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Uganda & Rwanda

Premier Safari Experiences

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What do they say about us?

“Can't go wrong with Adventure Consults!

Going to a new country can sometimes engender anxiety, but having the right people on the ground to guide you and make you comfortable will make all the difference. I can't say enough positive things about Adventure Consults...especially our two guides, Eric and Robert, both of whom were simply outstanding. From stopping in a village to buy us a Jackfruit to try to helping us settle bills at restaurants, these guys were the real deal. One of the primary reasons I want to go back to Uganda is because of the care and attention Adventure Consults gave me and my group. And oh yeah, they know every animal and bird in the country!”

Wes Preist – USA.

welcome.

With offices in Uganda and Rwanda, and partners in all East African Countries, Europe and the United States, **Adventure Consults** specializes in designing private safaris “Into the heart of Africa”. We cater for all travelers' interests ranging from adventure, honeymoon, conferences and special interest groups (fishing, birding, research and photography trips).

Our forte is to share knowledge, love and passion for exceptional destinations. Our approach to tourism, ensures minimal negative social and environmental impacts. We focus on generating greater economic and social benefits for local people and enhance the well-being of host communities.



Heard of elephants matching in Murchison falls.



Why Travel with Us?

LOCAL KNOWLEDGE

Nothing compares to having someone on ground who has an intimate understanding of the places you wish to visit. This, along with many years of proficiency in East Africa, makes perfect trips.

VIP AIRPORT ASSIST

All Adventure Consults clients get VIP meet and greet on arrival at Entebbe & Kigali airports. You are met on tarmac, assisted through customs without queuing and meet your field guide for the next part of the holiday.

EXPERIENCED & PROFESSIONAL STAFF

Incredibly experienced, professional, connected, friendly and well-traveled team with great passion for responsible tourism. Both office and field staff are committed to be your guiding hand from the planning stage to running of your safari and ensure that you have unforgettable safari experiences! Timely responses and accurate info is core.

TRAINED, EXPERIENCED & PROFESSIONAL GUIDES

Knowledgeable guides with rich background in wildlife management, wildlife interpretation, first aid training, multilingual and have good working relationships with wildlife authority staff and industry at large.

SPECIALIZED GUIDES

Guides are allocated according to guest interests and nature of safari. Different guides are good at different areas like Birding, plants, photography, student groups, family etc.

Our presence in both Uganda and Rwanda, gives our clients an opportunity to have cross border safari experiences with the same guides and safari vehicles.



Gorilla tracking guide briefing clients at Parc des Volcans - Rwanda.



Lion family at Murchison Falls National Park - Uganda

PERSONALIZED SERVICE

We have a team of consultants who handle every client/file at a personal level from the time of inquiry, invoicing, briefing, and hand you over to the field guide. Your Safari consultant keeps in touch with the guide throughout the trip to ensure the trip is flawless.

Every client/family/trip is assigned a specific guide and vehicle for entire trip to ensure privacy & flexibility. It's very unusual to use group/hotel transport/shuttles because most of our guests are private or family travelers who love intimate experiences with a lot of flexibility.

BESPOKE & TAILOR-MADE SAFARI EXPERIENCES

Whilst we have a number of prepared itineraries, we always work with our clients to craft a holiday that suites individual specifications, allowing you to not be limited by scheduled departures or a lack of flexibility. Exclusivity is key, and most of our clients prefer private trips as families, friends, student groups, research groups, honeymoon, alumni groups and even solo travelers. No minimum number required!

SUPERIOR VEHICLES FOR COMFORT AND STYLE TRAVEL

We have specially designed Land-Cruisers, customized for safaris and wildlife viewing. Our vehicles vary from

high-end (super luxury customized Land cruisers - with charging points for your gadgets/cameras & fridges to keep drinks chilled) to midrange land cruisers for price sensitive travelers so that everyone is taken care of.

Our fleet of 4x4 super trucks have wide customized window for photography, raised to suite the road conditions, giving you the best wildlife eye-level and landscape shots/views. An integral part of the safari is the vehicle to which we have ensured maximum level of comfort, no detail has been overlooked!

CLIENT CHOICE FOR ACCOMMODATION

We never restrict on where to stay but rather go with the clients' choice. The listed accommodations in our itineraries are simply a guideline. We personally check out every place and know them inside out. Quite often, we recommend accommodations based on specific destination, easy access to activities, personal/client tastes and preferences plus planned client budget.

INSURANCE

We have a tour operators' public liability and evacuation insurance covered for every client on safari.



Adventure Consults guide with clients at the Delta (Murchison falls National Park) - Uganda.

