

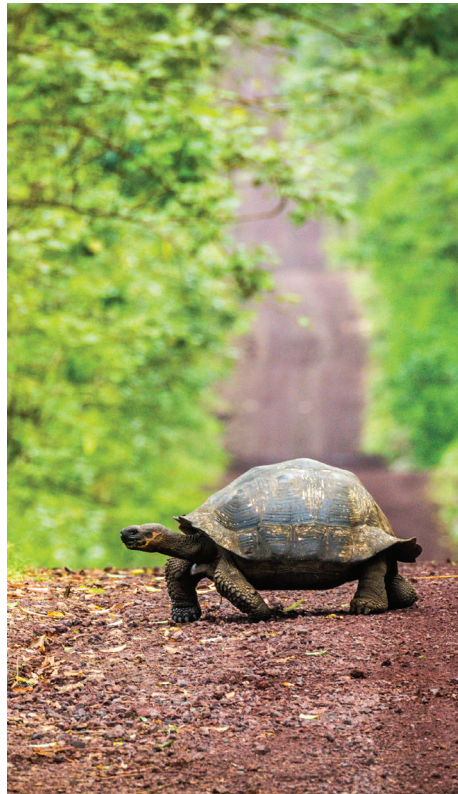
Santa Cruz II ★★★★★

The Santa Cruz II, a 50-cabin, 5 deck expedition vessel, is Metropolitan Touring’s newest entry into Galapagos exploration. Featuring 4 or 6-night itinerary options in the Eastern, Northern and Western Galapagos Islands, abundant public space, glass bottomed pangas, Cordon Bleu chefs and the most highly trained naturalist guides.

Itineraries and Departure Dates Visit: www.santacruzgalapagoscruise.com



Ramiro Tomala

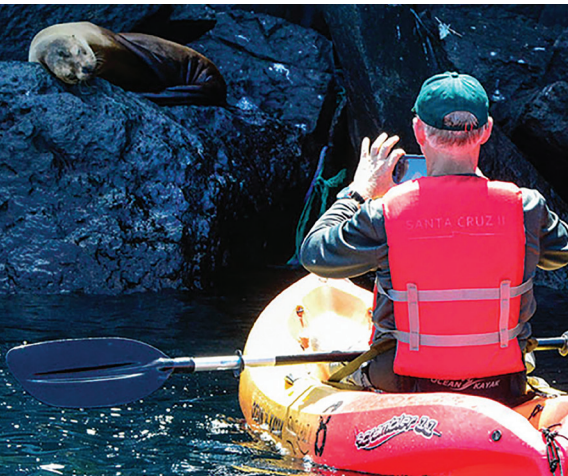


◀ Ramiro became a guide in 2000, working for different tour operators, and in 2003 came on board (pun intended) at Metropolitan Touring.

As an expedition leader, he loves the thrill of change. Of his guests he observes: “Nothing is ever the same. The diversity of the travelers on each journey really keeps me on my toes.”

Ramiro has visited many far-away places such as Antarctica. He seeks out unique experiences, which in turn nurture the way he facilitates his guests’ experiences on the islands. He has learned to do it at Metropolitan Touring, which for him, has been the best “school,” continually serving as the training ground for the archipelago’s finest guides. According to him, that is precisely what led him to work for the company. “I knew I wanted to learn from the best,” he declares.

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“ The naturalist guide we had was **OUTSTANDING** as was the whole crew. Plus your cruise director was the **BEST!!** You are most fortunate to have such wonderful employees. They all seem so **HAPPY** and enjoy what they do. I will highly recommend Metropolitan to my clients and colleagues. ”

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SANTA CRUZ II
GALAPAGOS CRUISE



Services, Experiences and Highlights:

- Santa Cruz II is a modern exhibition vessel having taken its maiden voyage in 2015
- Specifically designed for wildlife expedition, the yacht has exclusive access to the majority of sites it calls upon
- Approximately 11 guests per guide compared to the National Park’s mandated maximum of 16 ensures enhanced interaction with the naturalists guides
- Locally sourced organically grown fruits and vegetables, and freshly caught fish served daily
- No cabins at sea level or near the engines
- One of the highest “Passenger Space Ratios” in Galapagos cruising
- Personal use of kayaks and snorkeling equipment and glass bottomed pangas for group exploration
- Complimentary services of a doctor on board for all sailings
- Consortia partners receive a \$100 shipboard credit per adult and 12% commission. Restrictions apply.
- Owned and operated by Metropolitan Touring, whose Travel Advisor Desk is dedicated to assisting North American travel advisors
- Member of Traveller Made