

# ROTARY DISTRICT 7620: 2015 Convention Sao Paulo

## June 4 to June 11, 2015



**Cost per person: \$3559 per person based on double occupancy \$4349 based on single occupancy**

A 5% discount is offered for payments by check. This equals a savings of about \$178 per person for double occupancy. The discount will be reflected on your invoice for final payment. Prices are based on a minimum of 25 participants.

### HIGHLIGHTS:

- Non-stop Round trip Flights between Washington, Dulles and Sao Paulo via United Airlines
- Round trip transfers between the airport and hotel
- 6 nights accommodations at the first class Estanplaza Paulista, Sao Paulo
- 6 Breakfasts
- Welcome Dinner with soft drinks
- Farewell Dinner with soft drinks and beer
- Transfers and sightseeing per itinerary in modern air-conditioned motor coach
- Services of English-speaking guides on all transfers and included sightseeing tours
- Entrance fees per itinerary
- Portage of one piece per person on arrival and departure at each hotel

Cost(s) of Travel Protection Insurance: \$179 for double occupancy, \$219 for single occupancy; if adding the Optional Extension to Iguazu Falls, add an additional \$40 per person.

### SPECIAL FEATURES:

- Optional Tours for the non-participating spouses
- Full day guided sightseeing tour of Sao Paulo
- Motor coach transportation between the hotel and the Convention Center each day of the Rotarian Conference

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- Brazil Visa: U.S. and Canadian Citizens require a visa for entry into Brazil and must be arranged prior to boarding your flight. Passengers who are not U.S. or Canadian citizens should check with the appropriate consulate.

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## ITINERARY

### **Thursday, June 04, 2015 - Depart U. S.**

Depart Washington, Dulles at 10:10 pm, arriving in Sao Paulo the following morning.

### **Friday, June 05, 2015 - Arrive in Sao Paulo**

Arrive in Sao Paulo at 8:40 am. Complete Immigrations and Customs formalities. Be met by your Guide and board your waiting motor coach. Be taken on a panoramic sightseeing tour of Sao Paulo, the largest city in South America, before arriving at your hotel for check-in. The balance of the day is free for you to relax. This evening enjoy a welcome dinner at your hotel. Soft drinks are included with dinner.

Meals: Dinner

Overnight: Sao Paulo, Brazil (SAO)

### **Saturday, June 06, 2015 - Rotarian Conference Begins**

Transfers will be provided from the hotel to the conference and from the conference to the hotel at the conclusion of the day's activities.

Overnight: Sao Paulo, Brazil (SAO)

Meals: Breakfast

### **Sunday, June 07, 2015 - Rotarian Conference**

#### **Optional Tour: Embu Das Artes, \$90 pp**

Those participating in the Conference will be transferred to and from the Convention Center. Others are offered an Optional Tour to Embu Das Artes. Embu is known as the handicraft capital of the State of Sao Paulo. It is just 28 kilometers from the city of Sao Paulo and has a typical colonial architecture. You will find many artists in their art galleries, shops, and open-air fair during the weekends. During your visit, you will see the Jesuit de Arte Sacra, a former Jesuit school from 1730 that houses many pieces from the 17th century. You will also see the Igreja Nossa Senhora do Rosario, a rare examples of the Baroque Architecture. Following your visit, you will return to your hotel. The balance of the day is free.

Overnight: Sao Paulo, Brazil (SAO)

Meals: Breakfast

### **Monday, June 08, 2015 - Rotarian Conference - Full Day**

#### **Optional Tour: Santos & Guarujá, \$135 pp**

Those participating in the Conference will be transferred to and from the Convention Center.

Others have the option to take a tour to Santos & Guarujá. In this tour you will leave São Paulo city facing South to the seashore. On the way to the litoral we will pass by the Independence Monument, one of the landmarks of São Paulo. To reach the seacoast of São Paulo State you will drive through one of the most beautiful highway in the State - the Anchieta Imigrantes Highway. Along this road, you will have a glimpse of the gorgeous Atlantic Forest. You will reach the coast by one of the oldest cities in Brazil, São Vicente. In Santos you will visit the famous Coffee Museum, the downtown area and also take a quick ride on cablecar (15 min). You will also visit the Monte Serrat from where will enjoy a panoramic view of the Santos City and its Port, among the largest ports in Latin America. Another important attraction in Santos City is its beach garden, among one of the biggest in the world at 7 km or 4.3 miles. After the visit in Santos, the tour goes to the Santo Amaro Island or Guarujá where we will have a stop for lunch

(optional) and for a bath in the sea (optional). Then you will return to São Paulo via the Cubatão area, from where you will get a glimpse of the chemical and petrochemical industries

Overnight: Sao Paulo, Brazil (SAO)

Meals: Breakfast

### **Tuesday, June 09, 2015 - Rotarian Conference - Free Day**

Those participating in the Conference will be transferred to and from the Convention Center. Others have a free day to enjoy Sao Paulo on your own.