RWANDA

The lush country with endless mountains and stunning scenery, the majestic peaks of the Virunga Volcanoes in the far North-Western Rwanda, makes the country a true Land of a Thousand Hills. In Parc National Des Volcans (PNV), the volcanoes form a natural frontier with the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) and Uganda, and hidden among the bamboo and dense jungle of their forbidding slopes are some of the world's last remaining mountain gorillas.

There's more to Rwanda than gorillas; on the shores of Lake Kivu are some of the best inland beaches on the continent.



Intore Dancers at Virunga Lodge - Rwanda.

Deep in the southwest, Nyungwe Forest is the most extensive montane rainforest in the region that is home to many primates including the world's largest troops of Black and White Colobus Monkeys and Chimpanzees. North east of the country along the border with Tanzania is Akagera National Park with forest fringed lakes, papyrus swamps, savannah plains and rolling highlands. A city tour of modern and clean Kigali will take you to the genocide museum, which does a magnificent job explaining the history of the civil war and attempts to put a face on the countless lost.



Golden Monkey at Parc des Volcans - Rwanda.

RWANDA - LAND OF A THOUSAND HILLS



Our Safaris

Our safaris range anywhere from 3 days to 3 weeks or more. Special interest activities make our packages unique. We will ask questions and may make suggestions as we understand that what is perfect for one traveler may not be ideal for another.

SPECIAL INTEREST & EXPERIENTIAL TRIPS

As part of our bespoke safari experiences, we work hand in hand with Uganda's best researchers, conservationists and community leaders to ensure that we provide more than just ordinary safaris but insight/Experiential holidays. This focuses on health as well as other conservation aspects that impact on animals and local community livelihoods. This unique new way of approaching safari packages is a definite bucket list travel idea. You will get insight visits and understanding of the Gorillas, Chimpanzees, Lion, Giraffe, mongoose etc, get to participate in coffee and tea processing exercise & deeply relate with the local communities.

GORILLA HABITUATION EXPERIENCE

Only one Gorilla family in the world can be accessed for Gorilla Habituation experience! The more endowed, less visited and greener southern part of the park offers this unique visit to the endangered giants. Unlike the normal tracking where you spend one hour with the Gorillas, here you spend about 4 hours and exercise is limited to 4 guests per day. This is an added benefit to any primate enthusiast and photographers at all levels. Limited guest numbers means a relaxed and less congested walk/

viewing and extended 4 hour interaction with the Gorillas, gives the best opportunity for the best images ever!

Your day starts early in the morning (about 6am), join the research team, detailed briefing and head out to the impenetrable forest. When you get to the Gorilla family, your guide will take you through an in-depth explanation of how Gorilla behave, watch them as they groom and play with the young ones. Gorilla Habituation Experience can be part of the long trip or can be an independent adventure.



Banded mongoose pick ticks off the Warthog – Queen Elizabeth (Uganda)



A chimpanzee enjoying fruits – Kibale Forest National Park (Uganda)

CHIMPANZEE HABITUATION EXPERIENCE

Adventure Consults offers full day Chimp Habituation Experience (CHEX) programs in Kibale Forest National Park and Murchison Falls National Park (Kaniyo Pabidi). This is a recommended option for photographers or anyone with a passion for Chimps. The terrain isn't that difficult (can be slippery on a rainy day). It is a lifetime adventure that will allow you to accompany the researchers and Habituation team. During the tour, you will come across the chimps de-nesting from

their nocturnal nests and you will follow throughout the day as they make new nests till late evening. You will see how they interact with the young ones, feed and train them how to survive on their own. Just like Gorilla Habituation experience, Chimpanzee Habituation Experience can be part of the long trip or can be an independent short adventure.

LION RESEARCH TRIPS

Become a predator researcher for a day! Get to learn on how to use telemetry to find the different lion prides who roam the savannah of Queen Elizabeth National Park.





There's no better way to find and photograph lions in Uganda. Given that one lion in each pride is collared as part of the research project, you can expect to see multiple prides during this half-day experience. You are assured of close encounters with other wildlife for a more rewarding experience. During the drive, the guides and researchers will discuss human-animal conflict in communities around the park, veterinary issues, and lion family dynamics as part of a very in-depth game drive. The activity starts very early (around 6:15am).

