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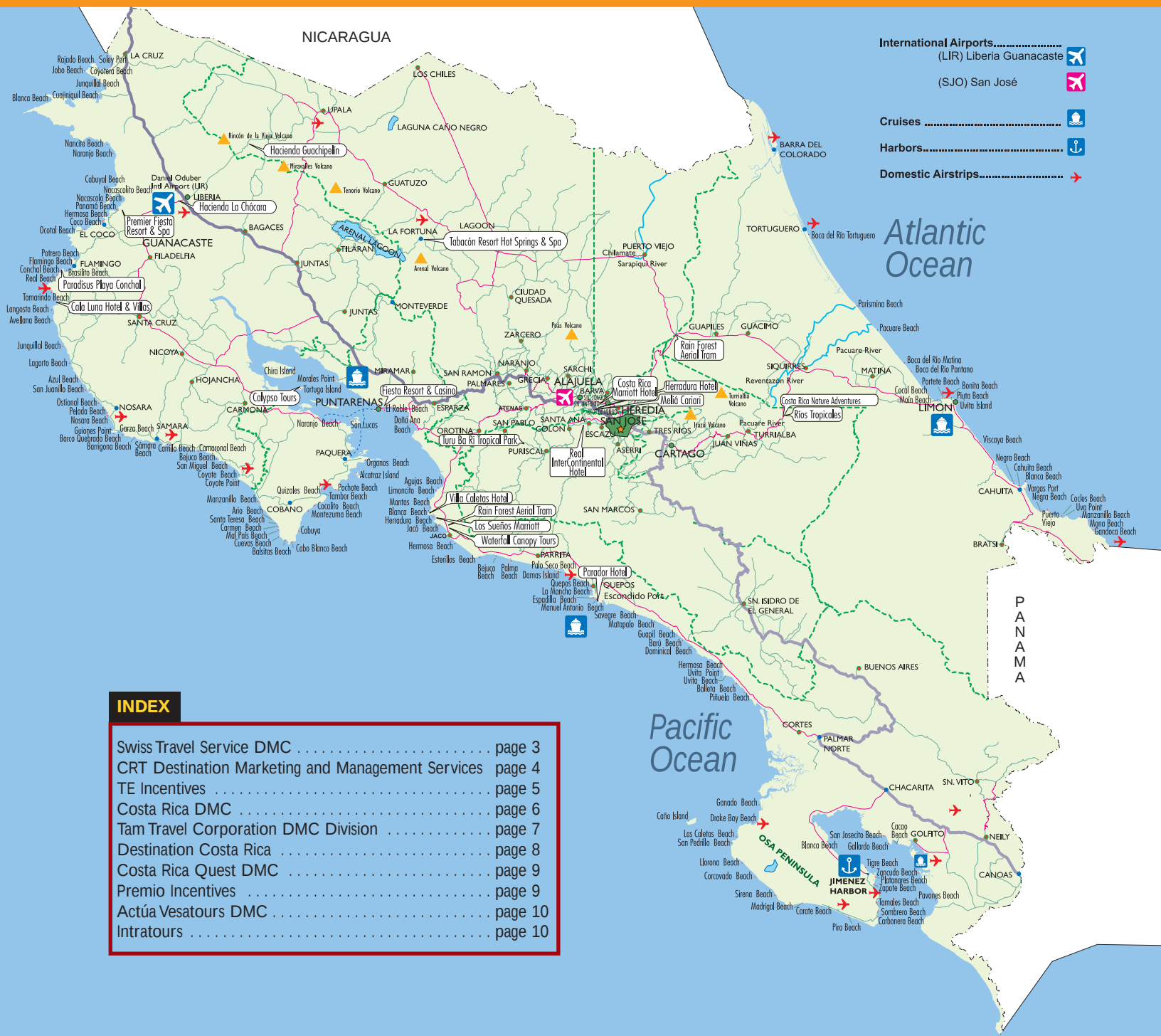
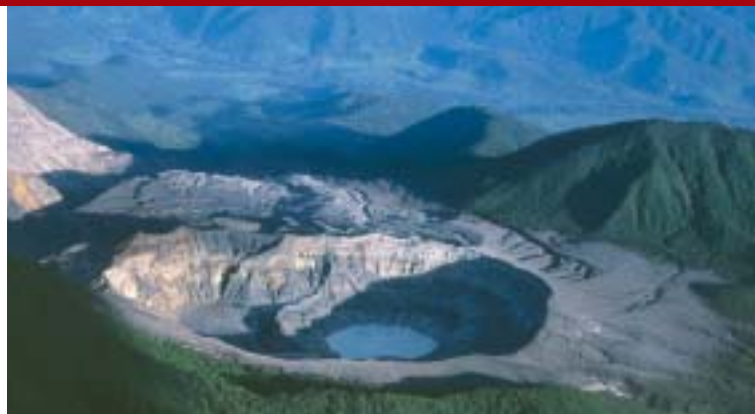
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Whether you are organizing your first seminar for an important business meeting or embarking upon the year's biggest convention for a Fortune 500 company, Costa Rica's DMC's, professional and qualified with nearly 20 years' experience, are ready to assist you. You will be able to stage a successful meeting or incentive as you guide the planning, organizing, marketing and successful operation of your event; including the personal touches and friendly service your clients deserve and expect.

