BEST OF TANZANIA

A MIGRATION SAFARI

FEBRUARY 29 – MARCH 10, 2024

$5,950 per person plus international airfare

Single Room Supplement - $1,400
SAFARI OVERVIEW:

- Expert Safari Legacy naturalist guides accompany you throughout your safari
- Tanzania – unrivalled wildlife and habitat diversity
- Exploration of the best known and most distinguished parks and reserves in East Africa
- Opportunities to observe the Great Wildebeest Migration
- Accommodations include deluxe lodges and tented camps, carefully selected to maximize wildlife viewing
- Custom, 4x4 Land Cruisers ensure window seating and roof-hatch access, guaranteeing exceptional wildlife viewing experiences
- Cultural interaction with the Maasai
- Full day exploring the Ngorongoro Crater with picnic lunch
- Olduvai Gorge lecture and museum
- Farewell Serengeti bush dinner
Safari Itinerary

**DAY 1 - FEBRUARY 29 - DEPART USA**

**DAY 2 – MARCH 1 - ARRIVE KILIMANJARO AIRPORT – TANZANIA / ARUSHA**
Arrive Tanzania this evening. After clearing customs proceed outside of baggage claim where you will be met on arrival by your Safari Legacy safari guides and transferred to the Arusha Serena Resort & Spa for overnight. (no meals)

**DAY 3 & 4 – MARCH 2 & 3 - TARANGIRE NATIONAL PARK**
After breakfast and a safari briefing, travel to Tarangire National Park where you will enjoy game drives each day. Tarangire is known for a wonderful diversity of wildlife amidst the magnificent baobab trees that dot this beautiful landscape. Tarangire is also known for its large herds of elephants and is home to more than 2,500 individuals and more than 260 bird species. Overnight at Balloon Camp Tarangire, a deluxe tented camp located close to Boundary Hill with spectacular views of Tarangire National Park (BLD)

**DAY 5 – MARCH 4 - TARANGIRE / NGORONGORO HIGHLANDS**
This morning we enjoy a morning game drive as we depart Tarangire National Park and travel to the Ngorongoro Highlands arriving in time for lunch. Late afternoon is at leisure. Overnight at the Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge, with stunning views of Tanzania’s Ngorongoro Crater. (BLD)

**DAY 6 – MARCH 5 - EXPLORE NGORONGORO CRATER**
After breakfast, we make our descent into the Ngorongoro Crater, the Earth’s largest unbroken caldera. A veritable “Garden of Eden,” the Crater is reputed to contain the highest density of carnivores, which includes the cheetah, leopard, and lion. This is the only place in East Africa where
one can observe a natural population of black rhino and big tuskers. Enjoy a full day exploring the crater with a deluxe picnic lunch. Overnight at Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge. (BLD)

**DAY 7 – MARCH 6 - OLDUVAI GORGE / CENTRAL SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK (SERONERA VALLEY)**

Today we navigate around the crater’s rim, descending to Olduvai Gorge, one of the most important prehistoric archaeological sites on Earth. It was here in the 1950s that Louis and Mary Leakey first uncovered the fossilized teeth and skull of one of our earliest ancestors. After an interpretive presentation, we continue to Tanzania’s most renowned national park, the Serengeti. Home to the greatest concentration of large mammals on Earth, the migratory herds of wildebeest, zebra, and gazelle roam widely in search of green grass and water. Dinner and overnight at Serengeti Serena Safari Lodge at overlooking the acacia dotted plains of the Serengeti. (BLD)

*An optional Hot Air Balloon Safari with a champagne breakfast is available during your stay in the central Serengeti. This balloon safari will be in lieu of a morning game drive. Advance reservation is highly recommended to ensure space availability.*

**DAY 8 & 9 – MARCH 7 & 8 - EXPLORE THE SERENGETI NATIONAL PARK**

We enjoy morning and afternoon game drives each day, which will provide an opportunity to explore this great park which provides a year-round habitat for many of the Serengeti’s bird and mammal species. We overnight two nights at Serengeti Serena Safari Lodge, overlooking the acacia dotted plains of the Serengeti. Enjoy a farewell bush dinner under the star-studded sky on our last night in Africa. (BLD)