A DAY WITH THE BATWA-PYGMY COMMUNITY

The Batwa Experience is a *living history* unlike any other. An initiative takes Uganda's Batwa/Pygmies back into the land they lost to conservation by sharing their lifetime experiences. The historical nomadic hunter-gatherers are widely acknowledged to have been the first human residents of forest areas stretching across much of what is now Uganda, Rwanda, Burundi and the Democratic Republic of Congo. It's a hands-on, mind-opening adventure you will never forget. Trail up the mountain slopes to get a rare glimpse into this unusual pygmy tribe as your interpreter helps you understand their medicinal plant use and beliefs. You will see how they lived and hunted, learn about medicinal plants, and watch for animals and birds. You will share a traditional meal, listen to the ancient legends and traditional songs, and join in on a mock hunting party. You can even test your skill with a Batwa bow and arrow and participate in traditional dances. A visit to the Batwa is part of all or most of our Gorilla trips but special/long stay programs can be arranged. **Get in touch - sales@adventureconsults.com**

DR. GLADYS'S INTIMATE GORILLA EXPERIENCE

If you are looking for more than just Gorilla tracking experience, tracking Gorillas with Dr Gladys is a **MUST DO!** You get a unique insight into the gorillas, their health as well as other conservation aspects that impact on their survival.

The Bwindi Impenetrable Forest is home to more than half the world's remaining population of mountain gorillas, and it's where Dr. Gladys Kalema-Zikusoka goes to work. She's been studying diseases in the gorillas for almost 2 decades and is known as the "Dian Fossey" of Uganda. Tracking gorillas is a small fraction of Gladys' work. Next to Bwindi forest is Conservation Through Public Health (CTPH) lab and offices. CTPH reaches out to the local people, convincing them that healthy gorillas bring a better way of life to them. Instead of hunting gorillas and clearing the forest, keeping gorillas safe generates more income from tourism.

While Gorilla tracking, you will actively participate in collecting samples that will be used at the CTPH center and participate in examining/checking for diseases that Gorillas they could be sharing with people and their livestock. Make intimate Gorilla experience part of your long trip or can book our 4 day package - **sales@adventureconsults.com**.



Dr Gladys Kalema (Gorilla Doctor) - Uganda



Batwa/Pygmy dancers - Bwindi Impenetrable National Park (Uganda)

PHOTOGRAPHY TRIPS

As the global passion for photography grows, we have had to think about photography enthusiasts! Our “handpicked” award-winning photography guides are from all around the world (both local and international). These ambitious photography workshops/trips are often arranged in partnership with professional photographers that have the art to pass on their skills to both amateur and well-seasoned professional photographers.

Uganda is one of the world’s best kept secrets providing photography opportunities through ‘her’ savannah and forested lands that are home to colorful Birds, big game including tree climbing lions, primates (Gorillas, Chimpanzees and lots of other monkey species), the largest fresh water lake and the longest River Nile. Thinking about a photography trip? We will tailor-make it for you or book you on one of our international partners’ scheduled departures.

FISHING TRIPS

The River Nile is the lifeblood of Murchison Falls National Park and Lake Victoria (the second largest fresh water body in the world) offers the best fishing opportunities. Join our professional fishing guides for both private and small-group tours.

BIRDING TRIPS

Whilst everyone is able to show you Birds, Adventure Consults is one of the few select birding specialists who offer tailor-made exceptional Birding trips. Birding enthusiasts are assigned a private guide along with an experienced driver-guide to ensure there’s no divided attention. We prefer to craft unique packages to suite every individual’s available travel time. Whether it’s an own privately organized group expedition focused on Birds or a combination with other areas, we are experts in combining birding with a multitude of other adventure activities.

COFFEE AND TEA EXPERIENTIAL TOURS

Ever thought of knowing how your morning beverage is processed? We organize tea and coffee tours so that you get to understand the process of brewing coffee (from the Garden, to bean then finally to your cup). Get to know how each sip of coffee, contributes towards Gorilla conservation!

You are a tea person? We will take out for a tea tour and get to know how tea is grown, picked and traditionally processed. The tour also shows how ‘black’, ‘green’ and ‘white’ teas are produced and differentiated. You have an open invite to sample the fine teas at the end of the tour whilst looking over the impressive forests.



Snowcapped Mountains of the Moon (Rwenzori) – Uganda.



Wildlife cycling, Lake Mbura National Park – Uganda.

MOUNTAINEERING & HIKING EXPEDITIONS

Uganda and Rwanda are blessed with the highest points in the region! We organize private mountaineering and hiking adventures, ranging from day hiking specifically to the Volcanoes and mountain slopes.

Keen climbers can choose to climb the top of the Rwenzoris - Africa’s third highest peak (Mount Stanly, 5109m). The trails pass through glacial lakes, gorgeous viewpoints, dramatic mountain passes and lush valleys. You may opt to hike Mt Elgon which has the largest volcanic base in the world. A climb on Mt Elgon’s deserted moorlands unveils a magnificent and uncluttered wilderness.

