

# Québec

Where business meets *joie de vivre*



MEETINGS, CONVENTIONS AND INCENTIVE TRAVEL

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## UNIQUELY INSPIRING

A land of captivating contrasts, Québec is uniquely inspiring. From its seductive European charm to its exhilarating North American drive. From its grandeur to its simplicity. Friendly and safe urban centers to its vast and breathtaking vistas. Here a smiling *bonjour* is followed by a friendly hello. Adrenaline-pumping action by rejuvenating relaxation. Sophisticated dining and entertainment by Québec's distinctive *joie de vivre*.

Oases of leisure and recreation stretch out alongside bustling cities. Centuries-old cobblestone streets lead to chic spas and the newest lavastone pampering. Upscale executive retreats give way to exclusive mountainside resorts where culinary masters dream up delicious memories. Dogsledders explore untamed forests, while snowmobilers lope beside one of the world's most majestic rivers.



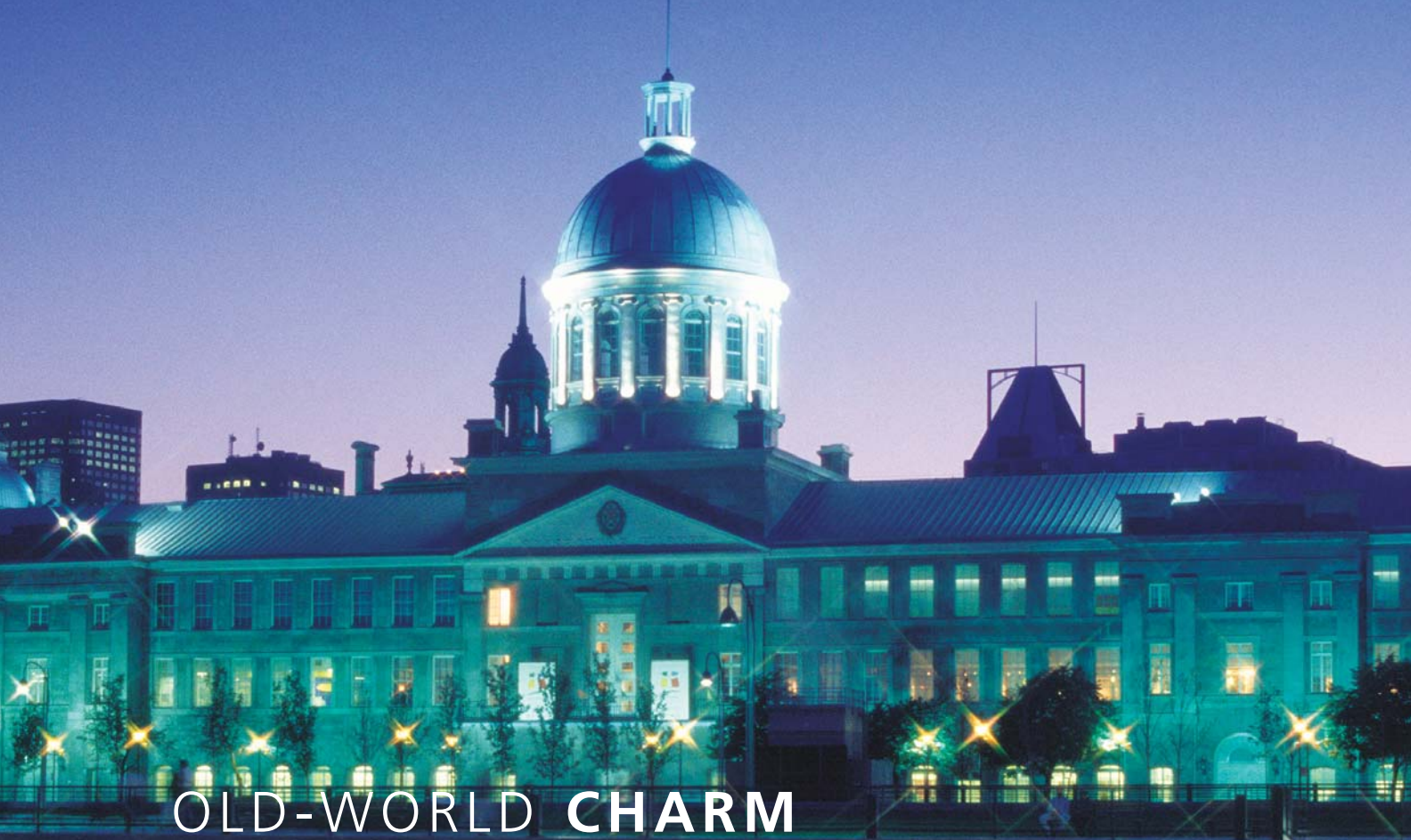


## INTENSELY REWARDING



It's an enchanting world of luxury log cabins and fairy-tale chateaus, the surprising warmth of an ice hotel and the refreshing taste of Québec's famous ice cider. World-class championship golfing clears the mind, while whale-watching and sea-kayaking on the spectacular Gulf of St. Lawrence makes hearts soar.

Born of nature and culture, Québec beckons with its wide-ranging and enticing incentive possibilities. Showering you with its legendary welcome, bathing you in its irresistible sense of adventure and fun, Québec keeps its promises. Bold and sassy. Passionate and sophisticated. Outdoorsy yet cultured. Simply unforgettable. Always intensely rewarding!

