ECUADOR : 19/12/2018 – 09/01/2019

Introduction

I did a solo birding trip to Ecuador from 19/12/2018 till 9/1/2019. This was my first trip to South America so lots of new birds around.

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Transport

Lufthansa not only managed to cancel part of my inbound flight and rebooking me a day later. They also left my luggage in Frankfurt, only arriving in Quito two days later. Despite promising that my luggage would be delivered at my hotel in Papallacta the next day, I had to travel to the airport myself losing a half day of birding in the process. Oh yes, Lufthansa also cancelled the Quito – Panama leg of my outbound flight without any prior notice so on my last evening I had to pay a visit to the Copa Airlines office at the airport. Luckily, they quickly solved the problem and the return flight was without further problems.

The first part of the trip was done by public transport (smooth and very cheap) and taxis. I made the mistake to travel from Baeza to the airport on the afternoon of the 31th of December. Because all buses were full or not willing to stop, I had to take an expensive taxi to pick up my rented car for the second part of the trip. I experienced driving in Ecuador as very relaxed, with good roads and few cars. Navigating the minor roads with the Kia Picanto was more time consuming, especially the road to the Oilbird Cave at Chontal and the Ecoruta from Nono to Mindo.
Accommodation and food

Papallacta: Hostal Coturpa – basic but ok with hot shower

Tena: A Welcome break hotel

Gareno lodge: The old lodge is not used any more. Sandro Aguinda has built new cabins with showers and toilets in a small village ten minutes by car from the old lodge. The wooden cabins are with a viewing platform, but water and electricity supply could be better,. Kitchen and dining area are open with a nice view and some hummingbird feeders. Birdingwise, the new site is inferior to the old lodge and you need your own transport to get to the best spots. Because I was on my own we could use Sandro’s motor bike.

Wild Sumaco: I asked for budget accommodation and ended up staying at the lodge at a discount price.

Baeza: I stayed at Quinde Huayco. Basic room and feeders in the ‘garden’. The reason I stayed here was because of White-tailed Hillstar visiting the feeders.

Nono: the hotel I booked via booking.com was not operating any more. After a long search on new year’s evening I found a room at a homestay. Very nice but not cheap.

Bellavista: I stayed one night at the dorm (still expensive) because I wanted to try for mammals at the banana feeders at night.

Paz de las Aves: I decided to sleep at Angel’s place. Very cosy and clean, the Paz family truly are very welcoming and friendly people.

Mashpi – Amagusa: I contacted Sergio Basantes and he arranged a cabin close to La Delicia.

Mashpi Chocolate Farm: Alejandro Solano put me in contact with his neighbour Arturo Falchi from Chonta Loma. I stayed at a superb cabin on their property and had the best food of the trip here.

Recinto 23 de Junio: I stayed with Luis Ajilla at the Umbrellabird lodge which is a basic room in the village.

Mindo Yellow House: very nice room with hot shower. Very nice lady and a great breakfast (at 10 am).

Tababela: Mercedes: Booked at short notice. Convenient as close to Antisana and the airport. In the garden I saw some new species for the trip on my last hours in Ecuador.

Weather

Mostly overcast. In the high Andes cold, mist and rain on both days in Papallacta and Antisana. I lost one and a half day because of heavy rain in the Mindo area.

Visited sites
There is a massive amount of information on birding in Ecuador. Number one site is of course [www.cloudbirders.com](http://www.cloudbirders.com) One of the main resources for independent travellers still is the now offline Lelis Navarrete website [www.birdsinecuador.com/en](http://www.birdsinecuador.com/en) which you can still find on the net using the wayback machine (=internet cataloguing site). Updates on this site can be found in trip reports posted on cloudbirders such as the report by Geldenhuys ([https://www.cloudbirders.com/be/download?filename=GELDENHUYS_Ecuador_05_05_2019.pdf](https://www.cloudbirders.com/be/download?filename=GELDENHUYS_Ecuador_05_05_2019.pdf)) and many others. I also used Richard Fairbanks blog ([https://birdingneversleeps.blogspot.com/2018/03/ecuador-2018-introduction-arrival.html](https://birdingneversleeps.blogspot.com/2018/03/ecuador-2018-introduction-arrival.html)) as an inspiration for my trip.

**Papallacta**

Mario Pillajo picked me up in Tababela at 6 am for a full day at Papallacta. Mario and his brother are well known guides for mammalwatchers looking for Andean Bear and Mountain Tapir. They know the area extremely well and we were able to drive through the Cayembe-Coca reserve in search of birds and bears. The weather was not favourable with thick fog and drizzle most of the day. Nevertheless a glorious kick-off for the trip with two Andean Bears (an adult male eating bromeliads on a slope close to the highway and a young male seen in the reserve) and lots of good birds.

Highlights: **Black-chested Buzzard-Eagle** (1 on a cliffside), **Ecuadorian Hillstar** (1 seen poorly in the fog), Shining Sunbeam, Tyrian and Viridian Metaltail, Glowing Puffleg, Sword-billed Hummingbird, Giant Hummingbird, Tawny Antpitta (a few seen), Rufous-breasted Seedsnipe (heard only in the thick fog at the Antennas), both Cinclodes, Giant Conebill (2 birds seen very well with a mixed flock in the Cayembe Coca reserve), Red-crested Cotinga, Masked Mountain-Tanager and Golden-crowned Tanager (in a mixed flock together with Black-backed Bush Tanagers and Scarlet-bellied Mountain-Tanager).

**Guango Lodge**

Took a taxi late morning to Guango Lodge. Entrance and access to the trails was 5 USD. Spend most of my time at the feeders as I only had limited time.

Highlights: **Tourmaline Sunangel**, Buff-winged Starfrontlet, Sword-billed Hummingbird

**Gareno Lodge**

When planning the trip, I was in doubt about visiting Sani, Shiripuno or Gareno lodge. But after hearing the news that the Harpy Eagle was nesting again, the choice was easy.

