

## ADD THE WOW FACTOR

Head to Arkaba Station for an outback team experience, working together to round up the cattle. Then dine under the stars and venture out for a twilight Australian wildlife experience.



## ADELAIDE

Australia's food capital, hugged by stunning natural landscapes

Nestled between world-famous wine regions, magnificent beaches of white sand and ancient outback mountain ranges, the vibrant, colourful, hassle-free city of Adelaide boasts an internationally acclaimed convention centre and offers a diverse range of easily-accessible incentive options that will inspire your delegates and reward top-performers.



## OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Visit the historic Penfolds Magill Estate Cellar Door, home to the original Penfolds Wines and Australia's most prized wine, The Grange
- Tour the olive groves at Clare Valley, before indulging in a feast of South Australian produce and some of the best Riesling in the world
- Traverse the ancient landscape of the Flinders Ranges on the Arkaba Walk, where 600 million years of geological history is echoed through the layers of Wilpena Pound.

## DID YOU KNOW?

**Andy Thomas, Australia's first astronaut was born and grew up in Adelaide.**

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

- DAY 1** Join an Australian celebrity chef for a private welcome brunch, comprised of locally sourced ingredients, on the beautiful sands of Glenelg beach, where the Southern Ocean laps the shore and plays home to bottlenose dolphins. A fleet of classic cars will pick you up from the beach and chauffeur you through rolling, green country vistas to the picturesque Barossa Valley, just over an hour's drive from the city. World-renowned for its big, bold red wines, the Barossa holds a once-in-a-lifetime experience in store: a wine blending master class with your team at Chateau Tanunda, the birthplace of Barossa wine. Relax into the evening with an indulgent Australian degustation meal at Appellation at The Louise - one of the Luxury Lodges of Australia. Recognised as a world-class destination for dining in South Australia, more than 85 per cent of the daily menu at Appellation has travelled less than 30 kilometres from grower to plate.
- DAY 2** Take a short 20-minute drive from The Louise to enjoy a gourmet breakfast with families of kangaroos in a nearby conservation park. Then return to the city to visit Adelaide's city arts centre, The Jam Factory, for an interactive glass blowing experience with the opportunity to take home your own handmade glass piece. After lunch, set in a courtyard of a traditional Australian house-turned-cafe, join a local Indigenous artist for a private introduction to Tandanya, Adelaide's iconic Aboriginal art gallery. After time at leisure, enjoy a bespoke dinner under the stars, surrounded by native plants in the grounds of the beautiful Adelaide Botanic Gardens. Upon arrival, you'll be greeted by Australian wildlife from Adelaide Zoo before sampling a feast of modern Australian cuisine.
- DAY 3** Travel by helicopter to Kangaroo Island, a pristine wilderness just a 30-minute flight from the city centre. A local conservationist will give you an introduction to the famed national landscape and wild kangaroos, koalas, sea lions and pelicans. After a fresh, seafood lunch, explore the island at leisure – opt for a stroll along the white sandy beaches and azure waters, jump on a quad bike, or swim with wild dolphins. Relax into the evening with an Australian-made Li'Tya spa treatment at the Southern Spa, located in the outstanding Southern Ocean Lodge, perched on a secluded cliff top on a rugged stretch of coastline. Boasting dramatic views of the Southern Ocean stretching toward the Antarctic, the lodge will host an exclusive dinner that will take you on a gastronomic journey of the bounty of local, fresh produce such as South Australian grain-fed beef, petite king crab salad, house made gnocchi accented by salty Kangaroo Island samphire, and desert flavoured with Kangaroo Island lavender.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY

## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### ADELAIDE FRINGE

Attend an event at the Adelaide Fringe. Boasting fresh ideas, risk, imagination, spontaneity and fun, the Adelaide Fringe is Australia's largest arts festival – only rivalled by the Edinburgh Fringe on a worldwide scale – bringing artists from across the globe to participate alongside home-grown talent.

### SANTOS TOUR DOWN UNDER

Take the Tour Down Under team cycling challenge and ride the same routes as the professional cyclists on the Santos Down Under, a pro tour event. Bringing top World Tour professional cycling teams to race on the streets of Adelaide and regional South Australia, the Santos Tour Down Under is a festival of cycling, with accompanying events that create a lively atmosphere across the state.

### TASTING AUSTRALIA

Join a renowned Australian chef for a hands-on culinary class during Tasting Australia. Comprised of workshops, tours, festivals and exhibitions, Tasting Australia is the perfect opportunity to excite your taste buds and sample the best that the country has to offer in produce, food products, wine, beer and hospitality.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

### PORT LINCOLN

Take a short flight from Adelaide to Port Lincoln to cage dive with great white sharks or swim with wild sea lions, dolphins and tuna on the Eyre Peninsula.

### FLINDERS RANGES

Hop in a four-wheel drive and explore Australia's outback, ridge tops and pine country from Arkaba Station – a luxury retreat where you can hold a bespoke, outback themed dinner in a traditional Australian woolshed, built in 1856.

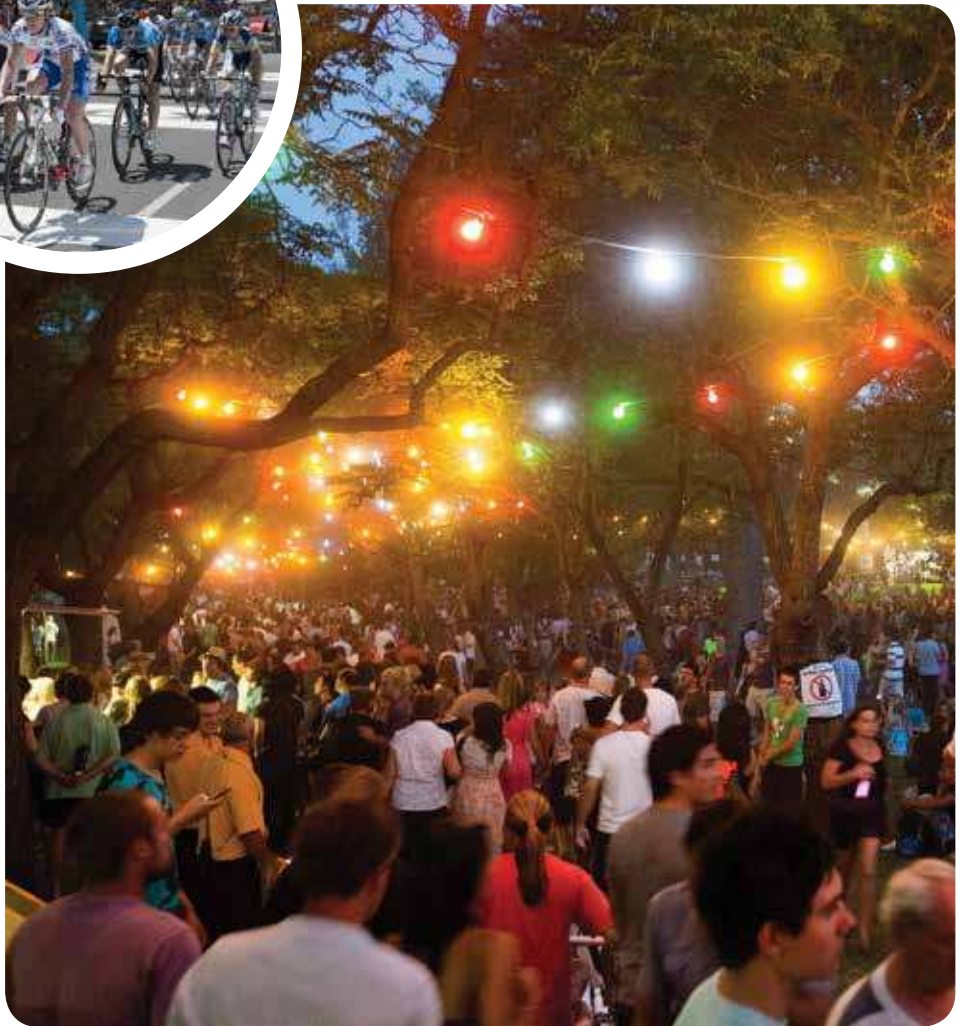
### COOBER PEDY

Tour a working opal mine in Coober Pedy - take your chance with a pick and shovel, and sieve through the mine tailings in search for a precious stone that escaped earlier detection. Before you leave, stop at the Kangaroo Orphanage to pet and care for young Joeys.



## DID YOU KNOW?

Adelaide is the capital of the only Australian state never to have received convicts.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

The award-winning Adelaide Airport is located only 15 minutes from Adelaide's central business district. Adelaide enjoys high frequency and direct international flights, conveniently connecting Asia and beyond. Adelaide's central position on the continent also ensures a convenient gateway to the rest of Australia.

### WEATHER

Adelaide has a mild, Mediterranean climate.

Month	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Temperature °C	29°	29°	26°	23°	19°	16°	15°	17°	19°	22°	25°	27°
Temperature °F	84°	84°	79°	73°	66°	61°	59°	63°	66°	72°	77°	81°

### ACCOMMODATION

Adelaide has more than 4,500 beds within close walking distance of the city, with a further 2,000 in the greater Adelaide area. Accommodation needs can be met with a selection of premium hotels and resorts, guaranteed to suit every budget.

### VENUE CAPACITY

Adelaide is famous for its ability to deliver grand events with a personal touch, proudly offering a number of outstanding venues. The Adelaide Convention Centre can cater for 3,500 (conferences) to 5,000 (events), while a range of vibrant venues within the city centre for up to 10,000 guests. Events can also be hosted in a world-famous wine region or stunning coastal location, just a stone's throw from the city.





# BRISBANE

Embrace, explore and experience Australia's new world city

With a warm climate, an abundance of outdoor pursuits, and a paradise island and reef within touching distance of the urban landscape; the down-to-earth, friendly city of Brisbane offers fresh and exciting options for rewarding incentive experiences, team building activities and corporate initiatives.

## ADD THE WOW FACTOR

Get the full adrenalin rush at Tangalooma Resort with sand tobogganing races, quad biking and four-wheel driving along the beach.



## OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Cuddle a koala on the banks of the Brisbane River at the Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary – Australia's oldest and largest koala sanctuary
- Kayak the Brisbane River at night
- Enjoy traditional Australian beer and prawns under the Kangaroo Point Cliffs.

## DID YOU KNOW?

**Brisbane has more sunny days than Florida and warmer winters than the Bahamas.**

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

**DAY 1** Kick-start your visit with a bespoke tour of the latest collection at the Gallery of Modern Art (GoMA); heralded for its fresh design and interactive exhibitions, GoMA is sure to inspire. While here, get silly with a creative team building exercise before re-fuelling with a traditional Australian barbecue. Then you'll be transported on a unique and environmentally-friendly Green Cab guided tour of the city, winding through its hotspots, landmarks and spectacular riverbank sites before being chauffeured to an exclusive man-made beach at South Bank - a picturesque area located on the southern reaches of the stunning Brisbane River. Here, enjoy a beach-themed welcome dinner on the sand in the heart of the city, lit by a backdrop of twilight views.