SENIOR TRAVEL TRIPS

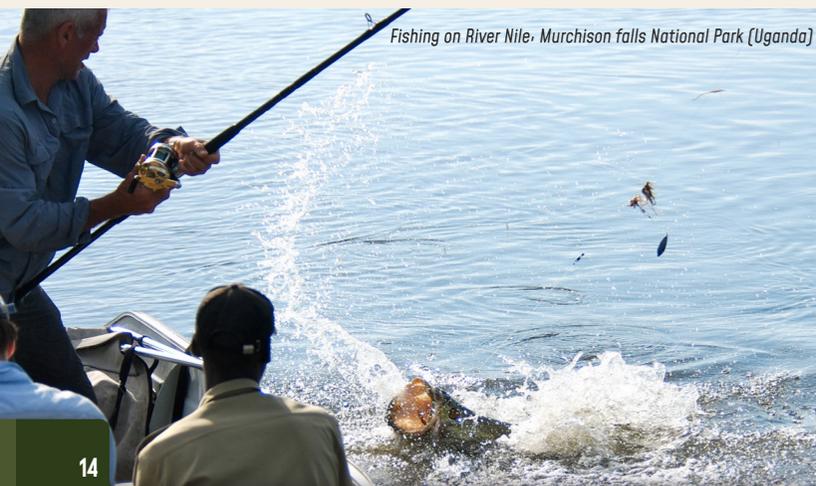
We offer authentic experiences for senior travelers who love to spend more time at each place compared to the standard programs that aim at *ticking-off* a few items. Having an in-depth visit and understanding of each place creates lasting memories, without the hassle of packing your bags every other day. Our aim is to offer expert guidance that ensures you’ll be able to spend your time doing what you want to do and not what you have to do! Prepare to see the world in comfort while learning about and interacting with local communities, listen to conservation

experts, academicians (depending on your profession and background), get hands-on experience and sometimes, you will possibly attend a church service or participate in putting up a school or church wall, or possibly go out and work at a hospital!

CYCLING SAFARIS

We are aware that most (*if not all*) travelers don’t enjoy spending lots of time in motor vehicles or motorized boats. As a result, we’ve offer cycling safaris as a way to complement the traditional safari experiences. Anyone can participate in our cycling trips with a little training, tips and advice, you don’t need to be a *Tour de France* winner or cycling expert! Riding through the national parks and countryside, and beside the many lakes and rivers, is one of the best adventures that we have to offer.

Our cycling safaris are coupled with wildlife viewing and lots of interaction with local communities. All tours are fully supported with back-up vehicles, snacks and guides who are also experienced in bicycle mechanics. Support vehicles are available for you and your bike at any time you decide to take a break.



Fishing on River Nile, Murchison falls National Park (Uganda)



Wildlife Photography guide, Lake Mbura National Park – Uganda.

Mystical Safari Itineraries

It is difficult to sum up the purity, naturalness, magnitude, and diversity of Uganda's and Rwanda's tourism options into a few words. The two destinations offer a traveling experience that is incomparable to anything in the world. Adventure Consults takes you to the pristine and untouched places. We have a number of prepared itineraries but these are simply a guide as we prefer to customize every trip to suite individual interests, budget and available time. Here are highlights for some of our packages.

THE PEARL OF AFRICA

12 day/ 11 nights road round trip taking you to Uganda's top destinations for classic big five safari drives, Chimpanzee tracking, water safari, Hot Air Balloon and Mountain Gorillas.

- Arrival via Entebbe international airport; 1 Night Entebbe: Optional day excursions available.
- 2 Nights Murchison Falls; Rhino tracking, Game drives, boat ride to the bottom of the falls, hike to the top of the falls & hot air balloon Safari.
- 2 Nights at Kibale Forest National Park; Chimpanzee tracking, Bigodi tour (Cultural walk/Swamp walk for primates & Birds), Crater Lake-walk, visit Tooro Kingdom palace.
- 2 Nights at Queen Elizabeth National Park; Katwe salt-lake, Game drives in search for Big game, Lion research experience, Boat ride on the Kazinga channel.
- 2 Nights at Bwindi Impenetrable National Park; Gorilla tracking, Birding, Visit the Batwa/pygmy communities, Ride for a woman community tour/waterfall trail walk / visit the Gorilla clinic.
- 1 Night at Lake Mburo National Park: Game drives, boat ride, Night game drives and horseback riding.
- Drive via the equator, and proceed to Entebbe airport for your international return flight.



Hippo call – Queen Elizabeth National Park (Uganda).

ULTIMATE UGANDA AND RWANDA

9 day/ 8 Nights safari through Uganda's & Rwanda's amazing Chimps, Big game, water safari and Mountain Gorillas. Kibale Forest, Queen Elizabeth National Park, and end with the endangered Gorillas of Bwindi Impenetrable Forest & Parc National des Volcans in Rwanda for everlasting memories! Rwanda section offers a walk to the Golden Monkeys or hike to Dian Fossey's grave.

