

Touch the roots of IRAN

 **Domad** .tours



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Our Story

We are a socially-responsible tour operator in Iran with a special focus on organizing nomadic tours. While we arrange a wide variety of tours, we specifically pride ourselves in being the first and most popular tour operator in Iran that introduces and arranges nomadic tours where **everything the traveller witnesses is unfiltered and untouched nomadic life** with all its simplicities, peculiarities and challenges. Nothing in our tours is manipulated or modified to fit certain criteria or look more authentic.

We are committed to **preserving nomadic culture** and **empowering the nomads** through **responsible tourism**. Our nomad partners **get their share** from every trip and this extra revenue makes them less inclined to grow the number of their herds, thus preserving the environment. You'll get to experience slow travel at its best and leave a minimum carbon footprint while experiencing **a sustainable lifestyle** in accordance with nature.



Why travel with IRANomad?



1

Social Business

The nomads are the main beneficiaries of these tours & a portion of our revenue will go towards rural economic developments.

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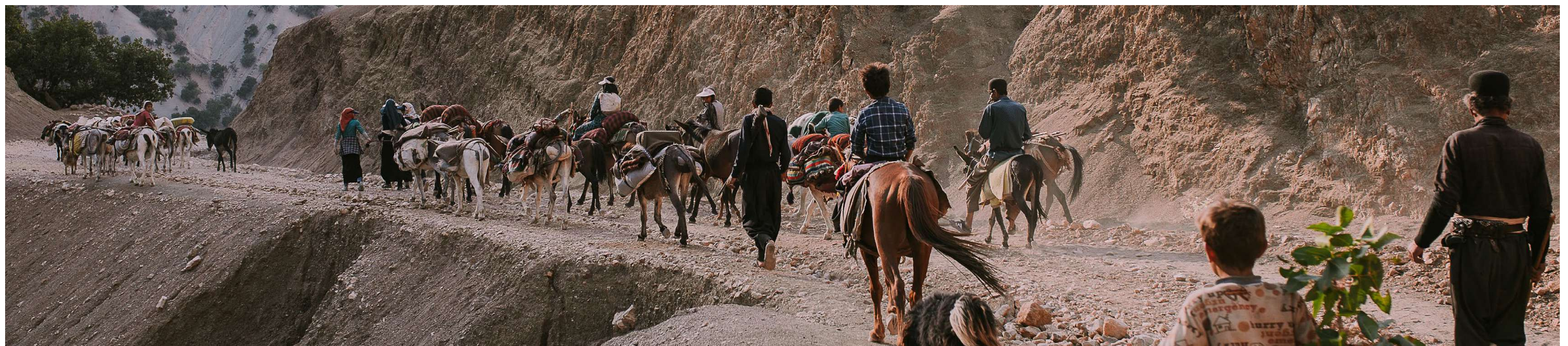
Nomad Specialists

We are, first & foremost, a team of avid travellers, studying the nomads for years now and accompanying them on their transhumance or living with them at any chance we get. We have almost become Iranian nomads' experts with a vast pool of knowledge on different nomadic tribes in Iran.

3

Nomads' Confidant

We have formed a strong bond with the nomads. We regard the nomads as our second family and always have their best interests in our hearts. In return, the nomads have come to fully trust us. Often they call us early in the morning, tell us about their day, and ask us when we will be joining them.



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Departure Guarantee

No matter whether other travelers have booked the tour or not, your tour will definitely operate on the day it is scheduled, and you will have your once-in-a-lifetime experience.

5

Sustainable Travel

Our tours are responsible and sustainable, both culturally and environmentally. We commit to having a positive impact by putting the nomads & local communities first and by supporting conservation initiatives.

6

Happiness Guarantee

Whether you want a challenging adventure or a relaxing holiday, or even a little bit of everything, we will make sure to cater to your preferences and create an unforgettable experience for you.

7

Small group

Small group tours enable our travelers to form intimate connections with their host nomad family, without disrupting their normal routines.

Read more about our values [here](#).



Tours Overview: Kooch-Included Tours

The main experience with nomads is their semi-annual migration (Kooch). The following tours include the Kooch experience along with other adventures.