**DAY 2** Gain perspective of the breathtaking scenery on a dawn Story Bridge Adventure Climb, offering a glittering panorama of Brisbane and its surrounds, framed by the rising sun. Opt for an exclusive tour of the boutiques in the historic Brisbane Arcade before visiting Shingle Inn to sample a traditional Australian Lamington: a fluffy sponge cake coated in rich sticky chocolate, sprinkled with white flakes of coconut - guaranteed to melt in your mouth and leave you grinning from ear to ear. Or, for the more adventurous, head to Queensland Raceway for a V8 car driving experience and a thrilling afternoon on the track where you'll learn racing car handling techniques. That evening, a private laneway party awaits you. Get ready for a colourful night with entertainment from famed Brisbane musicians and performing artists, alongside costume-dressed wait staff and fabulous food prepared by the city's most-loved chefs, served with local beer and wine.

**DAY 3** Indulge in a champagne breakfast aboard a private yacht, while cruising to Moreton Island - the world's third-largest sand island and a paradise just over an hour's sail from the city. Dive or snorkel the clear turquoise waters around the island's impressive Tangalooma Wrecks – fifteen vessels deliberately sunk on the landward shores of the island, forming a beautiful habitat where reef, tropical fish, crustaceans, turtles and dolphins can be found. Explore the playground of beaches, dunes, woodlands and shallow, fresh water lagoons. As evening descends, enjoy a final team dinner, set on an idyllic sandy beach with the waves lapping just metres from your feet. Between courses and entertainment, you'll be joined by a local marine biologist for the truly magical experience of hand-feeding wild dolphins that swim up to the beach under the southern night stars.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY

## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### BRISBANE WINTER RACING CARNIVAL

Hire a private box at the Brisbane Winter Racing Carnival. Taking place during Brisbane's warmer-than-average winter months, the event brings fashion, horse racing and a sporting spirit to the city.

### DELECTABLE BRISBANE

Take an exclusive culinary master class at 'delectable Brisbane'. Showcasing local growers, chefs and musical talent, this event provides a unique opportunity to experience Queensland's harvest and live entertainment.

### BRISBANE FESTIVAL

Enjoy a bespoke performance at Brisbane Festival. Featuring more than 70 productions, 400 performances, art installations, talks and hang-outs, the festival creates a unique, exciting and special atmosphere in the city.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

### MOUNT TAMBORINE

Explore fantastic rainforest scenery on national park walking tracks or the Tamborine Rainforest Skywalk, then tackle a more active way of seeing the rainforest with an aerial acrobatics course at the Mount Tamborine Adventure Park.

### SUNSHINE COAST

The nearby Sunshine Coast boasts spectacular sand cliff coastline, lush mountain ranges, subtropical rainforest, and access to the world's largest sand island, Fraser Island.

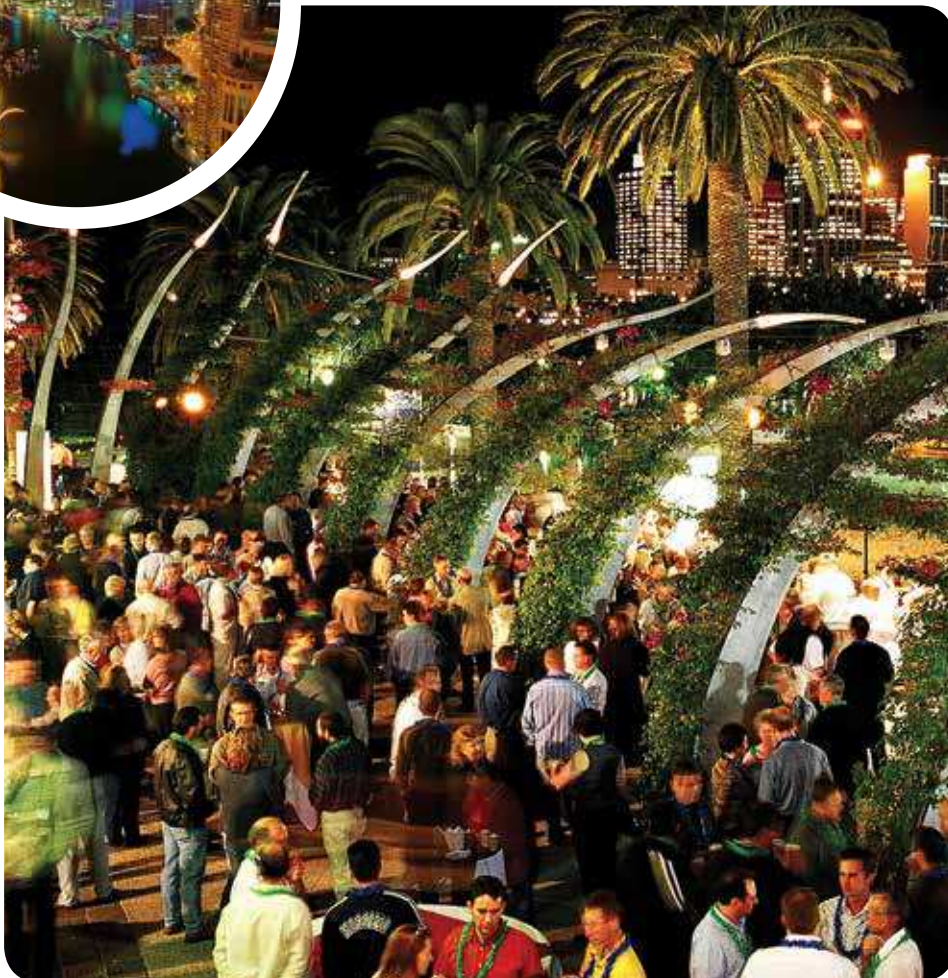
### GOLD COAST

With more than 600 restaurants and cafes, and the biggest collection of theme parks in the Southern Hemisphere, the Gold Coast is lauded Australia's entertainment capital, conveniently surrounded by a paradise coastline and lush rainforest.



## DID YOU KNOW?

Brisbane has Australia's first and only inner city urban beach, with 4,000 cubic metres of sand sourced from the Rous Channel in Moreton Bay.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

Brisbane Airport is consistently recognised as one of the world's best, with a recent AU\$4.2 billion upgrade, a convenient city location and an extensive network of flights linking to 30 international destinations and 44 domestic destinations.

### WEATHER

Brisbane has a sub-tropical climate

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Temperature °C	23°	23°	21°	18°	15°	12°	11°	13°	15°	17°	20°	22°
Temperature °F	74°	74°	69°	64°	58°	54°	52°	55°	58°	63°	67°	71°

### ACCOMMODATION

With more than 13,000 guest rooms, Brisbane offers a range of accommodation options. International brands, including Sofitel, Hilton and Marriott, are all located in the city centre.

### VENUE CAPACITY

When it comes to event infrastructure, Brisbane covers the full spectrum of event organiser needs. From the internationally acclaimed Brisbane Convention & Exhibition Centre, to intimate and unique venues like the Brisbane Powerhouse, the city provides a top selection of spaces in which to meet and mingle for groups with up to 8,000 delegates.



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Explore the wonders of an ancient tropical rainforest on Skyrail Rainforest Cableway and learn about one of the most botanically fascinating and diverse areas on earth.

# CAIRNS

## Gateway to the Great Barrier Reef

Renowned for its relaxed, tropical climate and laid back ambience, Cairns boasts the best of Australia's tropics - with islands, rainforest and reef on its doorstep.

Swim, snorkel, dive and sail the World Heritage listed Great Barrier Reef; immerse yourself in the World Heritage listed Wet Tropics Rainforest; or take the scenic railway to the tranquil, butterfly-fringed village of Kuranda and cruise amongst colourful parrots, platypus and fresh water crocodiles.



### DID YOU KNOW?

**The Daintree Rainforest, north of Cairns, is the world's oldest rainforest at 135 million years.**



### OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- View nocturnal marine life and giant turtles during a night dive on the Great Barrier Reef
- Participate in a rainforest revegetation project
- Sky dive over the tropical beaches of Cairns
- Swan dive through the rainforest on a bungee cord.

### ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

**DAY 1** Enjoy a champagne reception and exclusive catamaran cruise to the breathtaking Great Barrier Reef to snorkel or scuba dive among the kaleidoscope displays of coral and tropical fish. Indulge in a gourmet picnic lunch on a charming sand island perched on the Reef, and learn about the exotic flora and fauna from a local marine biologist. After another dip in the water, cruise back to the mainland and travel the short distance to Port Douglas for a traditional Australian barbecue dinner and live music from a local band.

**DAY 2** Join the Kuku Yalanji Indigenous community for a private lesson on traditional hunting and gathering methods at Mossman Gorge, where the river tumbles over and around huge granite boulders. After a traditional Australian outback lunch, journey through woodland and rainforest to spot crocodiles and local wildlife on an exclusive tour with Hartley's Crocodile Adventures. Then add your mark on the ancient landscape by planting a tree with a personal note in a rainforest restoration area. Return to the stylish, five-star Pullman Port Douglas Sea Temple Resort & Spa for a unique warm bamboo massage followed by a private cocktail function held pool-side.

**DAY 3** Take a five-minute walk from Port Douglas to enjoy a crisp, fresh breakfast served outdoors on Four Mile Beach – the premier beach of the region that continues as far as the eye can see without a hint of development. From here, a private helicopter will transfer you south over the tropical landscape to the beautiful Atherton Tableland, just inland from Cairns, where your team will rally together for an exciting white water rafting adventure along the Barron River. Enjoy refreshments before exploring the beautiful, majestic surrounds. Take a swim in an ancient crater lake, marvel at thousand-year-old trees, stand in the world's longest lava flow and see fairy-tale limestone caves. Fly back to the haven of Port Douglas and attend an exclusive gala dinner with fire-breathing entertainers at the magical Flames Of The Forest venue, set beneath a canopy of the oldest rainforest in the world.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY

## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### CAIRNS BLUES FESTIVAL

Enjoy a private performance and the Cairns Blues Festival. Offering a fine selection of performers from Australia and overseas, the annual festival celebrates blues music in a friendly, open air event set amid the tropical splendour of Fogarty Park, on the Cairns Esplanade.

### CAIRNS UKULELE FESTIVAL

Take a bespoke Ukulele workshop at the friendly Cairns Ukulele Festival. Held annually, the festival offers a fantastic atmosphere of pop, rock, folk, jazz and blues concerts as well as workshops, tours and art that encompass the ukulele and the tropical lifestyle associated with it.

### CAIRNS INDIGENOUS ART FAIR

Meet a local Aboriginal artist and take a private dot painting lesson in conjunction with the Cairns Indigenous Art Fair. Celebrating Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander art, dance and music, the fair provides an opportunity to view and acquire artwork by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

### CAPE TRIBULATION

Cape Tribulation is a unique destination where ancient rainforest meets the ocean and Great Barrier Reef. Taste tropical fruit and explore the area by horseback or four-wheel-drive. Alternatively, take to the water to discover the wonders of the reef or paddle the coastline by kayak.

### TULLY

Tully Gorge National Park is known to be Australia's wettest area. Heavy rainfall encourages lush tropical vegetation and makes perfect conditions for a white water rafting adventure with your team on Tully River.