- Arrival via Entebbe international airport.
- 2 Nights at Kibale Forest National Park; Chimpanzee tracking, Bigodi tour (Cultural walk/Swamp walk for primates & Birds), Crater Lake-walk, visit Tooro Kingdom Palace.
- 2 Nights at Queen Elizabeth National Park; Katwe salt-lake, Game drives in search for Big game, Lion research experience, Boat ride on the Kazinga channel.
- 2 Nights at Bwindi Impenetrable National Park; Gorilla tracking, Birding, Visit the Batwa/pygmy communities, Ride for a woman community tour/waterfall trail walk.
- 2 Nights at Parc des Volcans – Rwanda; Gorilla tracking, Golden Monkey tracking, optional volcano hiking, or a visit/hike to Dian Fossey's grave.
- Half-day Cultural tour, Kigali city tour including the genocide museum and fly out.

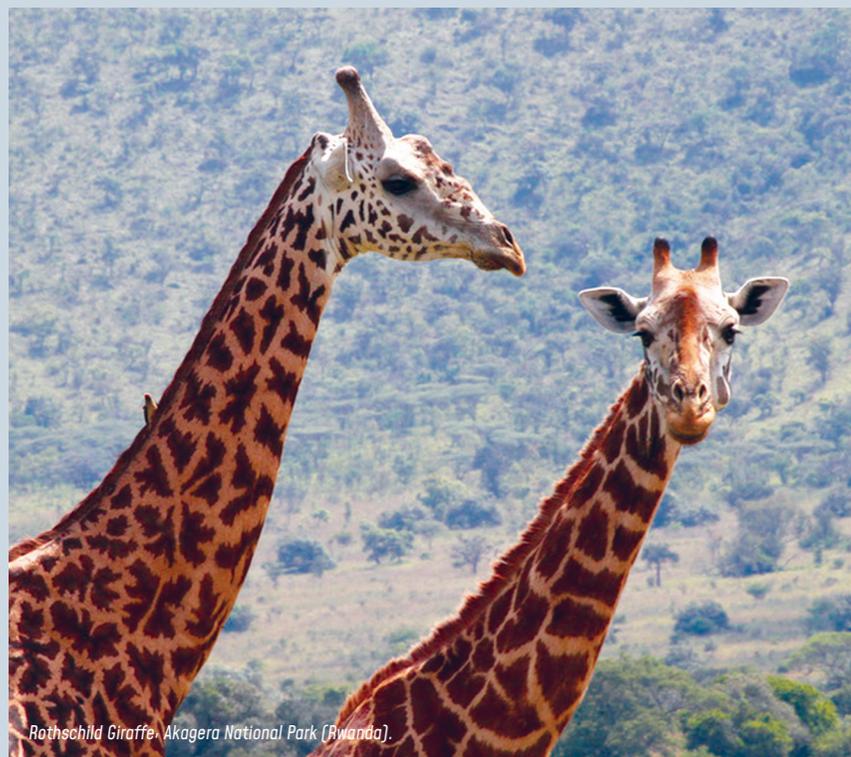


Boat ride on the Kazinga channel, Queen Elizabeth National Park (Uganda).

WESTERN WONDERLAND

7 day/6 nights Safari covering Western Uganda's amazing Chimps (Kibale Forest), Big game, water safari (Queen Elizabeth National Park) and Mountain Gorillas (Bwindi Impenetrable National Park).

- Arrival via Entebbe international airport.
- 2 Nights at Kibale Forest National Park; Chimpanzee tracking, Bigodi tour (Cultural walk/Swamp walk for primates & Birds), Crater Lake-walk, visit Tooro Kingdom palace.
- 2 Nights at Queen Elizabeth National Park; Katwe salt-lake, Game drives in search for Big game, Lion research experience, Boat ride on the Kazinga channel.
- 2 Nights at Bwindi Impenetrable National Park; Gorilla tracking, Birding, Visit the Batwa/Pygmy communities, Ride for a woman community tour/waterfall trail walk.
- Scenic flight to Entebbe. Optional day excursions to keep you busy.



Rothschild Giraffe, Akagera National Park (Rwanda).



Black & White colobus monkey, Nyungwe Forest National Park - Rwanda.

THE CLASSIC WILDLIFE & PRIMATES ADVENTURE, RWANDA

8 day/7 nights Discover Rwanda adventure;. Visit the only savannah park in the country (Akagera) for the Big5 encounter, head out to Nyungwe forest for more than just Chimps and end with the amazing Gorillas and Golden monkeys at Parc des Volcans.

