

Peru, Pimentel (Chiclayo)

Quick Overview

Help the Emus and their friends! Improve the lives of these endangered species native to the coast and jungle of Peru.

Your roles will involve light construction work, cleaning, preparing food, feeding and helping with the daily chores. You'll also learn about the process of using animal materials to create fashionable handcrafted products that can be sold!

Pricing

Since 2016-01-01: 10 points

Program Characteristics

Culture: 2

Learning: 4

Leisure: 3

Community engagement: 5

Physical demand: 3

Program Duration & Availability

Min duration (weeks): 2

Max duration (weeks): -

Available from: 2017-04-01

Available until: 2018-08-31

Bookable until: 2018-08-31

Program Description

This program will gives you the opportunity to get involved with:

- Emu, Ostriches and Rheas (the native of the Americas in danger of extinction, related to ostrich and emu. There were formerly two, but now three recognized extant species)
- Leather and crafts Design and Product Development

Aims & Objectives

- Give you practical, hands-on experience in animal conservation
- Assist the program and its staff with your efforts
- Give you the chance to learn about, and bond with these large birds!

Add-on: +Learning

There is no +Learning add-on available for this program.

Schedule

Monday

If your first week, after breakfast, you'll get a training and orientation about your project: what your tasks will be as well as your Do's and Dont's during the week, then you'll discover the bird center together with the coordinator and other participants. You'll get plenty of background information about the fascinating species and will learn about their special needs and behavior. We like to make sure you're prepared the best way possible for your experience, so if you got any questions, don't hesitate to ask our experienced coordinator!

After the detailed introduction. Depending on number of participants, some days tasks can take place in the mornings or in the afternoons, in either of these cases, participants will always be able to make plans to visits the local villages surroundings and beach nearby.

Tuesday to Friday

On the average day here you'll start your project and take part in environmental or large bird conservation activities such as:

- Light Construction work
- Repairing natural fence
- Preparation of food for the birds
- Feeding the birds
- Preparing material to teach general public and children about the large birds

Expect about 4-5 hrs of activity per day!

This schedule can be changed and/or amended depending on weather conditions, local conditions and unforeseen circumstances.

Starting Dates

During 2018

This program starts every week.

During 2019

This program starts every week.

Participant Criteria & Requirements

Standard Requirements

Minimum age: 18

Maximum age: -

Minimum English level: Basic

CRB required: On Signup

Passport copy required: On Arrival

Resume copy required: No

Required qualification: None

Additional Requirements

There are no further requirements for this program.

Additional Equipment

No specific equipment required for this program.

On Social Media

Facebook: -

Tags

Adventure: No

Agriculture: No Archeology: No Art and Craft: No Beach: No Camping: No Community: Yes Conservation: Yes Construction: No **Cultural:** No Cycling: No **Environmental:** No Internship: No **Language Learning:** No **Marine Life:** No **Medical and Healthcare:** No **Outdoor:** Yes Rail Journey: No Renovation: No No **Road Trip:** Safari: No No Sports: **OK for Groups:** Yes **OK for Young Families:** No Teaching: No Walking: No Wildlife: Yes **Work with Adults:** No Work with Elderly: No Work with Kids: No **Work with Disabled:** No

Yoga and Meditation:

No