### TOWNSVILLE

Just a short boat trip from Townsville is Magnetic Island, home to beautiful bays, rocky headlands and a range of incentive activities like car rally driving, jet skiing, snorkelling or diving one of the world's most renowned shipwreck dive sites.



## DID YOU KNOW?

The Great Barrier Reef, off the coast of Cairns, is the world's largest reef system and the only living thing that can be seen from space.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

As Australia's northern gateway, Cairns Airport is serviced by six international airlines, with direct flights from Asia. All the major domestic carriers connect Cairns directly to Australian capital cities. Cairns Airport is situated just seven kilometres from Cairns city and an hours' drive from Port Douglas.

### WEATHER

Cairns has a tropical climate.

Month	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Temperature °C	31°	31°	31°	29°	28°	26°	26°	27°	28°	30°	31°	31°
Temperature °F	88°	88°	88°	84°	82°	79°	79°	81°	82°	86°	88°	88°

### ACCOMMODATION

With 7,000 rooms available in Cairns city, and 8,000 beds available in the picturesque village of Port Douglas, delegates can select from five-star international hotels, boutique or apartment style accommodation to suit any budget.

### VENUE CAPACITY

Cairns and the Great Barrier Reef region boasts purpose-built and off-site venues to suit any program. From the award winning Cairns Convention Centre to five-star resorts or an intimate rainforest retreat, the region can support groups from 10 to 5,000 delegates.



## ADD THE WOW FACTOR

Increase your understanding of the Australian people – their identity, creativity, history and culture - with a private tour of the National Portrait Gallery.

## CANBERRA

A city of hidden gems and stylish restaurants

Boasting numerous national attractions, an array of stylish restaurants and bars, and a vibrant entertainment scene, Canberra –Australia’s capital - is a sophisticated city which is complemented by a nearby wine region, mountain range and stunning coastlines – making it a diverse choice for your next incentive or corporate event.



## DID YOU KNOW?

Canberra’s name is thought to mean ‘meeting place’, derived from the Aboriginal word Kamberra.



## OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Explore the café culture in Kingston, a suburb situated in the east of the city
- Stay at the artsy East Hotel and enjoy a meal at their restaurant, Ox Eatery
- Hold a group breakfast with a bush-food flavour at the National Museum of Australia followed by a private tour of the Museum’s Indigenous exhibition.

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

- DAY 1** Enjoy a private breakfast followed by an exclusive tour at the National Gallery of Australia, surrounded by bold Australian works of art. Take a short 40-minute drive east to Tidbinbilla Nature Reserve and join a local ranger to learn the history of the land, and Indigenous tool and weaponry crafting techniques. Taste a traditional outback lunch at a historic woolshed before trekking through the wetlands in search of the elusive platypus. Make a stop at Tidbinbilla Tracking Station where an astronomer will explain the secrets of the skies and the role Australia played in getting man to the moon. Return to the city and venture to the revolving restaurant at Black Mountain Tower for breathtaking, 360 degree views of Canberra.
- DAY 2** Head out of town and tour the plethora of wineries that surround Murrumbateman, just a 40-minute drive north of the city. Over 160-years-old and renowned for its cool climate wines, the Canberra District Wine Region is home to charismatic cellar doors where the group can sample fine wine, enjoy culinary delights, try the art of wine blending, or attend a food pairing master class. Lunch at the family-run Poacher’s Pantry smoke house and winery - widely renowned for its regional delicacies such as kangaroo prosciutto with vine ripe tomato bruschetta. Upon returning to the city, enjoy high tea at the Hyatt Hotel and challenge the team to a croquet match at Canberra Croquet Club. That evening, wine and dine amongst the exhibitions, artefacts and great works of art from Australia’s military history at The Australian War Memorial.
- DAY 3** Enjoy a champagne breakfast on a sunrise hot air balloon ride over the city and its beautiful leafy surrounds. After floating back down to land, soak up the sights of the city’s centrepiece: Lake Burley Griffin. Canoe, sail, paddleboat, row or windsurf across the peaceful waters and get a real feel for Canberra. Alternatively, bike the winding, flat tracks around the water’s edge. Take lunch at the National Museum - which has recently launched an event space that provides a number of options for small and large groups – and take a tour of the museum’s stunning social history exhibitions. Absorb one last view of Canberra from the back of a limousine as you drive to the Great Hall at Parliament House for an exclusive final group dinner.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY



## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### CANBERRA 100

Celebrating 100 years since the official opening of Canberra, the city is hosting an extensive, year-long program to showcase the best that it has to offer. Attend one of many for music, arts, science, sports, historical and cultural events.

### FLORIADE

Hold a colourful gala dinner in the heart of Floriade – an event that the nation’s capital burst into colour with more than one million flowers, providing a beautiful backdrop to a festival that showcases Aussie inventions, celebrities, landscapes, sporting culture and history.

### CANBERRA FESTIVAL BALLOON SPECTACULAR

Take your team to great heights during the Canberra Festival Balloon Spectacular. Bringing a flurry of colour, sound and movement to autumn skies, the event is listed as one of the top four hot air ballooning events in the world, accompanied by live entertainment and local cuisine.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

### SNOWY MOUNTAINS

Two and a half hours from Canberra, the Snowy Mountains are home to Australia’s highest point, Mount Kosciuszko. Discover the region’s many sights and activities; alpine wildflowers, top ski resorts, wild brumbies, glacial lakes, fishing, mountain bike riding, trekking, horse riding and much more.

### SOUTH COAST OF NEW SOUTH WALES

Tour the unspoilt coastline less than two hours’ drive from Canberra, taking in the breathtaking ocean views and lush hinterland. Enjoy top quality local seafood, whale watching, deep sea fishing or pristine beaches.



## DID YOU KNOW?

The site of Canberra was selected for the location of the nation’s capital in 1908 as a compromise between Sydney and Melbourne.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

Canberra is 282 kilometres from Sydney and 660 kilometres from Melbourne. Arrive by plane, train, bus or car. There are around 900 flights in and out of Canberra each week with direct flights available from all Australian capital cities.

### WEATHER

Canberra has a dry climate. It experiences all seasons with warm summers and cold winters.

Month	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Temperature °C	28°	27°	25°	20°	16°	12°	11°	13°	16°	19°	23°	26°
Temperature °F	82°	80°	78°	68°	61°	54°	52°	56°	61°	66°	73°	79°

### ACCOMMODATION

The Canberra region has accommodation available for all tastes and budgets. Choose from five star, boutique and heritage-listed hotels or serviced apartments.

### VENUE CAPACITY

Canberra’s national attractions offer a diverse range of venues. They not only hold the story of Australia in their diverse collections but also provide prestigious venues for cocktail parties, gala dinners and business events. Choose from the National Convention Centre, Parliament House, the National Art Gallery or many others.





## ADD THE WOW FACTOR

Get up close and personal with rare Bengal and Sumatran tigers during a gala dinner at Dreamworld.



# GOLD COAST

Endless entertainment in a tropical paradise

With more than 600 restaurants and cafes, and the biggest collection of theme parks in the Southern Hemisphere, the Gold Coast is lauded Australia's entertainment capital - conveniently surrounded by the paradise of 70 kilometers of pristine coastline and 100,000 hectares of rainforest.



## OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Take advantage of the 40 championship golf courses within a 45-minute drive from Surfers Paradise
- Take a scenic flight to Lady Elliott Island, a true coral cay on the Great Barrier Reef
- Cruise the calm waters of the Gold Coast on an old world sailing ship
- Cuddle a koala and feed kangaroos at Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary.

## DID YOU KNOW?

The Gold Coast has a sub-tropical climate and an average of 300 days of sunshine per year.

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

**DAY 1** After a level 77 breakfast on the observation deck at SkyPoint, head to Mount Tamborine for local artisan shopping, the Tamborine Rainforest Skywalk, an aerial acrobatics course at the Mount Tamborine Adventure Park, or cheese tasting at Witches Chase. Be surrounded by songbirds during a tranquil rainforest lunch, followed by an exploration of the Mount Tamborine Food and Wine Trail - a treasure map of special offerings, delicacies and characters of the Gold Coast hinterland. Return to the city to experience Outback Spectacular, involving a unique show with over 40 stock horses and a three-course Australian outback dinner. Retire to the five-star Hilton Surfers Paradise, home to fabulous ocean views and an unprecedented range of accommodation options.

**DAY 2** After breakfast with the locals at a surf club, meet the lifesavers and hit the waves for an exciting learn-to-surf lesson; or challenge the team to a beach volleyball match and soak up the golden sands and crystal-clear sea. Relax at the Tweed River and feast on Chilli Crab and local wine for lunch before taking a Balunjali Tour - a kayaking trip to see the Gold Coast through the eyes of local Aboriginal people. Get ready for an evening to remember: a private yacht will pick you up from the marina of the Palazzo Versace to transfer to you to the pristine, exclusive beach at McLaren's Landing. Enjoy champagne and canapés aboard the yacht before setting foot on land for an exclusive, themed evening of alfresco dining, fresh seafood, Australian wine and local entertainment.

**DAY 3** Jump into a private helicopter and absorb stunning birds-eye views of the Gold Coast's surrounds whilst transferring to the luxury resort of O'Reilly's Rainforest Retreat. Taste traditional Australian outback refreshments during a Segway Safari Tour of the unspoiled Lamington National Park. Take a zip wire across the rainforest canopies and return to the remarkable eco-retreat for sunset cocktails and an intimate outdoor dining experience. That evening, embark on a guided spotlighting walk to view nocturnal Australian wildlife like pademelons, possums and gliders; and marvel at the light of one of Australia's largest glow worm colonies.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY

## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### ARMOR ALL GOLD COAST 600

Hold a team party during Amor All Gold Coast 600 – a motor sporting event that sees the world’s best drivers battle against Australia’s top motorsport talent, combining trackside thrills with a party atmosphere and all-star entertainment from international music acts.

### MAGIC MILLIONS RACEDAY

Hire a private box at Magic Millions Raceday. Attracting horse lovers, socialites and celebrities from around the world, Magic Millions Raceday is one of the most spectacular days of horse racing in the Australian calendar.

### QUIKSILVER PRO GOLD COAST

Meet famed surfers at Quiksilver Pro Gold Coast where the world’s best surfers battle for gold in the Quiksilver Pro and Roxy Pro - the first of ten World Championship Tour events for professional surfers.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

### MORETON ISLAND

Hand-feed wild dolphins under the southern night stars from a beach on the shores of the third-largest sand island in the world.

### BRISBANE

Gain perspective of Brisbane’s breathtaking scenery on a dawn Story Bridge Adventure Climb, offering a glittering panorama of Brisbane and its surrounds, framed by rising sun.

