

### **Day 1 - Saturday 12 October**

#### **Kano**

End of group tour NIA02PS231006. Overnight stay at the Hotel Tahir or similar, in double rooms with services.

### **Day 2 - Sunday 13 October**

#### **Kano/Zinder**

Breakfast at the hotel and departure for the NIGER BORDER, clearance of formalities and onwards. A visit to the weekly market in MIRIA (Mirria), known for its black earthenware. Arrival in Zinder, accommodation at the Auberge Gamzaki or similar, overnight stay in double rooms with services.

### **Day 3-4 - Monday 14 October to Tuesday 15 October**

#### **Zinder**

Breakfasts at the Auberge and a day dedicated to visiting ZINDER. Capital in French colonial times until 1926, the city of Zinder was first home to the historic seat of the powerful Sultanate of Damangaram, founded in the 18th century. The characteristic Royal Palace, in the heart of Birni, built around 1850 according to the canons of traditional Hausa architecture, in clay and richly decorated with geometric motifs, is still the home of the Sultan and his family. Around his court, a maze of narrow streets wind their way among the ancient houses made of banco (mud and straw), the scene in past centuries of flourishing trade in salt, ivory, gold, wood and kola nut, which flowed here via the trans-Saharan routes linking in particular the city of Agades and the Sultanates of northern Nigeria. The district of Birni has preserved to this day its original urban fabric as an ancient fortified caravan town, protected by the ancient walls and the imposing granite rocks that surround the settlement. Its traditional architecture, richly and symbolically decorated on the façade, according to the social status of the owner, has not changed much since the German explorer Henri Barth saw it in 1855, and still represents one of the most authentic and highest expressions of architectural aesthetics of the Hausa people. Not to be missed in the city is a visit to the Grand Marché, one of the liveliest in Niger, heir to centuries of flourishing trans-Saharan trade, where one can find, among the countless goods from all over the Sahelo-Saharan region, the best leather artefacts from the whole of West Africa, one of the oldest savoir-faire of Zinder's craftsmen. We also visit the city museum and the village of MIDDICK. Overnight stay at the Auberge.

### **Day 5 - Wednesday 16 October**

#### **Zinder (ZNZ)/Flight/Niamey (NIM)**

Breakfast at the Auberge and transfer\* to the airport in time for the Niger Airlines flight to Niamey. Arrival in the Niger capital and transfer to the Hotel Universe or similar, overnight stay in double rooms with services.

*\*Depending on the flight schedule, additional visits to Zinder or Niamey may be organised.*



# Zinder and Niamey

## NIGERIA, NIGER

### Day 6 - Thursday 17 October

#### Niamey

Breakfast at the hotel. A day dedicated to visiting NIAMEY, the capital of Niger lying on the banks of the river of the same name. You will visit the museum, with its interesting exhibition of dinosaur remains (3 complete skeletons) found at the renowned Gaudoufoua site; several squares and monuments; the colourful markets, with kilishi and dibi sellers... In the afternoon, aboard a traditional boat, we glide along the waters of the NIGER RIVER to appreciate the city from another perspective. Overnight at the hotel.

### Day 7 - Friday 18 October

#### Niamey (NIM)/Return flight

Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to the airport in time for your intercontinental flight. End of services.



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# Zinder and Niamey

## NIGERIA, NIGER (NIANIG01PS241012)

**7 days**

12 - 18 October 2024  
English speaking tour leader

**Individual participation fee in double room (min. 3/max. 10 pax)**

**1,990 €/pax**



### Supplements:

- Enrollment fee: **free!**
- Single room: **190 €**
- Niger visa service: **120 €/passport**

### The fee includes:

- English speaking tour leader to Niamey
- French-speaking local guides;
- Visits and excursions as scheduled;
- Transfers by minibus, including driver, fuel and tolls;
- 6 nights in hotels, in double rooms as mentioned in the itinerary.

### The fee does not include:

- The visa for Nigeria and Niger;
- Insurance for cancellation, health, luggage;
- Air flights;
- Meals (except breakfast);
- Drinks and mineral water;
- Extra services on Zinder in case of flight delay/cancellation;
- Photographic tips;
- Tips and expenses of a personal nature;
- Everything mentioned in 'Supplements';
- Anything not expressly mentioned in "the fee includes".