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**POST SAFARI EXTENTION** This compact 4-day, 3-night primate safari in Rwanda centers on intimate encounters with endangered mountain gorillas in Volcanoes National Park, complemented by cultural immersion and a Kigali city introduction. Emphasizing sustainable tourism, activities include trekking and village visits, with comfortable accommodation offering full-board meals unless noted. The itinerary starts in Nairobi and ends with a flight to Nairobi, perfect for extensions or international connections on Day 1 arrival and Day 4 departure.



Gorilla trekking in Volcanoes National Park - [Photo](#)

## Day 1: Arrival in Kigali

Depart via an afternoon flight at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport in Kenya. Kalama Safaris' representative will transfer you to the airport for departure. A day room is provided at the end of part 1 of your tour. Arrive via flight at Kigali International Airport. Transfer to your hotel for check-in and downtime to acclimate. In the evening, enjoy a relaxing dinner at the hotel

- **Location:** Kigali, Rwanda
- **Accommodation:** Four Points Nairobi Airport (day room, if needed) – Kigali Serena Hotel (1 night) luxurious urban retreat with city views
- **Meals:** Lunch, Dinner
- **Highlights:** Airport transfer, orientation to Rwanda's "Land of a Thousand Hills"

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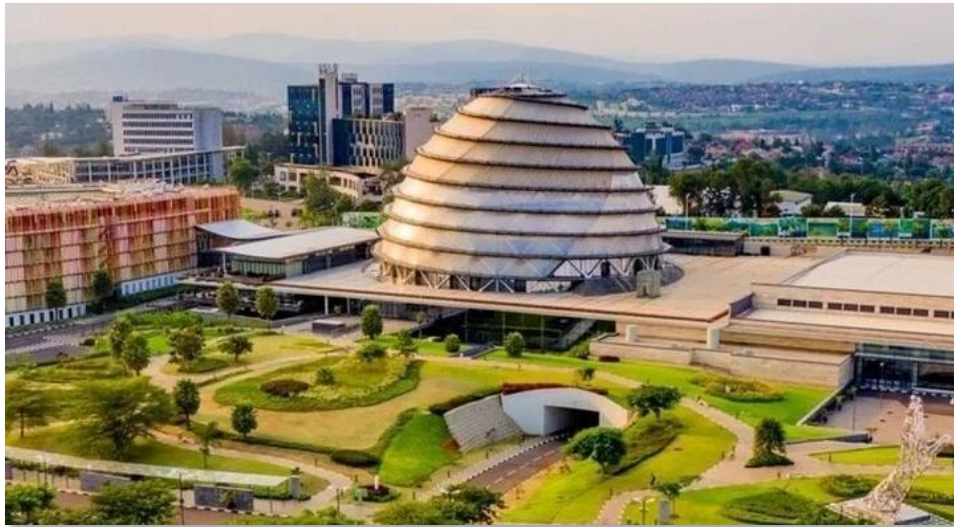


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## Day 2: Nyandungu Eco Park and City Tour

Embark on a guided Kigali city tour, visiting key sites like the Kigali Genocide Memorial for historical reflection. Afternoon drive north to Volcanoes National Park (about 2-3 hours) through scenic hills.

- **Location:** Kigali to Volcanoes National Park (Musanze area)
- **Accommodation:** Foothill Farm House (1 night) – luxury stay with organic dining (95% farm-sourced), cozy cottages, and activities like horse riding or cow milking
- **Meals:** Breakfast, lunch, dinner
- **Highlights:** Historical and cultural sites in Kigali, picturesque drive to the Virunga volcanoes



Kigali, the capital of Rwanda city view – Management Photo



Luxurious Farmhouse Rwanda with Views of Volcanoes National Park - [Photo](#)



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Day 3: Gorilla Trekking - Gorilla Guardians Cultural Village – Drive back to Kigali

Early start for gorilla trekking: After a briefing, hike (1-6 hours) with trackers through bamboo forests to spend 1 hour observing a habituated gorilla family in their natural habitat. Afternoon visit to Gorilla Guardians Cultural Village (Iby'Iwacu), where former poachers-turned-conservationists showcase traditional dances, crafts, archery, and Rwandan village life in thatched huts. Drive back to Kigali (about 2-3 hours).

- **Location:** Volcanoes National Park
- **Accommodation:** Kigali Serena Hotel (1 nights) luxurious urban retreat with city views
- **Meals:** Breakfast, lunch, dinner
- **Highlights:** Up-close gorilla encounters, cultural performances and community interactions at the village



Gorilla Trekking Photo © Barbara Foster – Kalama Safaris



Gorilla Guardians Cultural Village (Iby'Iwacu) - [Photo](#)

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Day 4: Early morning flight to Nairobi, Kenya or flight from Kigali, Rwanda home

- **Location:** Kigali, Rwanda (Nairobi, Kenya)
- **Accommodation:** None (day use if needed)
- **Meals:** Breakfast
- **Highlights:** airport transfer



Kigali Serena Hotel in Kigali, Rwanda – Management Photo

## Additional Notes

- **Transportation:** Flights on Days 1 and 4; private drives otherwise (4x4 vehicles for park access).
- **Inclusions:** Accommodations, meals as noted, guided activities, park entrances, transfers. Gorilla permit (~\$1500 gorilla) is required.
- **Tips:** Pack sturdy boots, rain gear, binoculars, and repellent. Treks demand moderate fitness; best June-September for drier paths. Consult a [Kalama Safaris](#) for bookings and health requirements.
- The POST SAFARI EXTENSION may be added to any 14 or 7-day tour.