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# Have we mentioned the wonderful weather?

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Portugal is one of the oldest nations in Europe. A country with ever-change landscape whether you're appreciating the delightful beaches of the south or stunning mountains of the north, always dotted with monuments of various cultural origins.

Porto is one of the most charismatic and fascinating cities in Europe. It is an ancient port steeped in history and tradition.

With three World Heritage Sites recognised by UNESCO, there is no shortage of reasons to visit the Douro Valley, one of the most stunning landscapes in all of Portugal.

Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Average high °C (°F)	17 (63)	17 (63)	17 (63)	18 (64)	19 (66)	22 (72)	24 (75)	26 (79)	24 (75)	22 (72)	19 (66)	18 (64)
Average low °C (°F)	11 (52)	11 (52)	11 (52)	12 (54)	13 (56)	15 (59)	17 (63)	18 (64)	18 (64)	16 (61)	14 (57)	12 (54)

Seasons:

- ◇ Winter: December to February
- ◇ Spring: March to May
- ◇ Summer: June to September
- ◇ Autumn: October to November

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# Day-By-Day

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Date	Day	Evening
Day 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◇ Arrival transfer to Porto by motor coach with English speaking guide assistance</li><li>◇ Meet &amp; Greet by Abreu</li><li>◇ <u>Afternoon activities</u></li><li>◇ Discover Porto Old Downtown choosing one of the suggested options</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◇ Dinner at one of the suggested Restaurants</li><li>◇ R/t Transportation</li><li>◇ Accommodation</li></ul>
Day 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◇ Breakfast in the hotel</li><li>◇ Discovery of the Douro Wine Region</li><li>◇ Lunch in a wine farm</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◇ Farewell dinner in the selected venue</li><li>◇ R/t Transportation</li><li>◇ Accommodation</li></ul>
Day 03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◇ Breakfast at the Hotel</li><li>◇ Morning activity in Porto – Choosing one of the suggested Options</li><li>◇ Transfer to Porto Airport</li></ul>	

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# Hotels

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# Classic Heritage

## Hotel Infante Sagres

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**Category:** 5 Stars

**Rooms:** 70

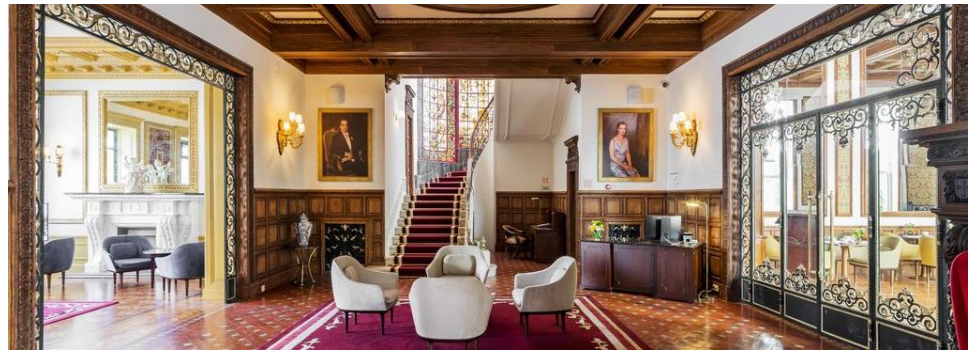
Being member of the Small Luxury Hotels of the World, the hotel Infante de Sagres is a reference in Porto due to its history and the perfect location in the city.