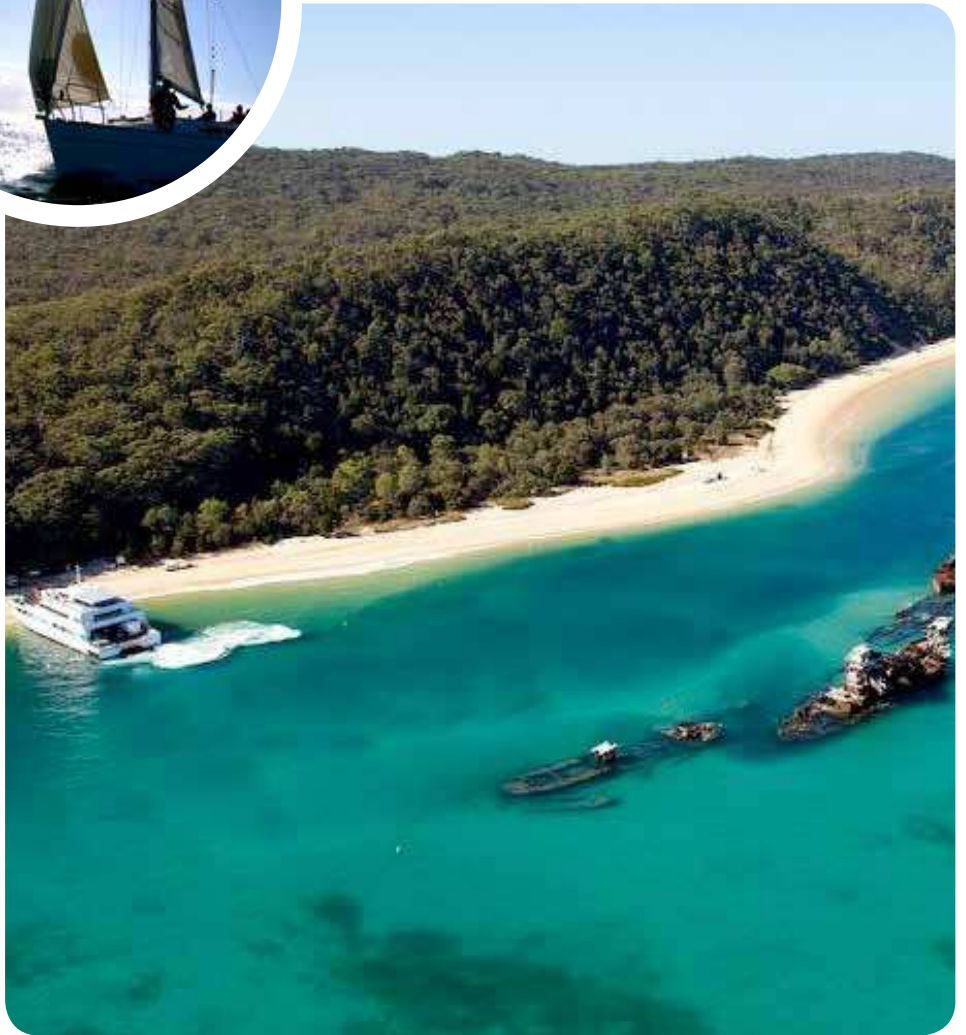
### SUNSHINE COAST

Experience Richard Branson’s Make Peace Island. Offering a unique fusion of luxury, nature and authentic Balinese design, the island is an idyllic place to escape, unwind, and enjoy a tantalising culinary experience overlooking the spectacular lagoon pool and riverfront.



## DID YOU KNOW?

The Gold Coast is home to the second highest public vantage point in the southern hemisphere - the Q1 building.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

The Gold Coast is serviced by two major international airports. Brisbane Airport is within a one-hour drive and Gold Coast Airport is a 30-minute drive from central Surfers Paradise. Direct flights are available to and from all Australian capital cities, regional areas and all major international destinations.

### WEATHER

Gold Coast has a sub-tropical climate.

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### ACCOMMODATION

With over 35,000 rooms and 65,000 bed spaces, the Gold Coast meets accommodation needs with ease. Choose from a wide variety of international hotels, resorts, apartments, mountain retreats and spa retreats.

### VENUE CAPACITY

The Gold Coast offers award-winning, purpose-built convention venues combined with unique meeting spaces. The city can cater from 10 up to 6,000 delegates. Whether your goal is to educate, reward or motivate, the Gold Coast has the experience, infrastructure and a perfect venue to bring your event to life.



## ADD THE WOW FACTOR

Sail into the stunning Yarra Valley in a hot air balloon at sunrise then sharpen your wine appreciation skills at acclaimed vineyards.

# MELBOURNE

A city of substance and style

With an abundance of options for combining work with pleasure, the stylish city of Melbourne has been voted many times as one of the world's most liveable cities, leading the way for arts, culture and sports.

Neighbouring the stunning Twelve Apostles, beautiful Yarra Valley wine region and charming Mornington Peninsula, the area offers a range of outdoor incentive activities to reward your delegates.



## DID YOU KNOW?

**Melbourne was the capital city of Australia for 26 years, from 1901 to 1927 before Canberra was built.**



## OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Sip champagne in a hot air balloon as the sun rises over the Yarra Valley wine region
- 'Go green' for a good cause, joining a coastal revegetation program
- Enjoy a private lunch on St. Kilda beach
- Ski in the Victorian Alps
- Take the Puffing Billy – a century-old stream train that runs on its original mountain track – through the Dandenong Ranges.

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

- DAY 1** Discover the newest foods and trends in the company of a professional guide and a well-known, Melbourne-based chef during a gourmet tour of Queen Victoria Market. Meet the market's renowned characters and specialist traders who will provide tips on selecting produce and tastings of their culinary delights. Refuel with lunch at Shannon Bennett's acclaimed fine dining restaurant, Vue De Monde, located in Melbourne's iconic Rialto Towers. Join a local guide to explore the hidden laneways that weave a maze through the city and stop to view avant garde galleries, eclectic boutiques and charismatic cafes. Enjoy welcome cocktails and stunning city views at an exclusive function held at the highest public vantage point in the Southern Hemisphere, Eureka Skydeck 88.
- DAY 2** Take a private helicopter out of the city, over sweeping coastal vistas to witness the rugged splendour of the dramatic Twelve Apostles – a set of limestone rock stacks that majestically rise out of the ocean along the Great Ocean Road. Enjoy a gourmet picnic lunch in a private marquee on the beach before a four-by-four wheel drive experience in the surrounding national park. Retire to the luxury Peppers The Sands Resort in Torquay – Australia's surfing capital and home to the world-famous Bells Beach. Soak up the resort's facilities before an alfresco seafood feast, overlooking coastal dunes and the stunning Southern Ocean.
- DAY 3** Take the short journey back to Melbourne and join an Australian cricket star for a private coaching experience and behind-the-scenes tour at the renowned Melbourne Cricket Ground (MCG). After lunch, take to the Yarra River to develop your rowing technique, learn boat handling skills and river rules, and discover the joys of rowing during a scenic, learn-to-row team building activity with Melbourne Rowing Club. Enjoy a private recital accompanied by a final dinner, set in the centre of the stage at the historic Regent Theatre - a landmark and key part of Melbourne's history, boasting the breathtaking finishes of its 1929 design.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY

## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### MELBOURNE SPRING RACING CARNIVAL

Take a bespoke milliner class and create your own fascinator for your attendance at Melbourne Cup Day, Victoria Derby Day, Oaks Day or Stakes Day during the week-long Spring Racing Carnival: a celebration of horse racing, food, wine, fashion and entertainment.

### BOXING DAY TEST

Enjoy great entertainment at the Boxing Day Test. Held at the renowned Melbourne Cricket Ground (MCG), this is the most anticipated cricket match of the year in world cricket, accompanied by plenty of activities in and around the MCG.

### MELBOURNE INTERNATIONAL COMEDY FESTIVAL

Enjoy a private show at The Melbourne International Comedy Festival. Promising fun, laughs and a good atmosphere, the festival is one of the largest comedy festivals in the world, alongside Edinburgh Festival Fringe and Montreal's Just for Laughs Festival.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

### YARRA VALLEY

Visit the region where Victoria wine growing began and make a stop at Domaine Chandon – the only Australian winery founded by Moët et Chandon.

### MORNINGTON PENINSULAR

Sample fine Pinot wines at Port Phillip Estate, an architecturally acclaimed winery surrounded by mounds of native grasses, indigenous spotted gums and regimented rows of vines. Be sure to check out its accommodation and venue offerings.

### PORT PHILLIP BAY

Swim with dolphins and seals, and meet the world's smallest penguins at Port Phillip Bay, just south of the city.



## DID YOU KNOW?

Melbourne city has the largest remaining tram public transport system in the world with 487 trams and 28 different routes.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

The 24 hour, curfew-free Melbourne Airport receives over 640 international flights from 26 airlines each week. Domestic and international terminals are under one roof so no transfers are required.

### WEATHER

Melbourne has a Mediterranean climate.

Month	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Temperature °C	26°	26°	24°	20°	17°	14°	13°	15°	17°	19°	22°	25°
Temperature °F	78°	78°	75°	69°	62°	57°	56°	59°	63°	67°	71°	75°

### ACCOMMODATION

Melbourne has more than 25,500 rooms located in the Melbourne Tourist Region with approximately 16,100 rooms in the City of Melbourne and 9,400 in the central business district.

### VENUE CAPACITY

Melbourne has a wide variety of flexible meeting and special event venues, from funky warehouse conversions to historic homes. The 'Six Star Green Star' rated Melbourne Convention Centre boasts a 5,540+ seat plenary, 52 meeting rooms, grand banquet room and foyer for 8,400 guests. The integrated Melbourne Exhibition Centre is 30,000 sqm.





# THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

## Quintessentially Australian

A place rich in Aboriginal history and rugged, natural beauty, the Northern Territory offers the quintessential Australian experience.

With a huge array of wildlife, colourful outback characters and awe-striking landscapes, this is a place of adventure – where you can lose or find yourself. Incentive activities are bountiful in this unique destination of rainforest, Aboriginal rock art, outback gorges, iconic wonders of Uluru-Kata Tjuṯa and Kings Canyon.

The Northern Territory is vast. Darwin's melting pot of cuisines and culture sits on the northern shores, with Alice Springs located nearly 1,500 kilometres south of here in the heart of Australia's Red Centre. Uluru-Kata Tjuṯa is almost 500 kilometres south-west of Alice Springs and easy accessible by plane.

## ADD THE WOW FACTOR

Take a creative dot painting class with a local Aboriginal artist who will provide real insight into the stories and traditions behind the famous dot painting technique.



## DID YOU KNOW?

**Uluru seemingly transforms from ochre to burnt orange and intense red in the changing sun.**



## OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Take part in a private rodeo
- 'Swim' with crocodiles in Crocosaurus Cove's 'Cage of Death' in Darwin
- Take a scenic flight over the stunning escarpment of Kakadu National Park
- Reel in an elusive barramundi in the rivers of the 'Top End' - the name the locals give the Darwin region.

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

**DAY 1** Rally the team together and take off from Alice Springs on a fleet of quad bikes along the Finke Desert Race track, following off-road trails through the iconic red, outback landscape. Enjoy an exclusive lunch at an old, Australian outback station before jumping on horseback to join local drovers to herd cattle on a traditional 'cattle muster' - offering the ultimate adrenalin rush and team building experience. When the sun sets, enjoy dinner in a 1920s Australian pub, originally constructed as part of a film set.