**DAY 10 – MARCH 9 - FLY SERENGETI / ARUSHA / CULTURAL HERITAGE CENTER & MUSEUM / EVENING DEPARTURE**

After our morning game drive, we transfer to the Seronera airstrip for our scenic flight back to Arusha. On arrival we have lunch and finish our shopping for woodcarvings, art or tanzanite at the Cultural Heritage Centre and Museum. We enjoy dayrooms at the Arusha Serena Lodge Resort & Spa until our transfer to the airport this evening. (BL)

**DAY 11 – MARCH 10 - ARRIVE U.S.**
**INCLUDED ON SAFARI:**

- Meet and greet on arrival at the airport by Safari Legacy Safari guides/staff
- All transfers if arriving and departing with group in the evening on day 1 and on day 10 on KLM Airlines; If arriving on another carrier, earlier in the day or on a different day, separate, private transfers are subject to an additional cost
- Safari accommodations in deluxe lodges and tented camps
- Full day exploring the Ngorongoro Crater
- All meals and **farewell Serengeti bush dinner** (B – breakfast; L – lunch; D – dinner)
- Olduvai Gorge visit & lecture
- All taxes, service charges & park fees
- Transportation in Safari Legacy’s comfortable 4x4 Toyota Land Cruisers
- Expert Safari Legacy naturalist safari guides accompany you throughout your safari
- Complimentary 1 litre bottled water while on game drives; coffee and tea with meals
- Scheduled Scenic internal flight from Serengeti to Arusha
NOT INCLUDED:

- International airfare
- Travel insurance
- Tanzania Visa (can be obtained online before departure)
- Drinks (bottled water is included in your vehicle while on game drives)
- Gratuities/tips to your Safari Legacy safari guides, wait staff and camp/lodge staff
- Laundry
- Personal expenses
- Optional Serengeti Hot Air Balloon Safari with Champagne breakfast in lieu of a morning game drive while in the central Serengeti - $520 per person

Serengeti Balloon Safari
WHAT TO EXPECT ON SAFARI IN TANZANIA

On safari in Tanzania you can expect excellent accommodations — Hotel/lodge and deluxe safari-style camping; great food with many choices; some picnic lunches; light walking; a few long but interesting drives — up to six hours at times, which can be on some uneven bumpy roads — which will always include wildlife viewing when moving from one park to the next; some dust; morning and afternoon game drives each day; and cool mornings and evenings with warm days. One must be able to climb (step on and down) in and out of a safari 4x4 vehicle and in and out of a small aircraft. One should be in good physical condition, remain flexible, be of good humor, and have a spirit of adventure and curiosity to enjoy this safari to its fullest.
RWANDA

MOUNTAIN GORILLA TREKKING SAFARI

OPTIONAL PRE – TOUR EXTENSION

FEBRUARY 26 – MARCH 1, 2024

$4045.00 per person in double accommodations

Single Room Supplement - $620
Gorilla trekking is often described as “life changing” and with good reason. With only an estimated 880 Gorillas left in the world, to see these gentle creatures so close and in their natural habitat is a truly unique experience. Gorillas make their homes in and amongst the bamboo-covered slopes of the Virunga Mountains in the Volcanoes National Park in northern Rwanda. Accompanied by your expert trackers and guides, you will have an opportunity to spend an hour with one of the fully habituated families of mountain gorillas.

