Welcome to



ReFi Barichara



Map of Barichara



Parque Principal

Casa Comun KRA 8 #8-61

2 Parque Capilla Cristo Resucitado

13 Tree of Life Yoga Studio

3 Parque para las Artes

Farmacia

Capilla Sta. Bárbara

15 Cementerio

Casa de la Cultura

Piedra de Bolívar

Reserva Ernesto Jiménez Lozada

Salto del Mico

Capilla de San Antonio

18 Fundación San Lorenzo - Taller de Papel

8 Catedral de la Inmaculada Concepción 19

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2 La Nube Posada10 Hotel Alto del Viento

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Nona

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The design sessions will take place at #9 La Nube Posada The meeting points for the field site visits will be 4, 8, and 11



Schedule

2-3pm Registrations 3rd October:

3-7pm Opening Ceremony

7:45am-1pm Field Site Visits 4th October:

1-2pm Group Lunch

2-6pm Design Sessions

7:45am-1pm Field Site Visits 5th October:

1-2pm Group Lunch

2-6pm Design Sessions

7:45am-1pm Field Site Visits

6th October: 1-2pm Group Lunch

2-6pm Design Sessions

6:30-8pm Closing Ceremony

7th October: 8am-1pm Collaboration Day



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How to Get Into Colombia

Visa:

You probably will not need a visa to get into Colombia. Check here to find which countries you can travel to visa-free with your country's passport. If Colombia is on your list, all you have to do is bring your passport and they will stamp it upon arrival.

Other Entry Requirements:

Besides a passport, often you will need a return ticket to board your flight, the address in Colombia where you will be staying, and most importantly a completed Check-Mig form which you can fill out here. You can fill it out from 72 hours until 1 hour before your flight.

Covid 19:

This is currently in quite fluid change. Check Colombia's entry requirements here and be sure to check your country's re-entry requirements ahead of time too.



How to Get to ReFi Barichara

We are organizing shared rides to get to Barichara depending on demand. Join the Telegram coordination group here: https://t.me/+urEpGv_qxPs1YzA5

We are currently organizing shared rides

leaving from Bucaramanga Airport/City 30th-3rd of October leaving to DevCon Bogotá at 9am on the 3rd of October leaving to Bucaramanga Airport/City 7th-9th of October

If you are interested in joining, contact us.

There are two main airports you can use for coming to Barichara: Bogotá and Bucaramanga.

Wherever you land you can simply take a taxi to the main bus terminal.

For all buses you can check out bus schedules and buy tickets ahead of time at RedBus, but you will probably get a seat on the next bus without reservations.

1a Flying in through Bogotá

Buses from the terminal going to San Gil go about every hour. All bus companies — Copetran, Expreso Brasilia and Omega — are trustworthy and get the job done. The bus takes anywhere between 5-10 hours, but is usually 7-8 hours.



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1b Flying in through Bucaramanga

Buses from the Terminal to San Gil depart every 30-60 minutes and take about 3-4 hours. If you easily get car sick, make sure you sit in the front of the bus or car as the road is very curvy! Another option is to take a private taxi for about \$100.

2 San Gil

When taking the bus, you will arrive in San Gil at the main bus Terminal and then will need to make your way over to the Terminalito where the local buses are located. The distance between the main Terminal and the Terminalito is a bit more than one mile / a bit less than two kilometers. You can either walk or take a taxi/tuktuk. From the Terminalito, buses leave every 20 minutes for Barichara and cost 6,000 Colombian Pesos.

3 Barichara

If you take the bus, you will arrive in the main square of Barichara. Barichara is very small, so you can walk anywhere in the town within 5-20 minutes. However, if you have a lot of luggage you might want to take a TukTuk. The TukTuks gather right next to the bus stop in the main square.

Wherever you are, the central number for calling a TukTuk is +57 315 260 5404.



What to Bring

Barichara is very close to the equator. Therefore, the temperatures stay stable all year round between 15°C/60°F at night and 30°C/90°F during the day. You will never need cold weather clothing, but a good rain jacket can help with the occasional heavy afternoon and evening rains. The sun will be intense around noon time, so either bring thin long-sleeve shirts and pants or a lot of sunscreen. You will want long pants and good shoes/boots for hikes and field site visits. A hat with sun protection is also a must. Bug repellent will also make your life a whole lot easier.

Please keep in mind that most shops and restaurants here in Barichara expect cash and do not accept credit cards, so you will want to have cash with you at all times. You can get money from an ATM at the airport or at the main square in Barichara using your credit or debit card. There is an option to choose an English menu at the ATMs. There is usually no fee at the airport ATMs and a small fee (13-22,000 COP per withdrawal) at Barichara ATMs. If you don't like the conversion rate offered at the end of the process, click no and the conversion will be done by your own bank,



Where to Stay Hostels



Hostel Casa Nacuma

Camilo +57 315 7174844 Booking.com \$12 per night Bunk Bed \$40 per night Private Room



Hostel La Juanita

Jessica +57 318 6562239
Website
Booking.com
\$10 per night Bunk Bed
\$40 per night Private Room



Hostel El Zaguan

Booking.com \$30 per night Private Room



Where to Stay Hotels



Hotel La Nube Posada

\$\sum_{+57} 321 658 2577\$\sum_{ebsite}\$\$60-70 per night Private Room



Hotel Alto del Viento

+57 315 765 6533 Website Booking.com \$80 per night Private Room



Hotel Florré Blossom

Website
Booking.com
\$45-70 per night Private Room



Where to Stay Private House



Macaregua Villa

AirBnB \$180 per night 4-5 people



Casa Fósil

AirBnb \$100 per night 3-4 people



Where to Eat

We are organizing shared lunches for the 4-6th of October. If breakfast is not included at your stay and to find dinner, here is a list with restaurants to go explore.

Nona's Bread Bakery with various breakfast options

Santandarean Breakfast, Lunch and El Puntal

Dinner

Santanderean Breakfast & Lunch La Peñita

Arepas, Caldos...

Gringo Mike's American and Mexican Style Food

Siete Tigres Pizza and Pasta

Nativa Poke Vegetable Bowls, Rice Base with

various meat options or tofu

Vegetable Fagottos (Paninis), Noa's

Desert Crepes, Falafel

Burgers, Sandwiches, Hotdogs Filomena's

Independencia Restaurant with view of the valley

Elvia

Upscale Restaurant Various local meat dishes



See you at



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