
ABOUT PUERTO RICO

The Island's natural attractions pack a powerful punch with a majestic rain forest; three magical bioluminescent bays and an amazing ancient underground cave system, just to name a few. It is considered the culinary capital of the Caribbean for its incredible array of world-class restaurants and chefs. It's a haven for shoppers with a fabulous selection of shopping venues. Its nightlife sizzles with excitement. Puerto Rico's centuries-old capital city, is designated among the World Heritage sites, and a visit to its picturesque cobblestone streets is an unforgettable experience.

Compared to Continental US Locations

The room nights and registration fees will be reduced compared to recent EBMA meetings. While there may be fewer selection of direct option flights, the overall cost of attending the meeting is less than EBMA members have had in the past few years.

Customs and Documents

Puerto Rico is a U.S. Commonwealth therefore, passports are not necessary for U.S. citizens to travel between Puerto Rico and the U.S. Foreign nationals should have valid passports and visas as required. Travelers flying from Puerto Rico to the U.S. are subject to check-in baggage inspection by the U.S. Department of Agriculture at the airport because they prohibit taking certain fruits and plants into the U.S. For more information call (787) 253-4505 or U.S. Customs at (787) 253-4533.

The Weather

The average year-round temperature is a balmy 82° F (28° C), with mild easterly trade winds. Most days are sunny and beautiful, although there tends to be a bit more rain between August and October.

The Hotel

Rio Mar Beach Resort, A Wyndham Grand Beach Resort - This magnificent 500-acre beachfront resort has 600 guest rooms (72 are suites). Two world-class golf courses, a 13-court tennis complex, spa and fitness center, 12 superlative restaurants, lounges and entertainment venues, endless water sports choices, full-service casino, 48,000-sq.-ft. oceanfront conference center, 24 meeting rooms, 20,913-sq.-ft. Rio Mar Ballroom, plus a 6,485-sq. ft. ballroom.

Things to do in Puerto Rico

Are you ready to have fun in Puerto Rico?

Dragonfly Adventures offer the tours in the island including El Yunque Rainforest, Biking, Horseback Riding, ATV Four Track, Bacardi Tour, Camuy Caverns, Acuatic Bird Watching, Old San Juan, Culebra and more. For tour information, visit www.dragonflyadventurespr.com.

Websites

Puerto Rico Convention and Visitor's Bureau: www.meetpuertorico.com

Wyndham Rio Mar Beach Resort: www.wyndhamriomar.com