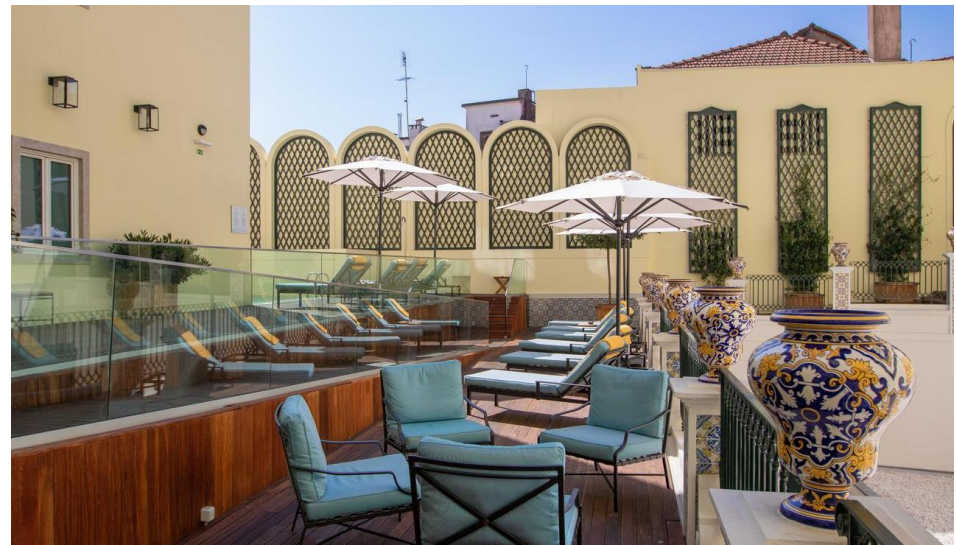
Recently renovated, it is decorated in a neo-baroque style with contemporary details providing a sophisticated and a cozy atmosphere.

Offering a modern, elegant and stylish ambience together with food and drinks that are simply and beautifully crafted and presented, you will also find Vogue Café Porto inside the hotel. It will give you the opportunity to step inside the Vogue world, a world of excitement, luxury and timeless elegance.

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# *Facing the Douro River*

## *Pestana Vintage*

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Category: 5 stars

Rooms: 103

On the waterfront of the legendary Douro, with fabulous views over the river and the historic Port wine houses on the other bank, the five star Pestana Vintage Porto Hotel has the most enchanting location in Porto. All the most important landmarks are within walking distance. Or you can take the historic tram to the mouth of the Douro, or even a cruise on the river, departing from the waterfront right in front of the hotel.

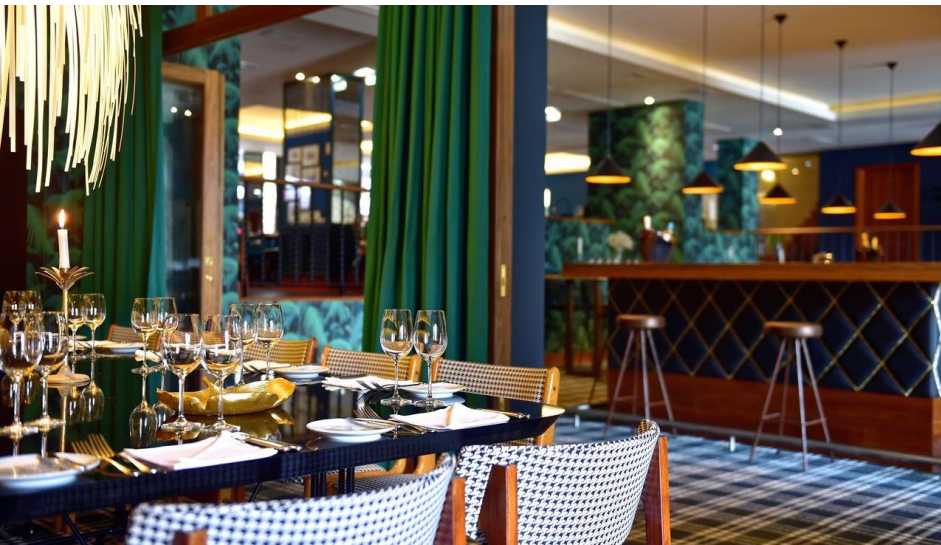
The hotel itself forms part of the more than 2000 year history of Porto, and has been completely rebuilt as luxurious and modern, offering all the comfort and facilities travellers could wish for.