- ★ Featured
- ♥ Popular



★ Nomads' Odyssey

A truly immersive experience with the most authentic nomads of Iran.



Authentic+Classic

A perfect 2-week trip including the adventurous Kooch, classic Persia & the desert.



Iran is located in dry areas of earth, but has a diverse climate, roughly four types:

- Most of Iran has a dry & warm weather, with towns & cities beside deserts.
- Zagros Mountains is the main range with cool weather, where Nomads live.
- South of Iran has a warm humid climate, with beaches across Persian Gulf.
- North of Iran has a cool humid climate with forests and mountains.



♥ Nomadopedia

A fantastic way to connect with 3 nomadic tribes. Including Kooch, Qashqai Nomads, & the village of troglodyte.



Grand Persia

Visit various landscapes & acquire authentic experiences. Including 22 UNESCO sites.



Tours Overview:

Kooch-Excluded Tours

The following tours include the experience of Classic Persia together with a relatively easy nomadic journey for those who find it hard to do the Kooch yet or are not very interested to have an exclusively nomadic experience.

♥ Popular



♥ Treasure of Persia

A two-week adventure to explore the Persian Civilization, Iran's classic route & its nomadic life on Zagros.



Nomadic Villages / Nomadic Life

Delve into nomads' culture in 3 remote, picturesque nomadic villages. / A short hike in nomadic pastures.



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♥ Persian Highlights

Explore the main highlights of Iran; a real insight into its rich heritage, nomadic villages & deserts.



Southern Seascape

A 16-day tour exploring enchanting islands, majestic coasts & sparkling blue water of the Persian Gulf.



★ Nomads' Odyssey (Kooch)


















The nomads are Iran's indigenous people who have been living in the Zagros mountains for as long as 10000 years. They are shepherds and their livelihood depends on their herds of sheep and goats. What sets them apart from other shepherds is that the nomads do a semi-annual migration (transhumance) every year. This phenomenon is called Kooch in Farsi.

Trek the famous Zagros mountain ranges in the Bakhtiari hinterlands with us on this hiking and camping adventure. On our way, we cross the ancient nomadic pathways accompanied by Mountain People in their seasonal migration. Experience the panoramic view of the Zagros on the mountain peaks, witness Nomads' epic migration, and enjoy Nomadic lifestyle!

Nomads' Odyssey, a 10-day classic migration, is the most special tour we offer as a glimpse of an ancient lifestyle almost lost in history. Follow [this link](#) to watch how nomads do Kooch and how you will experience it!



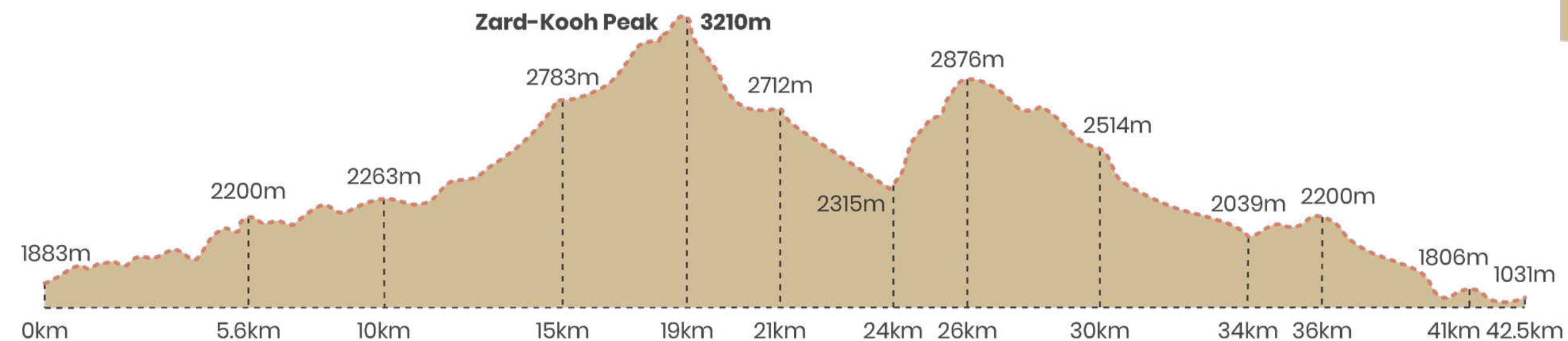
★ Nomads' Odyssey (Kooch)

