2003-Tropical Ecosystems of Costa Rica Contact Phone Numbers & Itinerary

Here is a list of important phone #s while we are in Costa Rica. Your significant others might need these. The contact phone number at Miami University, Dept of Geology, is 513-529-8567 or 513-529-3216. Call here first in case you need to speak with your family member. The main contact number in Costa Rica is a company named Geo Expediciones. Aurora and Marco are the owners and operators. When calling from the United States, use the country code (011) prior to dialing the number. Phone: (506) 272-2024, (506) 272-4175 FAX: (506) 272-2220

The places we'll be staying and phone numbers:

In San Jose: May 19, 27, and June 2
- Parque del Lago: 506 257-8787 Tel. Fax: 506-223-1617 Juan Carlos Sevilla - reservations

Leg One: May 20, 21, and 22 SE Caribbean Coast
- Almonds and Corals Hotel Phone: San Jose's office (011) 506-272 2024 - Fax (011) 506-272 2220, Hotel Phone (011) 506-759 9056 Fax 759 9089 e-mail: almonds@racsa.co.cr Contact: Aurora or Sonia

Leg Two: May 23 & 24 Le Selva & Arenal Volcano
- May 23- Le Selva Biological Station, overnight at La Quinta de Sarapiquí Phone: (011) 506-761 1300, (011) 506-761 1052 Fax: (011) 506-761-1052 Contact: Sra Beatriz Gamez
- May 24-Alergue La Catara Phone: (011) 506-479 9522 Fax (011) 506-645 5034 Contact: Caroline Mara-Manager

Leg Three: May 25 and May 26 Monteverde Biological Reserve
- Reserva Biologica Monteverde Tel. 506 645-5122 Fax: 506 645-5034 Contact: Elizabeth Montoya e-mail: montever@racsa.co.cr

Leg Four: May 28-June 1 Lowland Pacific Rainforests/Corcovado National Park
- May 28–Calinas Vistas al Cerro Phone: (011) 506-786-7744 Fax (011) 506-786-6663 Contact: Nelcy Portuguez
- May 29-June 1, Drake Bay Wilderness Camp (Drake) Phone:(011) 506-770-8012, Cell 506-38-4107, 506-382-0147, Fax 506-221-4948 Contact: Marlene Jimenez

2003 Course Itinerary:

- Day 1 May 19 San Jose, Overnight Parque del Lago
- Day 2 May 20 Visit to the National Museum. Head to Caribbean coast—Almonds and Corals Lodge
- Day 3 May 21 SE Caribbean Coast. Gandoca, Sea Turtle Nesting Beach
- Day 4 May 22 SE Caribbean Coast. Almonds and Corals Lodge
- Day 5 Transfer to Le Selva, Overnight at La Quinta de Sarapiqui
- Day 6 May 24 Transfer to Arenal Volcano, Overnight at La Catara
- Day 7 May 25 Monteverde Biological Reserve (Sky Trek)
- Day 8 May 26 Monteverde Biological Reserve
- Day 9 May 27 Back to San José. Overnight Parque del Lago
- Day 10 May 28 Palmar Sur–Cabinas Vista del Cerro
- Day 11 May 29 Drake Bay Wilderness Camp (Lowland Rainforest)
- Day 12 May 30 Drake Bay Wilderness Camp (Lowland Rainforest)
- Day 13 May 31 Drake Bay Wilderness Camp (Lowland Rainforest)
- Day 14 Jun 01 Drake Bay Wilderness Camp (Lowland Rainforest)
- Day 15 Jun 02 San Jose, Overnight Parque del Lago
- Day 16 Jun 03 Transfer out