This combination of location, history and comfort means that all visitors leave with special memories.

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# Perfect to Discover Porto

## Hotel Pestana Porto A Brasileira

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**Category:** 5 Stars

**Rooms:** 89

The newest 5 star hotel is located in downtown Porto, 4 minutes walking distance from the iconic Avenida dos Aliados and 12 minutes away from the Ribeira district.

Built in the famous Porto's A Brasileira Café, the first to serve coffee in a cup on the early 20th century, and recognized with the slogan "the best coffee comes from A Brasileira".

With 89 rooms and suites distributed across several floors, each being thematically tied one of the spices or products imported during the Portuguese maritime expansion on the 15th and 16th centuries. They are: ANISE, COFFEE, CINNAMON, TEA, CHOCOLATE and PINK PEPPER.

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# River Front

## Hotel Pestana Palácio do Freixo

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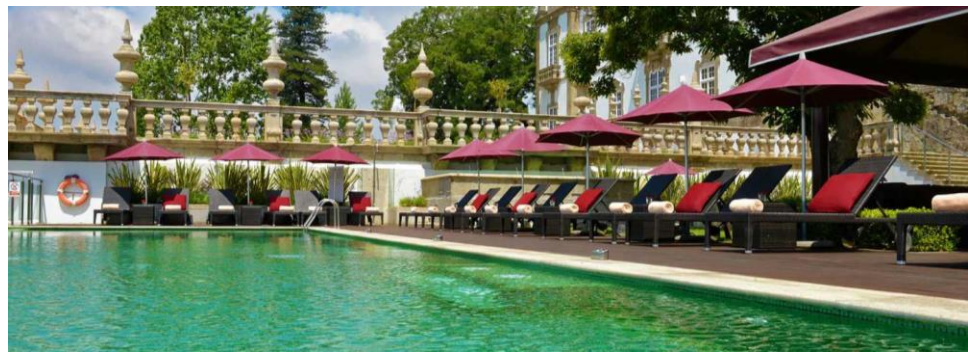
**Rooms:** 87

Located in the city of Porto, 3 km from the centre of one of Portugal's most vibrant regions, the Palácio do Freixo, classified in 1910 as a National Monument, is a unique example of Baroque architecture, with about 10 thousand m2 of gardens and green spaces offering breathtaking views of the River Douro.

The Pestana Palácio do Freixo is characterized by its sumptuous eighteenth-century architecture. It was built by Nicolau Nasoni, one of the most important architects that helped Porto become a World Heritage Site

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# By the river

Hotel Neya Porto

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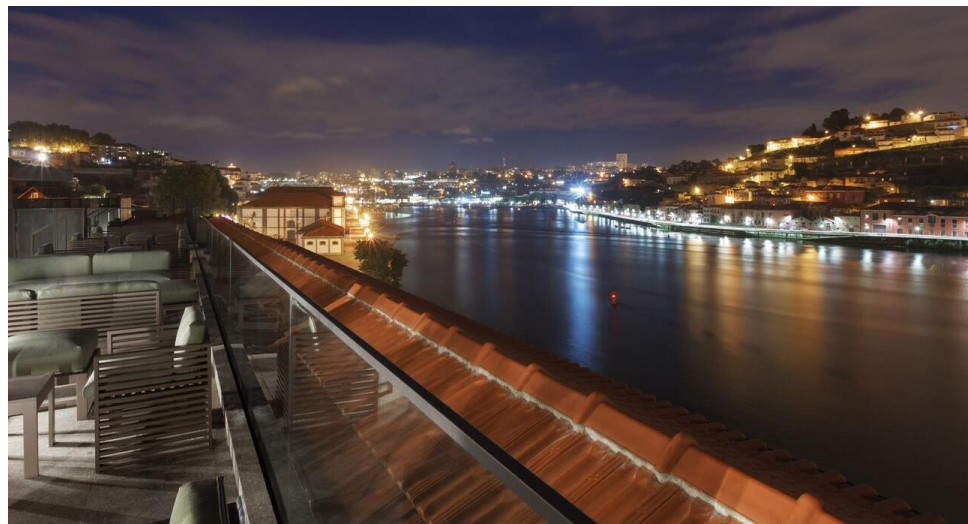
**Rooms:** 159

