

Tour & art

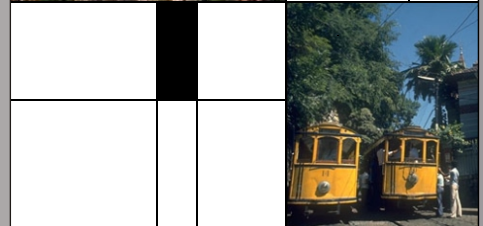


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The Art Decó Christ and Santa Teresa District

Passing by the largest urban forest in the world our customers can reach the top of the Christ mountain where our clients can see an amazing 360° view over the Wonderful City. In the way back there is the possibility of visiting the Chácara do Céu Museum in Santa Teresa or just enjoy the trolley that makes the XIX century district even more charming. (4 hs)

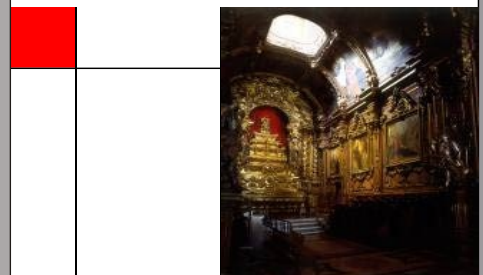
Sightseeing bus: Christ and beach tour only.



Sugar Loaf and Downtow District Highlights

Located at the entrance of Guanabara bay, the summit of Sugar Loaf hill offers a attonish landscap over Rio, there our clients can ride a helicopter tour, wich is highly recommended, or just use the world famous cable car. In the way back our customers can visit Downtown area and stop at the modern Cathedral and São Bento church, where the ravish portuguese barroco took place. (4 hours).

Sightseeing bus: Sugar Loaf and cathedral only



Museums and Cultural tour in Downtown Area

Besides the Cathedral and São Bento there are several amazing buildings to visit in Rio, such as: the Opera House, the Portuguese Library, the Colombo Cafeteria and Saint Francis Church. The most famous museuns are the Fine Arts and the Modern Art one. This tour as the other ones can be tailored accordind to your taste, time and interest. (4, 6 or 8 hours).

Sightseeing bus: São Bento and walking tour in downtown



The Contemporary Art Museum and Niterói

Known as Niemayer`s masterpiece, the Contemporary Museum of Niterói can be reached by boat or by the 7 miles bridge. It`s surprising architecture matches the spirit of modern art such as the other buildings of The Niemeyer Way: Theater, Catholic and Baptist Cathedral, his Museum and some others masterpieces located in the other side of Rio bay. (4 or 6 hs)

Sightseeing bus: Contemporary Art Museum in Niterói
Botanical Gardens and Maracanã (soccer stadium) in Rio.



Petrópolis, the Imperial City (40 miles from Rio)

Located on the top of the mountains, surrounded by a delightful vegetation, lies the city named in honour to Peter the Second. The Old Imperial Summer Palace is a passport to go back into Brazil XIX century history. Other attractions are The Crystal Palace, Santos Dumont house, the Old Casino and the Neo-gothic cathedral, where the Imperial family is buried. (6 or 8 hs)

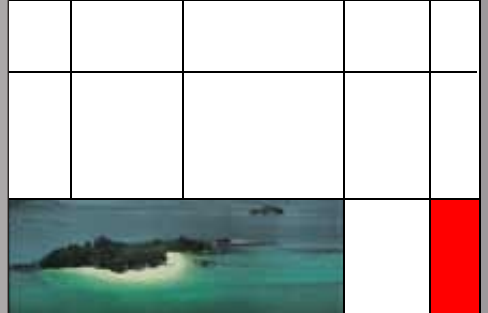
Sightseeing bus: does not visit the Casino and Santos' house.



Tropical Islands tour (40 miles from Rio)

Located at the south side of the state, the green coast is a paradise for those that just want to relax and have fun. Once in the pier you're invited to get on board and cruise among the tropical islands. This tour, as the other ones can be also operated by a bus, it's your choice: private transfer (but not a private boat) or sightseeing bus. Fruits on the boat and lunch in an island are included. (8 hs)

Sightseeing bus: just the same tour.



By Night Tour

It's show time folks! Brazilians are known around the world by their sense of humour, hospitality and for their incredible spirit of party. So, why not attend to a carnival show in order to have an idea of the biggest party in the world! Come to see the samba, capoeira, mulatas and their wonderful costumes! This tour can also be scheduled with a dinner. (2 or 4 hs)

Sightseeing bus: just the same tour.



Tijuca Forest Tour and Açude Museum

Visiting the biggest urban forest in the world (20 miles squared) can be a good choice if you are interested in ecological tours. Besides the plants and waterfalls you will know a lot about the animals that can be found on the path side, such as monkeys, slaws, tucans, quatis and some others. A visit to the Açude Museum can also be scheduled. (4 hs)

Jeep tour: does not visit the museum, but can be done with the Christ tour.



Favela Tour, City Park and Museum

Favelas are an amount of simple houses built in the hills (amazing views) where a poor and warm community lives. It's very hard to give a definition and to understand what is a favela, this tour will give you another perception about this way of living and will teach you how to be happy when everything seems to be against you. In addition to this tour we can also visit two museums City Park and Moreira Salles Foundation. (4 hs)

Jeep tour: does not visit the museums, but can be done with the tour to the forest.



West Side Story Tour

Come to know the west part of Rio, the story never told! Away from Copacabana and Ipanema there are several other beaches in Rio: like Barra, Recreio, the wild Grumari and the Prainha paradise. Besides those surprising sceneries you can also visit Burle Max Gardens, Casa do Pontal Museum and the largest rough stone store in Rio named Legep. You can book this tour with a stop in Barra Shopping Mall (400 stores). (6 or 8 hrs)

Sightseeing bus: doesn't go to Grumari beach.