**DAY 2** Enjoy a crisp, champagne breakfast while floating over the spectacular desert landscape in a hot air balloon. After a gentle landing, you'll be back up in the air, aboard a plane to the heart of Australia - home to the spectacular Uluru (Ayers Rock) and Kata Tjuṯa (the Olgas). Check in to the award-winning Longitude 131° wilderness camp for five-star luxury in the heart of the desert landscape. After time to relax and soak up the facilities, take a private sunset safari to watch the changing colours of Uluru as the sun sets before an exclusive pool-side dining experience.

**DAY 3** Watch a desert sunrise over a gourmet picnic breakfast before an exclusive guided walk around the base of Uluru with a local Indigenous guide. Either camel ride across the desert or jump on a Harley-Davidson circuit of Uluru. Then get ready for the grand finale: a private gala dinner unlike any other in the world. Dine outside under a glittering canopy of stars, overlooking Uluru, while the resident 'star-talker' takes you on a journey through the southern night sky.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY

## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### LASSETERS CAMEL CUP

Get the team together to race moody camels along dusty outback tracks at the annual Lasseters Camel Cup. The event promises no end of entertainment with camel races accompanied by belly dancers, rickshaw races and carnival-style rides.

### FINKE DESERT RACE

Join contestants of the Finke Desert Race for a private quad bike tour. Tackling some of the most difficult off-road courses, the contestants of the multi-terrain, two-day Finke Desert Race battle on bikes, cars, buggies and quads through remote desert country.

### DESERT MOB

Take a private tour of the art collections at Desert Mob – one of Australia’s premier Indigenous art events, celebrating the vibrancy of Aboriginal art from the region and exhibiting over 300 works from Aboriginal art centres throughout Central Australia.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

### LITCHFIELD NATIONAL PARK

Learn about the spectacular landscape of Litchfield National Park from Aboriginal guides that have connections with the land that go back a thousand generations. Then jump into a helicopter to take in a bird’s eye view of the park’s rolling expanse, littered by magnificent waterfalls.

### KAKADU NATIONAL PARK

Kakadu is famed for its high concentration of Aboriginal rock art. Take a guided tour to view rock crevices; paintings of animals, hunters and Dreamtime figures; and some of the world’s finest examples of X-ray art.

### THE GHAN

Travel south from Alice Springs to Adelaide - the capital of South Australia - whilst enjoying stunning desert views and relaxing in five-star luxury on The Ghan, reputed to be one of the greatest train journeys in the world.



## DID YOU KNOW?

The harbour in Darwin, the tropical capital of the Northern Territory, is twice the size of Sydney Harbour.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

With airports in Darwin, Alice Springs and Uluru, getting to the Northern Territory is easy. Darwin is just four hours from most Australian capitals and major Asian hubs and enjoys direct air access from most of these. Uluru airport is a three to four hour-long flight from most Australian capital cities.

### WEATHER

Darwin has a tropical climate.

Month	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Temperature °C	32°	31°	32°	33°	32°	31°	31°	31°	33°	33°	33°	33°
Temperature °F	90°	88°	90°	91°	90°	88°	88°	88°	91°	91°	91°	91°

Whereas Alice Springs has a desert climate.

Month	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Temperature °C	33°	32°	32°	32°	31°	29°	28°	29°	31°	33°	34°	34°
Temperature °F	91°	90°	90°	90°	88°	84°	82°	84°	88°	91°	93°	93°

### ACCOMMODATION

There are nearly 5,000 accommodation rooms available across the Northern Territory, with 2,897 in Darwin and 1,083 in Alice Springs, to suit all budget ranges.

### VENUE CAPACITY

The new Uluru Meeting Place has a striking modern Indigenous design, and includes two large ballrooms that can together seat over 700 people. Alice Springs Convention Centre seats up to 1,200 delegates; Darwin Convention Centre has 4,000sqm of exhibition space and theatre-style seating for 4,200 delegates; and a variety of hotel meeting spaces and special event venues can cater for 10 to 5,000 delegates.



ADD THE  
WOW FACTOR

Travel north of Perth to dive with whale sharks - the world's biggest fish - at Ningaloo Reef, situated on Australia's Coral Coast.



## PERTH

## A majestic city of sunshine

The sunniest city in the world, Perth is positioned on the majestic waters of the Swan River and hugged by renowned wine regions, stunning sandy beaches and rugged coastline of the Indian Ocean. Boasting coastal charm, colonial history, fantastic seafood and fabulous wine, Perth will spoil you with its choice of incentive and corporate offerings.



## OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Take a gala marquee on the South Perth Foreshore with fireworks over the river
- Come face to face with Australia's famous animals - pet koalas, wombats and other native wildlife at Caversham Wildlife Park
- Conquer your fears and abseil down the side of one of Perth's iconic structures, the Bell Tower.

## DID YOU KNOW?

At 400 square metres, Perth's Kings Park is one of the largest inner city parks in the world, even bigger than New York's Central Park.

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

**DAY 1** Take a jet boat along the majestic Swan River to soak up the carnival atmosphere in the historical port of Fremantle, bursting with heritage-listed streets, Australian designer boutiques, buskers, restaurants and coastal charm. Enjoy the catch of the day for a fresh seafood lunch in an exclusive setting at Fremantle Fishing Boat Harbour. Embark on a private tour and sample the local beer at renowned brewery, Little Creatures. Then, take a journey back in time to Perth's convict past during a torchlight tour of Fremantle Prison, a building oozing with colonial history, architecture and ghoulish tales. Make an escape through the underground tunnels and surface for a long table banquet and evening of Jailhouse Rock.

**DAY 2** Board a private yacht and transfer to the nearby Rottnest Island, where azure waters of the Indian Ocean meet white sandy beaches and rugged landscape. 'Rotto', as it's affectionately known by the locals, is the perfect island getaway for incentives or conferences. Its venues can cater for a number of events and being just 11 kilometres long and four-and-a-half kilometres wide, it's easy to explore. Challenge the team to a baton relay on push bikes; set foot on a nature tour and meet the famed resident Quokkas – a marsupial only found on the island; or snorkel the azure waters and discover a diverse range of fish and coral species among the shipwrecks at Parker Point. Cruise back to Perth in time to view the sunset over the city skyline from Fraser's Restaurant in Kings Park, surrounded by native plants and tranquil, unique bushland.

**DAY 3** Enjoy birds' eye views of the stunning coastline on a short helicopter journey to the Swan Valley, just minutes from Perth's city centre. Stop for high tea at Cape Lavender and sample the local jams, honey, chutney and preserves. Venture to Leeuwin Estate, one of the most modern wineries in the Southern Hemisphere. Set in a pristine natural environment, Leeuwin produces fine fruit in an environmentally friendly manner. Enjoy a premium tasting experience before a behind-the-scenes tour of this state-of-the-art winery. Before leaving the Valley, your team can test their skills at wine blending under the guidance of an expert winemaker. Fly back to Perth for a final dinner on the famous Cottesloe beach, where tall Norfolk Island pines add colonial-style splendour to white sands and magnificent crystalline waters. Feast on local Australian produce – including freshly shucked Albany oysters, sizzling Harvey Beef steaks and Mount Barker chicken.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY

## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### MUNDARING TRUFFLE FESTIVAL

Join one of Australia's finest chefs for a private truffle cooking demonstration at the annual Mundaring Truffle Festival, a culinary event that incorporates cooking, field events and forays.

### PERTH INTERNATIONAL ARTS FESTIVAL

Enjoy a private theatre production at Perth International Arts Festival, an event that connects more than 800,000 people with some of the world's best theatre, music, film, visual arts, literature and free community events.

### SCULPTURE BY THE SEA

Enjoy an exclusive dining experience amidst Sculptures by the Sea. Bringing big, serious, fun and quirky artworks into the open air at Perth's Cottesloe Beach, the annual event displays more than 70 sculptures by local, interstate and international artists in a spectacular setting on the Indian Ocean.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

### MARGARET RIVER

The Margaret River wine region is new by world standards, but it's earned its reputation. Take a short chartered flight south to the area for the ultimate food and wine experience.

### NINGALOO

Immerse yourself in the tropical surrounds of Ningaloo Marine Park, home to 200 species of hard coral, 50 species of soft coral and over 500 species of fish. What makes it so special is its unique offering: the chance to dive with whale sharks, the world's biggest fish.

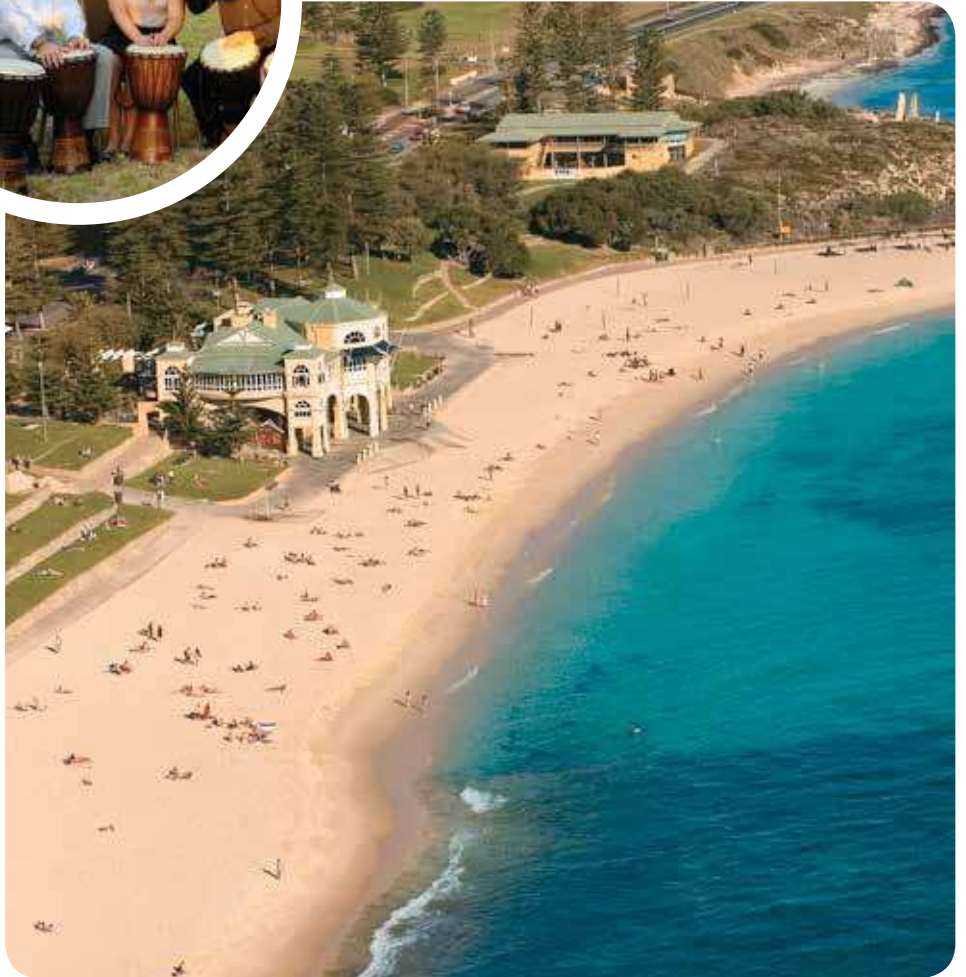
### BROOME

Monitor turtles, enjoy camel rides, take a mud crabbing expedition or relax with unique spa treatments on the stunning shores of Broome, an exotic pearling town in north-west Australia.