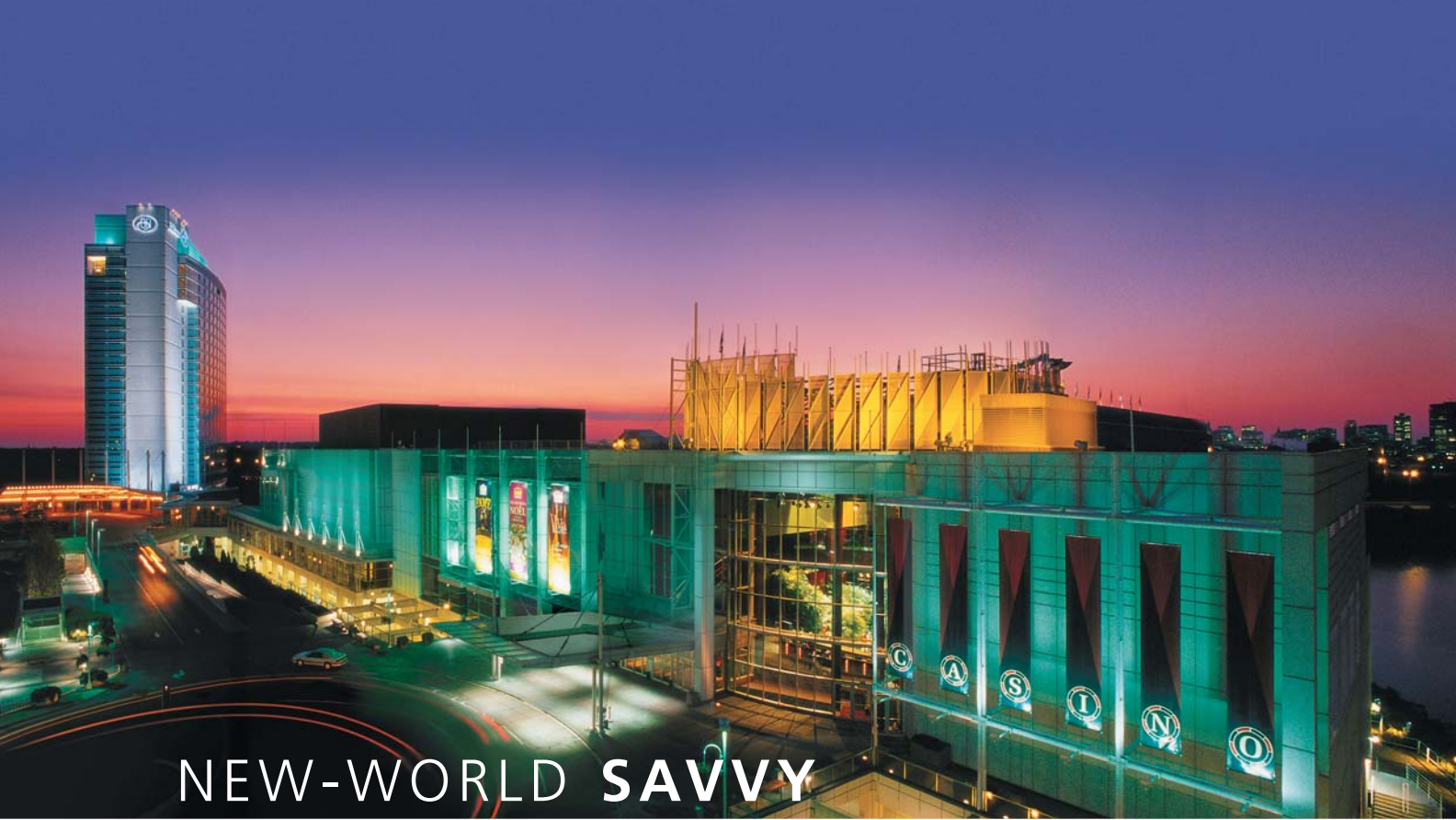


## OLD-WORLD CHARM

From its power spots to its hotspots, Québec mixes first-class business and world-class pleasure like no other place. Stylish and welcoming, effervescent and animated, highly efficient and accessible, by day or night, Québec ranks among the new generation of meeting destinations.

Rooted in European elegance and fuelled by North American know-how, Québec is much more than the sum of its parts. Historic buildings abut on modern skyscrapers, urban jewels crown natural treasures, cities are open, progressive and bursting with things to see and do. Montréal exhilarates, Québec City seduces and Gatineau delights, all vibrant and culturally refined, while stunning Mont-Tremblant with its fabulous four-season resort offers the perfect balance between work and play.





## NEW-WORLD SAVVY



Everywhere state-of-the-art convention facilities and hotels greet you with a smile and impeccable service, their tables laden with gastronomic delights. A whirlwind of festivals, celebrating everything from dance to song, jazz to comedy, film to fireworks, collide with an exuberant nightlife. Hot-air ballooning and whitewater rafting, haute-couture shopping and luxury cruising ensure hearts pound and laughter abounds.

From business hours to after hours, Québec is an experienced and gracious host, leaving no detail unattended, every expectation fulfilled, each participant enchanted. Unbeatable, uncommon and unblushing, Québec loves to cater to your every need, big or small, every step of the way!

# HIGHLY ACCOMMODATING

## Major Convention Centers

Québec rolls out the red carpet, welcoming conventioners and exhibitors in ultra-modern meeting and trade show facilities by day, treating them to first-rate accommodations by night. Visit [www.bonjourquebec.com/meetings](http://www.bonjourquebec.com/meetings) for links to more information on meeting spaces and activities in each location, or [www.bonjourquebec.com/contacts](http://www.bonjourquebec.com/contacts) to get in touch with a representative of the Ministère du Tourisme du Québec.