		We pick you up at IKA and start our trip.	
Day 1	1	Tehran	
			Flight from Tehran to Ahvaz
	2	Ahvaz	
		Tchogha-Zanbil	
			Shushtar
			
	3	Reaching Nomads	
	4 to 6	Nomads' Odyssey (Kooch)	 
	7 & 8	Nomadic Villages	
		Isfahan (Persian Bath)	
	9	Isfahan	
	10	Kashan	
			Our trip ends in IKA.

Imagine waking up to the sound of sheep bleating while the dawn slowly breaks over the wide sky over the rocky Zagros mountain. You breathe in the crisp weather and enjoy a steaming cup of black tea with the nomads under their famous black tents. After breakfast, get ready for a full day of hiking with the nomads and the herd across the pastures and rushing rivers, under the giant oak trees and through the deep winding valleys. At nightfall you gather around the fire to have supper, exchange stories and get a good night's rest for another day.

Before embarking upon your journey, note that Kooch is a heavy activity. Consider your physical ability before (typical hiking elevation profile below).

Tap/click on these photos to watch videos about Kooch & nomads.



♥ These are our bestsellers tours.
Tap/click on each to know more.

Authentic+Classic



This tour combines the less-traveled roads with the most popular route in Iran which makes it a perfect two-week adventure. During the first week, we join the indigenous nomads of Iran to accompany them in their seasonal transhumance. We then join the classic route to visit some of the main cultural centers.

Nomadopedia



Nomadopedia is a 18-day tour across Iran, in search of Iran's Nomads' rich history, culture & heritage while 'Migrating' with them. We'll hike, camp, and live with 3 different Nomadic tribes to learn what nomadic life is really like among them. We'll also visit the some of the UNESCO-registered monuments.



Persian Highlights



In a 14-day wintry tour, we will show you a little bit of almost everything in Iran! From the modern, cosmopolitan capital,, to the pristine, more traditional nomadic villages and the pleasantly warm southern islands (travelled mostly on a lenj boat). And to add to your surprise, we will visit snowbound mountains and hot deserts at the same time of the year, in the same country: Iran.

Tours Timing & Pricing



Kooch-Included Tours

- These tours have limited availability during their season and work by “first come, first served” mode.
- Traveller groups consist of 3 to max 4 people for each journey.
- Timing of the Kooch (the migration process) is never set in stone due to weather conditions and family matters, so flexibility and respecting the flow of life in the mountains becomes a necessity.

Kooch-Excluded Tours

- These tours are available around the year. They differ due to seasonal weather.

Notes on all Tours

- Prices per person are less if booked as a group for all tours.
- Check out our affiliation programs **here**.
- Kooch-included tours are available off-season without Kooch experience. Get in touch for alterations & tailor-made tours.

	Winter			Spring			Summer			Autumn			Days / Nights	Prices
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Nomads' Odyssey	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	10 / 9	€ 1985
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Nomadopedia	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	18 / 17	€ 3450
Grand Persia	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	21 / 20	€ 3995
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Southern Seascape	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	16 / 15	€ 2950

Our Services



Visa

'Can I get a visa?' The answer is surely yes! Following documents are required for visa application. If you are a US or UK passport holder, we need to start your visa process at least 1.5 months before your trip:

- Passport scan
- Portrait photo (3X4)
- Visa form (tap/click [here](#))
- CV (for US, British and Canadian citizens)



Travel Insurance

Insurance is a sure necessity. IRANomad provides full travel insurance.



Mountain Gear

If you are short of necessary camping or trekking gear, we provide you with some of the stuff you need for Kooch:

- Trekking shoes & socks
- Poles
- Headlights
- Sleeping bag, foam mats & sleeping tent
- Backpack

Read [this article](#) to know what is needed on a nomadic trip.



Pick-up

We got your back! We will pick you up at and get you to airports in time.



**Discover a life
aligned with nature**



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