



Backbone of South America Tour

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- 1) Cycle solo from Quito, Ecuador to Ushuaia, Tierra del Fuego, Argentina
- 2) Raise \$20,000 for Heifer International (www.heifer.org)
- 3) Obtain endorsements/sponsorships/donations for fund raising and trip expenses
- 4) Document trip
 - a. Photos
 - b. Travelogue focusing on
 - i. Food
 - ii. People
 - iii. Surroundings
 - iv. Personal Thoughts
 - v. Stats Log (Mileages, places slept, weather conditions, road conditions, etc.)
 - c. GPS locations
- 5) Use the experiences gained on this trip to move into a different career or a different aspect of GIS
 - a. Travel/Exploration/Adventure cartography
 - b. Travel Writing
 - c. Project based GIS Analysis (Archaeology, Conservation, Preservation)
- 6) Learn fluent Spanish