

TOURISM VISION



TO BE THE #1 MOST VISITED CITY IN THE WORLD

- Raise the international profile of Dubai
- Redefine travellers' expectations
- Create a destination that the world wants to visit time and time again





GROWTH OF TOURISM



From fishing village to 5th most visited city in the world





Opening of Dubai World Trade Centre 1978





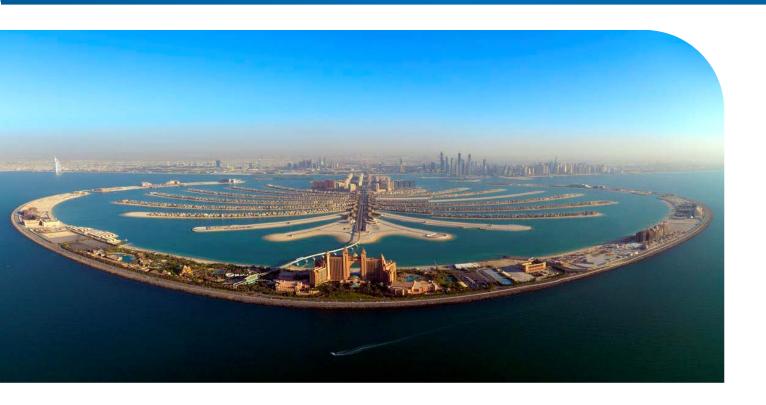
Emirates Airline launched 1985





Burj Al Arab opened 1999





Atlantis opened on The Palm Jumeirah 2008





Burj Khalifa opened 2010













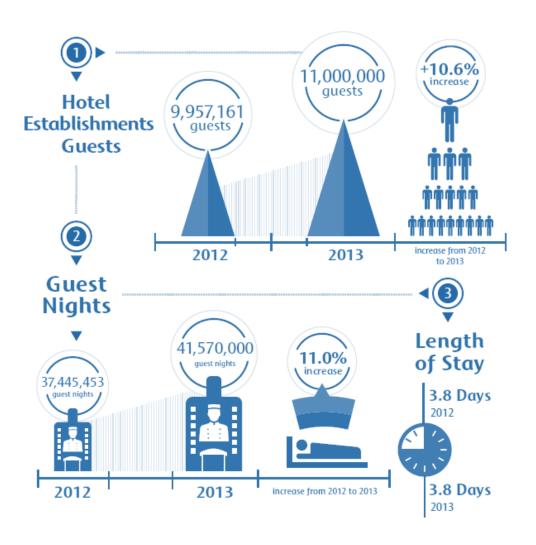


2020 VISION





WHERE ARE WE NOW?





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- 1. Saudi Arabia
- 2. India
- 3. UK
- 4. USA

- 5. Russia
- 6. China
- 7. Iran

- 8. Oman
- 9. Kuwait
- 10. Germany





إكسبو EXPO 2020

دبي، الإمارات العربية المتحدة DUBAI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

Accelerate Growth of Tourism Industry

 HH Sheikh Mohammed: "In 2020, Dubai will astonish the world"

2 MAJOR MILESTONES





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The world's largest airport:
Capacity for 200 million passengers



ENHANCING THE DESTINATION



28 HOTELS OPENED MAY 2013-AUG 2014



= 634 hotels and 88,000 rooms



NEW ATTRACTIONS



- City Walk and The Beach at JBR
- Extensions to Aquaventure and Mall of the Emirates
- Bounce and Jump Boxx
- King Croc and giant Pacific octopus
- At The Top, Burj Khalifa SKY



NEW EVENTS



Dubai Motor Festival

Dubai Food Festival

New events including:

- Dubai Tour
- Music Events
- IPL
- Festival of Lights



ENGINEERING THE DESTINATION

- Working with industry partners to identify needs of the future tourist
- Dubai Calendar and DCEB merge
- DFRE became part of DTCM
- New Legislation
 - Holiday Homes
 - E-permit and ticketing system
 - Mid-market hotel incentives



ENHANCING TRAVELLER EXPERIENCE

- Focus on service provision throughout tourist's journey
 - Taxi drivers as tour guides
 - Concierge & hotel staff training
 - Trained 300 Mandarin speaking tour guides





MAKING DUBAI MORE ACCESSIBLE



Emirates flies direct to over 140 destinations in 80 countries

Flydubai flies to almost 80 destinations in over 35 countries

- Increasing flight network
- Easing visa regulations
- E-gate and DXB infrastructure enhancements

MARKETING THE DESTINATION

- Increased network of overseas offices and redefining role
- Dubai Corporation for Tourism and Commerce Marketing formed
- Revisiting Hotel Classification
- New marketing blueprint for Dubai





ACCOLADES



Top 25 Places to go Worldwide

Wild Wadi and Aquaventure

– 6th and 8th best water parks
in the world, respectively

Dubai Aquarium & Underwater Zoo – 25/275 aquariums and zoos

The New Hork Times

In top 25 places to go in 2014



ISSAM KAZIM CEO, DCTCM

"Dubai is known across the world as a must-see city – we will change the narrative so it becomes known as a city that must be experienced"



COMING UP...

