

## Itinerary:

**Day 1 (December 27, 2008):** Fly to San Jose, Costa Rica. At Santamaria International Airport, you will be met by DANTA faculty who will transfer you to your hotel.



**Day 2:** In the morning, you depart for the field station. Enjoy the inspiring scenery as we drive through Braulio Carrillo National Park. There will be a brief stop for photographs.

**Braulio Carrillo National Park**

**Day 3- 10:** Settle in to your new home at El Zota Biological Field Station. We will be very busy viewing wildlife, and learning new behavioral and ecological field

**Mantled howler monkey eating figs**



**Day 11-14:** Field trip to Puerto Viejo/Manzanillo region of Costa Rica. Here you will spend 2 days working on the Talamanca Monkey Bridge Project (read DANTA News ([www.danta.info](http://www.danta.info)) for more information), spend a day visiting the Bri Bri indigenous community., and finally, we will take an invigorating zip-line tour of the rainforest canopy!

**Day 15 -20:** We are now back at the field station, and you begin work on your independent research projects.

**Day 21:** Depart for San Jose just after breakfast. You will arrive in San Jose around midday. You can spend the afternoon shopping, visiting museums, or simply relaxing. The group will meet up in the evening for our farewell dinner.

**Day 22 (January 18):** You are transported to the airport for your flight home.