**Other:** Three equipped Meeting rooms

Recently opened, in April 2020, Neya Porto Hotel is a Superior 4-star hotel located on the riverside of Porto, with a sublime view over the Douro! On its rooftop, you will find the *Último* bar, one of the mandatory stopping points in the city.

Nested by the Douro River and offering unrivaled river-views, Viva Porto specializes in Portuguese fine dining. The unique setting provides the perfect ambience for guests to enjoy sophisticated meals curated by the Chef, using the freshest ingredients of the season.

Neya Porto has at your disposal several meeting venues adapt to different events.





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# Transportation & Tours

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We create an organized and comprehensive transportation plan that flows seamlessly with your event's activities, reflecting a considerable budget saving.

- Airport transfers
- Guests movements to/from venues
- Transportation for tours and activities
- Personalized VIP Services at disposal

*Including:*

- ✓ Greeter service (staff or driver)
- ✓ English speaking driver (van and sedan)
- ✓ Hostess or Official Guide assistance (coaches and minibus).

We work with the most professional and knowledgeable drivers and all vehicles are well maintained, up-to-date and exceptionally clean.

- buses | minibuses | minivans | sedans





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# Minhotas

*Private check-in at selected hotel*

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Why not start this unforgettable trip in Porto, by having contact with one of the most typical characters of the North of our country?

These typical costumes have been worn for a long time by the women of the Minho region, the 'Minhotas', and they represent a big part of our history.

What we suggest:

- Two "minhotas" at the lobby/private area welcoming the guests and accompanying the process of checking-in.



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# Taste the city like a local

## Op. 1 | At a traditional tram

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Discovering Porto in a fun and unique program that will take the group on a trip to the mythical city in different adventure environments: whether it is in electric, quiet, comfortable and ecological Tuk Tuk's and in a Tram with tastings included.

In this program, the idea is to pick-up the group at the Hotel, for a city tour, with a touch of adrenaline and excitement while visiting the famous city of Porto.

Passing through the narrow streets, telling the story of Oporto and their tales, their cultural life and their curiosities.

With different route possibilities, guests will be driven through the city, discovering places where buses can not go and tasting some of the best delicacies in Oporto.

Then embark on a wonderful trip through the riverside area, from the coast to the city centre on board of a traditional tram that is so typical of Porto!





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# Fun & Adventure

## Op. 2/ Graffiti & Craft beer by Tuk Tuk

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We suggest a visit to Porto, a city which the “Portuenses” (how we call the People from Porto) have the honour to call their city of Invicta (“never defeated”) due to the fact that it has never yielded in any battle throughout history.

The group will be divided into 13 eco tuk tuk’s (13 groups) and each team will have a tablet. While enjoying a panoramic tour through the historical centre of Porto passing through the narrow streets of the city and its cultural life, the teams will have several quizzes and challenges to compete.

One of them will be to paint a wall with graffiti sprays! The group will have the chance of choosing the type of graffiti, which message to spread to the whole world or simply to the company

Finally, they will be able to relax enjoying a craft beer experience of one of the best beer Made In Portugal. A delightful experience with unique recipes, curious flavours and high quality craft beer.

