

Half-day Excursion Saturday 14 March

Two options

- Either visit Ibarra city centre in the afternoon, leaving the hacienda after lunch at 13h45
 - Free time in Ibarra from about 14h15 to 16h30
 - Sightseeing, etc.
- Or stay at the hacienda in the afternoon, leaving the hacienda at 16h00
- In both cases, we will reach the restaurant in the hills above Ibarra at about 17h00
 - Enjoy the view before sunset
 - Early dinner starting at about 18h15
 - Return to hacienda at about 20h00
 - Taverna will be open in the evening

Ibarra city

Lonely Planet guide says...

Known as la ciudad blanca (the white city), Ibarra's downtown streets are lined with finely detailed, whitewashed colonial architecture. Although most of the building's ground floors have been turned into ordinary shops and there's a bustling commercial atmosphere, several quite beautiful plazas with towering palms and baroque churches lend it a distinctively sophisticated feel.



Restaurant

- The restaurant is in the hills above Ibarra
- There is a very nice view looking down onto the city and the lake



Bookings made for everyone

- We expect essentially all of the participants to go to the restaurant
 - Please contact Kate now if you cannot go because of exceptional circumstances
 - No dinner arranged at the hacienda if you miss the bus to the restaurant!
- Also, please could everybody indicate on the sheets that Kate has posted which option they want, i.e. leave hacienda at 13h45 or at 16h00
 - Please do this now!
 - If you don't do it before 15h30, we will make the choice for you!

Other points

- Project presentations on Sunday evening
- Dinner and farewell party on Monday evening
 - Performance of traditional dancing after dinner, then student responsible to provide the music!
 - Connect laptop to sound system
 - Please don't bring drinks bought outside the hacienda to the party
 - We will be providing some free drinks
 - If/when they run out, you will be able to buy more from the hacienda
- Assume that all departures have now been checked