## DID YOU KNOW?

Perth is the sunniest capital city in the world, with an average of eight hours per day and sunshine 365 days per year.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

Perth is serviced by a broad range of international and domestic airlines. A wide network of direct flights from Dubai and across Asia - including Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur, Singapore and Hong Kong - provide seamless international connections. Domestic flights are offered from all major Australian centres.

### WEATHER

Perth has a southern Mediterranean climate.

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Temperature °C	31°	31°	30°	26°	22°	19°	18°	19°	20°	23°	26°	29°
Temperature °F	88°	88°	86°	79°	72°	66°	64°	66°	68°	73°	79°	84°

### ACCOMMODATION

Perth has over 8,000 star rated rooms to suit a variety of budgets. Delegates can enjoy accommodation options in the city, Burswood, Fremantle, Swan Valley or Mandurah. There are 3,624 star rated rooms in the central business district.

### VENUE CAPACITY

A variety of hotels and venues offer meeting and exhibition spaces that cater for 10 to 2,500 delegates. Additionally, Perth Convention Exhibition Centre has 15,000sqm of exhibition floor space and a plenary facility for 2,500 delegates, supported by 18 additional meeting rooms.





ADD THE  
WOW FACTOR

Join Equathon and head off on horseback along the Noosa trail network, along beaches and trails with support from triple Olympian, Alex Watson.

# SUNSHINE COAST

## An outstanding natural environment

Boasting a spectacular sand cliff coastline, lush mountain ranges, subtropical rainforest, surf beaches, secluded coves and bays, and the world's largest sand island, the Sunshine Coast offers an outstanding natural environment that is complemented by modern infrastructure and accommodation – perfect for a conference or an incentive event.



### OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Start the day with a private Tai Chi lesson on a local beach followed by a group breakfast in the open air
- Sail your team across the clear blue waters of Mooloolaba and spot passing dolphins and whales in the crystalline ocean
- Enjoy hands-on cooking classes in the unique, tranquil environment of the outdoor kitchen at Freestyle Escape.

### DID YOU KNOW?

The Sunshine Coast enjoys an average of seven hours of sunshine each day, with a subtropical climate that is ideal for outdoor activities nearly all year round.

### ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

- DAY 1** Meet one of the keepers at Australia Zoo (an attraction and conservation facility set up by Steve Irwin, the Crocodile Hunter) for a behind-the-scenes animal encounter with native Australian wildlife such as dingos, koalas, kangaroos and echidnas. Have a team photograph taken with one of these animals before watching a jaw-snapping crocodile feeding demonstration. You'll be joined by a local conservationist over a fresh, local seafood lunch to learn more about Australia's unique wildlife and habitats. Take a short drive through the beautiful Sunshine Coast Hinterland to the delightful hillside village of Montville. Stop at Flame Hill Vineyard & Restaurant for an Australian wine tasting before continuing to Spices Clovelly Estate. One of the Luxury Lodges of Australia, this beautiful rural homestead is surrounded by grand fig trees, shaded jacarandas and groves of magnolias and gardenias. Indulge in a degustation menu of fine local produce at the Estate's award-winning Long Apron restaurant.
- DAY 2** Take a short helicopter or plane journey to the world's largest sand island, Fraser Island. Land on the pristine sands of Eastern Beach, a long stretch of sand that connects the island and provides access to its beautiful hot-spots via all sorts of transportation. Here you will be greeted by a red carpet, porters and awaiting Hummers that will transport you along the idyllic beach for lunch in an intimate setting overlooking the ocean. Stop to relax and swim at Eli Creek and the natural Jacuzzi of the Champagne Pools. Choose to spend time at leisure, soaking up the island's atmosphere, or opt for further exploration and take to the water on canoes. That evening, enjoy an alfresco dinner at your resort, with music from a local Indigenous band.
- DAY 3** Embark on an exclusive four-wheel drive tour of the island, cruising past shorebirds and dingoes on the beach; explore the Maheno shipwreck lodged on the island's shores; and take a rocky off-road route inland where you'll find crystal-clear lakes and lush rainforests and wetlands. Enjoy a gourmet picnic lunch beside the clear blue waters and white sandy shores of Lake McKenzie before leaving the island on a luxury vessel and travelling to Noosa, set on the shores of the mainland. Depending on the time of year, you may spot migrating humpback whales and playful dolphins during your transfer. That evening, enjoy cocktails aboard a boat before taking a 15-minute sail to Richard Branson's Make Peace Island. Offering a unique fusion of luxury, nature and authentic Balinese design, the island is an idyllic place to enjoy a tantalising culinary experience overlooking the spectacular lagoon pool and riverfront. Return to Noosa to enjoy the comfort of Outrigger Little Hastings Street Resort and Spa, offering views of the surrounding national park.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY

## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### NOOSA INTERNATIONAL FOOD AND WINE FESTIVAL

Meet international and national chefs at the Noosa International Food and Wine Festival. Boasting participation from over 200 leading chefs, winemakers, media and restaurateurs, the event offers a chance to sample Australia's best food and wine alongside a feast of entertainment.

### SAIL MOOLOOLABA

Take the team sailing at Sail Mooloolaba. Attracting all kinds of vessels - from modest dinghies through to large keel boats, and everything in between - Sail Mooloolaba is a race that takes to the open waters of the beautiful Mooloolaba Beach and the Mooloolah River.

### AUSTRALIAN BODY ART CARNIVAL

Enjoy the atmosphere at the Australian Body Art Carnival, showcasing impressive body art techniques, competitions, music, street performers and evening entertainment.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

### SUNSHINE COAST HINTERLAND

Take a bespoke food trail through the Sunshine Coast Hinterland, visiting the likes of Maleny Cheese Factory, Flame Hill Vineyard and Restaurant, Cocoa Chocolat and Strawberry Fields to sample fresh and local cheese, wine, beer, chocolate and fruit.

### GLASSHOUSE MOUNTAINS

Take an Indigenous walking tour or embark on an abseiling expedition of the 16 volcanic crags that comprise the Glasshouse Mountains, dramatically rising from the surrounding landscape of eucalyptus trees and pineapple plantations.

### BRIBIE ISLAND

Spot birdlife, rare dugongs, turtles and dolphins whilst diving or kayaking in the waters of the Pumicestone Passage, which separates the mainland and beautiful Bribie Island.



## DID YOU KNOW?

The Sunshine Coast boasts over 100 kilometres of pristine sand.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

Sunshine Coast Airport has regular daily flights from Sydney and Melbourne. Alternatively, take an easy one-hour drive from Brisbane Airport, the international gateway to Queensland.

### WEATHER

Sunshine Coast has a sub-tropical climate.

Month	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Temperature °C	25°	25°	24°	22°	19°	16°	15°	16°	19°	21°	23°	24°
Temperature °F	77°	77°	75°	71°	65°	61°	59°	61°	65°	69°	73°	75°

### ACCOMMODATION

The Sunshine Coast provides more than 3,500 rooms in purpose built, full-service venues.

### VENUE CAPACITY

The Sunshine Coast offers a broad range of excellent meeting facilities and event centres, often integrated into the world class resorts available across the region. Venues can provide bespoke solutions for small groups or cater for large conferences and incentives of up to 2,500 delegates.



## ADD THE WOW FACTOR

Get backstage at the Sydney Opera House with a personal, behind-the-scenes tour, followed by a private opera recital and dinner under the famous white sails.



## SYDNEY

A vibrant and picturesque harbourside city

Sydney is hugged by sandstone headlands, picturesque bays, leafy green suburbs and legendary surf beaches – and of course, at its pulse is the outrageously good-looking, natural harbour.

It's lively, innovative, iconic and spirited; known for its great atmosphere, outdoor lifestyle and fantastic array of multicultural cuisine. As Australia's largest, oldest and most diverse city, within easy access to stunning coastal and rainforest landscapes, beautiful beaches and an award-winning wine region, Sydney has it all.



## DID YOU KNOW?

When looking for restaurants for your next event, check out *The Sydney Morning Herald Good Food Guide* – it rates and reviews over 600 restaurants in New South Wales.

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

**DAY 1** Jump on a Harley Davidson to tour through Sydney's fashionable eastern suburbs to the iconic golden sands of Bondi Beach. Stop here to enjoy fresh seafood at Bucket List, a bar eatery with panoramic views of the beach and ocean – the perfect place to relax in the chic but casual beach atmosphere, watch surfers tackle the waves and sight whales cruising down the coast. Follow lunch with a team building activity: try a learn-to-surf lesson or beach volleyball match. Return to the CBD and peruse the Strand Arcade where you will find Australian designer boutiques such as Sass and Bide, Lover, Lisa Ho and Dinosaur Designs and iconic Australian product in shops such as Haigh's Chocolates or Aesop. Head to Q Station, the historic site of Sydney's former Quarantine Station where English settlers were held when they first arrived in Australia. Take exclusive use of Q Station's terrace for an evening meal accompanied by one of the most magnificent views in Sydney, before a lantern-lit ghost tour of the building - reputed to be one of the most haunted in Australia.

**DAY 2** Climb Sydney Harbour Bridge and have a team photograph taken 134 metres above the harbour, framed by the dazzling city, leafy green suburbs and glittering blue waters. Explore the historic suburb of The Rocks, the area where Sydney began – full of character and early Australian architecture. Following a private lunch on the roof top of the Museum of Contemporary Art, with uninterrupted views of the Opera House, take a short walk around Circular Quay to the House for a bespoke behind-the-scenes tour with a renowned opera star. That evening, you will be chauffeured to Cockatoo Island in water taxis for sunset cocktails and an exclusive dinner at the funky Island Bar, which has been constructed from recycled shipping containers, giving it an industrial look that's in-keeping with the island's history of a shipbuilding yard and naval base.

**DAY 3** Today is all about meeting the locals. Kick-start with breakfast at Taronga Zoo, where you'll be joined by cuddly Australian animals and spoilt with fabulous harbour views. From here, take a ferry across the waters of Sydney Harbour to Manly, one of Sydney's most popular seaside destinations, well-known for its long stretch of golden sand, surf waves and the regimented Norfolk pine trees that regally mark it's shore. Join a local for a biking tour of the area, discovering secluded coves, deserted beaches and breathtaking coastal views before driving further north to Palm Beach, home to the set of the famous Australian television soap, *Home and Away*. Enjoy a late lunch of fish and chips at the local surf club before embarking on a team kayaking tour of the landmark peninsula and its turquoise waters. Hope in a private sea plane and fly back to Sydney for a bespoke gala dinner with A-list performances and costume-dressed wait staff at The Star – Sydney's premier location for fine dining and entertainment.



## OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Sail one of the world's most beautiful harbours with your team
- Join a local marine biologist in Jervis Bay for an exclusive whale watching tour to view humpback whales migrating up and down the coast
- Take an Aboriginal guided tour of the Royal Botanic Gardens
- Join a renowned chef for a private cooking class at the Sydney Fish Markets.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY



## DID YOU KNOW?

Sydney is home to people from 180 nations who speak 140 languages.

### LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

#### SYDNEY FESTIVAL

Attend a private dinner at Sydney Festival. Incorporating a much-heralded outdoor program with the very best international and national performing and visual arts, the Sydney Festival is a three-week celebration of dance, theatre, arts, opera and music from the classics to hip hop.

#### VIVID SYDNEY

Experience an exclusive photography class during Vivid Sydney. Colouring the city in creativity and inspiration, the annual Vivid Sydney festival features hugely popular immersive light installations and projections, performances from local and international musicians, and public talks and debates from leading global creative thinkers.

#### CRAVE SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL FOOD FESTIVAL

Join a renowned Australian chef for a private cooking class during Crave Sydney International Food Festival. Enhancing and consolidating Sydney's status as a world-class food city and global dining destination, the festival is a landmark on the Sydney calendar.

### EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

#### BLUE MOUNTAINS

Hike the World Heritage listed Blue Mountains to explore the striking Australian scenery, wildlife and rainforest, just two hours west of Sydney.

#### HUNTER VALLEY

Taste award-winning wines and indulge in gourmet delights at the Hunter Valley, a two-hour drive north of Sydney (or indulge in a 30-minute sea plane trip instead).

#### LORD HOWE ISLAND

Unwind on Lord Howe Island with no mobile coverage, completely surrounded by World Heritage reserves and stunning coral reef.



### PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

#### ACCESS

Located just 10 kilometres from the city centre, Sydney Airport is the gateway to Australia, serviced by over 40 international airlines and all domestic carriers - allowing easy transfers to and from other cities around Australia.

#### WEATHER

Sydney has a Mediterranean climate.

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Temperature °F	73°	73°	71°	66°	60°	56°	54°	56°	60°	65°	68°	71°

#### ACCOMMODATION

Sydney has approximately 33,000 accommodation rooms. 21,200 of these rooms are in the central part of the city.

#### VENUE CAPACITY

The Sydney Convention & Exhibition Centre offers a range of spaces, from those up to 50 people to an auditorium accommodating 3,500 and a 30,000sqm exhibition space. Sydney Olympic Park is an all encompassing business precinct with 10 venues, including 22,000sqm exhibition space and over 100 different function spaces.



## ADD THE WOW FACTOR

Enjoy an enriching and uplifting stay at the premium accommodation offering of Saffire Freycinet, one of the Luxury Lodges of Australia, set amidst crystal-clear blue waters, white sandy beaches and the magnificent Hazards Mountains.



# TASMANIA

## Exceed expectations

Discover breathtaking bays, shipwrecks, cool-climate wineries, tumbling rivers and ancient natural beauty surrounding the modern, yet quaint, cities on the island of Tasmania.

Offering fabulous food and wine, a talked-about collection of modern art and a rich, preserved history of convicts, miners and whalers, Tasmania is a stunning destination with new, exciting products on offer for your next event.



## DID YOU KNOW?

**Hobart is the second oldest state-capital city in Australia.**



## OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Wind your way through World Heritage listed wilderness onboard Lady Jane Franklin II on a Gordon River Cruise
- Battle the G-forces in a fighter jet high above Tasmania's rugged coastline – an amazing backdrop to an unforgettable adventure
- Take part in the local oyster shucking championship at Bruny Island Oyster Affair
- Breakfast on Mount Wellington followed by an exhilarating mountain bike descent to Cascade Brewery – Australia's oldest brewery.

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

**DAY 1** Take an exclusive tour of Cascades Female Factory - a former Australian workhouse - with a local historian and learn the fascinating stories of female convict history. Stop off at Lark Distillery's cellar door to sample Hobart's fine malt whisky before lunch in a restaurant in the historic sandstone buildings of Salamanca Place. Take a helicopter, seaplane, coach or fast ferry to the acclaimed Museum of Old and New Art (MONA) – the largest private museum in the Southern Hemisphere, bringing together ancient, modern and contemporary art. After an exclusive tour, enjoy a cocktail function in the Nolan Gallery, against the backdrop of Sir Sydney Nolan's friendly Snake, an artwork that spans 45 metres. Adjourn to The Source Restaurant to enjoy a beautiful three-course dinner prepared by Michelin-starred chef, Philippe Leban.

**DAY 2** This morning you'll move from land to air and sea. Jump into a Tasmanian Air Adventures sea plane for a bird's eye view of the landscape and, after a spectacular water landing, board a private vessel with Tasman Island Cruises – without your feet touching the ground – to take in the sea cliffs, seals, dolphins, whales, seabirds and eagles at Port Arthur. Gourmet refreshments will be served on board your vessel; and after a day of adventure, return to Hobart for a night at the five-star Henry Jones Art Hotel, a former jam factory.

**DAY 3** Take a fleet of helicopters to the stunning, sandy Wineglass Bay that hugs clear waters on Tasmania's east coast. Spot penguins, take in the views and learn about the landscape on a sea kayaking tour. Stop at The Banc Restaurant in the heart of Swansea, Tasmania's oldest seaside town, for refreshments before flying back to the city to enjoy the gracious hospitality of Lenna of Hobart, nestled amidst the colour of Sullivan's Cove and historic Battery Point. Enjoy your last Tasmanian food experience with a paddock-to-plate, farm door-to-cellar door culinary experience at a local winery.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY



## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### MONA FOMA

Hold a bespoke evening function on the lawns overlooking the River Derwent at MONA FOMA - the Museum of Old and New Art's Festival of Music and Art. Held during the summer months, MONA FOMA boasts 60 events which span experimental music, improvisation, jazz, contemporary classical, pop, rock and everything in between.

### ROLEX SYDNEY HOBART YACHT RACE

Soak up the atmosphere of the Rolex Sydney Hobart – a 628 nautical mile yacht race, described as one of the most gruelling ocean races in the world. Beginning in Sydney Harbour and finishing in Hobart, the race culminates in celebration with The Taste Festival and the Hobart Summer Festival.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

Discover wildlife, rich history and stunning natural landscapes during further exploration of Tasmania's more remote areas:

### PORT ARTHUR

The Port Arthur Historic Site is the best-preserved convict settlement in Australia and among the most significant convict era sites in the world. Experience a guided tour with knowledgeable, local guides; take a short cruise to the Isle of The Dead – a convict burial ground; or embark on a ghost tour of the area in the early evening.

### MARIA ISLAND

Maria Island National Park lies just a few kilometers off Tasmania's east coast, within easy reach of Hobart. Enjoy gourmet food and explore a heritage listed convict settlement, secluded white sandy beaches and rare wildlife during the Maria Island Walk, one of the Great Walks of Australia.

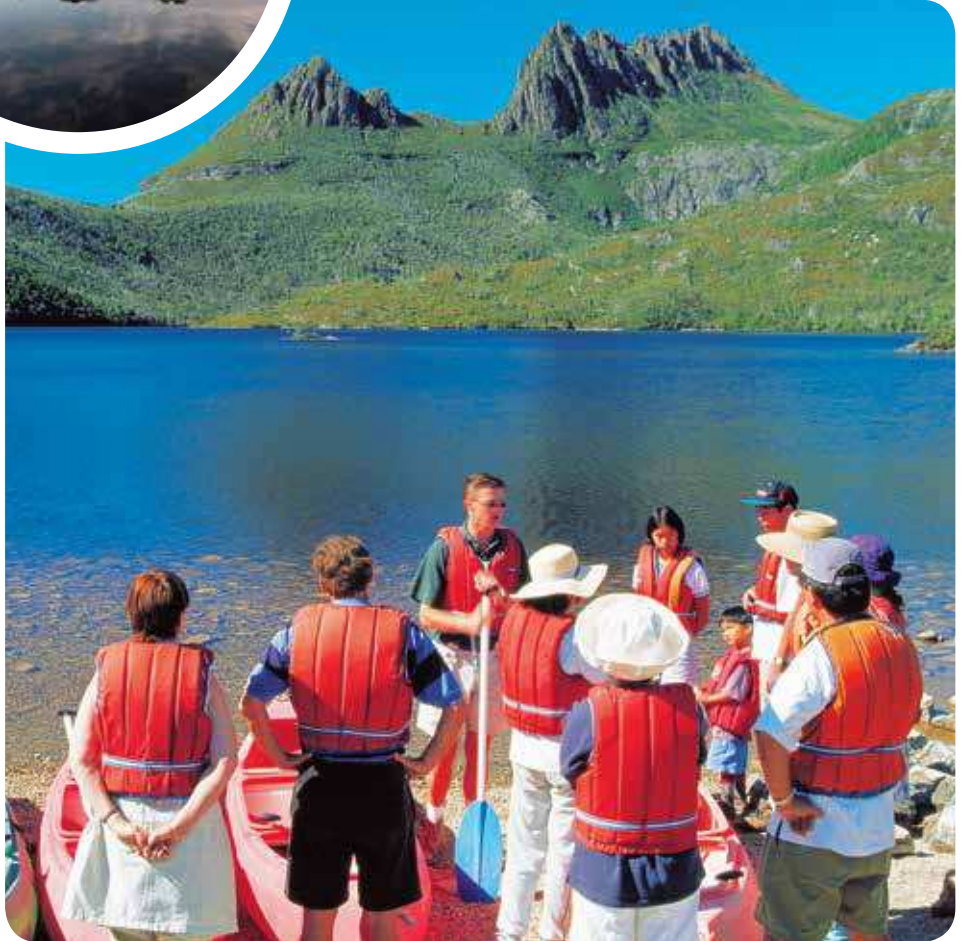
### CRADLE MOUNTAIN

Explore the rainforest wilderness and wildlife at Cradle Mountain by foot or by horseback; or embark on a canyoning tour before a relaxing stay at Peppers Cradle Mountain Lodge - widely considered one of Australia's iconic wilderness experiences.



## DID YOU KNOW?

Owned by David Walsh, Hobart's Museum of New and Old Art (MONA) is the largest private museum in the Southern Hemisphere, bringing together ancient, modern and contemporary art.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

Five airlines operate regular daily jet services between mainland Australia and the Tasmanian cities of Hobart, Launceston, Burnie and Devonport. You can also access Tasmania via a car ferry that departs from Melbourne.

### WEATHER

Tasmania has a cool, temperate climate.

Month	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Temperature °C	23°	22°	21°	17°	14°	11°	11°	12°	15°	17°	19°	22°
Temperature °F	73°	71°	69°	63°	57°	52°	52°	54°	59°	63°	66°	71°

### ACCOMMODATION

Tasmania's accommodation options are as diverse as its landscape. Hobart and Launceston are best suited to larger events, accommodating up to 1,800 delegates each. Regional areas, including the East Coast, Northwest Coast and Western Wilderness, provide intimate meeting or incentive options.

### VENUE CAPACITY

Hobart is ideally suited to business events of up to 1,200 delegates; Launceston is ideally suited to business events of up to 800 delegates; the East Coast is ideally suited to business events of up to 110 delegates; the North West Coast is ideally suited to business events of up to 200 delegates; the Western Wilderness is ideally suited for business events of up to 120 delegates.