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Since the 1970s, meetings and incentives have been a reality for Swiss Travel Service, in addition to managing basic programs in Costa Rica. The next step in improving our Meetings & Incentives took place during the 80s and the 90s, when more facilities and new attractions encouraged the development of our original programs throughout the country.

Today our company designs each incentive program individually in order to best achieve your corporate goals, focusing upon extensive research for your company or group profile.

We are proud to provide you with all the expertise and professionalism of our Meetings & Incentives staff. References of our worldwide clients are available upon request.

During 2003, we handled 68 Meetings & Incentives programs with over 5,400 visitors from across the globe. By the end of the 2004 we served 80 groups, totaling 5,500 passengers.

Desde su creación en 1970, el concepto de Incentivos y Reuniones ha sido parte de Swiss Travel Service, ya que desde entonces se operaban programas básicos para este tipo de grupos. Seguidamente, en las décadas de los 80 y 90, Swiss Travel Service desarrolla programas más complejos y completos para Incentivos y Reuniones, debido a mejores facilidades e infraestructura en Costa Rica que permiten la creación de programas atractivos y originales.

Hoy, nuestra empresa diseña cada programa a la medida de acuerdo con las necesidades y metas de cada grupo, a través del análisis exhaustivo de cada solicitud y del perfil del grupo.

Nos sentimos orgullosos de poder ofrecerle un equipo de profesionales experimentados en la realización de programas para Incentivos y Reuniones. Estaremos muy complacidos de brindarle todas las referencias necesarias a solicitud.

Durante el año 2003, manejamos 68 reuniones y programas de incentivos que sumaron 5,400 participantes provenientes de todas partes del mundo. Para finales del 2004 hemos operado 80 grupos para un total de 5500 pasajeros.





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CRT Destination Marketing and Management Services Co. is the Costa Rican pioneer and leader in developing the attitude and mindset needed to deliver incentive-travel fulfillment in Costa Rica. CRT gathers a team of professionals capable of designing, organizing and delivering a wide range of events, that require a good understanding of the resources that will guarantee successful activities, tours, staffing and transportation utilizing local expertise.

CRT has a record that speaks for itself, having met the travel needs of over 21,000 participants in more than 228 incentive trips. From small corporate retreats and incentive-program travel to an international convention for hundreds of participants from 123 countries, CRT delivers. CRT has proven to be the professional meeting planner's best choice for any type of event in Costa Rica.

