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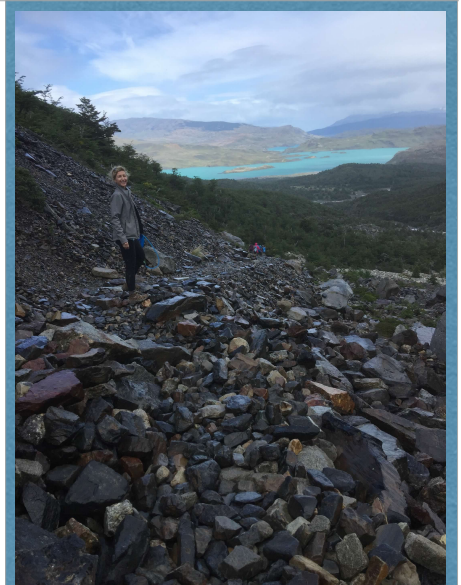
season: October - April, summer in Chile (*opposite of northern hemisphere)
 airport: Punta Arenas (PUQ) from Santiago (SCL)

<p>Day 1</p>	<p>Take ferry at Pudeto across Lake Pehoe to Refugio Paine Grande. Hike (11km/6.83 miles/3-4 hours) to Refugio/Camp Grey.</p> <p>Lookout to Glacier Grey is at Mirador Grey (2km/1.24miles) <u>before</u> Refugio Grey</p> <p>Set up camp: Camp Grey</p> <p>Options: *just after Refugio/Camp Grey - climb rocks and get good view of eastern side of Glacier Grey *trek forward ~1 hour towards but before Los Guardos campsite to view the southern ice field behind Glacier Grey (world's 3rd largest ice field after Antarctica and Greenland)</p>	<p>Breakfast: hotel</p> <p>Lunch: salmon and crackers, fruit</p> <p>Snacks: Clif bars and beef jerkey</p> <p>Dinner: Backpacker's Pantry pouch</p>	
<p>Day 2</p>	<p>Option to kayak at 9:00am - need to reserve @ Bigfoot Patagonia. If so, stay another day at Camp Grey.</p> <p>Hike to Refugio Paine Grande (3-4 hours) - backtrack. Then hike to Camp Frances.</p> <p>Set up camp: Camp Frances</p>	<p>Breakfast: oatmeal and tea/ instant coffee</p> <p>Lunch: Backpacker's Pantry pouch</p> <p>Snacks: Kind bar, peanut butter & crackers</p> <p>Dinner: Mountain House pouch</p>	

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<p>Day 3</p>	<p>Early: Keep backpack at Camp Frances and take daypack and poles. Hike to Valles Del Francés and/or Mirador Británico (11km/ 6.83miles/~5 hours round trip time) Return to Camp Frances and gather backpack.</p> <p>Hike to Los Cuernos. Hike is flat with <i>high winds</i>.</p> <p><i>Camp at Los Cuernos (has meals if paid ahead, showers, and free 5 minutes of internet)</i></p>	<p>Breakfast: oatmeal and tea/ instant coffee</p> <p>Lunch: Backpacker's Pantry pouch</p> <p>Snacks: Clif bar</p> <p>Dinner: @ Los Cuernos</p>
<p>Day 4</p>	<p>Hike to Camp Chileno. (~4-5 hours)</p> <p>Set up camp: <i>Camp Chilean.</i></p> <p>Hike to Mirador Torres (to see 3 peaks of Torres Del Paine) which is ~45 minutes each way. Dependent on weather forecast, do this hike in afternoon or next morning for sunrise.</p>	<p>Breakfast: @ Los Cuernos</p> <p>Lunch: Mountain House pouch</p> <p>Snacks: Kind bar, beef jerky</p> <p>Dinner: Backpacker's Pantry pouch</p>



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Day
5

Hike to Hotel Las Torres for shuttle bus to Laguna Amarga. At Laguna Amarga take the bus to Puerto Natales.

Or, hike the 11km/6.8 miles to Laguna Amarga to meet the bus to Puerto Natales.

Breakfast: oatmeal and tea/
instant coffee and whatever's left
in bag.

Lunch: leftovers or quick lunch
at Hotel Las Torres

