PATAGONIA
BIRDING TOURS

Northern Patagonia Birding Expedition

Atlantic Patagonia to Bahía Blanca

Illustrated field checklist • 140 species



Rheas to waterfowl

Rheidae



☐ **Lesser Rhea**
Rhea pennata



☐ **Greater Rhea**
Rhea americana

Tinamidae



☐ **Elegant Crested-Tinamou**
Eudromia elegans



☐ **Darwin's Nothura**
Nothura darwinii

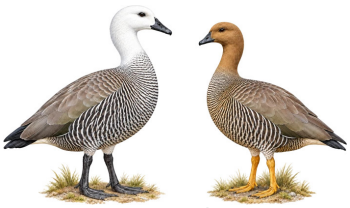


☐ **Red-winged Tinamou**
Rhynchotus rufescens



☐ **Brushland Tinamou**
Nothoprocta cinerascens

Anatidae



☐ **Upland Goose**
Chloephaga picta
Male (left) · female (right)



☐ **Crested Duck**
Lophonetta specularioides



☐ **Flying Steamer-Duck**
Tachyeres patachonicus
Male (left) · female (right)



☐ **White-headed Steamer-Duck**
Tachyeres leucocephalus

Waterfowl to rails, gallinules, and coots

Anatidae



☐ **Chiloe Wigeon**
Mareca sibilatrix

Phoenicopteridae



☐ **Chilean Flamingo**
Phoenicopterus chilensis

Podicipedidae



☐ **Great Grebe**
Podiceps major

Cuculidae



☐ **Guira Cuckoo**
Guira guira



☐ **Ash-colored Cuckoo**
Coccycua cinerea



☐ **Dark-billed Cuckoo**
Coccyzus melacoryphus

Columbidae



☐ **Picui Ground Dove**
Columbina picui



☐ **Eared Dove**
Zenaida auriculata



☐ **Picazuro Pigeon**
Patagioenas picazuro

Rallidae



☐ **Plumbeous Rail**
Pardirallus sanguinolentus

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Sheathbills to sandpipers

Chionidae



☐ **Snowy Sheathbill**
Chionis albus

Haematopodidae



☐ **Magellanic Oystercatcher**
Haematopus leucopodus



☐ **Blackish Oystercatcher**
Haematopus ater



☐ **American Oystercatcher**
Haematopus palliatus

Charadriidae



☐ **Tawny-throated Dotterel**
Oreopholus ruficollis



☐ **Southern Lapwing**
Vanellus chilensis



☐ **Two-banded Plover**
Anarhynchus falklandicus

Thinocoridae



☐ **Least Seedsnipe**
Thinocorus rumicivorus
Male (left) · female (right)

Scolopacidae



☐ **Hudsonian Godwit**
Limosa haemastica



☐ **Baird's Sandpiper**
Calidris bairdii

Jaegers and skuas to petrels

Stercorariidae



☐ **Brown Skua**
Stercorarius antarcticus
Adult

Laridae



☐ **Black Skimmer**
Rynchops niger



☐ **Royal Tern**
Thalasseus maximus



☐ **South American Tern**
Sterna hirundinacea



☐ **Dolphin Gull**
Leucophaeus scoresbii



☐ **Olrog's Gull**
Larus atlanticus
Adult



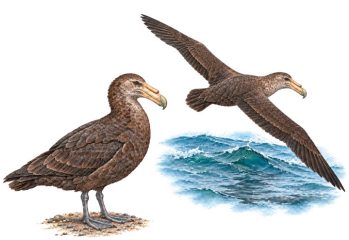
☐ **Kelp Gull**
Larus dominicanus

Spheniscidae



☐ **Magellanic Penguin**
Spheniscus magellanicus

Procellariidae



☐ **Southern Giant-Petrel**
Macronectes giganteus
Standing · in flight



☐ **Northern Giant-Petrel**
Macronectes halli

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Cormorants to New World vultures