I was picked up in Tena by Sandro Aguinda and his family. On the way to the lodge we stopped at Laguna Paikawe for a short boattrip. Afterwards we drove to the ‘new’ lodge. The first evening we walked the access road to the old lodge seeing lots of good birds. The first full day we drove to the old lodge, going first to the Fiery Topaz stake-out (male and female seen) and then went in search for the Rufous Potoo (seen at close range after scrambling up and down steep slopes). At 9:30 am we started walking the Harpy Eagle Trail. When we arrived at the viewpoint to the nest, the juvenile bird was nowhere to be seen! Luckily after an anxious wait of more than half an hour the young Harpy Eagle appeared . It was already starting to do short flights in the huge nesting tree. Stayed at the nest
till 1pm and returned to the road. We stopped a guy from the village and he shuttled us on his motorbike back to the new lodge. In the evening birded around the cabins and on the access road.

The second day we birded around the cabins and the village. In the afternoon it started raining heavily. After the rain again birded the access road and went owling after dinner with only Tropical Screech Owl seen while Tawny-bellied Screech-Owl, Spectacled and Crested Owl remained heard only.

The third day we drove to the old lodge birding the Harpy Eagle Trail. While searching for a calling Pavonine Quetzal we flushed an adult dark phase Crested Eagle. It perched in a nearby tree and flew off shortly after. Afterwards did some very productive stops on the way back. It started raining again, so no more owling done.

Last morning birded around the lodge, leaving early to Tena with roadside stops for birding.

We did not encounter any antswarms on my four days stay.

Highlights: Black-bellied Cuckoo (access road), Rufous Potoo, Great Potoo (at Laguna Paikawe), Fiery Topaz (male and female at the river close to the old lodge), Harpy Eagle, Crested Eagle, White-throated and Crimson-crested Woodpecker, Blue-and yellow Macaw (2 birds seen in flight, an unusual sighting in this area), Mouse-colored and Cinereous Antshrike, Pygmy, Long-winged, Gray and Rufous-winged Antwren, Peruvian Warbling-, Yellow-browed, Spot-winged, Sooty, Black-throated and Bicolored Antbird, Ocellated and Buff-throated Woodcreeper, Hoatzin (a few birds on the boattrip at Laguna Paikawe), Dusky-chested Flycatcher (access road), Spangled Cotinga (access road), Bare-necked and Purple-throated Fruitcrow, males of Dwarf Tyrant-Manakin, Blue-backed, Blue-crowned and Golden-headed Manakin, Striped Manakin (a lekking male close to the Harpy viewpoint), White-banded Swallow, Thrush-like and Coraya Wren, Yellow-backed, Flame-crested, Fulvous-crested, Masked, Paradise, Opal-rumped and Green-and-gold Tanagers, Black-faced, Yellow-bellied and Scarlet-breasted Dacnis, Red-rumped Cacique, Orange-backed Troupial.

Wild Sumaco Lodge

The first afternoon was spend at the feeders and the Coopmans and Antpitta trail. The next two days I was guided by Byron, the top guide at WS. Day one was spend at the moth trap, Antpitta feeder, Coopmans Trail and FACE trail. In the evening we tried for owls around the lodge and on the Coopmans Trail. Despite hearing Band-bellied Owl up close, we couldn’t get any owls in the spotlights. The next day we explored Piha and Antthrush Trail and the access road.

Highlights: White-throated Quail-Dove, Wire-crested Thorntail, Ecuadorian Piedtail, Gould’s Jewelfront, Napo Sabrewing, , Blackish Rail, Black Hawk-Eagle, Black-and-white Hawk-Eagle, Coppery-chested Jacamar, White-chested Puffbird, Golden-collared Toucanet, Crimson-bellied Woodpecker, Military Macaw, Lined and White-shouldered Antshrike, Foothill, Ornate, Plain-winged Antwren, Black-faced and Common Scale-backed Antbird, White-backed Fire-eye, Chestnut-crowned Gnateater, Plain-backed and Ochre-breasted Antpitta (at the feeders), Spotted Nightingale-Thrush and Gray-cheeked Thrush (at the feeders), Short-tailed Antthrush (unfortunately glimpsed only), Scarlet-breasted Fruiteater (one female close to the main lodge),
Andean Cock-of-the-rock (one female at the waterfall), Blue-rumped and White-crowned Manakin, Olivaceous Greenlet, Paradise, Golden-eared and Spotted Tanager, Cerulean Warbler.

San Isidro and Guacamayos Ridge

My visit to the Baeza area didn’t work out as planned. I had contacted a well-known bird guide for one and a half days guiding but unfortunately he didn’t show up and didn’t reply to any phone calls or mails afterwards. So I had a later than planned start on my first day and had to skip owling. The first day I birded the San Isidro trails and walked the access road back to the main road. Next day I took a taxi to the Guacamayos Trail and birded the area until noon in fine weather. I didn’t have enough time in the Baeza area resulting in quite some species missed.

Highlights: White-bellied Antpitta (at the San Isidro feeding station), Black-billed Mountain-toucan (one bird seen twice GR), Powerful Woodpecker (a female at GR), Smoky Bush-tyrant (Guacamayos Ridge close to the parking), Green-and-black Fruiteater (male at GR), Plain-tailed Wren (GR), Hooded Mountain-Tanager, Blue-and-black, Beryl-spangled and Saffron-crowned Tanager.

Yanacocha

I walked the main trail till the feeders and part of the antpitta trail. The hummingbird feeders were empty and the bright sunshine made birding slower than expected. Nevertheless I liked this site very much.

Highlights: Andean Guan (1 very close at the first hummingbird feeders), Sapphire-vented Puffleg, Sword-billed Hummingbird, Great Sapphirewing, Tawny Antpitta (2 seen), Rufous Antpitta (a few birds heard and one bird taped in and seen), Undulated Antpitta (heard only). Crowned Chat-Tyrant, Blue-winged, Hooded and Black-chested Mountain-Tanager

Bellavista

I drove down from Yanacocha via the Ecoruta. Very long and slow drive so I arrived at Bellavista only in the late afternoon. I birded the entrance road and the road to the research station in the evening and next morning. Also did part of the antpitta trail and birded around the lodge. In the evening I stayed at the banana feeders until 10 pm with an Olingo coming in at about 9:15 pm.

