Traveling the world is something I have dreamed about doing ever since I was a small child. I have heard that Peruvian food has been influenced by quite a few sources, including Spanish settlers, local indigenous groups and recent immigrants from the rest of the continent. Peru is unique in that it contains a tropical rainforest, some of the highest mountains in the world and even pristine beaches – all within close proximity to each other. Not only that but visitors to Peru can choose from several different dining venues, ranging from chic modern restaurants to charming street vendors. Secondly, Peru is attractive because it has an extremely varied national cuisine. I feel this way because of Peru's amazing natural environment and its tantalizingly varied national cuisine. To begin with, Peru is a land of varied landscapes and I believe that getting in touch with nature is the best way to enjoy a vacation. Few countries offer easier access to such a plethora of natural wonders. I felt that seeing such scenes helped me really get to know America.