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# 6 Bridges Cruise

Op. 3 | PM Sunset Activity

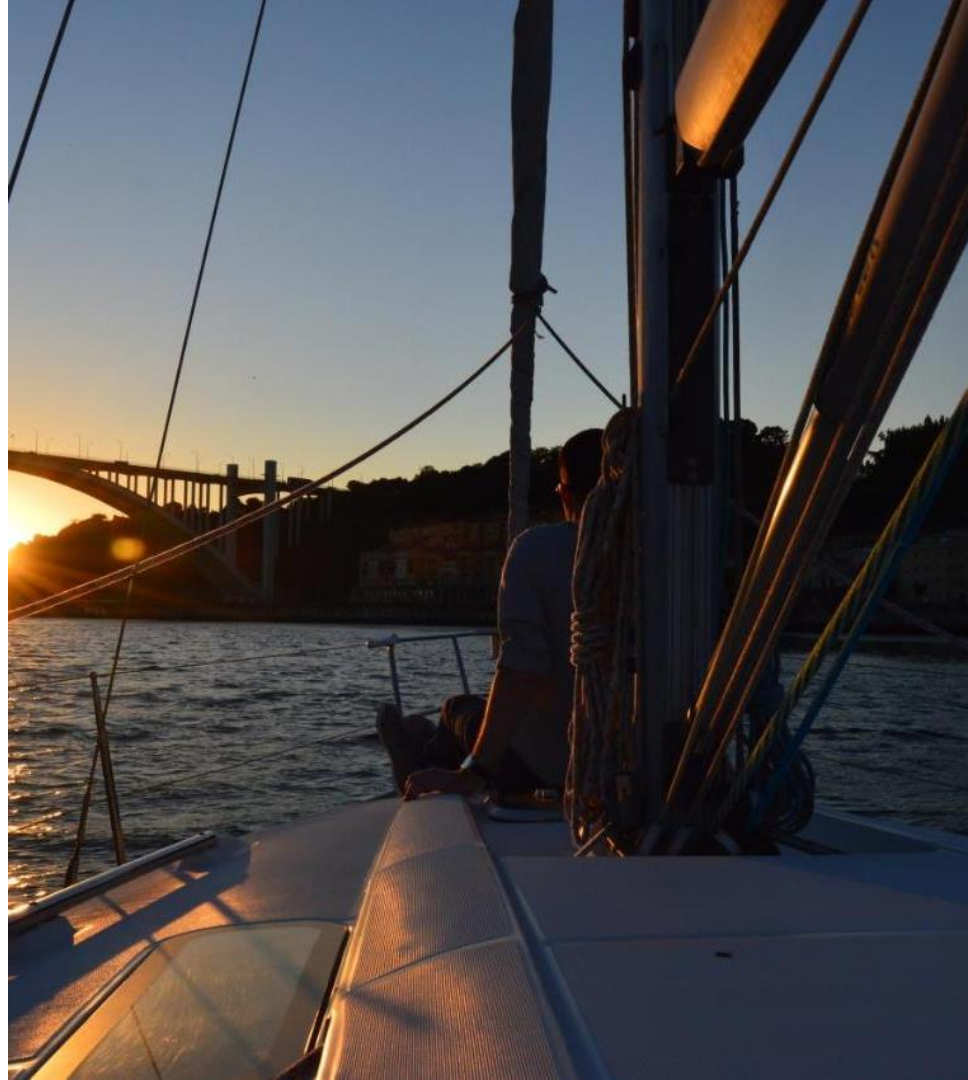
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Whoever passes by the banks of the Douro River in Porto or Vila Nova de Gaia, will certainly not be indifferent to the small wooden boats anchored on the banks.

The famous Rabelo boats appeal to tradition, to antiquity, to the bravery and courage of the Portuguese people.

The Rabelos Ships are History!

A 50 minute cruise is proposed along the Douro River passing through the 6 bridges that link Porto and Vila Nova de Gaia, while tasting the famous Port Wine.