Highlights: Sickle-winged Guan, White-faced Nunbird (two birds at the lodge parking), Toucan Barbet, Plate-billed Mountain-Toucan, Chestnut-crowned Antpitta (1 seen), Turquoise Jay

Paz de las Aves

I had been looking forward to this visit for many years and it didn’t disappoint. In the afternoon Angel took us to the Andean cock of the rock lek. In the evening it started raining heavily so unfortunately no owling. Early morning birding around the lodge, from 7 am start of the antpitta tour. The antpittas were fabulous, but you sometimes had to struggle to get good views because there were so many people on the tour (four groups for a total of 15 people).

Highlights: Dark-backed Woodquail, Rufous-bellied Nighthawk (distant scope views), Toucan Barbet, Crimson-rumped Toucanet, Giant Antpitta (2 different individuals, one male and one female), Yellow-breasted, Chestnut-crowned, Ochre-breasted and Moustached Antpitta, Andean
Cock-of-the-rock (8+ males at the lek), Black-capped Tanager, White-winged Brushfinch, Black-crested Warbler

Chontal Oilbird Cave

After the antpitta tour I drove to the Oilbird Cave. I picked up the lady with the key at the farmhouse. Nice views of the Oilbirds, but a very long drive.

Highlights: Oilbird (more than 10 birds resting in the canyon).

Mashpi – Amagusa

After the Oilbirds I drove to Pacto and Pacto Loma. I met Sergio Basantes and his wife Doris and they brought me to the lodge. In the evening birded around the lodge and feeders. Next morning I met Sergio at the Mashpi Amagusa reserve and birded together until noon. It rained almost constantly but I had one of the best mornings of the trip. We mainly walked the road to Mashpi lodge and visited the feeders at the reserve.

Highlights: Rufous-rumped and Slaty Antwren, Choco Tyrannulet, Bronze-olive Pygmy-Tyrant, Orange-breasted Fruiteater, Golden-winged and Club-winged Manakin, Choco Vireo (heard and seen twice in a mixed flock), Andean Solitaire, Golden-collared Honeycreeper, Indigo Flowerpiercer, Variable and Yellow-bellied Seedeater, Black-winged Saltator, Moss-backed, Glistening-green, Golden-naped and Rufous-throated Tanager (all tanagers seen at the feeders), Black-chinned Mountain-Tanager, Black-striped Sparrow, Chestnut-capped Brushfinch, Olive-crowned Yellowthroat.

Mashpi Chocolate Farm

I met Alejandro Solano at 7 am at the entrance of the Mashpi chocolate farm. We went up the ridge in search for’ Shungito’, the famous Rufous-crowned Pittasoma and heard it calling from the valley below. The Rufous-crowned Pittasoma responded to the whistles and calling from Alejandro and came in really close to feed on the tossed worms. What a fabulous bird! After a while we left the bird in peace and slowly walked back, picking up some good species. I also tasted some of the home-grown chocolate, excellent stuff and not to be missed.

Highlights: Purple-chested Hummingbird (1 male), Orange-fronted Barbet (a male seen well in the canopy), Pacific Antwren (a singing male in the garden), Rufous-crowned Pittasoma, Long-wattled Umbrellabird (a subadult male seen perched), Northern Schiffornis, Thick-billed Seed-Finch, Gray-and-gold Tanager and Emerald Tanager.

Recinto 23 de Junio

In the morning I went up to the lek with Luis Frejilla (junior). One male Long-wattled Umbrellabird was in view for a long time. It started raining at 7:15 am and we left the mountain early. It rained for most part of the day.

Highlights: Choco Toucan, Collared Aracari, Masked Water-Tyrant (in the village), Long-wattled Umbrellabird, Glistening-green tanager

Alambi
A short visit during heavy rain. Lots of activity at the feeders though, but not the hoped for Western Emerald or Wedge-billed Hummingbird.

Highlights: Metallic-green Tanager (only sighting of the trip), Rufous Motmot (at the banana feeders)

Mindo

I stayed one night at the Yellow House. Due to heavy rain, I had a late start at the trails.

Highlights: Guayaquil Woodpecker, Ochre-breasted Tanager

Antisana

I spent my last full day in this area. Again the weather was not cooperative with low temperatures, quite a lot of rain. Due to mist and fog I was unable to scope the nest of the Andean Condor at the Tambo Condor restaurant. The restaurant was closed so no visit to the feeders neither. Luckily the weather up at the high paramo and at the lake cleared out for an hour and a half enabling me to scope the lake and the high plateau.

Highlights: Silvery Grebe (four very distant seen at the viewpoint at the lake), Black-winged Ground Dove (a few flocks), Ecuadorian Hillstar (two birds at a nest at the roadside), Black-tailed Trainbearer (1 male), Giant Hummingbird (at the Tambo Condor restaurant), Andean Lapwing, Andean Gull (good numbers at the paramo), Black-faced Ibis (10+ birds at the paramo), Andean Condor (first a young bird soaring and then an adult bird perched very close), Variable Hawk (one at a nest, a few others), Black-chested Buzzard-Eagle, Great Horned Owl (one flew in and perched at the canyon at the bridge; it was still there three hours later when I passed there on the way out), Carunculated Caracara (lots, in different plumages), both Cinclodes, Andean Tit-spinetail,

BIRDLIST (471 species)

Black Tinamou
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco HO

Great Tinamou
25/12/18: Gareno, 1
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco HO

Andean Teal
08/01/19: Antisana, lake

Yellow-billed Pintail
08/01/19: Antisana, lake

Blue-winged Teal
21/12/18: Guango

08/01/19: Antisana, lake

**Ruddy Duck (Andean)**

08/01/19: Antisana, lake

**Sickle-winged Guan**

02/01/19: Bellavista

**Andean Guan**

01/01/19: Yanacocha: 1 seen very well

**Crested Guan**

06/01/19: Alambi

**Speckled Chachalaca**

26 and 27/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Rufous-fronted Wood-Quail**