"All of our dealers and distributors left Costa Rica with much enthusiasm and excitement, which is exactly what we wanted them to experience. Almost all of our guests are seasoned travelers, and they all were very impressed with the level of service they received from everyone." Bill Crump, Incentive Trip Coordinator VIKING RANGE CORPORATION, March 2002

CRT ocupa un lugar privilegiado en Costa Rica avalado por muchos años de experiencia. Nuestro equipo humano altamente calificado, dispuesto a aportar sus conocimientos y nuestros servicios integrales, como compañía especializada en viajes de incentivo y convenciones. Planificando el contenido del viaje, los itinerarios más interesantes, las actividades, los medios técnicos necesarios, todos los detalles, sean grandes o pequeños, que implican un exitoso viaje de incentivo o convención, serán previstos mucho antes del momento de llegada de los participantes a Costa Rica. No dejamos sitio para la improvisación poniendo a su disposición la última tecnología disponible en Costa Rica para el éxito de los mismos.

Tenemos a su disposición una lista de nuestros más distinguidos clientes, quienes pueden darles referencias de la gran cantidad y calidad de nuestros servicios para viajes de incentivos. Nuestro Manual de Viajes de Incentivos en Costa Rica, así como su versión digital, está disponible a su solicitud.

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Imagine a place where life can be felt, and peace can be enjoyed; a land where water, sun, sand, and fire make a perfect mix; a small corner on earth where the variety of life has no limit. Daylight or nighttime are perfect for enjoying forests, volcanoes, waterfalls, lakes, rivers, flowers... creating unique incentives. This ideal place has a name - Costa Rica.

The options range from the active-adventurous to the relaxing, from the individual to team-building, from the old fashioned to the modern, from the beach to the nature-oriented experience. A diversity of accommodations meet different needs... beach resorts, retreats, jungle or mountain lodges, and small charming hotels. The theme parties become magic, the amenities and possibilities of entertainment have the original touch you're looking for. We create extraordinary experiences.

TE Incentives... We make it real.

Imagine un lugar donde puede sentirse la vida y se disfruta la paz, una tierra en la que el agua, el sol, la arena y el fuego se mezclan en perfecta armonía, un pequeño rincón del planeta donde la variedad de opciones no tiene límite. El día o la noche son perfectos para disfrutar bosques, volcanes, cataratas, lagos, ríos, flores... para crear Incentivos únicos. Este sitio de ensueño tiene un nombre: Costa Rica.