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# Francesinha Experience

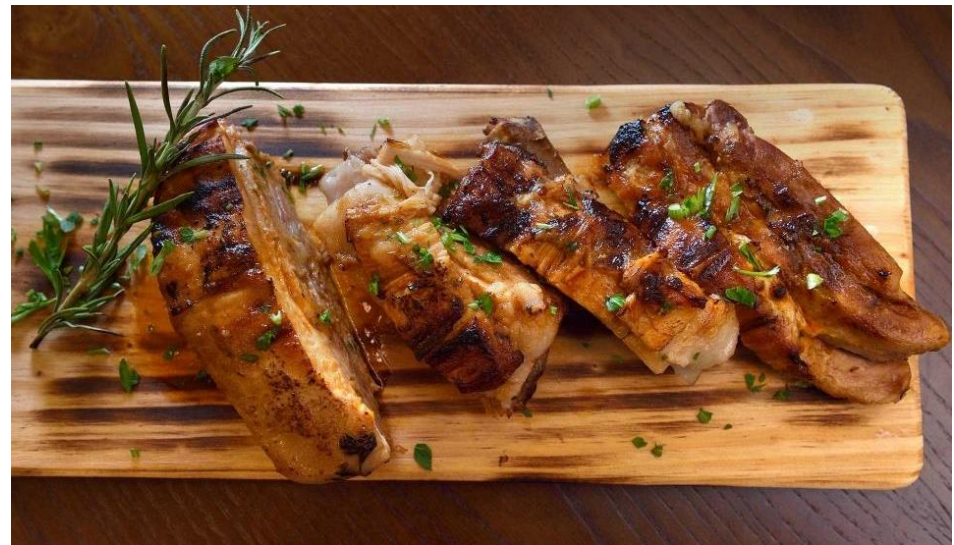
## Op. 1 / Dinner at Cervejaria Brasão

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Cervejaria Brasão was born to share with you a timeless experience, where the current times are combined with the know-how of other times.

A comfortable and uncomplicated place, where you can enjoy a wide and personalized offer of homemade beers, French fries, snacks and steaks and of course, Francesinha.







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# Let's Meat!

## Op. 2) Nogueira's Porto

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After the adventure and success of the restaurant in Lisbon, brothers Ivo and Henrique Nogueira are back home with Nogueira's Porto.

Combining gastronomy and entertainment, it presents the Fire Food concept based on an (apparently) simple formula but reinvented in an innovative and contemporary way: the fusion of the best meats, unique cocktails and a cool and cosmopolitan atmosphere.

For those who like to go out and relax in a space with character and a design with great taste, even bold here and there, where a meal becomes an experience that we want to repeat soon.

The recovery and use of a historic building in the center of the city gave life to a unique space that deserves special reference for its modern design, looking retro and sophisticated, not neglecting the relaxed and welcoming ambience.





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# Contemporary taste

## Op. 3 | Dinner at Casa da Música Restaurant

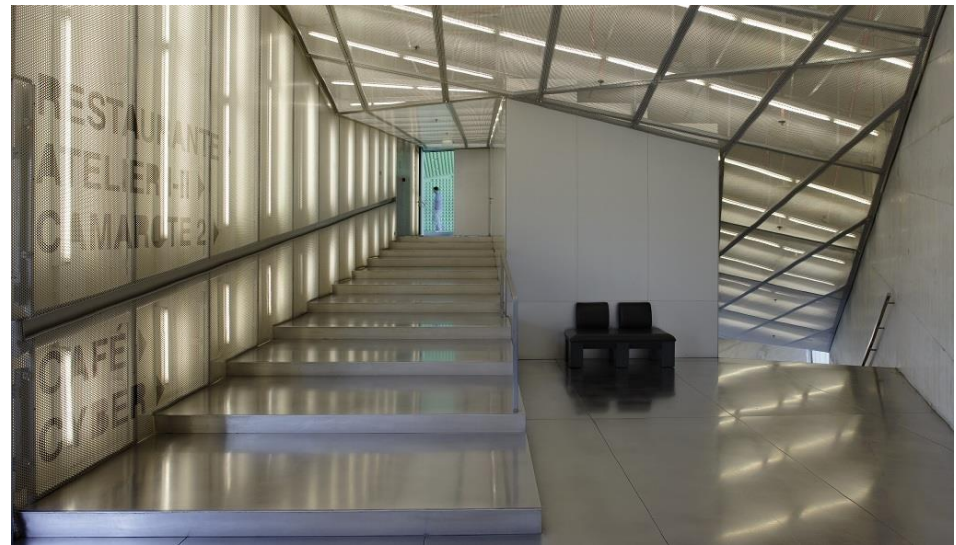
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Situated on the top of the building designed by Rem Koolhaas, with an unexpected terrace on the gardens of Boavista and an amazing view over the city of Porto, the Casa da Música Restaurant comprises different spaces and types of cuisine.