05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm, HO

**Dark-backed Wood-Quail**

03/01/19: Paz de las Aves, 3

**Silvery Grebe**

08/01/19: Antisana, lake, very distant views of 5 birds

**Scaled Pigeon**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

02/01/19: Bellavista

**Band-tailed Pigeon**

29/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Plumbeous Pigeon**

22/12/18: Gareno

**Ruddy Pigeon**

Seen on 7 days

**White-throated Quail-Dove**
Seen on 3 days at Wild Sumaco

**Eared Dove**
07/01/19: Mindo

**Black-winged Ground Dove**
08/01/19: Antisana

**Smooth-billed Ani**
Seen on 5 days

**Squirrel Cuckoo**
Seen daily at Gareno

**Black-bellied Cuckoo**
22/12/18: Gareno, 2

**Oilbird**
03/01/19: Chontal, Oilbird Cave, 10 +

**Great Potoo**
22/12/18: Laguna Paikawe, 2

**Rufous Potoo**
23/12/18: Gareno, 1 seen at close range at its daytime roost

**Rufous-bellied Nighthawk**
02/01/19: Paz de las Aves, 1

**Common Pauraque**
22/12/18: Gareno, HO

**Lyre-tailed Nightjar**
04/01/19: Mashpi, 1 female at daytime roost

**White-collared Swift**
Seen on 13 days

**Fiery Topaz**
23/12/18: Gareno, male and female

**White-necked Jacobin**
Seen on two dates near Mindo

**Black-throated Hermit**
25/12/18: Gareno

**White-whiskered Hermit**
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Green Hermit**
27/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Tawny-bellied Hermit**
29/12/18: Wild Sumaco
30/12/18: San Isidro
02/01/19: Paz de las Aves
06/01/19: Alambi
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House

**Long-billed Hermit**
Seen on 3 days at Gareno

**Brown Violetear**
27-29/12/18: Wild Sumaco
06/01/19: Alambi
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House

**Sparkling Violetear**
26-29/12/18: Wild Sumaco
30/12/18: San Isidro
08/01/19: Antisana

**Tourmaline Sunangel**
21/12/18: Guango

**Green Thorntail**
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Wire-crested Thorntail**
Seen on 4 days at Wild Sumaco
**Ecuadorian Piedtail**

Seen on 2 days at Wild Sumaco

**Speckled Hummingbird**

21/12/18: Guango
30/12/18: San Isidro
01-02/01/19: Bellavista
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

**Long-tailed Sylph**

21/12/18: Guango
30/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Violet-tailed Sylph**

02/01/19: Bellavista
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Ecuadorian Hillstar**

20/12/18: Papallacta, road to the antennas, 1
08/01/19: Antisana, 2

**Black-tailed Trainbearer**

08/01/19: Antisana, 1 male

**Tyrian Metaltail**

20 and 21/12/18: Papallacta
01/01/19: Yanacocha

**Viridian Metaltail**

20/12/18: Papallacta, Coca-Cayembe reserve

**Glowing Puffleg**

21/12/18: Papallacta

**Sapphire-vented Puffleg**

01/01/19: Yanacocha
Shining Sunbeam
20/12/18: Papallacta
08/01/19: Antisana

Bronzy Inca
30 and 31/12/18: San Isidro and Baeza 54

Brown Inca
02/01/19: Bellavista
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Collared Inca
21/12/18: Guango
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge
01 and 02/01/19: Bellavista

Buff-winged Starfrontlet
21/12/18: Guango
01/01/19: Yanacocha

Mountain Velvetbreast
20/12/18: Papallacta
21/12/18: Guango

Sword-billed Hummingbird
20/12/18: Papallacta
21/12/18: Guango
01/01/19: bellavista

Great Sapphirewing
01/01/19: Yanacocha

Buff-tailed Coronet
21/12/18: Guango
01 and 02/01/19: Bellavista
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa
Chestnut-breasted Coronet
21/12/18: Guango
30/12/18: San Isidro

Velvet-purple Coronet
02/01/19: Bellavista
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Booted Racket-tail
27-29/12/18: Wild Sumaco
01 and 02/01/18: Bellavista
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

White-tailed Hillstar
29/12 and 30/12/18: Baeza, feeder at hotel Quinde Huayco

Purple-bibbed Whitetip
02/01/19: Paz de las Aves
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa
06/01/19: Alambi

Rufous-vented Whitetip
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Black-throated Brilliant
Seen on 3 days at Wild Sumaco

Gould’s Jewelfront
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 2

Fawn-breasted Brilliant
31/12/18: San Isidro
02 and 03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

Green-crowned Brilliant
06/01/19: Alambi
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House
Empress Brilliant
02/01/19: Paz de las Aves
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Violet-fronted Brilliant
Seen on 3 days at Wild Sumaco

Giant Hummingbird
20/12/18: Papallacta
08/01/19: Antisana

White-bellied Woodstar
21/12/18: Guango
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco
01 and 02/01/19: Bellavista

Purple-throated Woodstar
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
06/01/19: Alambi
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House

Violet-headed Hummingbird
Seen on 4 days at Wild Sumaco

Gray-breasted Sabrewing
23 and 24/12/18: Gareno

Napo Sabrewing 79
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 1

Crowned Woodnymph
06/01/19: Alambi
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House

Fork-tailed Woodnymph
Seen on 4 days at Wild Sumaco

Many-spotted Hummingbird
Seen on 4 days at Wild Sumaco

**Rufous-tailed Hummingbird**

Seen on 6 days

**Andean Emerald**

02 and 03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
06/01/19: Alambi
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House

**Purple-chested Hummingbird**

05/01/19: Mashpi chocolate farm, 1 male feeding in the garden

**Golden-tailed Sapphire**

Seen on 4 days at Wild Sumaco

**Hoatzin**

22/12/18: Laguna Paikawe, a few

**Blackish Rail**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 1 adult and a juvenile

**Common Gallinule**

22/12/18: Laguna Paikawe

**Purple Gallinule**

22/12/18: Laguna Paikawe

**Slate-colored Coot**

08/01/19: Antisana

**Andean Lapwing**

08/01/19: Antisana, exquisite birds!