- Arrive via Kigali airport and drive to Akagera National Park.
- 2 Nights Akagera National Park; Game drives (Big game) and boat ride on Lake Ihema.
- 1 Night in Kigali; City tour including a tour of Genocide museum.
- 2 Night at Nyungwe Forest; Chimpanzee tracking, Black & White colobus walk, Canopy walk.
- 2 Nights at Parc des Volcans - Rwanda; Gorilla tracking, Golden Monkey tracking, optional volcano hiking, or a visit/hike to Dian Fossey's grave.
- Half-day Cultural tour, Kigali city tour including the genocide museum and fly out.



Face to face with a baboon, Kibale Forest National Park - Uganda.



Batwa/Pygmy elders, Bwindi Impenetrable National Park - Uganda.

AWESOME APES, UGANDA

5 day/4 nights Primate trip; Kibale Forest National Park (Chimpanzees and more than 13 other primate species, Bwindi Impenetrable National Park (Gorillas and people). Possibility of driving through the famous Queen Elizabeth National Park and search for tree climbing lions.

- Arrival via Entebbe international airport.
- 2 Nights at Kibale Forest National Park; Chimpanzee tracking, Bigodi tour (Cultural walk, Bird-walk, swamp walk for more primates), Crater Lake-walk, visit Tooro palace.
- 2 Nights at Bwindi Impenetrable National Park; Gorilla tracking, Birding, Visit the Batwa/Pygmy communities, Ride for a woman community tour.
- Scenic flight to Entebbe. Optional day excursions to make your last day more exciting.

GORILLAS & PYGMIES, BWINDI

The 4 day/3 nights flying trip takes you to the amazing Gorillas & Batwa/pygmy community of Bwindi Impenetrable Forest. You will take a fascinating aerial bush flight out of Entebbe international airport for a unique interaction and Experience with the 'hairy people' - Gorillas and the historical Batwa community.

- Arrival via Entebbe international airport, Bush flight to Kihiki/Bwindi.
- 3 Nights at Bwindi Impenetrable National Park; Gorilla tracking, Birding, Visit the Batwa/Pygmy communities, Ride for a woman community tour.
- Scenic flight to Entebbe. Depending on flight schedule, there are a number of optional day excursions to keep you busy. Day rooms can be arranged.

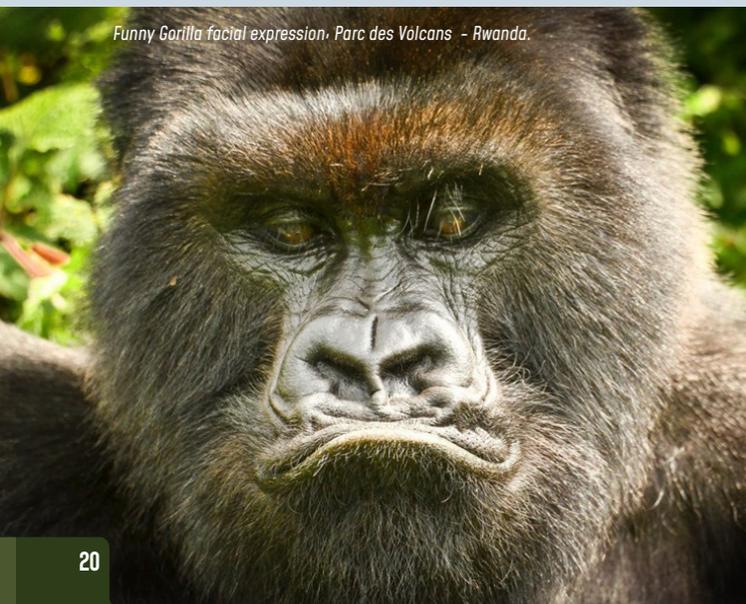
GORILLAS & MORE - RWANDA.

A 4 day/3nights safari to Parc des Volcans. Whereas Mountain gorilla tracking is often at the top of every fine traveler's bucket list, the dramatic landscape of Rwanda, visits to the fascinating golden monkeys and Rwanda's rich history, will leave you speechless! You have an opportunity to pay homage to the legendary Scientist and Gorilla Conservation advocate - Dian Fossey with a hike to her tomb or a visit to the Dian Fossey Gorilla Fund in Musanze.

Not far from the park, the bustling and vibrant markets of Musanze are a place to immerse yourself into everyday Rwandan culture and lifestyle! Go deep into the earth with Musanze's caves - one of the area's newest attractions.

- Arrival via Kigali airport and drive straight to Musanze. Option to spend the first night in Kigali.
- Gorilla tracking. Afternoon ibyi'wacu Cultural village tour.
- Option to go for a second Gorilla trek or chose from any of the these extra activities (Either track the rare chattering Golden Monkeys or climb one of the famous Volcanoes (Visoke or Muhabura) or trek to Dian Fossey's grave. Afternoon return to Kigali.
- City tour and connect to international flight via Kigali airport.