**ITINERARY:**

**DAY 1 – FEBRUARY 26 - DEPART US**

**DAY 2 – FEBRUARY 27 - KIGALI, RWANDA**
Arrive Kigali Airport via Amsterdam. Met on arrival by Safari Legacy and transferred to the Kigali Serena Hotel for overnight. (no meals)

**DAY 3 – FEBRUARY 28 - KIGALI / MOUNTAIN GORILLA VIEW LODGE**
Morning sightseeing excursion of Kigali town, including a visit to the Genocide Museum. Lunch at Safari Bite restaurant followed by afternoon drive to Kinigi, arriving late afternoon for check in followed by dinner and overnight at the Mountain Gorilla View Lodge. (BLD)

Mountain Gorilla View Lodge is an eco-lodge located in Kinigi in northern Rwanda and on the edge of the Volcanoes National Park, close to where you will begin your gorilla trek. The lodge is situated on the foothills of the Mount Karisimbi, one of the volcanic mountains that make up the Virunga Massif and is about a ten minutes’ drive to the main entrance of the Volcanoes National Park. This eco-lodge is very basic but provides all your necessary amenities. Mountain Gorilla View Lodge supports the surrounding rural community by purchasing farm-fresh produce that is served in the lodge’s restaurant.

**DAY 4 – FEBRUARY 29 - VOLCANO NATIONAL PARK / GORILLA TREK / KIGALI**
After an early breakfast we meet our guide and tracker at the park headquarters and begin our gorilla trek. Mountain gorilla trekking in Volcano National Park is one of the most exciting experiences on Earth! After an hour of observation with these great primates, return to the lodge for lunch. Afternoon drive back to Kigali. Overnight Kigali Serena Hotel. (BLD)

**DAY 5 – MARCH 1 – KIGALI / KILIMANJARO AIRPORT, TANZANIA / ARUSHA**
This morning transfer to the Kigali Airport for your flight to Tanzania (booked by Safari Legacy). Upon your arrival in Tanzania, clear customs and you will claim your luggage. Safari Legacy will meet you outside of baggage claim. Drive to Arusha and the Arusha Serena Resort & Spa. Afternoon is free. Tanzania group arrives tonight. Overnight Arusha Serena Resort & Spa. (BLD)
Included on your Pre-Rwanda Extension:

- All pre departure information to prepare you for your safari
- All Transfers
- All Park Fees
- (1) Gorilla Trekking Permit
- Transportation in 4x4 custom Toyota Land Cruiser
- All accommodations as per itinerary
- All meals
- Bottled water while on excursions/trek
- Internal airfare from Kigali to Kilimanjaro Airport in Tanzania

Not Included:

- Passport and visa fees
- Travel Insurance
- Drinks
- Laundry
- Personal expenses
- Tips to your driver and Gorilla Trekking guide; porters and waiters

GORILLA TREKKING – WHAT TO EXPECT:

To protect gorillas from viruses and disease, no children under 15 or adults with illnesses are allowed to trek. Gorilla trekking is one of the most incredible wildlife experiences one will ever encounter. **One must be in good physical health/condition to trek gorillas.** In order to prepare you for your trek we suggest you are able to walk 1-2 miles up and down hills easily. Gorilla trekking is usually at an altitude of 7,500 feet. Trekking can take anywhere from 1 hour to 3 hours or so. The terrain can be uneven, up and down hills, muddy, wet, and very slippery. Water is provided at all times during your trek. There are porters available to carry your camera and other equipment. Your day will begin around 7:30 am. Once your gorilla group is found you will have 1 hour with the gorillas. This is a very special experience you will never forget. There is an option to hire a stretcher for an additional cost and be carried to see the gorillas! The cost is approximately $200 for this service.
ZANZIBAR

“THE SPICE ISLAND”
OPTIONAL POST EXTENSION
MARCH 9 - 12, 2024
$1,640 per person in double accommodations
Single Room Supplement $355
**DAY 1 – MARCH 9 - SERENGETI / FLY VIA ARUSHA TO ZANZIBAR**  
Enjoy a brief game drive en-route to the Serengeti Grumeti airstrip for our scenic flight to Zanzibar via Arusha. On arrival in Zanzibar, you will be met by a Safari Legacy representative and transfer to the **Zanzibar Serena Hotel** arriving in time for a late lunch. The Zanzibar Serena is in a stunning location, as it sits on the waterfront of ancient Stone Town and offers a tranquil haven amidst the bustle of the city, which is just a short walk away. Antique clocks, crystal chandeliers, Persian rugs, and brass-studded doors enhance the hotel’s gracious tropical colonial décor.