Chef Artur Gomes offers low cost author cuisine with its own style combining simplicity and elegance.

Offering international and contemporary cuisine with Portuguese roots, from his hands come dishes that are suggestive, original, and always elaborated with carefully selected products.





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# Incredible Douro Valley

*Full Day Visit*

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An amazing trip to the Douro Region, classified as World Heritage Site by Unesco, that can be enjoyed either by boat, train or motor coach.

Departing from Porto, guests will observe the landscape changes from a city and industrial atmospheres to the calm and relaxing green areas, contrasting with the blue colour of the Douro River. This region is known for its breath-taking views and landscapes characterized by slopes where the vine is grown, as well as for its delicious wines, being the most famous, the Port Wine.

Guests will be visiting wine producers' farms and taste the delicious local gastronomy, accompanied by its wines, always with the Douro panorama as scenario.

Return to Porto.

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# Traditions that remain

## *Quinta da Pacheca*

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Quinta da Pacheca, one of the best-known Douro properties, stands out for the fact that it was one of the first to bottle wines with its own brand.

One of the best-known units of 'tourism of charm' of Douro and has been the target of several international awards. With the vineyard and the wine as inspiration and environment, it is oriented to the gastronomic and oenological tourism, combining the modern and avant-garde image with sobriety and elegance.

We suggest a visit with wine tasting, lunch at the famous winery ending with a Port wine cocktail Workshop: I - Porto Tónico / I - São Silvestre / III- LBV-V







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# Wine Master

## Op.1) Dinner at Enoteca 1756

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With a vast selection of National and International wines, Enoteca 17•56 intends to unite the very best of contemporary, Mediterranean and fusion cuisine to the wine world.

As you walk in, you will find the Fromagerie Portuguesa, with a fine assortment of 59 domestic and international cheeses, which you can either enjoy in house or in the comfort of your own home.

Our fish & seafood, which emphasises on tradicional Portuguese cuisine, is meticulously chosen and prepared by our own Chef, while Reitoria's expertise provides gourmet Focaccias, Charcuterie and a specialized dry aged beef *steakhouse*. Finally, the Raw Bar brings you Japanese inspired *Raw* dishes by Ruy Leão from Shiko Tasca Japonesa.

This sophisticated and trendy spot also includes a lounge area, a cigar club for cigar *aficionados*, and still two private rooms and a panoramic terrace.





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# Breathtaking views

## Op. 2/Vinum Restaurant

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VINUM Restaurant & Wine Bar is the result of two families and two passions combining to create a unique experience.

The Symingtons are a British family with a Portuguese heart. They have been producing Port and Douro wines for more than 130 years.

When they decided to launch a bold new restaurant project, they looked for co-founders with similar values.

With SAGARDI, they have found the ideal creative partners who share their dedication to gastronomy and wine.