Funny Gorilla facial expression, Parc des Volcans - Rwanda.



A guest enjoys intore dance - Virunga Lodge, Rwanda.



Irresistible Safari Extensions and short trips

Nothing can equal the thrill of adding more time to your stay either before or after the main Safari or a conference. We have prepared ideal extensions ranging from day excursions to 3 day trips. These will quite often be your best choice to match international flights with main safari start and end schedules.

MURCHISON FALLS - UGANDA (3 DAYS)

The 3 days/2 nights getaway is an ideal option for busy but rather adventurous travelers. You get to see lots in 2 nights. It can be an extension to any Wildlife or Primate long Safari. The exciting journey takes you into Uganda's oldest National park which lies on the Northern end of the Albertine rift Valley.

A visit to the Rhino sanctuary is a good start as you learn and track the only Rhinos in the country. You will go on game drives and search for Big Game then later have a relaxing boat cruise along the Nile towards the bottom of the thunderous Murchison falls.

AKAGERA - WILDLIFE AND WATER SAFARI - (3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS, RWANDA)

The park has an inspiring conservation story as it is now home to lions and rhinos, and is the only Big Five Park in the country. Akagera River which flows along its eastern boundary and feeds into a labyrinth of lakes of which the largest is Lake Ihema has made it a perfect home to over 482 bird species documented. This includes the rare and prehistoric shoebill and some Lake Victoria endemics. The forest fringed lakes, papyrus swamps, savannah plains and rolling highlands combine to make Akagera amongst the most scenic of reserves anywhere in Africa.

WILDLIFE & CULTURAL ADVENTURE - KIDEPO NATIONAL PARK (4 DAYS).

The less visited National Park gives a true African safari Experience. The vast savannah with the outstanding rocks & dry rivers harbors the highest Big game population in Uganda. Have an encounter with the Karamojong tribe people with their authentic cultural practices (the dressing, meals, cattle keeping etc). If you have heard about the Masai of Kenya, then the Karamojong are exactly the same. The Birdlife in this area is amazing. Nowhere in Uganda will you find rock climbing lions and cheetahs other than Kidepo National Park.



Morning sunrise cast over Nyungwe house – Rwanda.

MORE THAN CHIMPS - NYUGWE FOREST (3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS)

Nyungwe Forest is home to habituated chimpanzees and 12 other primates' species (including a 400-strong troop of habituated Ruwenzori Black & White Colobus monkeys). It's also a birder's paradise with over 300 species, including 16 endemics, and is home to 75 different species of mammal.

Hiking or even biking in the beautiful terrain, tracking the famous chimpanzees, experiencing the canopy walk, witnessing beautiful birds, relaxing by waterfalls are just a glimpse of activities that Nyungwe offers. Sounds and views collaborate to create a one-of-a-kind wildlife experience.

BIRDS & WILDLIFE - QUEEN ELIZABETH NATIONAL PARK (UGANDA); 3 DAYS/2 NIGHTS.

Visit Uganda's most popular National Park named after the Queen of England - Perfect spot for Game viewing, chimpanzee tracking and Boat rides! The park's sprawling savanna, shady, humid forests, sparkling lakes and fertile wetlands, make it the ideal habitat for classic Big game, 10 primate species including chimpanzees and over 600 species of birds.

The jagged "blue" Rwenzori Mountains gives Queen Elizabeth the best backdrop. Dotted with dozens of enormous crater lakes, the dramatic rolling green hills, and panoramic views of the Kazinga Channel makes this a park a perfect spot for all categories of travelers.

DAY TRIPS/EXCURSIONS

You might have a day or two before or after the main safari. It could be a full day layover before your connecting flight, or simply get out and explore Entebbe, Jinja or Kampala while in Uganda. We have lots for you, and here below are a few. Get in touch for more!

ENTEBBE DAY EXCURSION OPTIONS

- Ngamba Island Chimpanzee Sanctuary
- Lake Victoria sunset cruise
- Entebbe Botanical Gardens
- Uganda Reptile Village
- Uganda Wildlife Education Center
- Mabamba bay birding excursion (shoebill)
- Fishing on Lake Victoria
- Entebbe cycling Adventure plus lots more!

KAMPALA CULTURAL AND HISTORICAL TOURS

Uganda has fascinating history and some very impressive cultures. Choosing where to go and what to see in one day can be daunting, so our wide range of Kampala cultural tours highlights the best and most interesting cultural sights you need to experience.

