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# Impact Travel

*See social enterprise in action on an unparalleled international adventure.*



## Young Professionals Trip

*March 14-18, 2018*

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### Nicaragua



Hands-on engagement  
with children & local leaders



Experience impact investing in  
sustainable food & agriculture



Incredible natural beauty  
& cultural highlights

## Highlights

Hands-on **engagement with children & local leaders**

Unique **cultural highlights, historical insights & natural wonders**

Accommodation in **Nicaraguan boutique hotels** with **exceptional meals**

Working session with **Spark's CEO** on our strategic philanthropy model, successes and challenges

Price: **\$1,750**  
per person  
+ airfare



## Trip Itinerary

Wednesday, March 14

**Pick up** Arrive at Managua Int'l Airport (MGA)

**Afternoon** Drive to León, dinner with Las Tías staff at Beach Restaurant

Thursday, March 15

**Morning** Visit of market with Las Tías founding story, welcome program at Youth Center, English language games and other activities with the children

**Afternoon** Serve meal & lunch at Las Tías

**Evening** Hike an active volcano with dinner in a village

Friday, March 16

**Morning** Visit Las Tías Adolescent Center: tour, activities with the youth

**Afternoon** Serve meal, lunch at hotel, CEO strategy session, free time for sightseeing in León

**Evening** Traditional Nicaraguan dinner with Las Tías leaders

Saturday, March 17

**Morning** Transfer to Granada, stop at Masaya Craft Market

**Afternoon** Lunch & optional activities: Mombacho volcano hike, boat/island tour or exploring Granada

**Evening** Final Group Dinner

Sunday, March 18

**Morning** Shuttle to Managua for return flights



Accommodations: Hotel Con Corazon, Granada; Hotel Cacique Adiact, León

An **introduction to impact travel** designed for young professionals, and anyone young at heart and ready for an adventure.

## Trip Add-On

Add an additional day in the cultural capital of Nicaragua, the fun and photogenic city of Granada. Travelers from around the world are flocking to Granada, drawn by year-round warm weather, colonial-era architecture, a freshwater lake, and vibrant bars and restaurants. Spend your day exploring the city from church to church on the cobblestone roads or choose one of our optional tours. Experience the evocative archipelago of Lake Nicaragua or the microclimates and unique flora & fauna at the crater of Volcán Mombacho. On your way down from the volcano you can learn everything there is to know about coffee at a coffee plantation or zipline through the trees to add another thrilling highlight to your trip.



## Registration

To register, visit **[sparkventures.org/travel](https://sparkventures.org/travel)**.  
Or, contact Arnold Duijzer at 773.293.6710 or [aduijzer@sparkventures.org](mailto:aduijzer@sparkventures.org).

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