ADD THE  
WOW FACTOR

See colourful clownfish, living mangroves, dugongs and enormous squid, or try a dive in the Predator Tank at the Great Barrier Reef Aquarium - Reef HQ.



## TOWNSVILLE

A tropical haven of dramatic landscapes

Boasting an average of 300 days of sunshine a year, easy access to the Great Barrier Reef, rainforest surrounds, and an island paradise on its doorstep, Townsville's dramatic tropical landscape is the ideal place to host conferences and business events with a difference.

## DID YOU KNOW?

With four dining precincts offering international cuisine, Townsville offers a feast of culinary diversity.



## OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Enjoy a group hike to the base of Australia's tallest single drop waterfall, Wallaman Falls
- Take a day-trip to the World Heritage listed Wet Tropics Rainforest
- Breakfast with koalas, wombats and other native animals at Billabong Sanctuary.

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

- DAY 1** Board helicopters and fly to Leighton Park, home to the largest herd of purebred Texas Longhorns in the country. Take a trip back in time with a horse-drawn wagon ride through the rugged country where you'll meet wild kangaroos, birdlife and JR – a Longhorn with a Guinness World Record for the length of his horns, measuring a whopping 2.82 metres. Feast on a traditional outback lunch before transferring back to base on a fleet of quad bikes. Try your hand at panning for gold in the historic gold rush town of Charters Towers and return to Townsville. That evening, enjoy the hospitality of the Grand Hotel Townsville in the heart of the city's vibrant dining district, within easy access to the likes of the elegant fine dining venue, JAM Corner, or the warm and intimate wine bar and restaurant, Saltcellar.
- DAY 2** Take a catamaran to Magnetic Island, just minutes off the coast of Townsville and located within the waters of the beautiful World Heritage listed Great Barrier Reef Marine Park. Spend the day enjoying the island's many activities, which range from relaxing to heart-racing. The group can speed across the idyllic waters of Horseshoe Bay on jet skis; tour the island's rocky terrain by rally car; relax on a plethora of pristine beaches; snorkel the stunning Great Barrier Reef; or dive the Yongala Shipwreck – one of the most renowned shipwreck dive sites in the world. Relax that evening with a beautiful seafood meal and fine Australian wines set on a private deck of Peppers Blue on Blue, surrounded by marina and mountain views.
- DAY 3** Return to Townsville and head north to the lush, ancient rainforest of the Paluma Range. Enjoy a hearty cooked lunch before a 180-metre zip wire a Hidden Valley Safari to spy shy platypus feeding and frolicking in the fresh mountain water. Retire to the award-winning eco-resort of Hidden Valley Cabins and relax during a private three-course dinner. Soak up the sights and sounds of the Australian bush before an optional night safari, where you'll be able to spot rare nocturnal gliders, possums, wallabies and birds.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY

## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF CHAMBER MUSIC

Enjoy a private performance at the Australian Festival of Chamber Music (AFCM). Attracting international musicians to its wonderfully inviting, warm tropical setting, the event has an enviable global reputation for the quality of its programming.

### TEN DAYS IN THE TOWERS

Enjoy excellent entertainment at Ten Days In The Towers - a country music festival that encompasses musical acts, line dancing, bush poetry, talent quests and historic tours.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

### CAIRNS

Nestled between two World Heritage listed areas - the Great Barrier Reef and Australia's Wet Tropics Rainforests - Cairns offers a diverse range of experience from reef exploration and boat cruises, to rainforest canopy walks and white water rafting.

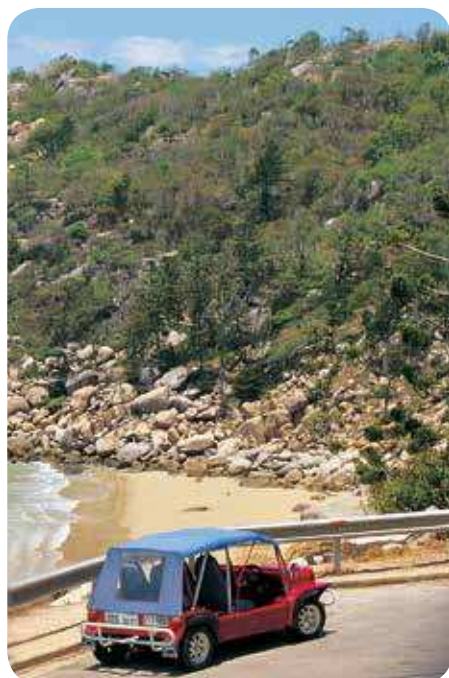
### WHITSUNDAYS

Offering exclusive island getaways and a bounty of once-in-a-lifetime experiences, this exotic and easily accessible north-east Australian paradise presents the perfect reward for delegates and top-performers.



## DID YOU KNOW?

British explorer, James Cook named Magnetic(al) Island when he sailed past the Townsville region on his first voyage to Australia in 1770.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

Domestic flights head to Townsville from major Australian cities; or you can transfer internationally via Cairns or Brisbane.

### WEATHER

Townsville has a tropical climate.

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Temperature °C	31°	31°	31°	30°	28°	26°	25°	26°	28°	30°	31°	32°
Temperature °F	88°	88°	88°	86°	82°	79°	77°	79°	82°	86°	88°	90°

### ACCOMMODATION

Townsville offers accommodation choices from luxury hotels and apartments to three star motels. With more than 3,200 rooms in Townsville, 1,900 of these within the city centre, there is an accommodation venue to suit your needs.

### VENUE CAPACITY

Conference, meeting and exhibition space with capacity for 10 to 5,000 delegates; Townsville Entertainment & Convention Centre has capacity for 5,000 delegates with five break out spaces including a large outdoor area; various open spaces for large outdoor events 200 to 1,000 delegates.





## ADD THE WOW FACTOR

The Formal Garden at Hayman Island can be beautifully illuminated in the evening with a long table, adorned with candelabra and elegantly dressed to extend the length of this spectacular setting.

# THE WHITSUNDAYS

## A tropical haven in the heart of the Great Barrier Reef

Nestled in the heart of the world-famous Great Barrier Reef lie the Whitsundays - 74 tropical islands fringed with pure white sands that seemingly float in the crystalline warm waters of the Coral Sea.

Offering a bounty of once-in-a-lifetime experiences, this exotic and easily accessible north-east Australian paradise presents the perfect reward for top-performers or a differentiated conference program for your delegates.



### OTHER INCENTIVE OPTIONS

- Take a scenic helicopter flight over Heart Reef
- Join a whale watching cruise to see humpback whales migrating up and down Australia's coastline
- Learn to scuba dive at some of the best reefs in the world, including the Stepping Stones and the Cathedrals
- Meet and eat with local koalas at the Koala Gallery
- Water ski, jet ski, kayak, sail board, canoe, game fish or sail the beautiful azure waters.

### DID YOU KNOW?

The sand of Whitehaven Beach is so pure that only NASA is allowed to remove it for use in satellite dish reflectors.

### ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

- DAY 1** Arrive at Hamilton Island and immediately discover the tropical setting and laid back ambience while transferring to qualia in your private golf buggy. Enjoy a glass of champagne and fine Australian delicacies while lapping up views of the Coral Sea and native eucalyptus trees during a special welcome event hosted by the Executive Chef - it won't take long to discover why qualia was voted the best accommodation in the world and best resort in the Oceania region in the 2012 Conde Nast Traveller Readers' Choice Awards. Spend the afternoon on a kayaking tour; take a guided walk through qualia's garden to learn about the tropical flora and fauna; or hit the buggies again to explore Hamilton at your leisure. That evening, you'll have a chance to get up close and personal with koalas and kangaroos while you enjoy pre-dinner cocktails overlooking the island paradise. Adjourn to dine on carefully prepared local produce at Hamilton Island's signature Bommie restaurant - 'Bommie' being short for the Australian Aboriginal word 'bombora', which refers to the shallow, isolated and colourful reef patches found in the water surrounding Hamilton.
- DAY 2** Board a lavish transfer to Hayman Island where inspiring tropical surrounds, supreme luxury and a relaxed ambience awaits you. During your transfer enjoy refreshments and idyllic island views from the spectacular Whitsunday Passage. From Hayman, hop into a sea plane for a stunning birds' eye view of the Great Barrier Reef, and after a spectacular water landing, transfer to a private reef lagoon while gaining underwater views from a glass-bottom boat. Swim, snorkel or dive into azure and coral-laden waters to explore a breathtaking world of colourful coral and fish before burying your feet in the pristine silica sands of Whitehaven, one of the world's top ten beaches. That evening, indulge in one of Hayman's signature experiences - dine at the Chef's Table for a fabulous six-course dinner in the Main Kitchen with Australian wines to match.
- DAY 3** After a morning of water sporting activities, enjoy an exquisite seafood lunch aboard a square-rigger tall ship. You'll be joined by a local geologist who will tell the tale of how this island paradise came to light. On land, hit the green for nine holes of golf on Dent Island - an island dedicated exclusively to golf, offering unforgettable panoramic island and ocean views. Relax with a bespoke spa treatment - using unique Australian products - in preparation for an exclusive beach party, themed with flame torches and lanterns to celebrate the spectacular setting.



# ENHANCE YOUR ITINERARY

## LEVERAGE LOCAL EVENTS

### AUDI HAMILTON ISLAND RACE WEEK

Join the fun at Audi Hamilton Island Race Week in a private yacht. One of Australia's favourite yachting events, Race Week boasts atmosphere and camaraderie; gourmet meals prepared by celebrity chefs; fashion shows; golfing competitions; and wine tastings.

### AUSTRALIAN BALLET ON HAMILTON ISLAND

Hold an exclusive function in conjunction with the Australian Ballet on Hamilton Island. Under a glittering sky, with a backdrop of the majestic Whitsunday Islands, this event offers a rare and exclusive outdoor performance, and a unique opportunity to go behind the scenes with The Australian Ballet.

## EXPLORE FURTHER AFIELD

### HARDY REEF

Enjoy blazing sunsets, alfresco dining and unique views of the reef at night from Reefworld - a purpose-built pontoon anchored at Hardy Reef and the only place where you can sleep under the stars on the Great Barrier Reef.

### TOWNSVILLE

Just a short boat trip from Townsville is Magnetic Island, home to beautiful bays, rocky headlands and a range of incentive activities like car rally driving, jet skiing, snorkelling or diving one of the world's most renowned shipwreck dive sites.



## DID YOU KNOW?

Only seven of the Whitsunday islands are inhabited.



## PLANNING AND LOGISTICS

### ACCESS

The Whitsundays feature two airports, Hamilton Island Airport and the Whitsunday Coast Airport. Direct and connecting flights from most Australian capital cities make the region easily accessible.

### WEATHER

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### ACCOMMODATION

The Whitsundays offers over 6,000 accommodation rooms. The diverse range of accommodation includes privately owned luxury island resorts, hotels and apartments.

### VENUE CAPACITY

The region caters for groups from 10 to 1,000 delegates. With a range of conference facilities and distinctive outdoor venues, the Whitsundays has something unique on offer for your next conference or incentive group.

