

## DANCE & DRUM TOUR TO GUINEA

November 10-24, 2008

### Join Simbo for two exciting weeks in Guinea!

Learn fun, high energy traditional dances and rhythms in classes taught by Simbo and members of local ballets, attend rehearsals, participate in time-honored ceremonies, buy fabric in a bustling marketplace, experience village life, relax on a tropical beach...

Simbo offers trips annually, custom tours can also be arranged.

#### ITINERARY:

Nov. 10 arrive in the capital Conakry, Guinea

Nov. 11-13 classes begin in Conakry, explore the city, attend ballet rehearsals, Welcome Doundounba\*

Nov. 14-17 visit Kindia, shop in the fabric market, cool off in the nearby waterfalls, continue classes

Nov. 18-22 boat trip to isle of Roum for relaxation, swimming, classes

Nov. 23 classes in Conakry, final shopping, other arrangements & Farewell Doundounba\*

Nov. 24 depart from Conakry, Guinea

Please make your own flight arrangements. Plan to arrive in Conakry by Nov. 10, 2008. It is possible to extend the trip.

\* A Doundounba is a traditional dance/street party that features dancers and musicians from a dance company. They are usually performed for special occasions including a marriage or birth of a baby.

#### DAILY SCHEDULE:

8:00-9:00 a.m. Breakfast

9:00a.m.-12:00 p.m. Dance class

12:30-1:30 p.m. Lunch

3:00-5:00 p.m. Drum class

6:00-7:00 p.m. Dinner

Free time can be spent getting to know new friends, learning new languages, singing, creating with a tailor, shopping in bustling markets, playing with children, relaxing, trying new cuisine, exploring...

#### TRAVEL INFORMATION:

To travel to Guinea you need a valid passport and a visa for Guinea. You also need a Yellow Fever vaccination. Please consult the Center for Disease control (www.cdc.gov or 404-639-3311), a travel clinic or your primary care physician for information on malaria prophylaxis and other recommended vaccines.

#### COST:

Please send bank check or money order (sorry, no personal checks ) for \$1300.00 for 2 weeks (3 weeks is \$1600) payable to:

Soriba Camara. Please call or email for mailing address.

A reservation deposit of \$500 is due by

October 1, 2008. Complete payment is due by October 15, 2008. Once you have registered there is a \$150.00 fee for cancellations.

#### Price of Tour Includes:

Dance and drum classes, all levels welcome; simple, safe, clean housing; 3 meals a day; planned excursions; transportation to and from airport in Guinea. This fee does not include airfare or visa. SORIBA SIMBO CAMARA

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### REGISTRATION FORM

Please mail this portion with your payment

Make checks payable to Soriba Camara

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my deposit of \$500. I have read, understood and agree to the terms and conditions presented in this form regarding Soriba Simbo Camara's 2008 dance and drum tour of Guinea.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_