Phalacrocoracidae



☐ **Neotropic Cormorant**
Nannopterum brasilianum



☐ **Magellanic Cormorant**
Leucocarbo magellanicus



☐ **Imperial Cormorant**
Leucocarbo atriceps
Standing · landing

Threskiornithidae



☐ **Black-faced Ibis**
Theristicus melanopis

Ardeidae



☐ **Black-crowned Night Heron**
Nycticorax nycticorax



☐ **Great Egret**
Ardea alba

Strigidae



☐ **Burrowing Owl**
Athene cunicularia



☐ **Short-eared Owl**
Asio flammeus
Adult

Cathartidae



☐ **Black Vulture**
Coragyps atratus



☐ **Turkey Vulture**
Cathartes aura

Raptors to falcons and caracaras

Accipitridae



☐ **Cinereous Harrier**
Circus cinereus
Male (left) · female (right)



☐ **Long-winged Harrier**
Circus buffoni
Male (left), female (right)



☐ **Variable Hawk**
Geranoaetus polyosoma
Male (left) · female (right)



☐ **Black-chested Buzzard-Eagle**
Geranoaetus melanoleucus

Picidae



☐ **Green-barred Woodpecker**
Colaptes melanochloros
Male (left), female (right)



☐ **Campo Flicker**
Colaptes campestris



☐ **Checkered Woodpecker**
Veniliornis mixtus
Male (left), female (right)

Falconidae



☐ **Spot-winged Falconet**
Spiziapteryx circumcincta



☐ **Crested Caracara**
Caracara plancus



☐ **Chimango Caracara**
Daptrius chimango

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Falcons and caracaras to tyrant flycatchers

Falconidae



☐ **American Kestrel**
Falco sparverius
Male (left) · female (right)



☐ **Aplomado Falcon**
Falco femoralis



☐ **Peregrine Falcon**
Falco peregrinus

Psittacidae



☐ **Monk Parakeet**
Myiopsitta monachus



☐ **Burrowing Parakeet**
Cyanoliseus patagonus

Cotingidae



☐ **White-tipped Plantcutter**
Phytotoma rutila

Tyrannidae



☐ **Many-colored Rush Tyrant**
Tachuris rubrigastra



☐ **Greater Wagtail-Tyrant**
Stigmatura budytoides



☐ **White-crested Elaenia**
Elaenia albiceps



☐ **Bearded Tachuri**
Polystictus pectoralis

Tyrant flycatchers

Tyrannidae



☐ **White-crested Tyrannulet**
Serpophaga subcristata



☐ **Straneck's Tyrannulet**
Serpophaga griseicapilla



☐ **Yellow-billed Tit-Tyrant**
Anairetes flavirostris



☐ **Tufted Tit-Tyrant**
Anairetes parulus



☐ **Cattle Tyrant**
Machetornis rixosa



☐ **Crowned Slaty Flycatcher**
Empidonomus aurantioatrocristatus



☐ **Fork-tailed Flycatcher**
Tyrannus savana



☐ **Tropical Kingbird**
Tyrannus melancholicus



☐ **Southern Scrub-Flycatcher**
Sublegatus modestus



☐ **Vermilion Flycatcher**
Pyrocephalus rubinus

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Tyrant flycatchers to tapaculos