**Rufous-bellied Seedsnipe**

20/12/18: Papallacta, antennas, flushed twice in the thick fog, heard only

**Andean Gull**

20/12/18: Papallacta, 2
08/01/19: Antisana
Striated Heron
22/12/18: Laguna Paikawe

Great Egret
20/12/18: Papallacta
04/01/19: en route to Mashpi
07/01/19: Mindo

Capped Heron
24/12/18: Gareno, 1 in flight

Snowy Egret
05/01/19: Mashpi river

Black-faced Ibis
08/01/19: Antisana, 10 + feeding in the paramo

Turkey Vulture
Seen on 11 days

Greater Yellow-headed Vulture
22, 23 and 26/12/18: Gareno

Black Vulture
Seen on 14 days

Andean Condor
08/01/19: Antisana, a juvenile in flight and an adult bird perched close by

Gray-headed Kite
05/01/19: Mashpi chocolate farm, 1

Swallow-tailed Kite
Seen on 8 days

Crested Eagle
24/12/18: Gareno, 1 adult perched in the forest

Harpie Eagle
23/12/18: Gareno, 1 juvenile bird at the nest
Black Hawk-Eagle

24/12/18: Gareno, HO

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, a pair soaring and calling

Black-and-white Hawk-Eagle

27/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 1

Snail Kite

26/12/18: 2 en route, close to Tena

Plumbeous Kite

05/01/19: Mashpi chocolate farm, 2

Roadside Hawk

Seen on 5 days

Variable Hawk

08/01/19: Antisana, a few, one at a nest on the cliffs

Black-chested Buzzard-Eagle

20/12/18: Papallacta, 1 on the cliffs

08/01/19: Antisana, 2

White Hawk

24/12/18: Gareno, 1

Broad-winged Hawk

30/12/18: San Isidro, 1

Tropical Screech-Owl

22, 23 and 24/12/18: Gareno, 1 seen

Tawny-bellied Screech-Owl

22/12/18: Gareno, HO

Crested Owl

24/12/18: Gareno, HO

Spectacled Owl

22, 23 and 24/12/18: Gareno, HO
Band-bellied Owl
27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, HO

Great Horned Owl
08/01/19: Antisana, 1 (mobbed by Shining Sunbeam!)

Pavonine Quetzal
24/12/18: Gareno, HO

Green-backed Trogon
22, 23 and 25/12: Gareno
29/12/18: Wild Sumaco
05/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Amazonian Trogon
24/12/18: Gareno

Masked Trogon
30/12/18: San Isidro
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge
01 and 02/01/19: Bellavista
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

Ringed Kingfisher
22/12/18: Laguna Paikawe

Broad-billed Motmot
04/01/19: lodge at La Delicia, 2

Rufous Motmot
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
05/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa
06/01/19: Alambi

Coppery-chested Jacamar
27/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 1

White-chested Puffbird
27 and 29/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 2 at the moth trap

**White-whiskered Puffbird 132**

05/01/19: Mashpi chocolate farm, 1

**White-faced Nunbird**

02/01/19: Bellavista, 2 at the entrance area

**White-fronted Nunbird**

22/12/18: Gareno, 2

**Orange-fronted Barbet**

05/01/19: Mashpi chocolate farm, 1 male seen well in the canopy

**Gilded Barbet**

Seen on 5 days at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

**Red-headed Barbet**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

03/01/19: feeders at lodge La Delicia

06/01/19: Alambi

07/01/19: Mindo, Yellow house trails

**Toucan Barbet**

02/01/19: Bellavista

04/01/19: Paz de las Aves

**Yellow-throated Toucan**

Seen on 4 days at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

**White-throated Toucan**

24 and 25/12/18: Gareno

**Choco Toucan**

06/01/19: Recinto 23 de Junio, Umbrellabird site

07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House

**Channel-billed Toucan**

27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco
Crimson-rumped Toucanet
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Plate-billed Mountain-Toucan
01/01/19 and 02/01/19: Bellavista, a few birds

Black-billed Mountain-Toucan
31/12/18: Guacamayos ridge, 1 seen

Golden-collared Toucanet
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 1 seen at very close range

Collared Aracari
06/01/19: Recinto 23 de Junio, Umbrellabird site

Chestnut-eared Aracari
24 and 25/12/18: Gareno

Many-banded Aracari
Seen on 5 days at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

Yellow-tufted Woodpecker
Seen daily at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

Smoky-brown Woodpecker
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House

Little Woodpecker
22/12/18: Gareno
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

White-throated Woodpecker
22/12/18: Gareno, 1

Golden-olive Woodpecker
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm
06/01/19: Alambi

**Cream-colored Woodpecker** 155

24 and 26/12/18: Gareno

**Chestnut Woodpecker**

24/12/18: Gareno

**Lineated Woodpecker**

25/12/18: Gareno

**Powerful Woodpecker**

31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge, 1 female

**Crimson-bellied Woodpecker**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 2

**Red-necked Woodpecker**

24/12/18: Gareno, HO

**Crimson-crested Woodpecker**

25/12/18: Gareno

**Guayaquil Woodpecker**

07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

**Buckley’s Forest-Falcon**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, HO

**Red-throated Caracara**

25/12/18: Gareno

**Carunculated Caracara**

20/12/18: Papallacta, 2 in flight

08/01/19: Antisana, lots in all plumages at the high paramo

**Black Caracara**

22/12 and 26/12/18: Gareno

**American Kestrel**

08/01/19: Antisana
Bat Falcon
22/12/18: Gareno
02/01/19: Bellavista
03/01/19: roadside close to Chontal

Cobalt-winged Parakeet
Seen daily at Gareno

Red-billed Parrot
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

Blue-headed Parrot
24/12/18: Gareno

Bronze-winged Parrot
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm
06/01/19: Recinto 23 de Junio
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House

Scaly-naped Parrot
27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Black-headed Parrot
22 and 23/12/18: Gareno

Maroon-tailed Parakeet
Seen on 6 days (east and west slope)

Dusky-headed Parakeet
24/12/18: Gareno

Blue-and-yellow Macaw
24/12/18: Gareno, 2 in flight

Military Macaw
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 2
Chestnut-fronted Macaw
26/12/18: en route from Gareno to Tena
27,28 and 29/12/18: Wild Sumaco

White-eyed Parakeet 190
22/12/18: Gareno

Rufous-rumped Antwren
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Fasciated Antshrike
23/12/18: Gareno

Lined Antshrike
Seen on 3 days at Wild Sumaco

Mouse-colored Antshrike
22 and 23/12/18: Gareno

White-shouldered Antshrike
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Plain Antvireo
Seen on 3 days at Wild Sumaco

