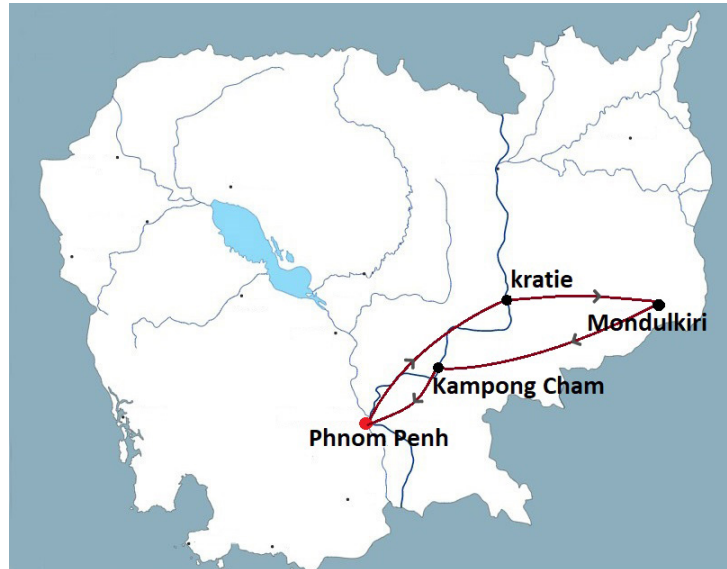


Cambodia's North East Tour 6 Days 5 nights

See different beauty of Cambodia overlooked by majority of travelers. The trip is a mixture of dolphin & elephant spotting, jungle trekking, community life experience and history and Khmer folk tale.

Tour highlights include:

- Opportunity to see the rare Irrawaddy dolphins
- Stay on Mekong River island of Koh Trong and community experience
- Join activities of ethical Elephant Valley Project
- Trek through the jungle of Mondulkiri
- Take a dip into Bou Sraa Waterfall
- Visit and learn the classic story of Phnom Bros and Phnom Srei Hill



Detailed Itinerary

Day 1: Phnom Penh to Kratie by land

The trip starts with a pick up from hotel in Phnom Penh and travel overland around 5 hours to Kratie, the home of the rare Irrawaddy dolphins. Half part of the journey will go through beautiful scenery of farm and jungle landscape making your trip quite a pleasure. We will also make some stop to try out local fruits at roadside stalls. Arrive in Kratie, have lunch in town before boarding a local ferry to Koh Trong Island which sits in middle of Mekong River and just opposite the town for overnight. Rest of the day is free for your own relaxation at hotel's swimming pool.

Day 2: Kratie

A beautiful sample of rural Cambodian life on an island in the middle of the mighty Mekong river, Koh Trong makes for a relaxing and visually stunning day. This morning we will rent simple local bike for touring around the island. Sample some famous fruits on, chat with local and be prepared to reply "hello" to village kids. Afternoon we head out on the massive Mekong with local boatmen to try and spot the endangered Irrawaddy freshwater dolphin. End the day with sunset from Sambok hill before heading back to Kratie town or Koh Trong for another night in Kratie.

Day 3: Kratie - Mondulkiri

Travel further east to Mondulkiri Province, the most sparsely populated province in Cambodia, despite being the largest in land area. This province is known for its thickly-forested hills, verdant landscapes, and cascading waterfalls. Half of the way, the landscape will change again to mix of pine clumps, grassy hills and windswept valleys. Check in at hotel in Mondulkiri. Evening enjoy introductory walk to this small town.

Day 4: Mondulkiri

This morning we head out to ethical Elephant Valley Project. Trekking in the Cambodia Elephant Sanctuary, you can observe these amazing animals in their natural jungle habitat. Here the animal is respected and well treated: no riding, no shows and no stress. Spend half a day walking with them; learning about their life, the forest and the conservation effort. This is a highly unique experience to do in Cambodia.

Next, you'll head east towards the double drop waterfall of Bou Sraa, one of the most famous in Cambodia. Stop along the way at a Phnong minority village to learn a little about their way of life. You may be invited to drink some rice wine, as Phnong villagers are extremely hospitable and welcoming of outsiders. Continue to Bou Sraa to explore the falls. It is possible to access both drops and there are swimming opportunities for those who want to take the plunge.

Last stop is at Sea Forest. Enjoy short trekking to top of Bai Chow Hill to enjoy amazing view of the Sea Forest.

Back to hotel.

Day 5: Mondulkiri – Kampong Cham

Travel to Kampong Cham and visit the Bridge of Jayavarman VII, a silk farm, and rubber tree plantations. Afternoon we ride simple bikes to explore the nearby sites. Visit Koh Pen Island to enjoy countryside view and see vegetation and try some local fruits freshly pick from the trees. Learn about classic story of Phnom Bros and Phnom Srei Hill. Last stop will be visit the 11th century Vat Nokor temple. Overnight in Kampong Cham.

Day 6: Kampong Cham – Phnom Penh

Today travel 2 hour back to the capital. You have might take international departure flight from Phnom Penh or overnight in the capital.