

WELCOME TO THE **PORTO** INSIDER COLLECTION

Truly memorable meetings and events with authentic local flavour – that is the inspiration behind the InterContinental Insider Collection.

Our network of hotels and resorts is global; our knowledge and expertise local, giving planners guaranteed choice, range and depth to add to any meeting or conference. Each hotel offers its own bespoke selection of services which are firmly rooted in their location and are responsibly guided by our partnership with National Geographic's Center for Sustainable Destinations.

The options are limitless, the local knowledge rich, the service professional and faultless, the delegate experience enriching and rewarding every time.

Sample for yourself some of our wonderful Porto experiences.

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INSIDER LOCATIONS

Choose an InterContinental venue for your event and a world of possibilities opens up. As locals, your hotel team hold the key to a side of your locality tourists never see. What and who they know gives you an exclusive mix of authentic venues and experiences to play with.

INSIDER SPEAKERS

Bring your event to life with an inspirational speaker – someone who can really strike a chord with your delegates and enrich their experience beyond measure. Fascinating and engaging, motivating Insider Speakers range from celebrities and cultural experts to sporting heroes. Whatever their passion, they all have a local connection and you will discover that their unique insights and local know-how make your event one to remember.

INSIDER COMMUNITY

There's nothing quite like immersing yourself in the community to gain an added depth and understanding to your experience in a new destination. Insider Community has been designed to benefit local people and create truly memorable and meaningful experiences for your delegates too.

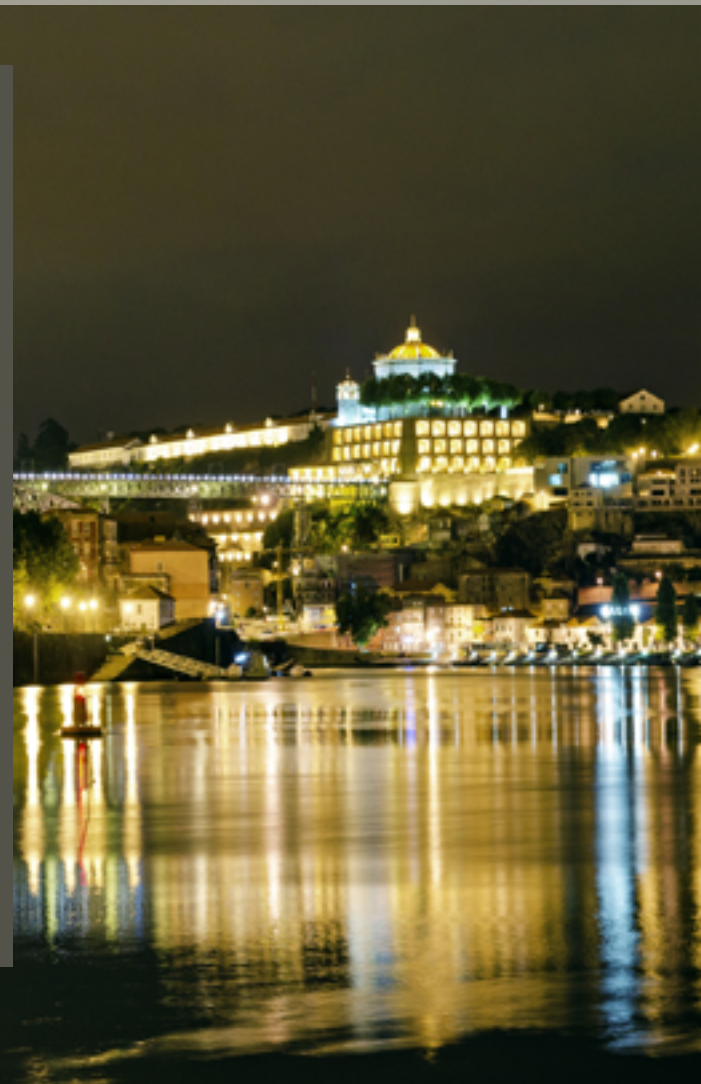
INSIDER INTERACTIONS

This team-building experience will help your delegates connect with each other as never before. Using the unique character, heritage or geography of your destination to inspire interaction, each experience, whether based on or off-site offers an original way to engage delegates and motivate them to build effective working relationships.

INSIDER BREAKS

With Insider Collection even your breaks are fulfilling experiences. From serving up a delicious lunch of provincial dishes for a taste of regional cuisine to spending some quality time with your Concierge team to get their best insider tips, a few minutes out of your busy schedule becomes a whole experience in itself.