Cinereous Antshrike
24/12/18: Gareno

Foothill Antwren
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Ornate Antwren
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Pygmy Antwren
25/12/18: Gareno

Pacific Antwren
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

Slaty Antwren
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Long-winged Antwren**

23/12/18: Gareno

**Plain-winged Antwren**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Gray Antwren**

24 and 25/12/18: Gareno

**Yellow-breasted Antwren**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, HO

**Rufous-winged Antwren**

24/12/18: Gareno

**Peruvian Warbling-Antbird**

24/12/18: Gareno

27 and 29/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Yellow-browed Antbird**

23 and 25/12/18: Gareno

**Blackish Antbird**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, HO

**White-backed Fire-eye**

27/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 1 female

**Black-faced Antbird**

27 and 29/12/18: Wild Sumaco, moth trap

**Spot-winged Antbird**

23/12/18: Gareno, male and female

**Chestnut-backed Antbird**

05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm, HO

**Sooty Antbird**

24 and 25/12/18: Gareno
Black-throated Antbird
24/12/18: Gareno

Bicolored Antbird 217
25 and 26/12/18: Gareno

Spot-backed Antbird
27/12/18: Wild Sumaco, HO

Common Scale-backed Antbird
28/12/19: Wild Sumaco

Rufous-crowned Antpitta
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm, Shungito! One of the birds of the trip

Chestnut-crowned Gnateater
27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Undulated Antpitta
01/01/19: Yanacocha, 1 HO

Giant Antpitta
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves, 2 birds (male and female)

Moustached Antpitta
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves, 1 seen

Plain-backed Antpitta
27 and 29/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 2 seen

Chestnut-crowned Antpitta
02/01/19: Bellavista, 1 seen
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves, 1 chasing off the Yellow-breasted Antpitta

Yellow-breasted Antpitta
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves, 1 seen

White-bellied Antpitta
30/12/18: San Isidro, 1 seen

Rufous Antpitta
01/01/19: Yanacocha, a few heard and 1 seen

**Tawny Antpitta**

20/12/18: Papallacta, a few seen
01/01/19: Yanacocha, 2 seen
08/01/19: Antisana, a few seen

**Thrush-like Antpitta**

23/12/18: Gareno, HO

**Ochre-breasted Antpitta**

26, 27 and 29/12/18: Wild Sumaco
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves, 2

**Rusty-belted Tapaculo**

23 and 24/12/18: Gareno, HO

**Ocellated Tapaculo**

02/01/19: Bellavista, HO

**White-crowned Tapaculo**

27/12/18: Wild Sumaco, HO

**Short-tailed Antthrush**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, brief views

**Olivaceous Woodcreeper**

30/12/18: Wild Sumaco
07/01/18: Mindo Yellow House Trails

**Tyrannine Woodcreeper**

02/01/19: Bellavista

**Plain-brown Woodcreeper**

29/12/18: Wild Sumaco
07/01/18: Mindo Yellow House Trails

**Wedge-billed Woodcreeper**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa
**Strong-billed Woodcreeper**
27/12/18: Wild Sumaco
07/01/18: Mindo Yellow House Trails 241

**Ocellated Woodcreeper**
24/12/18: Gareno

**Buff-throated Woodcreeper**
22 and 24/12/18: Gareno

**Olive-backed Woodcreeper**
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge

**Montane Woodcreeper**
30/12/18: San Isidro
03/01/19: lodge at La Delicia
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

**Streaked Tuftedcheek**
Seen on 4 days

**Pale-billed Hornero**
06/01/19: Mindo

**Chestnut-winged Cinclodes**
20/12/18: Papallacta
08/01/19: Antisana

**Stout-billed Cinclodes**
20/12/18: Papallacta
08/01/19: Antisana

**Buff-fronted Foliage-gleaner**
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

**Montane Foliage-gleaner**
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Scaly-throated Foliage-gleaner**
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

**Lineated Foliage-gleaner**
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

**Black-billed Treehunter**
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, HO

**Flammulated Treehunter**
02/01/19: Bellavista

**Buff-throated Foliage-gleaner**
29/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Spotted Barbtail**

*Seen on 6 days*

**Pearled Treerunner**
20/12/18: Papallacta
30/12/18: San Isidro
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge

**Andean Tit-Spinetail**
20/12/18: Papallacta
08/01/19: Antisana

**Many-striped Canastero**
20/12/18: Papallacta

**Red-faced Spinetail**
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Dusky Spinetail**
27/12/18: Wild Sumaco
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate farm

**Azara’s Spinetail**
30/12/18: San Isidro

**Ashy-headed Tyrannulet 264**

Seen on 4 days

**Choco Tyrannulet**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**White-banded Tyrannulet**

20/12/18: Papallacta

01/01/19: Yanacocha

02/01/19: Bellavista

**White-throated Tyrannulet**

20/12/18: Papallacta

01/01/19: Yanacocha

02/01/19: Bellavista

**Bronze-olive Pygmy-Tyrant**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Golden-faced Tyrannulet**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Variegated Bristle-Tyrant**

30/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Marble-faced Bristle-Tyrant**

27 and 29/12/18: Wild Sumaco

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Ecuadorian Tyrannulet**

27/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Streak-necked Flycatcher**

31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge

02/01/19: Bellavista

**Ochre-bellied Flycatcher**
24/12/18: Gareno

**Slaty-capped Flycatcher**
27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Rufous-breasted Flycatcher**
30/12/18: San Isidro
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge

**Ornate Flycatcher**
Seen on 6 days

**Scale-crested Pygmy-Tyrant**
27/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Common Tody-Flycatcher**
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

**Black-headed Tody-Flycatcher**
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

**Flavescent Flycatcher**
30/12/18: San Isidro

**Cinnamon Flycatcher**
30/12/18: San Isidro
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge

**Olive-sided Flycatcher**
22 and 24/12/18: Gareno
27/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Smoke-colored Pewee**
30/12/18: San Isidro
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge
01/01/19: Yanacocha

