



# ETNA 2026

17 AND 18 SEPTEMBER 2026  
DESPACHO AND SUYU KARPAY

## ANDEAN MYSTICAL TRADITION

- **Mother Etna is the second largest active volcano in the world.**
- **This event is part of the project to weave the largest Apu and Nusta in Italy and Europe.**
- **We will honour the huaca already created with khuya from other Apus and Nustas in Italy and around the world.**
- **We will offer nourishing and empowering despachos with the free, pure, and untamed Salka volcanic energies.**
- **We will create new energetic connections with the planetary energy bubble.**



**This is a pilgrimage with a significance that transcends national and European borders. Mother Etna, at 3,350 meters above sea level, is the second largest active volcano in the world.**

**The journey is part of the patient and demanding project of weaving and karpay of the large and small Apu and Ñusta of Italy that we have been leading for several years.**

**We will connect the seven most significant expressions of Pachamama: Mont Blanc, Monte Rosa, Gran Paradiso, Cervino-Matterhorn, Lake Bolsena, Gran Sasso, and Etna.**

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**This event is open to all practitioners of the Tradition.**

**Arrivals Wednesday, September 16th.**

**Activities on the slopes of the volcano Thursday, September 17th and Friday, September 18th.**

**Departures Saturday, September 19th.**

**Accommodation in a B&B in Catania. Packed lunches and dinners in the city centre.**

**A car is required for local group travel.**

**We can arrange to extend the trip with a tour of Sicily in the following days.**

**The summer months will generally have hot temperatures in the plains.**

**It is necessary to bring clothing suitable for both the decidedly Mediterranean climate and the cool Alpine climate of Etna. Suitable equipment and footwear are required for short hikes on Etna's trails.**

**It is highly recommended that you express your interest in participating no later than May 15, 2026, to book your flight, B&B, and car at the best price and opportunity.**

**Detailed program information and logistics will be shared with participants. The project is organised by Gianmichele Ferrero with the collaboration of Paola Ferraro, Agata Lanteri, Enrica Costanzo, Achille Salerno.**

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