Idyllically situated on the seafront of ancient Stone Town of Zanzibar, and flanked by an exotic mix of sultan’s palaces, Portuguese forts, ancient dhow harbors, and bright bazaars, the Zanzibar Serena Hotel is a haven of tranquility and opulence amongst the bustle of one of Africa’s most ancient and most enchanting towns. A member of the prestigious Small Luxury Hotels of the World, it has been styled to represent the epitome of Swahili style, ethnic elegance, and Arabic opulence, setting it apart as one of the finest hotels in Zanzibar. This afternoon is at leisure. Dinner and overnight at **Zanzibar Serena Hotel – standard room.** (BLD)

**DAY 2 – MARCH 10 - STONE TOWN WALKING TOUR & JOZANI FOREST**  
Our day begins with breakfast and a spectacular view over the Indian Ocean. This morning we enjoy a walking tour of Stone Town, which exists today much as it did in the days when the “Isle of Spices” was a great trading center known the world over for spices and timber. As we move away from the market, the winding streets grow serene and mysterious with whitewashed houses, ornately carved wooden doors and balconies studded with brass. We visit the Zanzibar Museum and the Old Fort. After lunch (on your own) we travel across the island through quaint villages and lush vegetation to the enchanting Jozani Forest. Here we have wonderful opportunities to see red colobus monkey, endemic to Zanzibar and also known as Kirk’s red colobus after Sir John Kirk, the British Resident of Zanzibar who first brought the red colobus to the attention of zoological science. Overnight at **Zanzibar Serena Hotel.** (BD)

**DAY 3 – MARCH 11 - FLY ZANZIBAR / DAR ES SALAAM – EVENING DEPARTURE**  
This morning is free to explore Stone Town on your own or take an optional Spice tour which can be arranged with your Safari Legacy guide in Zanzibar. Enjoy dayrooms at the Zanzibar Serena Hotel until your transfer to the airport for your domestic flight to Dar es Salaam (booked by Safari Legacy). Connect with your evening international flight to the US. (BL)

**DAY 4 – MARCH 12 – ARRIVE USA**
What’s Included:

• Scheduled flight Serengeti to Zanzibar via Arusha
• Scheduled flight Zanzibar to Dar Es Salaam
• All airport transfers
• Stone Town Walking Tour
• Jozani Forest Tour
• Accommodations at the Zanzibar Serena Hotel
• Meals as per the itinerary (B - breakfast; L – lunch; D - dinner)
• Bottled water while on excursions

Not Included:

• Lunch in Stone Town on Day 2
• Drinks
• Laundry
• Personal expenses
• Optional Spice Tour on last day which can be booked directly depending on departure time from Zanzibar
RESERVATION FORM

A non – refundable deposit of $1000 per person is required for the Best of Tanzania Migration Safari, which departs the U.S. on **February 29, 2024, and returns to the U.S. on March 10, 2024.** If taking the optional Pre-Rwanda Extension, a non-refundable deposit of $1500 per person is required at the time of booking. Deposits are due at the time of booking. Credit cards are not accepted for deposits or final payments. **Please make checks payable to Safari Legacy, Inc.**, and return your deposit and completed reservation form to:

Safari Legacy, US Sales & Marketing Office, P.O. Box 14, Montevallo, AL 35115
205.706.0306 / jennifer@safarilegacy.com

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$5,950.00 per person in double accommodations plus international airfare
Single Room Supplement - $1,400.00

Optional Serengeti Hot Air Balloon Safari - $520 p/p Yes____ No_____

Optional Pre-Tour Rwanda Gorilla Trekking Safari – 1 trek – (Depart the US on February 26th)
$4,045 per person: Yes ____ No ____ (Single Room Supplement - $620)

Optional Post-Tour Zanzibar Extension – (Return to the US on March 12th)
$1,640 per person: Yes ____ No ____ (Single Room Supplement - $355)

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**TRAVELER INFORMATION**

Passport Name ____________________________________________ Date of Birth ________________________________

Passport Number ___________________________ Name Badge ____________________________

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Passport Number ___________________________ Name Badge ____________________________

Address _______________________________________________________________________________________

City ____________________________ State ____________ Zip ____________________________

Phone (Home) ____________________________ (Cell) ____________________________

E-mail address __________________________________________________________________________________
ACCOMMODATIONS
Prices are based on double occupancy. If a single room is requested or we are unable to find a suitable roommate, the single supplement rate will be charged.