**Western Wood-Pewee**
Seen on 3 days at Wild Sumaco
Eastern Wood-Pewee
Seen daily at Gareno

Vermillion Flycatcher 287
09/01/19: Tababela, ground of hotel Mercedes

Paramo Ground-Tyrant
20/12/18: Papallacta
08/01/19: Antisana

Streak-throated Bush-Tyrant
08/01/19: Tababela, ground of hotel Mercedes

Smoky Bush-Tyrant
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge

Red-rumped Bush-Tyrant
20/12/18: Papallacta, Coca-Cayembe reserve

Masked Water-Tyrant
05 and 06/01/19: Recinto 23 de Junio

Crowned Chat-Tyrant
01/01/19: Yanacocha

Brown-backed Chat-Tyrant
20/12/18: Papallacta
08/01/19: Antisana

Piratic Flycatcher
22 and 23/12/18: Gareno
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

Social Flycatcher
Seen on 4 days

Dusky-chested Flycatcher
Seen on 3 days at Gareno

Great Kiskadee
22/12/18: Gareno

**Lesser Kiskadee**

22/12/18: Laguna Paikawe

**Boat-billed Flycatcher**

Seen on 3 days at Gareno

**Tropical Kingbird**

Seen almost daily

**Dusky-capped Flycatcher**

Seen on 5 days at Wild Sumaco and west slope

**Cinnamon Attila**

25/12/18: Gareno

**Green-and-black Fruiteater**

31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge, 2

**Scarlet-breasted Fruiteater**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, 1 female

**Orange-breasted Fruiteater**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa, male and female

**Red-crested Cotinga**

20/12/18: Papallacta

**Andean Cock-of-the-rock**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, female

02 and 03/01/19: Paz de las Aves, 8+ males at the lek

**Purple-throated Fruitcrow**

24/12/18: Gareno

**Long-wattled Umbrellabird**

05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm, young male

06/01/19: Recinto 23 de Junio, (only) 1 male booming at lekking tree

**Spangled Cotinga**
22/12/18: Gareno, 2 males

24/12/18: Gareno, 1 male and 1 female

**Screaming Piha**

24 and 25/12/18: Gareno

**Bare-necked Fruitcrow**

22 and 24/12/18: Gareno

**Dwarf Tyrant-Manakin**

23 and 25/12/18: Gareno

**Blue-backed Manakin**

24/12/18: Gareno, 2 males seen

**Golden-winged Manakin**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Blue-crowned Manakin**

23/12/18: Gareno, a few

**Blue-rumped Manakin**

27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Club-winged Manakin**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa, young male

**Striped Manakin**

23/12/18: Gareno, a displaying male

**White-crowned Manakin**

27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Golden-headed Manakin**

Seen on 3 days at Gareno

**Black-crowned Tityra**

24 and 25/12/18: Gareno

**Black-tailed Tityra**

22/12/18: Gareno
Masked Tityra
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House

Northern Schiffornis
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

Cinnamon Becard
Seen on 3 days at the west slope

Black-and-white Becard
Seen on 3 days at the west slope

Wing-barred Piprites
27/12/18: Wild Sumaco, HO

Black-billed Peppershrike
30/12/18: San Isidro

Olivaceaous Greenlet
27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Lesser Greenlet
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House

Yellow-throated Vireo
25/12/18: Gareno

Choco Vireo
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa, 2 birds seen well in a big flock

Brown-capped Vireo
30/12/18: San Isidro
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

Yellow-green Vireo
22/12/18: Gareno
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

Turquoise Jay
Violaceous Jay

Seen on 4 days at Gareno

Green Jay

Seen on 4 days at Wild Sumaco, San Isidro and Guacamayos Ridge

Blue-and-white Swallow

Seen daily at the west slope

Brown-bellied Swallow

20/12/18: Papallacta

White-banded Swallow

22/12/18: Gareno

Southern Rough-winged Swallow

Seen on 6 days at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

Brown-chested Martin

22/12/18: Gareno

Gray-breasted Martin

28 and 29/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Scaly-breasted Wren

05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm, HO

Wing-banded Wren

Heard only on 3 days at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

House Wren

Seen or heard on 4 days

Mountain Wren

02/01/19: Bellavista

Sedge Wren

20/12/18: Papallacta

08/01/19: Antisana
Thrush-like Wren
25/12/18: Gareno

Plain-tailed Wren
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge

Coraya Wren
23/12/18: Gareno

Bay Wren
07/01/18: Mindo Yellow House trails

White-breasted Wood-Wren
Seen on 3 days at Wild Sumaco and at Mashpi Chocolate Farm

Gray-breasted Wood-Wren
30/12/18: San Isidro
06/01/19: Alambi

Musician Wren
27/12/18: Wild Sumaco, HO

Collared Gnatwren
24/12/18: Gareno

Andean Solitaire
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa, a few

Spotted Nightingale-Thrush
Seen on 3 days at Wild Sumaco at the antpitta feeders

Gray-cheeked Thrush
Seen on 2 days at Wild Sumaco at the antpitta feeders

Swainson’s Thrush
Seen on 10 days

Ecuadorian Thrush
Seen on 3 days at the west slope

Black-billed Thrush 365
Seen on 5 days

**Great Thrush**

Seen on 4 days at Papallacta, Antisana and Tababela

**Glossy-black Thrush**

30/12/18: San Isidro

31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge

01/01/19 and 02/01/19: Bellavista

**White-necked Thrush**

24/12/18: Gareno, HO

**Green Honeycreeper**

22/12/18: Gareno

**Golden-collared Honeycreeper**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Yellow-backed Tanager**

25/12/18: Gareno

**Giant Conebill**

20/12/18: Papallacta, Coca Cayembe reserve, 2 birds

**Blue-backed Conebill**

20/12/18: Papallacta

01/01/19: Yanacocha

**Capped Conebill**

03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

**Cinereous Conebill**

09/01/19: Tababela, ground of hotel Mercedes

**Plumbeous Sierra-Finch**

20/12/18: Papallacta

08/01/19: Antisana

**Plain-colored Seedeater**
20/12/18: Papallacta
08/01/19: Antisana

**Glossy Flowerpiercer**

20/12/18: Papallacta
01/01/19: Yanacocha

**Black Flowerpiercer**

08/01/19: Antisana

**Indigo Flowerpiercer**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa, a few heard and two seen well

**Rusty Flowerpiercer**

29/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Bluish Flowerpiercer**

30/12/18: San Isidro

**Masked Flowerpiercer**

Seen on 4 days

**Flame-crested Tanager**

22/12/18: Gareno

**Fulvous-crested Tanager**

24/12/18: Gareno

**White-shouldered Tanager**

05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm
06/01/19: Alambi
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