Tyrannidae



☐ **Dark-faced Ground-Tyrant**
Muscisaxicola maclovianus



☐ **Spectacled Tyrant**
Hymenops perspicillatus



☐ **White-winged Black-Tyrant**
Knipolegus aterrimus



☐ **Hudson's Black-Tyrant**
Knipolegus hudsoni



☐ **White Monjita**
Xolmis irupero



☐ **Black-crowned Monjita**
Neoxolmis coronatus



☐ **Rusty-backed Monjita**
Neoxolmis rubetra



☐ **Gray-bellied Shrike-Tyrant**
Agriornis micropterus



☐ **Lesser Shrike-Tyrant**
Agriornis murinus

Rhinocryptidae



☐ **Sandy Gallito**
Teledromas fuscus

Tapaculos to ovenbirds

Rhinocryptidae



☐ **Crested Gallito**
Rhinocrypta lanceolata

Furnariidae



☐ **Common Miner**
Geositta cunicularia



☐ **Scimitar-billed Woodcreeper**
Drymornis bridgesii



☐ **Narrow-billed Woodcreeper**
Lepidocolaptes angustirostris



☐ **Band-tailed Earthcreeper**
Ochetorhynchus phoenicurus



☐ **Chaco Earthcreeper**
Tarphonomus certhioides



☐ **Scale-throated Earthcreeper**
Upucerthia dumetaria



☐ **Tufted Tit-Spinetail**
Leptasthenura platensis



☐ **Plain-mantled Tit-Spinetail**
Leptasthenura aegithaloides



☐ **Firewood-gatherer**
Anumbius annumbi

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Ovenbirds to vireos

Furnariidae



☐ **Lark-like Brushrunner**
Coryphistera alaudina



☐ **Sharp-billed Canastero**
Asthenes pyrrholeca



☐ **Bay-capped Wren-Spinetail**
Spartonoica maluroides
Adult



☐ **Brown Cacholote**
Pseudoseisura lophotes



☐ **White-throated Cacholote**
Pseudoseisura gutturalis



☐ **Stripe-crowned Spinetail**
Cranioleuca pyrrhophia



☐ **Patagonian Canastero**
Pseudasthenes patagonica



☐ **Steinbach's Canastero**
Pseudasthenes steinbachi

Vireonidae



☐ **Pale-breasted Spinetail**
Synallaxis albescens



☐ **Rufous-browed Peppershrike**
Cyclarhis gujanensis

Swallows to thrushes

Hirundinidae



☐ **Chilean Swallow**
Tachycineta leucopyga



☐ **Southern Martin**
Progne elegans



☐ **Brown-chested Martin**
Progne tapera



☐ **Blue-and-white Swallow**
Pygochelidon cyanoleuca

Troglodytidae



☐ **Barn Swallow**
Hirundo rustica



☐ **Southern House Wren**
Troglodytes musculus

Mimidae



☐ **Patagonian Mockingbird**
Mimus patagonicus



☐ **Chalk-browed Mockingbird**
Mimus saturninus



☐ **White-banded Mockingbird**
Mimus triurus

Turdidae



☐ **Chiguanco Thrush**
Turdus chiguanco

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Thrushes to tanagers

Turdidae



☐ **Austral Thrush**
Turdus falcklandii



☐ **Creamy-bellied Thrush**
Turdus amaurochalinus

Passeridae



☐ **House Sparrow**
Passer domesticus

Motacillidae



☐ **Short-billed Pipit**
Anthus furcatus

Passerellidae



☐ **Rufous-collared Sparrow**
Zonotrichia capensis

Icteridae



☐ **Pampas Meadowlark**
Leistes defilippii



☐ **Long-tailed Meadowlark**
Leistes loyca
Male (left) · female (right)



☐ **Shiny Cowbird**
Molothrus bonariensis

Thraupidae



☐ **Gray-hooded Sierra Finch**
Phrygilus gayi



☐ **Patagonian Yellow-Finch**
Sicalis lebruni

Tanagers

Thraupidae



☐ **Saffron Finch**
Sicalis flaveola



☐ **Grassland Yellow-Finch**
Sicalis luteola



☐ **Golden-billed Saltator**
Saltator aurantiirostris



☐ **Mourning Sierra Finch**
Rhopospina fruticeti
Male (left) · female (right)



☐ **Carbonated Sierra Finch**
Rhopospina carbonaria



☐ **Cinnamon Warbling Finch**
Poospiza ornata



☐ **Ringed Warbling Finch**
Microspingus torquatus



☐ **Blue-and-yellow Tanager**
Rauenia bonariensis



☐ **Yellow Cardinal**
Gubernatrix cristata
Male (left), female (right)



☐ **Diuca Finch**
Diuca diuca

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