Overnight: Sao Paulo, Brazil (SAO)

Meals: Breakfast

### **Wednesday, June 10, 2015 - Full Day Sightseeing Tour of Sao Paulo -**

Following breakfast, your will start by visiting the neighborhood called "Liberdade" (freedom in Portuguese) - the Japanese district - which was very important for the development of São Paulo by the time it has been occupied by Japanese immigrants. Next, you are going to visit "Sé Cathedral" which is important for its architecture. Each of these places has a different and important meaning in the historical development of this city. Following this visit you will have the opportunity to visit the "Patio do Colégio" - one of the marks of the foundation of Sao Paulo in 1554. You will visit Boa Vista Street, Martinelli Building, and the Municipal Theater at Viaduto do Chá (Tea Bridge). Stop at the Municipal Market. Then continue your tour around Paulista Avenue, the most important street in São Paulo, and you will see the sophisticated neighborhood called "Jardins" (Gardens) where you will find the best shops, restaurants and good entertainment attractions. Your tour will finish visiting the most important park of the city, the "Ibirapuera" Park, comprised of running tracks, tennis/ basketball courts, and bike tracks. There you find The Bial Building, a Sports Gymnasium, the Aeronautics and the Folklore Museums and the Obelisk in honor of the heroes of '32 (a Revolution that took place in 1932) and the monument to Bandeiras (a group of explorers of the colonial times). In the park, the group can visit the Afro Brazilian Museum (tickets free) on own. Following your tour you will return to your hotel. This evening you go to dinner at one of the highest rated restaurants in Sao Paulo, Barbacoa BBQ. You will enjoy dinner and a free flow of soft drinks, juice, beer and water.

Overnight: Sao Paulo, Brazil (SAO)

Meals: Breakfast, Dinner

### **Thursday, June 11, 2014 - Depart for U.S.**

Check out of your hotel in the late morning. A few hospitality rooms will be available during the day as a place to relax and leave your luggage. Depart the hotel for the airport in the early evening to board your flight departing at 10:05 pm, arriving back to Washington, Dulles at 6:40 am the following morning (Friday).

Meals: Breakfast

**PLEASE NOTE:** All flight times are subject to change.



**TERMS OF PAYMENT:  
IMPORTANT DATES & PAYMENT  
DEADLINES:**

Deposit: \$500 per person deposit required no later than 180 days prior to departure,  
**November 21, 2014**

60 Days prior to departure: Final payment, **March 21, 2015**

**CANCELLATION TERMS:**

Once a partial or full payment has been made, cancellations will only be accepted in writing.

Cancellation terms will be applied based on the date that written cancellation is received and based on the following dates prior to departure.

179 to 101 days prior to departure: \$300 per person, plus an additional

100 to 61 days prior to departure: \$400 per person, plus an additional

60 to 31 days prior to departure: 75% of land/cruise services & 100% of air costs

30 days or less prior to departure/

no show: 100 % of all services

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**GENERAL TERMS AND  
CONDITIONS**

Please be sure to visit Gate 1 Travel Terms and Conditions at <http://www.gate1travel.com>. For your convenience, below are important highlights. However, it is important to review the complete set of terms prior to completing the Agreement.

**PASSPORTS AND VISAS**

It is each traveler's responsibility to have passport valid for at least 6 months after the date of travel and a visa if required. Please check the information at [www.gate1travel.com/visas.aspx](http://www.gate1travel.com/visas.aspx) for the specific country/region you are visiting for more details. **IMPORTANT:** Passengers who are not U.S. Citizens must check with the respective consulate or a visa agency to determine what personal identification is required.

Passengers who enter, leave, and then re-enter the same country on their itinerary should check if they require a double-entry visa. Passport applications are available at most U.S. Post offices, as well as at regional Passport Agencies. Passengers requiring visas, whether obtained in advance or locally upon arrival, should ensure that their passport has unstamped visa pages.

**SINGLE OR TRIPLE ACCOMMODATIONS** are limited and subject to availability.

**AIRLINE SEATS**

Seats will be requested per your completed passport name list and confirmed no earlier than 40 days prior to departure. Every airline has different seating policies. For individual airline policies and other relevant information go to <http://www.gate1travel.com/airlinepolicies.htm>. Any name change may result in that seat being revoked by the carrier. Bulkhead and exit row seats are

considered at airport check-in only. Domestic flights are blocked for group seat requests.

**TRAVELERS WITH DISABILITIES**

Tour participants requiring any form of assistance are required to notify Gate 1 Travel in writing at the time of reservation, and must be accompanied by an individual responsible for providing those services. Tour managers, guides, drivers or other tour, hotel, ship personnel are not able to provide such assistance.

Due to physical constraints and space limitations, wheelchairs, walkers and motorized scooters may not be taken aboard motor coaches, nor are these devices suitable for touring. These devices may be utilized in public spaces such as airports, however may not be used while sightseeing. Any such devices will necessarily be counted as a checked piece of luggage, and passengers should consult with respective airlines for specific regulations.

..... Please fill out, detach, and mail with deposit. ....

Enclosed is my \$500 per person deposit for the Rotary District 7620: 2015 Convention Sao Paulo (Ref #785005)

Do you wish to add the Optional Sao Paulo Tours?  
Please indicate how many passengers \_\_\_

Embu Das Artes Yes \_\_\_

Santos & Guaruja Yes \_\_\_

Checks Payable to: Travel Leaders  
22325 Greenview Parkway  
Unit 1C  
Great Mills, MD 20634

Cardholder (print name): \_\_\_\_\_ (If not one of the traveling Passenger(s), Card Holder must submit a copy of the front and back of the card)

Deposit amount by enclosed check \_\_\_\_\_

Or Credit Card # : \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Card: Visa\_\_\_ Mastercard\_\_\_ American Express\_\_\_ Discover\_\_\_

Amount Authorized to Charge: \_\_\_\_\_

Address if different from above: \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Deposit amount per person to be charged:  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**ALL NAMES MUST APPEAR AS THEY ARE ON YOUR PASSPORT**

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Passport number: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Do you wish to purchase insurance : Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Would you like a single room: Yes \_\_\_

Would you like a triple room?: Yes \_\_\_

Roommate: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Passport number: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_

Do you wish to purchase insurance : Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

I/we have read the Terms & Conditions and agree to its terms.

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(signature)

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All passengers must have a passport that is valid 6 months beyond the date of travel. If you do not have a passport, please apply for one, and send a copy as soon as possible. Contact your local passport office for details. It is your responsibility to obtain the proper documentation.