

# Tanzania

## Mountain Endemics



Tanzania's dense and remote montane forests hold some of Africa's most sought-after and rarely-seen bird species. **Udzungwa Forest Partridge, Rubeho Forest Partridge, Uluguru Bushshrike Dappled-throat, Iringa Akalat, White-winged Apalis** and **Red-capped Forest Warbler** are just some of special birds that we'll be targeting.

This trip aims to see all of Tanzania's recognised Eastern Arc Mountain specials, with Pemba Island and a bit of lowland savannah and swamp birding thrown in for good measure. We'll cover the East and West Usambaras, the Uluguru Mountains and the Udzungwa Mountains. And we'll be the first group to attempt entering the Rubeho Mountains where **Rubeho Warbler, Rubeho Akalat** and **Rubeho Forest Partridge** are possibilities. In the lowlands we'll visit the Kilombero Floodplain, Pemba Island and Baobab Valley.

In terms of toughness, this is Africa's West Papua, suitable for dedicated birders willing to hike and camp in remote mountain areas.



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