The SAGARDI group is from the Basque region and was founded more than 20 years ago by Iñaki Lz. De Viñaspre. Today they run a global network of 32 restaurants, an achievement which is only possible with discipline, excellence and quality cuisine

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Sala Interior



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# Exclusive Venue

*Op. 3 / Dinner at Feitoria Inglesa*

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Projected by John Whitehead in Palladian style and built between 1785 and 1790, to serve as a meeting place for English businessmen living in Porto.

The English Factory House belongs in our day to eight great houses / companies that produce and export Port Wine, and the Wednesday lunch is still a mark of tradition in the life of house.

The English Factory House is the last "association of English merchants", of so many that were created all over the world, that still exists.

It remains a living symbol of the continuity of the British presence in the city and in the port wine trade.

An important venue for the city and very special, which remains as a suggestion for the farewell dinner.

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# Douro Regatta

## Op. 1 | Morning Activity

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*Duration: around 4 hours*

Sailing Trials is the ideal option for those who want to experience the unique feeling of using only the wind to move the boat and live the adrenaline of moving on the water. Take the opportunity to participate in the manoeuvres of a sailing boat and enjoy the magnificent views of the riverside areas of Vila Nova de Gaia and Porto.

You will be insured and fully supported by certified and trained skippers for this activity. You just have to enjoy the most of this exclusive experience.

Please sit, relax and enjoy the ride!

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# River & Sea

*Op. 2) Bike Tour (up to 2 - 3 hours)*

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Ride through the best cycle routes of the city of Porto. You will stroll by the old neighbourhoods of the city like Ribeira, Miragaia, and Foz Velha, all protected by UNESCO whilst learning about the intimate connection between the city, the river and sea, and understanding their importance on the economic growth of the city.

For the perfect finish you will pass through two of the most beautiful city parks of Porto.

The route is mostly flat, so you can enjoy the ride through these beautiful sights without major effort.





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# *Wine Watercolours*

## *Op. 3) Wine Painting Workshop*

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This activity is called *Arte Vinho* (Wine Art) and that's exactly what the participants will be able to create. Mixing different techniques and Port Wines to create these wonderful paintings, with various pigments and colours, while tasting it! The guests will have this unique souvenir to take home.

The Artist brings some drawings with the themes of Douro Valley and Porto, already printed on watercolour paper - option for those who do not wish to draw and just paint a drawing.



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*Hope to see you soon!*

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After check out at the hotel, transfer to the Porto Airport, with the assistance from our staff.

We wish you a safe flight back home!



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## Our essence

Abreu, is a Destination Management & Events Company, part of the Abreu Travel Group, operating in Portugal and Spain. The company is sustained on regional teams of highly trained and dynamic multilingual professionals, managed by an experienced leading team, and whose mission is to provide creative and innovative solutions, and excellence on destination management services, adding value to the client and to the destinations where actively operate.

## Eco-Green Planet

Abreu truly believes and incentivizes a social responsibility towards local communities, associations or organizations that require, beyond any governmental aid, additional support or financial stability. We have an extensive history of developing actions in order to give back to communities through the efforts of our employee's and clients.

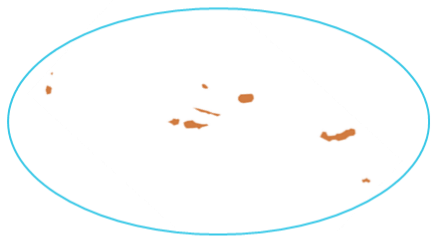
It's with great pleasure that we invite you and your company to join us in this great cause, as well as seeking out for communities that need our help. Join us, an extra pair of hands is always helpful!

Abreu defends the philosophy that a greener planet is better for the environment, communities and everyone around us. It's in our best interest to suggest "green activities" and "green proposals" for your event among us. We always bear in mind the use of recyclable items, bio disposable products, nature orientated activities, and ideas on how to reduce water and CO2 emissions. Please let us know if you want us to provide alternative and "greener" options for your next event with us.

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# Abreu Events Operations

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