I will share a room with _____________________________ I request a single room (limited availability) ______
Bedding Request: Queen Bed ____ Twin Beds ____

TRIP CANCELLATION INSURANCE & AIR MEDICAL EVACUATION
We strongly recommend purchasing Trip Cancellation/Interruption Insurance as well as air evacuation insurance. You will receive more information on travel insurance from your alumni association shortly after your reservation and deposit are received.

AIR TRANSPORTATION
Safari Legacy’s air supplier will be happy to assist you with air reservations from your hometown to (JRO) Tanzania. (or KGL – Kigali, Rwanda if taking the Pre Ext) Please note: KLM works the best with our safari itinerary, however we can accommodate any airline carrier, arrival and departure with private, separate transfers at an additional cost. Once flights are purchased, tickets are 100% non-refundable and any changes will result in change fees imposed by the airline. Please email your request to: sohail@ctsfares.com for a quote and schedule. (Credit cards can be used for all air reservations) CTS Fares nor Safari Legacy are responsible for any airline changes, delays or cancellations. Please be sure to purchase travel insurance.

FINAL PAYMENT
Final payment is due 90 days prior to departure. All final payments are payable by check. Credit cards are not accepted. Checks are made payable to Safari Legacy, Inc., and mailed to: Safari Legacy, P.O. Box 14, Montevallo, AL 35115.

I have read and accept the conditions and further understand and agree that the safari I am taking may involve risks. I therefore assume all risks involved with regard to this safari and agree that The Michigan State University Alumni Association, Safari Legacy, Inc. US office, Safari Legacy, Ltd. in Tanzania and Rwanda and its affiliates will in no way be responsible or liable for any injury, loss or accident to myself or my belongings, or delay that may be caused by events not within our control, including, without limitation, acts of terrorism, war, strikes, or force majeure. This is acknowledged by myself knowingly and willfully and shall be binding on my heirs and next of kin. Each traveler must sign this waiver.

Date___________________________________
Signature(s)________________________________________________________________________
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A confirmation with pre – departure information will be sent to you by email upon receipt of this reservation form and deposit.

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Tour Price: The tour price is based on double occupancy and does not include international airfare or gratuities. The tour price is based on a minimum of 10 travelers with an association host or expedition leader in country. The safari will operate with a minimum of 5 travelers with no host or expedition leader. Safari Legacy safari guides will accompany all safaris throughout. The maximum group size is 24 guests.

Our Published Rates: Changes in rates are rare and caused by extraordinary circumstances outside Safari Legacy's control. In the rare event that a cost should increase, cancellation is allowed without penalty prior to 90 days before departure. All prices are per person, based on double occupancy. All prices are subject to change.

Gratuities: The safari cost does not include gratuities. On safari you will have multiple Safari Legacy safari guides depending on your group size. However, you will only tip one Safari Legacy guide. More information on gratuities can be found in your pre-departure information.

Single Travelers: Our safari costs are based on double occupancy. However, we try to accommodate single travelers who request single accommodations, as well as single travelers who are looking for a roommate. If a single room is requested, or we are unable to find a suitable roommate, you will need to pay the single room supplement.

Final Payment: Final payment is due 90 days prior to departure. All final payments are payable by check. Credit cards are not accepted. Checks are made payable to Safari Legacy, Inc., and mailed to: Safari Legacy, P.O. Box 14, Montevallo, AL 35115.

Cancellation Policy: Notification of cancellation must be made in writing/email to Safari Legacy. At the time we receive the cancellation all moneys will be refunded less the following cancellation charges. Deposits are non-refundable. We highly recommend getting travel insurance.