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|  <p>PALAIS DES CONGRÈS DE MONTRÉAL</p>   | <p><b>QUICK FACTS</b></p> <p>Meeting Rooms<br/>Up to 65</p> <p>Total Exhibit Area<br/>198,820 sq. ft. (18,470 m<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>Largest Room: Theater<br/>12,143 persons</p> <p>Largest Room: Banquet<br/>6,820 persons</p> | <p><b>ACCOMMODATIONS</b></p> <p>Total Hotel Rooms<br/>Over 25,000</p> <p>Prestigious Hotel Rooms<br/>Near the Convention Center<br/>6,775</p> <p>Hotel Rooms Linked<br/>to the Convention Center<br/>1,616</p> | <p><b>AVERAGE TEMPERATURE</b></p> <p>In April<br/>1°C/11°C (34°F/52°F)</p> <p>In July<br/>15°C/26°C (59°F/79°F)</p> <p>In October<br/>4°C/13°C (39°F/55°F)</p> <p>In January<br/>-14°C/-5°C (7°F/23°F)</p> |
|  <p>QUÉBEC CITY CONVENTION CENTER</p>   | <p><b>QUICK FACTS</b></p> <p>Meeting Rooms<br/>Up to 33</p> <p>Total Exhibit Area<br/>100,000 sq. ft. (9,270 m<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>Largest Room: Theater<br/>7,500 persons</p> <p>Largest Room: Banquet<br/>4,780 persons</p>   | <p><b>ACCOMMODATIONS</b></p> <p>Total Hotel Rooms<br/>Over 12,000</p> <p>Prestigious Hotel Rooms<br/>Near the Convention Center<br/>3,284</p> <p>Hotel Rooms Linked<br/>to the Convention Center<br/>948</p>   | <p><b>AVERAGE TEMPERATURE</b></p> <p>In April<br/>-1°C/8°C (30°F/46°F)</p> <p>In July<br/>13°C/25°C (55°F/77°F)</p> <p>In October<br/>2°C/11°C (36°F/52°F)</p> <p>In January<br/>-16°C/-7°C (3°F/19°F)</p> |
|  <p>PALAIS DES CONGRÈS DE GATINEAU</p> | <p><b>QUICK FACTS</b></p> <p>Meeting Rooms<br/>Up to 13</p> <p>Total Exhibit Area<br/>26,668 sq. ft. (2,478 m<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>Largest Room: Theater<br/>3,000 persons</p> <p>Largest Room: Banquet<br/>2,000 persons</p>    | <p><b>ACCOMMODATIONS</b></p> <p>Total Hotel Rooms<br/>Over 2,200</p> <p>Prestigious Hotel Rooms<br/>Near the Convention Center<br/>684</p> <p>Hotel Rooms Linked<br/>to the Convention Center<br/>201</p>      | <p><b>AVERAGE TEMPERATURE</b></p> <p>In April<br/>0°C/11°C (32°F/52°F)</p> <p>In July<br/>15°C/26°C (59°F/79°F)</p> <p>In October<br/>3°C/13°C (37°F/55°F)</p> <p>In January<br/>-15°C/-5°C (5°F/23°F)</p> |
|  <p>CENTRE DES CONGRÈS TREMBLANT</p>   | <p><b>QUICK FACTS</b></p> <p>Meeting Rooms<br/>12</p> <p>Total Exhibit Area<br/>10,500 sq. ft. (975 m<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>Largest Room: Theater<br/>518 persons</p> <p>Largest Room: Banquet<br/>400 persons</p>                | <p><b>ACCOMMODATIONS</b></p> <p>Total Hotel Rooms<br/>Over 3,700</p> <p>Prestigious Hotel Rooms<br/>Near the Convention Center<br/>1,458</p> <p>Hotel Rooms Linked<br/>to the Convention Center<br/>222</p>    | <p><b>AVERAGE TEMPERATURE</b></p> <p>In April<br/>-2°C/8°C (28°F/46°F)</p> <p>In July<br/>11°C/24°C (52°F/75°F)</p> <p>In October<br/>1°C/10°C (34°F/50°F)</p> <p>In January<br/>-18°C/-7°C (0°F/19°F)</p> |