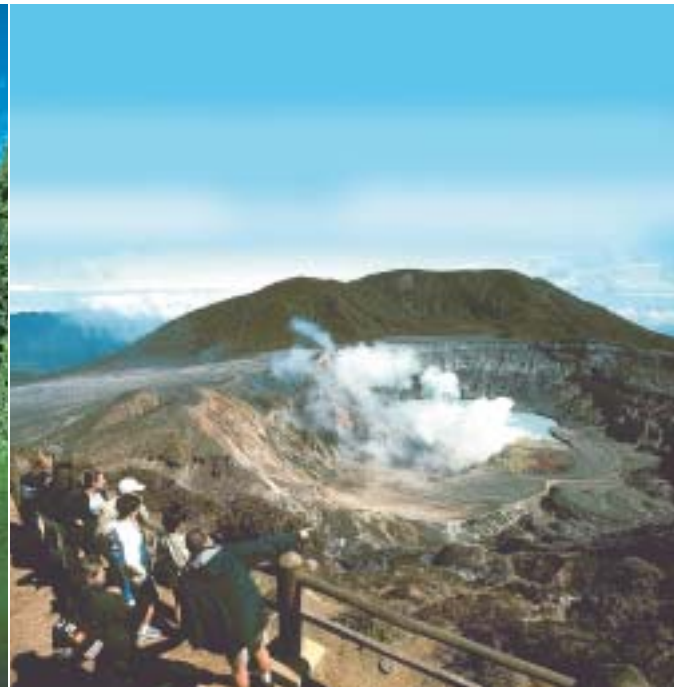
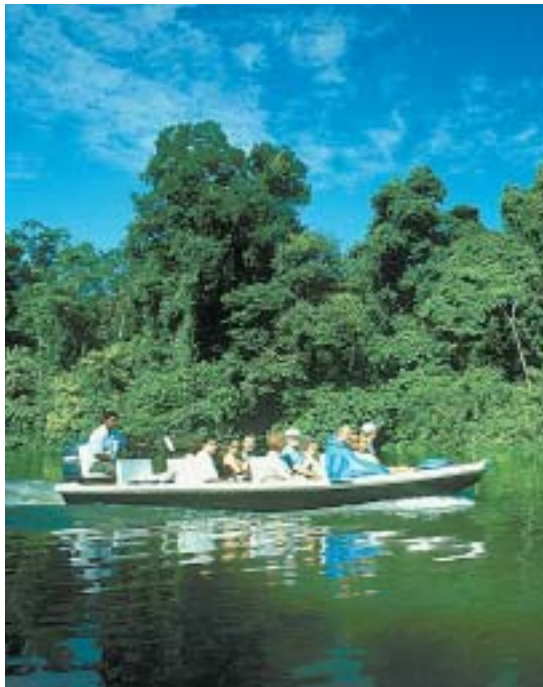
Las alternativas van de lo activo y aventurero a lo relajante, de la experiencia individual al trabajo en equipo, de lo antiguo a lo moderno, de la playa a un paraíso natural. En hospedaje la diversidad satisface distintas necesidades... hoteles de playa, de montaña o en medio de la jungla más remota, pequeños pero lujosos lugares con estilo muy propio. Las fiestas tema se tornan mágicas, las posibilidades en entretenimiento y regalos tienen el toque original siempre deseado. Creamos experiencias inolvidables.

TE Incentives... Lo hacemos realidad.



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We are in Charge of the Fun!

Recognized as the most sophisticated group of planners, the undisputed leader in the design and creation of the most outstanding productions, we are known for the amount of time we invest in research, the creation of out-of-the-box proposals and showing unmatched performance to the most demanding audiences.

Working with us is easy and fun, due to our experience and knowledge of the destinations we serve. The follow up we provide during the designing and operation of your program is integrated with post-event evaluation.

What makes us stand out:

- Out-of-the-ordinary, personalized service
- Top-priority treatment for your requests
- Incentive-class suppliers
- A quality-controlled operation
- Unforgettable adventures
- Unique venues and top-quality entertainment

¡La Diversión es Nuestro Negocio!

Reconocidos como el grupo de profesionales más sofisticado, somos el líder indiscutible en el diseño y la creación de las más espectaculares producciones, nuestra reputación se basa en la cantidad de tiempo que invertimos en la investigación, la creación de programas innovadores y demostrando un desempeño perfecto a las audiencias más exigentes.

Trabajar con nosotros es fácil y divertido, dada la experiencia, el conocimiento de los destinos donde trabajamos y el seguimiento durante el diseño y la operación de su programa, integrado con la evaluación post-evento.

Nos destacamos por:

- El servicio ultra-personalizado.
- Sus solicitudes obtienen tratamiento prioritario.
- Contratar los proveedores mejor calificados.
- Una operación controlada en su calidad.
- Aventuras inolvidables.
- Atracciones únicas con entretenimiento fino y profesional.



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TAM DMC's distinction comes from the company's comprehensive goal to bestow upon its participants the best and most memorable experience of their lives. This dedication happens in every aspect of TAM DMC programs as a result of our specialization in this destination. TAM DMC comprises private services, knowledgeable tour guides with the ability to execute logistics in an effortless manner, the finest accommodations in the country, plus an extensive assortment of journeys and activities.

These are just a few of the many ways in which we, as a team, endeavor to accomplish our mission to be the best we can:

- Exceed our participants' expectations by making their dream trip with TAM DMC a memorable one.
- Design comprehensive programs that completely meet their needs.
- Strive only for the finest.
- Provide unparalleled client service by giving singular attention to every detail.
- Perform continuous research to create experiences that grant more meaning and value.

