

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**





of the domestic GDP is generated in Medellin



WORLD'S MOST INNOVATIVE CITY according to the Wall Street Journal, Citi Group and the Urban Lab Institute



First revisited destination in the country



Inhabitants in the Aburra Valley

CONECTIVIDAD AÉREA: CONNECTIVITY:

#### **2 AIRPORTS**

José María Córdova International Airport and Enrique Olava Herrera Airport











Integrated Public Transportation System: Metro, Cablecar, Metroplus, EnCicla and Tramway



International Routes



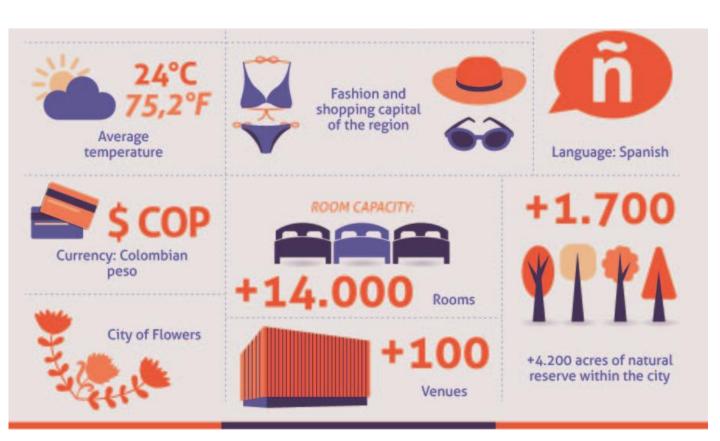
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# MEDELLÍN YOUR HOST

Medellín, surrounded by mountains, with privileged spring weather all year round and the great kindness of its people, makes it a city internationally recognized by its transformation and social innovation.

It has grown to be a business center in the region, and an event destination with high quality standards.

# **WHY MEDELLÍN?**

- ✓ Perfect weather and exuberant nature: With a temperature between 20 y 27 °C all year round, works perfectly for any event at any time.
- ✓ Modern infrastructure and quality services: Beautiful, organized and clean city that surprises its visitors.
- ✓ City of events: great experience in hosting national and international events.
- ✓ Big support from the local government and several stakeholders: The mayor's office is committed to support all international events that bring development to the different projects in the city, along with the Governor's office and several companies within the touristic chain of the city and region.
- ✓ Great potential for growth: Medellín increased 24% its international visitors in 2016, 6 times more than the world average, and along with the visitors, the infrastructure has to grow as well, with a lot of ongoing projects that may be of interest for the Routes attendees.



### AIR CONECTIVITY

Medellín has two airports: José María Córdoba (MDE) and Enrique Olaya Airport (EOH), the first one 45 minutes outside the city and the second one in the city but only handling national, commercial and charter and private flights. MDE Airport is the main one, and has all international conections to/from Medellín. EOH is an important port of connectivity for national flights and cargo.

Airport - José María Córdoba (MDE): <a href="http://www.aeropuertorionegro.co/">http://www.aeropuertorionegro.co/</a> Airport - Enrique Olaya (EOH): <a href="http://www.aeropuertomedellin.co/">http://www.aeropuertomedellin.co/</a>

#### National conectivity to destination MDE Airport – June 2017

Source: Procolombia

City of Origin	Destination	Province/Department	Weekly Frequencies
Medellín MED	Barranquilla	Atlántico	28
Medellín MED	Bogotá	Cundinamarca	270
Medellín MED	Cali	Valle del Cauca	62
Medellín MED	Cartagena	Bolivar	56
Medellín MED	Cúcuta	Norte de Santander	7
Medellín MED	Montería	Córdoba	14
Medellín MED	San Andrés Isla	San Andrés Isla	21
Medellín MED	Santa Marta	Magdalena	25

## International connectivity to destination MDE Airport – June 2017 Source: Procolombia

City of Origin	Weekly Frequencies	Available seats
Ciudad de Panamá - Panamá	49	5296
Balboa - Panamá	8	1288
Miami - USA	25	3442
Fort Lauderdale - USA	10	1660
San Salvador - Salvador	7	930
Ciudad de México - México	7	868
Lima - Perú	4	384
New York - USA	7	840
Madrid - Spain	6	1614
Valencia -Venezuela	5	720
Porlamar - Venezuela	1	104

Colombia Time (COT) is 5 hours behind <u>Coordinated Universal Time</u> (UTC). This time zone is in use during <u>standard time</u> in: <u>South America</u>.

Shopping Centers are open from 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Monday through Saturday
Sunday from 11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Visa requirements for Colombia

Only citizens of the following countries DO require a visa to enter Colombia: Albania, Algeria, Armenia, Bahrain, Benin, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cape Verde, Cameroon, Chad, Comoros, Congo, Democratic Republic Congo, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea Bissau, Equatorial Guinea, Haiti, India, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Kiribati, Kosovo, Kuwait, Lesotho, Macedonia, Madagascar, Malawi, Maldives, Mali, Morocco. Mauritania, Moldova, Mongolia, Namibia, Nauru, Nepal, Niger, Oman, Qatar, Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Serbia, Seychelles, Swaziland, Thailand, Tajikistan, East Timor, Togo, Tonga, Tunisia, Turkmenistan, Tuvalu, Ukraine, Uzbekistan, Vanuatu, Vietnam, Zambia, Zimbabwe.