91 days or more before departure: Cancellation fees equal the amount of your deposit
90 to 61 days before departure: 50% of the package price is non-refundable
60 days or less before departure: 100% of the package price is non-refundable

Please note: Refunds can take up to 12 weeks to process and be refunded to you.

Cancellation by Safari Legacy: In the rare event that your safari is cancelled by Safari Legacy for reasons other than force majeure or extraordinary causes beyond Safari Legacy's control, all monies paid to Safari Legacy will be refunded in full, excluding expenses incurred for preparing for the safari, including non-refundable airline tickets, immunizations, passport and visa fees. If a safari is canceled by Safari Legacy for reasons of force majeure or extraordinary causes beyond Safari Legacy’s control, Safari Legacy will make every attempt to recoup the maximum reimbursements from our partners on the ground and will in turn refund all recoverable costs possible.

Force Majeure: Force Majeure means any event beyond a Party’s reasonable control, which is unavoidable and the extraordinary including without limitation acts of God, natural catastrophes/adverse weather conditions, epidemics, pandemic or any other viral outbreaks, global health emergencies, contaminations, public unrest/strikes, war, changes in laws or regulations, coercive measures by the state or quarantines, which unreasonably hinder or temporarily make the fulfilment of the route and the services on board partly or completely impossible, shall entitle the Operator to
postpone/suspend the performance of any travel services or the pursuit of the route for the duration of the hinderance in days.

In case the Force Majeure event occurs prior to the departure, Operator will use reasonable efforts to offer a credit on any future safari for up to one year (12 months from departure date). In case Force Majeure event occurs while the safari is in progress, Operator shall use the best efforts for the contract to survive and to mitigate the impact of Force Majeure event on the safari.

**Travel Insurance:** Trip interruption, cancellation and air medical evacuation insurance is highly recommended. You will receive more information on travel insurance from your alumni association.

**Airline Arrangements:** Safari Legacy’s suggested airline consolidator would be happy to arrange your airline arrangements from your hometown to Tanzania (or Rwanda). CTS Fares, offer very competitive fares as compared to booking directly with the airline. Please note: Once the ticket is issued by CTS Fares, no changes can be made without penalty. Please note: Delta/KLM (and all airlines) can change seats, flights, and even cancel flights without prior notice. We highly recommend travel insurance. Safari Legacy nor CTS Fares are responsible for any flight changes, delays, equipment changes, seat assignment changes or cancelled flights.

**Travel Documents/Vaccinations:** Travelers must be in possession of valid passports with an expiration date beyond 6 months of your return date, and any visas, permits and certificates required for the whole of their safari and shall arrange such vaccinations as are normally recommended or required for the countries through which they intend to travel. Information as to these matters and as to climate, clothing, baggage, gear, and similar matters is given in good faith but without responsibility on the part of Safari Legacy.

**Schedule of Mail-outs:** On receipt of your reservation & deposit, you will receive a confirmation by email. (If you do not have email access, please let us know and we can send the confirmation by mail). This confirmation will include items to help you prepare for your safari. A final packet of information is mailed 21-30 days prior to departure by US Priority Mail, which will include your final itinerary, guest list, e ticket receipt if air was issued by our air supplier, luggage & name tag (if applicable to your safari). Final packets are not mailed until all payments, liability forms and a signed copy of these terms and conditions are received.

**Release of Liability:** In consideration of the services and arrangements provided by Safari Legacy, you, for yourself and for your heirs, personal representatives or assigns, do hereby release, waive, discharge, hold harmless and agree to indemnify Safari Legacy and The Michigan State University Alumni Association, and its owners, officers, directors, agents, contractors, subcontractors and employees from any and all claims, actions, or losses for bodily injury, property damage, wrongful death, loss of services, loss of personal belongings, lost profits, consequential, exemplary, indirect or punitive damages or otherwise which may arise out of or occur during your travel in connection with the scheduled travel package and any activities conducted in conjunction therewith. Safari Legacy, Inc. will make every effort to operate our safari as planned, but we reserve the right to make itineraries and accommodation changes as necessary. If unforeseen circumstances require us to change a hotel, lodge or tented camp, we will select alternative accommodations of the same or better quality.

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