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ENRICHING EXPERIENCES FOR OUR GUESTS AND OUR ENVIRONMENT

We believe that a responsible meeting is not only what you experience in the meeting room but also knowing that your hotel respects the destination around it.

We're proud to partner leaders in geotourism, the National Geographic Center for Sustainable Destinations. Our ambition is that guests enjoy enriching experiences that reveal what makes a place truly special – its heritage, culture and tradition – and the importance of protecting it.

At InterContinental we use a holistic approach to being a responsible business: to work from the grass roots up, recognising each individual hotel team as the experts best placed to use their local knowledge for developing community and environmental initiatives that meet the specific needs of the destination. This Insider Collection gives delegates access to some of these unique experiences, and for those meetings that stay in the meeting room, you can be assured our hotel is working behind the scenes to protect what is special about the place for fellow travellers.

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YOUR MEETING AT THE ESTÁDIO DO DRAGÃO

There is a place where the success of your meeting or event is guaranteed.

With many different meeting rooms and catering options, the Estádio do Dragão, is a perfect combination of innovation, exclusivity, expertise, flexibility and imagination, which makes it the perfect destination for any celebration. Experience how it feels to be a true champion and take your delegates on a visit through the stadium and its trophy room.

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YOUR MEETING OVERLOOKING THE DOURO RIVER

The Alfândega is one of the largest convention centres in the country. It is the ideal venue for corporate events, scientific, cultural and commercial.

Its privileged location on the shores of the Douro River and the unique architecture of its buildings will allow your delegates to enjoy some of the best views in town while having a coffee or a fresh cocktail during your event.

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PORTUGUESE WINES BY TOMÁS ROQUETTE

Discover the different tastes and smells within a good bottle of Portuguese wine with our Wine Expert. During the presentation, delegates will learn about the history of Portuguese wine making and have an opportunity to sample the Port Wine Expert's selection of fine wines.

Delegates will come away with deeper appreciation for Portuguese wines. A must for everyone coming to Porto house of the famous Porto Wine.

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PORTUGUESE WINE TASTING

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DISCOVER ALL THE SECRETS BEHIND PORTO'S WORLD HERITAGE CITY CENTRE

Indulge in this unique opportunity to gain a better understanding on why Porto's city centre was considered a World Heritage site by UNESCO in 1996. Get your delegates involved in a debate with one of our Experts in Heritage and Conservation sites and share your thoughts and opinions on how we can better preserve these historical locations.

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PORTO'S CITY CENTRE

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URBAN REGENERATION FREE OF COST

We invite delegates to come and help bring Porto's city centre to life again.

Arrebita!Porto gives your delegates a unique opportunity to take part in the action that makes Porto such a rich and buzzing place to be.

By indulging in this experience, participants will have a privileged contact with the local reality by taking part in a unique tour throughout its city centre.

Also, delegates will have the chance to help our local Arrebita! team bring an old house to life again by taking part in its renovation.

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SAILING DOWN THE DOURO RIVER

Sailing is a sport where working as a team is a fundamental requirement, it is the only boating activity which encourages the development of a range of individual skills – effectiveness in teamwork, leadership, motivation and fast judgment all at the same time.

People will use specialised knowledge in the area of team building to make the relationship between sea and business an active and dynamic experience during the presentation and summary of sessions at sea.

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TEAM BUILDING CLASS WHILE SAILING
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VISIT TO THE DOURO VALLEY

Come and discover one of our world renowned Port Wine producing companies.

Our experts will share all their knowledge with your delegates and they will teach them all the necessary skills to become an expert in the Port Wine making process, at the end of the visit delegates will also be invited to a Port Wine degustation where they will be tested by undergoing an expertise quiz!

Participants will also have also the chance to choose from two different ways to get to the Douro Valley, by boat or by a coal-powered train.

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AUTHENTIC PORTUGUESE PASTRIES COFFEE BREAK

Delight yourself with some delicious Portuguese treats, traditionally made using hundred year old recipes.

These delightful assortments will be served with:

- A Port Wine and ginger-ale cocktail
- A selection of coffee and teas
- Freshly squeezed orange juice
- Fruit kebabs

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FOZ LOW CALORIE COFFEE BREAK

For an authentic taste of Portugal, this break is sure to inspire.

Our low calorie break includes:

- Freshly squeezed fruit juices
- A low calorie yogurt selection
- Energy bars
- Fruit kebabs
- Mini sandwiches

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THANK YOU

Contact us to learn more about the Porto Insider Collection and how we can help you create a truly memorable experience with authentic local flavour.

Whichever Insider Collection experience is right for you, you can be assured that it reflects the best principles of Responsible Business, a commitment demonstrated by our partnership with the National Geographic Center for Sustainable Destinations.

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