When you come to Costa Rica with TAM DMC, you are taking

advantage of more than four decades of experience and the most qualified staff.

"...The TAM Team proved to be personable and courteous, while flexible and professional." –Victor L. Hailey, Maritz Travel Co.

"...I'm not surprised. You are a first-class organization. Anyone with any knowledge of our business can see that immediately." –Cindy Olson, Motivation.

We as a team will prosper through recognition as the best incentive marketing team in our industry when measured by our suppliers, our industry, our clients and ourselves.

"...The team effort exhibited, the obvious connections with people in 'high places' and the professionalism exemplified by TAM's management is beyond compare." –Bob Cosentino, State Farm Insurance Companies.

Let us share with you the magic and the beauty of Costa Rica, our home.

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DCR has dedicated its effort to the meetings, congress and incentive market since 1991. Through the years, our ample experience, creativity, and personalized services have allowed us to become experts in this field.

We will take your group of winners to the world of eco-tourism, adventure, unspoiled beaches and amazing variety of options from coast to coast... Nature-lover tours, jungle safaris, sky trekking, canopy, zip lining, rainforests, soft adventure, waterfalls, scuba diving, fishing and much more...

- International recognition of our services
- High-quality and constantly-trained staff
- Reliable company
- Personalized service
- Strong relationship with our vendors
- Creative and tailor-made programs
- Modern fleet of vehicles to satisfy your needs
- Many years of experience

Services

- Airport welcome and assistance • Luggage service
- Deluxe transportation • Musical entertainment
- Team building • Theme parties • Hospitality desk
- Give-away • Flowers • Multilingual staff & guides

Your DMC!

More than a decade of experience and happy customers...

DCR se ha dedicado al mercado de congresos e incentivos desde 1991. A través de los años la amplia experiencia, creatividad, excelente servicio personalizado nos han clasificado como profesionales expertos en este campo.

Nosotros lograremos que su grupo de ganadores disfrute del hermoso mundo del eco-turismo, aventura, playas vírgenes y gran variedad de opciones de costa a costa... Excursiones para el amante de la naturaleza, viajes por la jungla tropical, dosel, bosques lluviosos, cataratas, buceo, pesca y mucho más...

- Reconocimiento internacional de nuestros servicios
- Personal altamente calificado y capacitado
- Empresa confiable
- Servicio personalizado
- Excelente relación con nuestros clientes
- Programas creativos diseñados a la medida
- Moderna flota de vehículos para las exigencias de nuestros clientes
- Años de experiencia

Servicios

- Bienvenida y asistencia en el aeropuerto
- Servicio de equipaje
- Transporte de lujo • Conjunto musical
- Trabajo en equipo • Fiestas tema
- Souvenir • Flores • Guías y personal de apoyo multilingüe.

¡Su operador de Congresos e Incentivos!!!
Más de una década de experiencia
y clientes satisfechos...



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Whatever your group interests are, IVI Costa Rica Quest DMC's team of local professionals has the expertise to assist you in planning, developing and operating programs beyond your expectations. Our most important goal is...To Make You Look Great!

For all of our offices in Mexico and Costa Rica, IVI Destination Management have set exacting standards and guarantee a comprehensive understanding of each area. This gives you a perfect combination of resources to customize and host groups and conventions from the "delightfully formal" to the "delightfully absurd."

IVI Costa Rica Quest, - the right partner for you in Costa Rica!

IVI Costa Rica Quest DMC y su equipo de expertos profesionales locales le asistirán con gusto en la planificación, desarrollo y operación de su programa de Grupo.

IVI Costa Rica Quest DMC, su complemento en Costa Rica para Hacerlo Lucir Muy Bien!

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We deliver solutions to our clients based upon the highest quality and ethical standards. At Premio Incentives, we provide full-service destination management in Costa Rica, designing custom-made programs with a fresh approach. We handle your meetings and incentives with flair, excellence, and fun!

