



## INTERMEDIATE LEVEL CLIMBS

**Grade:** D

**Altitude:** 6024 m.a.s.l.

Tocllaraju is located between the Ishinca, Aquilpo and Honda valleys and lies to north-west of the mountains Pukaranra and Palcaraju. It is shaped like a pyramid and boasts amazing views of the surrounding glaciers. This is a great climb for those looking to summit a 6000er, with some sections of steep and technical climbing. With good weather conditions, this is an accessible peak for intermediate climbers.

### **Day 1: Huaraz - Pashpa - Ishinca Base Camp**

This morning we'll pick you up and drive to the trailhead in Pashpa (3670m/15317ft). Here we'll meet up with our arrieros (wranglers), load up our gear, and then begin our hike up through the beautiful Ishinca Valley. Passing through the National Park's control, we'll register and have lunch. After about 5



hours hiking we'll reach base camp Ishinca. Here we'll check our climbing equipment for the next day, camping at (4300m/14104ft).

### **Day 2: Base Camp - Camp 1 Tocllaraju**

We will have breakfast in the Base Camp and a free morning to check our climbing gear. After lunch at 12:00 hours we will start going up to the Camp 1 of Tocllaraju. After 2 hours, will arrive at the glacier where we will put on our climbing gear to continue climbing to the Camp 1 (about 1 hour more), camping overnight on the glacier at (5200m/17056ft).

### **Day 3: Camp 1 - Tocllaraju Summit - Base Camp**

After breakfast in the Camp 1 at 3 am, will start to climb up to the summit (about a 5 hour climb). Three hours before the summit we will reach a 60 meter wall, where we will use either a fixed rope or free climb with help from your guide. At the summit (6035m/19794ft), we will enjoy the splendid views of the surrounding peaks: Huascaran, Santa Cruz, Ranrapalca, etc. We will then return to the Camp 1, where we will pack up our equipment and continue down to the Base Camp (arriving at around 4 pm), where we will camp overnight.

### **Day 4: Base Camp - Huaraz**

On this day, we will go back to Huaraz at around 8 am, after breakfast. It will take around 3 ½ hours to walk to Pashpa, where our private transfer will be waiting to transport us to Huaraz and we will have lunch on the way. On the way to Huaraz, we will register our return in the Huascaran National Park in Pashpa. We'll arrive in Huaraz at around 2 pm.

### **INCLUDED:**

- UIAGM guide.
- Private transport to/from trailhead.



- All meals while on the mountain (excellent, high energy meals prepared fresh on the trail)
- High altitude mountaineering tents.
- Complete kitchen equipment (tables, chairs, dining tent etc.).
- Porters/arrieros and/or pack animals to haul the heavy gear.
- Technical climbing equipment such as ropes.
- Ice screws.
- Snow anchors.
- Basic First Aid kit.
- Radio communication.

### **EXCLUDED:**

- Flights to/from your country of origin to Peru/Huaraz.
- Bus ticket Lima-Huaraz-Lima and associated hotels if needed.
- Transfers between bus station/airport.
- Personal items such as expedition clothing.
- Harness, helmet, ice axe & boots (rentable if needed).
- Extra meals outside the trip itinerary (in Lima or Huaraz).
- Sleeping bag & mattress.
- Travel insurance (recommended).
- Huascarán National Park entrance (payable at park gate).
- Tips to guide and staff

