

LYON

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Planning a business event in France? Choose Lyon!

Lyon, the result of 2000 years of history



Looking for an exceptional historical trail? Follow the guide! From the Gallo-Romans ruins to the Vieux-Lyon, a unique Renaissance district in Europe, from the classical buildings to the iconic traboules - Lyon's well-hidden treasures-, it is no wonder 500 ha of the city are inscribed on UNESCO's world

heritage list. And to cap it all, its decent size makes it easy to wander through the city and discover everything it has to offer!

Lyon: the French art de vivre at its finest



If you're a foodie and love to taste everything when traveling for business, then Lyon is the place to come! With over 4,000 restaurants, the city clearly is the French capital of gastronomy. A title Lyon owes to Monsieur Paul Bocuse, a visionary cook elected Chef of the Century in 1989 by the Gault & Millau guide and again in 2011 by the Culinary Institute of America. From Michelin star restaurants to authentic local bouchons, organic and veggie cuisine, food courts and halls, you will fall in love with Lyon from starter to dessert.

Lyon makes a commitment to sustainable tourism



Elected by the European Union as its 1st European Capital of Smart Tourism in 2019, Lyon is committed toward more sustainable, respectful, innovative and inclusive tourism. The same year, Lyon joined the GDS-Index (Global Destination Sustainability Index), a leading sustainability benchmarking and improvement programme for destinations around the world designed to make the business and events tourism industry more sustainable. Today, with a score of 80%, Lyon is the leading city in France.

Lyon has the second largest capacity in France for hosting events



With over 200 meeting spaces, including 4 major venues (Euroexpo, Halle Tony Garnier, Lyon Convention Centre, Espace Tête d'Or) Lyon and its Metropolis have the second largest capacity in France for the hosting of events. Moreover, from grand luxury hotels in the city centre or small family-run hotels to hotel residences, Lyon offers a very wide range of accommodation to satisfy all your attendees.

300
rooms
1000
meeting rooms
19
Michelin starred restaurants

10 REASONS TO CHOOSE LYON

Discover why Lyon is one of the world's leading business event places.

Lyon is the leading french city in terms of sustainable tourism

200

meeting spaces, including 4 major venues

Lyon is the result of 2000 years of history

2nd economic metropolis IN FRANCE

Lyon is the 2nd Convention city in France behind Paris and in front of Montpellier. (International Congress and Convention Association - ICCA)

500 courtyards and traboules

500 ha listed as Unesco World Heritage



less than a 2-hour ride by TGV train from Paris

a stone's throw from Provence



less than 2 hours by air from the capital cities of Europe

EASY ACCESS

2nd French hotel capacity

with

19,140 rooms

in Lyon Metropolis



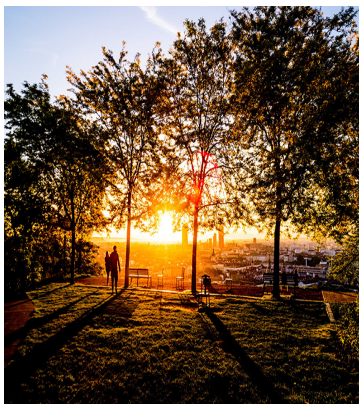
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