# **OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES:**

The activities below have been arranged by TPI on an exclusive basis for NYU attendees so as not to conflict with the meeting agenda. TPI reserves the right to cancel or reprice any tours that do not meet the minimum requirements.

# MONDAY, JANUARY 5, 2009

Horseback Riding 1:30-6:00pm \$112.00 per person Enjoy the beauty of the surrounding countryside during an approximately 45 minute drive to El Aromal Hacienda. Feel like a Guanacaste cowboy as you experience a real working ranch. Explore the rain forest on horseback. Keep an eye out for toucans, wild parrots, monkeys, sloths and other mammals that are common to the area. Appreciate the great biodiversity of the flora and fauna of the forest. At the end of the ride, return to the hacienda to enjoy a cool drink and a snack. Wear long pants and closed toe shoes. Bring a camera, sunglasses and sunscreen. Includes: Round trip transportation, box lunch, chaps, hat, drink, snack, and English speaking guide. Minimum 10 persons

# **TUESDAY, JANUARY 6, 2009**

Sunset Snorkel Sail 2:30-6:30pm \$169.00 per person Explore the shores on a luxury Catamaran. Board the boat right from the Four Season's beach and embark on an adventure around the Gulf of Papagayo. This may be an opportunity to see ocean wildlife in the fresh air! Knowledgeable and friendly crew will provide instructions and guide an underwater tour of the exotic sea life that abounds. Bring a camera, swimsuit, towel, hat, sunglasses, and sunscreen. Included: Premium open bar, light hors d'oeuvres, snorkel equipment, and instructions. Minimum 30 persons

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7, 2009

and lunch. Minimum 10 persons

#### Palo Verde National Park Tour 8:00am-3:30pm \$110.00 per person Palo Verde National Park is a wildlife sanctuary located approximately 2 hours from the resort. Scientists from all over the world come to study this rich ecosystem that combines rivers, marshland, mangroves and dry forest. Cruise on the Tempisque River, the most important river in Guanacaste. Admire the natural beauty of the park while viewing crocodiles, monkeys, iguanas and various birds. Bring a camera,

### **Corobici River Float**

Located approximately 2 hours from the resort is the Corobici River. Spend two and half hours floating safely on river rafts, while viewing exotic birds and wildlife. The tropical flora along the river is the perfect background for this unforgettable and unique float. Bring a camera, hat, sunglasses and sunscreen. Includes: Round trip transportation, boat tour, English speaking guide, and lunch. Minimum 10 persons

#### Mega Combo Tour

#### 8:00am – 6:30pm \$140.00 per person

The perfect combination of adventure and relaxing! A full day of magic awaits you in the surrounding areas of Rincon de la vieja Volcano. Approximately two hours from the resort is the Buena Vista Hacienda, one of the largest savannas in Guanacaste. Enjoy the rain forest, horseback riding, canopy tour, water slide, and natural hot springs! Bring a camera, hat, sunglasses, long pants for horseback riding, walking/hiking shoes, swimsuit, towel, and sunscreen. Includes: Round trip transportation, English speaking guide, Canopy Tour, horseback ride and lunch. Minimum 10 persons

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 8, 2009

#### Congo Trail Canopy Tour at Artola 1:30 – 6:00pm \$110.00 per person Located a little over an hour from the resort, this is an unforgettable experience and a "must do" in Costa Rica! Be amazed by the scenic views as you zip among the tree tops on cables. Observe a great variety

8:00am-4:00pm \$110.00 per person

hat, sunglasses, and sunscreen. Includes: Round trip transportation, boat tour, English speaking guide

of flora, fauna and many animals in their natural environment in a way that you can't from the ground! Professional guides provide instruction before beginning and accompany throughout. Wear comfortable clothing, long shorts or pants, and walking shoes. Bring a camera! NOTE: all loose items must be able to be secured in pockets. Anything that drops to the forest floor will remain there! Includes: Round trip transportation, box lunch, English speaking guide, entrance fees, and photo of activity with frame. Minimum 20 persons

# Additional activities such as Hiking, Deep Sea Fishing, Scuba Diving, and Golf Tee times can be arranged on site.

Gratuities and incidentals are not included on any of the optional activities unless indicated. A small amount of money should be brought along for these purposes.