**White-lined Tanager**

Seen on 5 days

**Masked Crimson Tanager**

25/12/18: Gareno

**Silver-beaked Tanager 389**
Seen on 7 days at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

**Flame-rumped Tanager**

Seen on 7 days (west slope)

**Purple Honeycreeper**

Seen on 5 days at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

**Swallow Tanager**

23 and 24/12/18: Gareno

03 and 04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House

**Black-faced Dacnis**

22 and 24/12/18: Gareno

**Yellow-bellied Dacnis**

22 and 24/12/18: Gareno

**Scarlet-breasted Dacnis**

22/12/18: Gareno

**Chestnut-bellied Seedeater**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Thick-billed Seed-Finch**

05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

**Variable Seedeater**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Yellow-bellied Seedeater**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

06/01/19: Recinto 23 de Junio

**Buff-throated Saltator**

03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails
**Black-winged Saltator**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Grayish Saltator**

27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, HO

**Slate-colored Grosbeak**

25/12/18: Gareno, HO

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco, HO

**Black-eared Hemispingus**

30/12/18: San Isidro

**Superciliaried Hemispingus**

20/12/18: Papallacta

31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge

01/01/19: Yanacocha

**Black-backed Bush Tanager**

20/12/18: Papallacta, Coca Cayembe reserve, the bulk of the ‘mountain tanager’ flock

**Bananaquit**

See on 6 days

**Glistening-green Tanager**

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

06/01/19: Recinto 23 de Junio

**Magpie Tanager**

See on 4 days at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

**Golden-crowned Tanager**

20/12/18: Papallacta, Coca Cayembe reserve, 3 birds in the ‘mountain tanager’ flock

**Fawn-breasted Tanager**

20/12/18: Papallacta

30/12/18: San Isidro

07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails 411
Scarlet-bellied Mountain-Tanager
20/12/18: Papallacta, seen a few times

Blue-winged Mountain-Tanager
30/12/18: San Isidro
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge
01/01/19: Yanacocha
02/01/19: Paz de las Aves

Black-chinned Mountain-Tanager
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Hooded Mountain-Tanager
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge
01/01/19: Yanacocha

Masked Mountain-Tanager
20/12/18: Papallacta, Coca Cayembe reserve, at least 2 birds in the ‘mountain tanager’ flock

Black-chested Mountain-Tanager
01/01/19: Yanacocha

Moss-backed Tanager
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Golden-naped Tanager
30/12/18: San Isidro
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Black-capped Tanager
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

Gray-and-gold Tanager
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

Masked Tanager
24/12/18: Gareno
Blue-necked Tanager
27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

Blue-and-black Tanager
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge

Beryl-spangled Tanager
30/12/18: San Isidro
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge
01/01/19: Yanacocha

Metallic-green Tanager
06/01/19: Alambi

Paradise Tanager
22 and 24/12/18: Gareno
27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Opal-crowned Tanager
22 and 24/12/18: Gareno

Bay-headed Tanager
22/12/18: Gareno
27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

Golden-eared Tanager
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Saffron-crowned Tanager
30/12/18: San Isidro
31/12/18: Guacamayos Ridge

Flame-faced Tanager
30/12/18: San Isidro
Green-and-gold Tanager 433
22 and 23/12/18: Gareno

Golden Tanager
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco
Seen on 4 days at the west slope

Emerald Tanager
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

Silver-throated Tanager
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa
06/01/19: Alambi

Blue-gray Tanager
Seen on 11 days

Palm Tanager
Seen on 12 days

Rufous-throated Tanager
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Spotted Tanager
27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Yellow-throated Chlorospingus
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

Ashy-throated Chlorospingus
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

Dusky Chlorospingus
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

Yellow-browed Sparrow
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Black-striped Sparrow
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa
Orange-billed Sparrow
27/12/18: Wild Sumaco
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves
05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

Chestnut-capped Brushfinch
03 and 04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Rufous-collared Sparrow
Seen on 10 days

Tricolored Brushfinch
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa
06/01/19: Alambi

Pale-naped Brushfinch
20/12/18: Papallacta

White-winged Brushfinch
03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

Summer Tanager
27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Scarlet Tanager
27/12/18: Wild Sumaco

Ochre-breasted Tanager
07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

Golden Grosbeak
09/01/19: Tababela, ground of hotel Mercedes

Olive-crowned Yellowthroat
04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

Cerulean Warbler
27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco (including some nice males)

Tropical Parula 458
28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

07/01/19: Mindo Yellow House trails

**Blackburnian Warbler**

Seen on 8 days

**Black-crested Warbler**

03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

**Three-striped Warbler**

01/01/19: Yanacocha

04/01/19: Mashpi Amagusa

**Canada Warbler**

26, 27 and 28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

03/01/19: Paz de las Aves

**Slate-throated Redstart**

Seen on 7 days

**Spectacled Redstart**

20/12/18: Papallacta

01/01/19: Yanacocha

02/01/19: Bellavista

**Russet-backed Oropendola**

Seen on 8 days at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

**Crested Oropendola**

Seen on 6 days at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

**Yellow-rumped Cacique**

Seen on 6 days at Gareno and Wild Sumaco

**Mountain Cacique**

30/12/18: San Isidro

**Red-rumped Cacique**
23 and 24/12/18: Gareno

**Orange-backed Troupial**

22/12/18: en route from Tena to Gareno

**Hooded Siskin**

08/01/19: Tababela, ground of hotel Mercedes

**Olivaceous Siskin**

28/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Thick-billed Euphonia**

05/01/19: Mashpi Chocolate Farm

06/01/19: Alambi

**Bronze-green Euphonia**

27/12/18: Wild Sumaco

**Orange-bellied Euphonia**

Seen on 8 days

**Rufous-bellied Euphonia 476**

22/12/18: Gareno