- New city brand
- New digital ecosystem
- Global marketing campaign



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"As the city adopts the brand it will also be uniting behind a common aim to deliver beyond the expected and make the experience of Dubai truly remarkable"









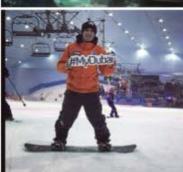




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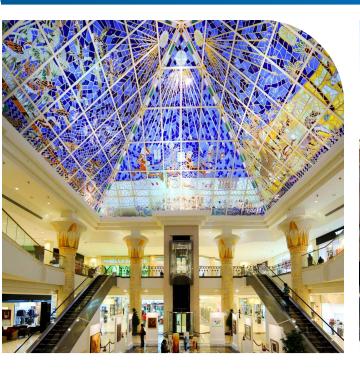
DESTINATION OFFERING



CREATING A REMARKABLE DESTINATION



SHOPPING





- 95 malls
- World's biggest shopping mall
- Global #2 for highest number of retail brands
- Arabian souks



FAMILY

Ambition to be the world's premier family destination



- Rich diversity of attractions for all ages and interests
- World-class family hotels and resorts
- Serving up global cuisine
- Family-friendly festivals
- Glorious beaches and gentle currents
- Among the safest cities in the world
- Extraordinary family experiences







OUTDOOR

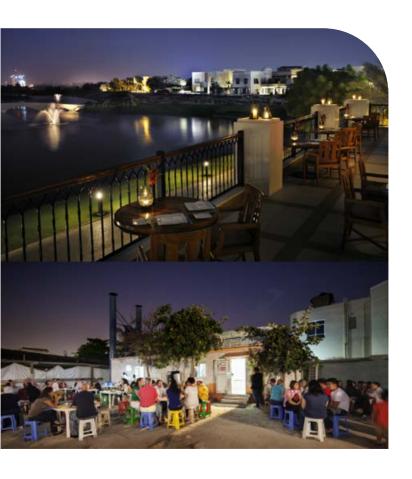
Where the sun always shines



- For the adrenaline junkie
- For the avid adventurer
- Beach and water sports lovers
- Fitness freaks and sports fans



GASTRONOMY



- Menu drawn from over 200 nationalities
- A spread over 5,400 eateries
- Home to Michelin-starred chefs
- Among the best in the world:
 Zuma and Le Petite Maison
- Dining in incredible surroundings



WHERE ELSE CAN YOU DINE...

At the top of the world? At the bottom of the ocean? At the base of a dune?





A CITY THAT NEVER SLEEPS











EVENTS

To cement our reputation as the global hub for events and festivals



























CULTURE: HERITAGE





- Sheikh Mohammed Centre For Cultural Understanding – "Open Doors. Open Minds"
- Strives to raise awareness and de-mystify the local culture, customs and religion of UAE



CULTURE: THE ARTS



- Art galleries:
 Al Quoz,
 Al Fahidi,
 DIFC
- Performances: Cavalia, Cirque du Soleil
- Music



THE FUTURE



What's coming up:

- 2nd edition of:
 - Motor Festival,
 21 Nov 5 Dec
 - Food Festival,8-28 Feb
- 20th edition of Dubai
 Shopping Festival,
 Jan 2015



THE FUTURE



2016: 115,000 rooms

- Four Seasons Resort Dubai
- Royal Atlantis Resort

H1 2014: 88,680 rooms

- Waldorf Astoria Dubai Palm Jumeirah
- Sofitel Dubai The Palm
- Sofitel Dubai Downtown
- Dubai Marriott Hotel
 Al Jaddaf
- Warwick Hotel Dubai
- Double Tree by Hilton –
 Jumeirah Beach



FUTURE FOCUS

- Dubai Safari Project (Q4 2014/Q1 2015)
- Wire World (Q1 2015)
- Madinat Jumeirah expansion (Q1 2016)
- Dubai Parks & Resorts Legoland, Motiongate and Bollywood Parks (2016)
- Dubai Opera House (2017)
- Bluewaters Island (2018)







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"While the city is already seen as a must visit destination, a continuous drive to innovate will lead to a constant reinvention of the visitor experience creating one that is unrivaled anywhere else in the world"



