Tanzania Migration Safari
12 Days of Lions, Lodges, and Luxury

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with Special Faculty Leader
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Dear Alumni, Parents, and Friends,

The year-round migration of grazing herbivores across the Serengeti Plains is one of the greatest spectacles of the natural world. Join us on a 12-day journey of a lifetime to the lands of Tarangire, Oldupai Gorge, the Ngorongoro Crater, and the rarely seen Western Serengeti for an exciting African wildlife safari.

Trekking with expert naturalist guides in 4x4 Land Cruisers, observe dramatic moments unfold in the animal kingdom, the breathtaking terrain of East Africa, and the tapestry of local cultures—all while staying in the comfort of deluxe lodges and tented camps.

Space is limited to just 24 guests. With significant savings of more than $1,000 per couple, we anticipate this tour will fill quickly, so be certain to reserve your spot today and share this brochure with family and friends who may be interested in traveling with you. Reserve today online at alumni.dartmouth.edu/learnandtravel/travel, by calling (866) 639-0079 or by returning the enclosed reservation form.

Warmly,

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Free Expedition Library
AN EARLY RESERVATION BONUS

Reserve your space by July 25, 2017 to receive the FREE Orbridge Expedition Library we’ve assembled for this program.

This exclusive gift is to thank you for joining us early. Guests who reserve after the specified date may purchase libraries. Call for details.
Experience Tanzania
spectacular wildlife, colorful traditions, and sun-drenched savannas

Search for the thundering herds of wildebeest, the silent stalk of the cheetah, and the cacophonous cackle of the African Hoopoe.

Savor the suspense as you scan the terrain, follow the signals of your guide and remember to breathe. Here, it is possible to encounter lion, cheetah, leopard, elephant, wildebeest, zebra, primates, antelope, gazelle, crocodile, and more than a thousand species of birds. Be a part of an unforgettable adventure that brings you face-to-face with the cycle of life, drama of survival, and spirit of adventure.

With exceptional access to Tanzania’s game parks, you’ll travel with a naturalist Orbridge Expedition Leader and stay in luxurious accommodations. This signature journey provides a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to witness the amazing diversity and hierarchy of wildlife in East Africa.
Your 12-Day Itinerary*

**Day 1:** En route from U.S.

**Day 2:** Arrive Arusha, Tanzania  
Welcome and settle in  
Overnight: Lake Duluti Serena Hotel

**Days 3-4:** Tarangire National Park (B,L,D)  
The greatest concentration of wildlife outside of the Serengeti, large herds of elephants, 260+ bird species, bush lunch, unique opportunity for a night game drive  
Overnight: Maisha Kikoti Safari Camp

**Day 5:** Ngorongoro Conservation Area (B,L,D)  
Mto wa Mbu village visit, traditional lunch, banana plantation walk  
Overnight: The Country Lodge

**Day 6:** Ngorongoro Crater (B,L,D)  
Earth’s largest intact volcanic caldera and natural wildlife sanctuary, full-day game drive  
Overnight: The Country Lodge

**Days 7-8:** Oldupai Gorge / Serengeti National Park – Seronera Valley (B,L,D)  
Educational lecture, game drives, optional Hot Air Balloon Safari**  
Overnight: Serengeti Serena Safari Lodge

**Days 9-10:** Western Serengeti / Grumeti / Lake Victoria (B,L,D)  
Guided visit to fishing village and school, game drives, special farewell dinner  
Overnight: Kirawira Tented Camp

**Day 11:** Serengeti / Flight to Arusha / Depart for U.S. (B,L,Light Snack)  
Day room: Lake Duluti Serena Hotel

**Day 12:** En route / Arrive U.S.

**Activity Level:** This program requires an ability to walk over uneven, sometimes slippery ground, and get in and out of a 4 X 4 Land Cruiser. Average elevation: 5,000 feet

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**Program Highlights**

- **Explore some of the most important parks and reserves in East Africa, including the Serengeti—host at different times of the year to the Great Migration, the cyclical journey of 1.6 million herbivores on their quest for survival.**

- **Participate in up to 12 game drives with guaranteed window seating aboard custom-outfitted Land Cruisers, accompanied by an Orbridge Expedition Leader.**

- **Visit Oldupai Gorge—called the “Cradle of Humanity”—encounter local cultures on guided village, school, and plantation visits.**

- **Spend a full day at Ngorongoro Crater—home to populations of lion, leopard, black rhino, wildebeest, buffalo, elephant, and zebra.**

- **Reserve an optional hot-air balloon safari over the Serengeti, followed by a champagne breakfast and game drive.**

- **What’s included:** nine nights accommodations at deluxe lodges and tented camps; all meals; expert naturalist guides throughout; daily game drives in comfortable, open-air vehicles; internal flight on day 11 from the Serengeti to Arusha; airport transfers for guests who arrive/depart on suggested flights; all main program gratuities, as well as taxes, service charges, and park fees; and temporary membership in the Flying Doctors Service.

