Evasion » trainee : 1775€/person

Departures for this excursion take place on Fridays from the Hacienda of the Stars, since Cerro Pachón is only open on Fridays and the VLT is only open on Saturdays.



^{*} The round-trip plane ticket between La Serena and Antofagasta is at the trainee's expense. If this excursion takes place at the end of the stay, it is possible to fly directly from Antofagasta to Santiago, allowing for a connecting flight to Europe.