# INFINITELY ACCESSIBLE

## International and Canadian Connections

Nearly 50 airlines serve the international airports in Montréal (YUL), Québec City (YQB), Mont-Tremblant (YFJ) and Ottawa (YOW), which is next door to Gatineau. Québec is also linked to the rest of Canada and to the United States by rail and bus.

| From          | To Montréal Airport |
|---------------|---------------------|
| Chicago       | 2 hours 25 minutes  |
| Frankfurt     | 8 hours             |
| Los Angeles   | 5 hours 10 minutes  |
| London        | 7 hours 15 minutes  |
| Mexico City   | 5 hours             |
| New York City | 1 hour 30 minutes   |
| Paris         | 7 hours 40 minutes  |
| Toronto       | 1 hour 10 minutes   |
| Tokyo         | 15 hours *          |
| Vancouver     | 4 hours 30 minutes  |
| Washington    | 1 hour 40 minutes   |



All flight times are based on direct flights to Montréal.

\* With 90-minute stopover in Toronto.

## Getting Around in Québec

A vast network of regional airports links all parts of Québec. Montréal to Québec City or to Gatineau is only a 45-minute flight. You can also travel by train or charter a rail car with Via Rail. Buses take you directly from Montreal-Trudeau International Airport to Mont-Tremblant in 90 minutes.



## From Here to There in Québec

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|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
|                |                |                | La Malbaie     |
|                |                | Québec City    | 142 km/88 mi.  |
|                | Montréal       | 253 km/157 mi. | 395 km/245 mi. |
| Mont-Tremblant | 141 km/88 mi.  | 394 km/245 mi. | 536 km/333 mi. |
| Gatineau       | 160 km/100 mi. | 207 km/129 mi. | 460 km/285 mi. |
|                |                | 460 km/285 mi. | 602 km/374 mi. |



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Providing emotions since 1534

With its enticing blend of world-class hospitality and leading-edge technology, wide-open spaces and vibrant historic cities, unrivalled entertainment and unforgettable adventure, Québec inspires heartfelt emotions that are always a treasure to explore.

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