2004 SITE'S CRYSTAL AWARD WINNER

Services Available:

Meet & greet, deluxe transportation, creative excursions and workshops, team-building, socially & environmentally oriented programs, theme functions, design and production of exclusive concepts, dine arounds, attractive gifts ...and much more.

Nos especializamos en proveer soluciones a nuestros clientes basados en los más altos estándares de ética y calidad. Usando nuestra propia receta, en Premio ofrecemos una amplia gama de servicios en Costa Rica con programas a la medida:

¡Manejamos sus incentivos con estilo, excelencia y diversión!

ACREEDORES DEL CRYSTAL AWARD DE LA SOCIEDAD DE EJECUTIVOS DE VIAJES DE INCENTIVOS

Servicios disponibles:

Traslados de lujo, excursiones y actividades creativas, programas con orientación social y ambiental, trabajo en equipo, fiestas tema, diseño y producción de conceptos exclusivos, atractivos obsequios, ...y mucho más.



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Actúa Vesatours DMC, designs, organizes, and executes incentive travel programs for groups and individuals, conferences, day tours, and pre-and post-tours for visitors coming to Costa Rica. However, this definition falls short compared to what we can deliver – unforgettable and rewarding memories for those who undertake a journey with us.

Our objectives are to provide support for your business after thoroughly studying and understanding its drive; to reward great performers, as each individual truly deserves; and to encourage others to reach the excellence standards of their leaders and company.

Actúa Vesatours DMC, diseña, organiza y lleva a cabo programas de viajes de incentivos individuales y grupales, conferencias, tours de un día (excursiones), así como pre y pos tours para turistas que viajan a Costa Rica. Sin embargo, esta definición queda corta, comparada con lo que podemos ofrecerle – inolvidables y gratificantes recuerdos para aquellos que emprendieron esta aventura con nosotros.

Nuestros objetivos son apoyar sus negocios, luego de un cuidadoso estudio realizado con el fin de entender su empuje; reconocer a los colaboradores destacados como cada individuo realmente merece; y motivar a otros a alcanzar estándares de excelencia establecidos por el líder y su compañía.

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By choosing Costa Rica as your destination and us as your travel partner, you can experience peace of mind. Our commitment to excellent service in tandem with bulk rates ensures top-notch travel at prices that fit any budget. Due to our agent's knowledge of the destination, we take care of everything with the greatest expertise, starting with discount airfares, because unlike many travel agencies, our team can negotiate directly with major domestic and international carriers. No group is too large or too small to get the best airfares.

INTRATOURS es un consolidador de tiquetes aéreos hacia Latinoamérica y Europa. Especialistas por más de 15 años, ofreciendo servicios a Costa Rica y otros destinos en América y Europa.

Eligiendo a Costa Rica como destino y a Intratours como su agencia colaboradora, lo primero que obtiene es seguridad. Nuestro compromiso a la excelencia en servicio junto con nuestras tarifas reducidas nos permite ofrecer paquetes ajustados a cualquier presupuesto. Nos encargamos de todo, comenzando por buscar la tarifa más reducida ya sea neta, mayorista o de descuento. Esto es debido a nuestros contratos con líneas aéreas nacionales e internacionales. Ningún grupo es demasiado grande o pequeño para Intratours. Somos miembros de IATA y ASTA.

DESTINATION MANAGEMENT COMPANIES DIRECTORY



Meetings & Incentives Bureau

THE COSTA RICA MEETINGS & INCENTIVES BUREAU

The Costa Rica Meetings & Incentives Bureau is formed by more than thirty of the country's leading hotels, destination-management companies and specialized outfitters. All of these proud members are top-of-the-line businesses that possess vast experience and expertise in the management, planning and execution of your incentive or seminar program. If you need to contact them or desire further assistance, you can find them listed below or access them through the Bureau's website: www.costarica-incentives.com

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