



Buenos Aires City Travel Brochure

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Palace of Congress

To start with the trip we're going to the Palace of Congress, located on Congress Square. It was built between 1898 and 1906. The palace is largely made of white marble and is very well decorated and furnished on the inside. On the center of its roof, it has a very big dome that's 80 metres high and weighs 3,000 tonnes. It offers guided visits in which you can see the inside of the Chambers of Deputies and Senate.

This is the Monumental Stadium, home to the River Plate football team and the Argentina national football team. The stadium is located in the Belgrano district. It was built between 1936 and 1938 on reclaimed land from the coast of Río de la Plata and was named after the former club president Antonio Vespucio Liberti. It's the largest stadium in all of South America with space for around 86,000 people. It offers guided visits in which you can see the inside of the field, the club's museum and the players' locker.

Monumental Stadium



La Bombonera

This is La Bombonera, home of the Boca Juniors football team. It's widely known by that name, which is Spanish for "The Chocolate Box", due to its similar shape, which was caused by the managers not being able to buy the surrounding homes when it was being built. It's located in La Boca, and was built between 1938 and 1940. It has space for around 57,000 people. It offers guided visits in which you can see the club's museum and the inside of the field.



Temaikèn

This is Temaikèn, a zoo located in the Belén de Escobar district. It's divided into four areas: Native, which shows animals and plants from Argentina, Africa and Asia, which show animals and plants from each continent, and Aquarium, which shows marine animals, wallabies and kangaroos. You can explore the place freely with a ticket, with the option to assist to scheduled talks about many things regarding the zoo's animals and plants.

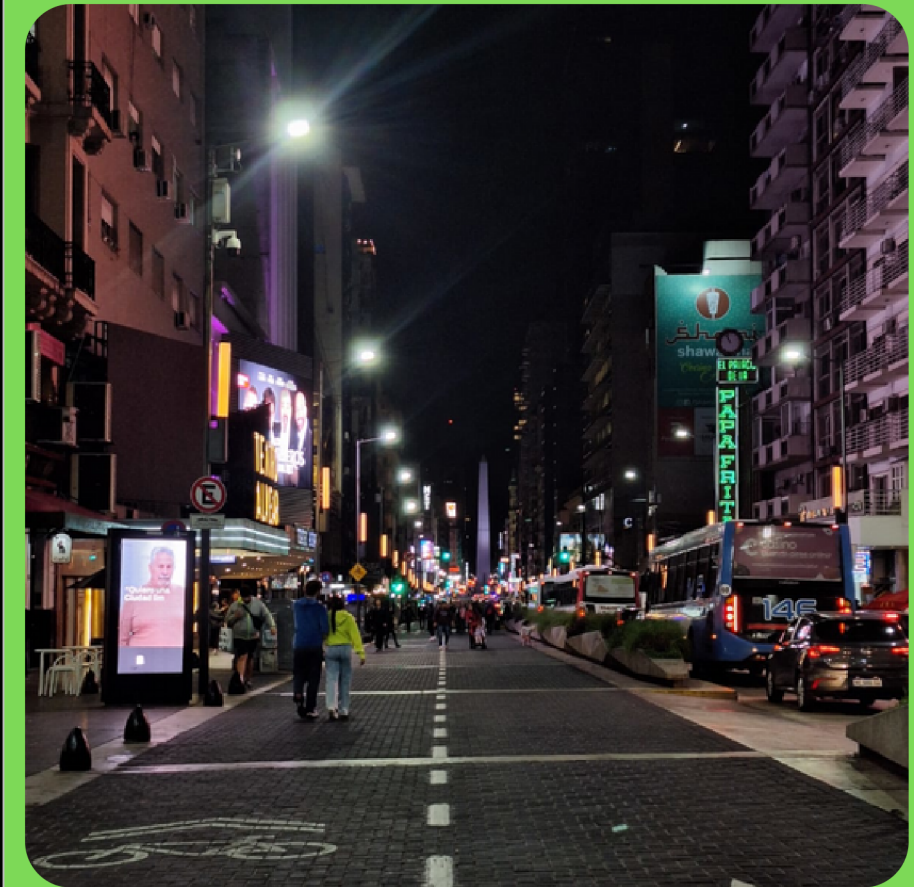
La Serenísima is an Argentinian dairy company. Its headquarters are located in the city of General Rodríguez, about one hour away of the city of Buenos Aires. It was founded on 1929 by Antonino Mastellone. It offers guided visits in which you can see the whole production process of the many products it makes.

La Serenísima



Columbus Theatre

This is the Columbus Theatre. It's an opera house considered one of the ten best in the world by National Geographic. Its auditorium is horseshoe-shaped, has space for around 3,500 people and has the best acoustic for opera and the second best for concerts in the world. It was built between 1889 and 1908 and has been renovated many times since. The stage is 20 metres wide, 15 metres high and 20 metres deep. It offers guided visits in which you can see the auditorium and hear more about the theatre's history. You can also watch a play, an opera or a concert.



The Streets...

As you cruise the streets between destinations, you may notice the striking architecture of the city, similar to that of Europe's most important capital cities. That's because the layout and buildings of the city are heavily inspired on Europe's, (and specially Paris') architecture. Don't be fooled by the beauty, though! Buenos Aires is no European city in terms of safety, so put your belongings in your bag and wear it in front of you, not behind. Pickpockets and muggings are very common in Buenos Aires, so be very careful!