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*Itinerary subject to change. Locations selected for this safari promise excellent viewing of wildlife, whether migrating herds or resident populations. However, spotting specific wildlife cannot be guaranteed. Some activities are dependent on weather and seasonal conditions. Visit our website for more information and a detailed itinerary.*

**This 3-4 hour optional excursion includes a balloon ride over the Serengeti, champagne breakfast, and game drive.*
Your Accommodations

Lake Duluti Serena Hotel (Arusha)
With idyllic scenery, stunning architecture, as well as excellent cuisine and service, Lake Duluti Serena Hotel is a perfect retreat for your introduction to Tanzania.

Maisha Kikoti Safari Camp (Tarangire National Park)
This luxurious camp, an African Wildlife Trust property, is surrounded by a landscape of ancient boulders, baobab, mopane and fig trees, and is located on the principal migratory corridor from the adjacent Tarangire National Park.

The Country Lodge (Ngorongoro Highlands)
Just 10 minutes from Ngorongoro Crater, retreat to a comfortable cottage in a colorful garden setting. Friendly and attentive staff will treat you with warm Tanzanian hospitality.

Serengeti Serena Safari Lodge (Serengeti National Park)
Make yourself at home in a thatched circular rondavel nestled among acacia trees. Surrounded by natural stone and wood décor, enjoy modern comforts and views of the Serengeti wilderness.

Kirawira Luxury Tented Camp (Western Serengeti)
On a hilltop overlooking the vast plains of the Serengeti, Kirawira offers you a luxurious safari experience, with its Victorian era décor, excellent cuisine, and colonial furniture.

Accommodations are subject to change. While specific properties are secured well in advance, it is sometimes necessary to substitute hotels and camps with as-good or better options.
Optional Extension

Mountain Gorilla Trek in Rwanda

Search for gorillas of the Virunga Mountains for the very unique privilege of observing them in their natural habitat. The intimate experience of coming close to these gentle giants as they interact, play, and nestle into the forest foliage can be life-changing and unforgettable.

**What’s Included**

- Airfare from the Serengeti to Kigali (KGL)
- Accommodations at Kigali Serena Hotel and Mountain Gorilla View Lodge (or similar)
- 2 fully-guided morning gorilla treks
- 3 breakfasts, 3 lunches, and 3 dinners
- Transfers, park fees, and gorilla trekking permits

**Activity Level:** The Rwanda extension involves hiking in tropical forests on sometimes steep and rocky terrain.

**Extension Itinerary**

**Day 11:**  Morning game drive / Flight to Rwanda / Arrive Kigali (D)

**Day 12:**  Kigali sightseeing / Genocide Museum / Kinigi-Ruhengeri (B,L,D)

**Day 13:**  Volcanoes National Park / Gorilla Trek / Rwandan traditional dance (B,L,D)

**Day 14:**  Gorilla Trek / Kigali / Depart for U.S. (B,L, Light Snack)

**Day 15:**  En route / Arrive U.S.

**Your Expedition Leader:**

While in Tanzania, an Orbridge Expedition Leader will infuse your journey with an appreciation of its extraordinary wilderness, an uncanny ability to spot wildlife, a local’s knowledge and pride of place, and a naturalist’s ability to gather the beauty of all senses to your experience.
Special group rate; limited offer. Rates are per person, based on double occupancy except where noted as Single, in U.S. dollars. Single availability limited.

Airfare from the Serengeti to Arusha is included in the program rate. Airfare from Tanzania to Rwanda is included in extension rate. Airfare otherwise is not included. **Place your deposit on or before the specified date, and one Expedition Library per room will be sent upon receipt of final payment. ***In lieu of your written notice.

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Special Faculty Leader: Ayo A. Coly
Associate Professor of Comparative Literature and African Studies

Ayo A. Coly is an Associate Professor of Comparative Literature and African Studies at Dartmouth College. She is from Dakar, Senegal. She went to school in both Senegal and France, then moved to the United States to complete a Ph.D. in Comparative Literature and Women’s and Gender Studies at Pennsylvania State University. Her published works focus on African women’s literatures, homophobia, and gender in Africa, and her work recently compared those to memory politics. She is currently completing her book African photography which will now show the pervasive use of book bodies and sexualities. Ayo A. Coly has traveled widely across Africa. She also serves as a consultant to NGOs and international organizations in the fields of women’s education and gender violence. This will be Ayo’s second trip to Tanzania with Dartmouth Alumni Travel and she is looking forward to returning and sharing her knowledge of Tanzanian culture again.