Kabaka's trail which covers King's palace (Ibiri), Kasubi Royal Tombs, Amin's torture chambers, The Kabaka's lake and lots more! Other important sites that are a must visit include Uganda Martyr's Shrine, Namugongo, the country's oldest cathedrals and mosques, temples, markets, the Uganda Museum, National Theatre and entertainment centers (Ndere center among others).

JINJA

East Africa's adventure capital and home to the source of the River Nile - longest river in the world! Already famed as one of Uganda's most important industrial cities, Jinja is now the country's official "adrenaline capital." A day in Jinja gives you lots of adventure options among others;

- White Water Rafting
- Kayaking
- Nile High Bungee
- Jinja Horseback Ride
- Jinja Quad Bike Safaris
- Cycling Experience.



Photo: White water rafting on the River Nile, Jinja – Uganda.

Accommodations

Both Uganda and Rwanda offers a variety of accommodation categories, ranging from high-end to midrange giving travelers options depending on personal interest and budget.



Swimming pool area at Kyaninga Lodge - Uganda.



Room interior, Bakers Lodge - Murchison Falls (Uganda).

All Adventure Consults' safari packages include accommodation. Our team go out and do property inspections, check out every place, and know them inside out. The accommodation we recommend depends on the destination, and your personal requirements, but when you book a holiday with us, we always suggest, ask a few questions and ensure that you stay at the best possible accommodations.

Accommodation classification entirely depends on locality, so in most cases could be a five-star hotel by the standards

of the places you visit. In all cases, it will be a comfortable lodge, a luxury tented camp or even camping beneath the forest canopy or by the river. Importantly, we ensure places are clean, safe, and accessible with amazing views.

Adventure Consults never dictates where one should stay as we believe it's a holiday and must be a traveler's preferred choice. Most luxury facilities have limited rooms, so you need to make quick decisions when making a booking

HOW TO GET TO UGANDA & RWANDA

Several international airlines fly into Uganda & Rwanda but mostly via Nairobi then connect to Entebbe international airport (Uganda) and Kigali international airport (Rwanda). Among others include: KLM, SN Brussels, Turkish airlines, South African airways, Emirates, Qatar airlines, Fly Dubai, Fly Sax, Kenya Airways, Ethiopian Airlines, Egypt Air, Fast jet, Rwanda air, African express.

REGIONAL AIRLINES DIRECTLY CONNECTING ENTEBBE/KIGALI

- Uganda Airlines:** Connects Arusha, Mombasa, Zanzibar (to/from Entebbe).
- Air Kenya:** Direct flights from Masai Mara to/from Entebbe.
- Coastal Air:** Direct flights from Masai Mara, Serengeti to/from Kigali.
- Auric Air:** Direct flights from Lake Manyara, Serengeti to Entebbe/Kigali.
- Tanzania Air:** Tanzania to Entebbe.

ADVENTURE CONSULTS OPEN ROADS AND DOMESTIC CLEAR SKIES

Flying Safaris: We highly recommend short Bush-flights to make your trip more rewarding! Our strong partnerships with domestic airlines in Uganda and Rwanda, ensures

competitive pricing and reliable flight schedules. Most airstrips are reasonably apart from the main lodges, so private guides and vehicles are essential. Our luxury Land-cruisers are always at the right places to meet clients for timely connections to the next destination.

By Road: Good sealed express highways and roads radiate from Entebbe/Kampala/Kigali outwards to the National parks. The diverse landscapes, homesteads, friendly people, little towns, roadside markets and farmlands, make the road drive option very impressive. Exclusive use of our comfortable vehicles will make your half-day drives less hectic.

BEST TIME TO VISIT UGANDA AND RWANDA

Safaris are available all year-round, although the best trekking, hiking and game-viewing periods are during the dry months of June through early September and late December through February. Since both countries lie across the equator, daytime temperatures in most parts of the country are consistently warm all year. The rainy seasons peak from late-September to November (with short rains) and from March to May (long rains), and gorilla tracking during these times can be more challenging but very interesting and nice for quality pictures.

As Adventure Consults, we recommend that you to take holiday to Uganda/Rwanda whenever you are ready as you may avoid the "official" rainy season only to find that it pours throughout during your visit.

Whether it's one's first or tenth trip to Uganda/Rwanda or looking for an exclusive honeymoon package, an anniversary, a lifetime dream or a good old fashioned adventure, Adventure Consults is set to give you rewarding experiences. Simply give us a hint on your key interests, & we will 'craft' it, customize it, perfect it, and operate it.



What do they say about us?

"Adventure Consults were life savers. I was traveling on an important assignment for National Geographic and needed the best. Brian and his team were so efficient and literally moved mountains to help accommodate our demanding team! I would not go anywhere else! They showed us the most magnificent unexplored gems in the region and their guides are all incredible experts in wildlife. Thank you!"

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