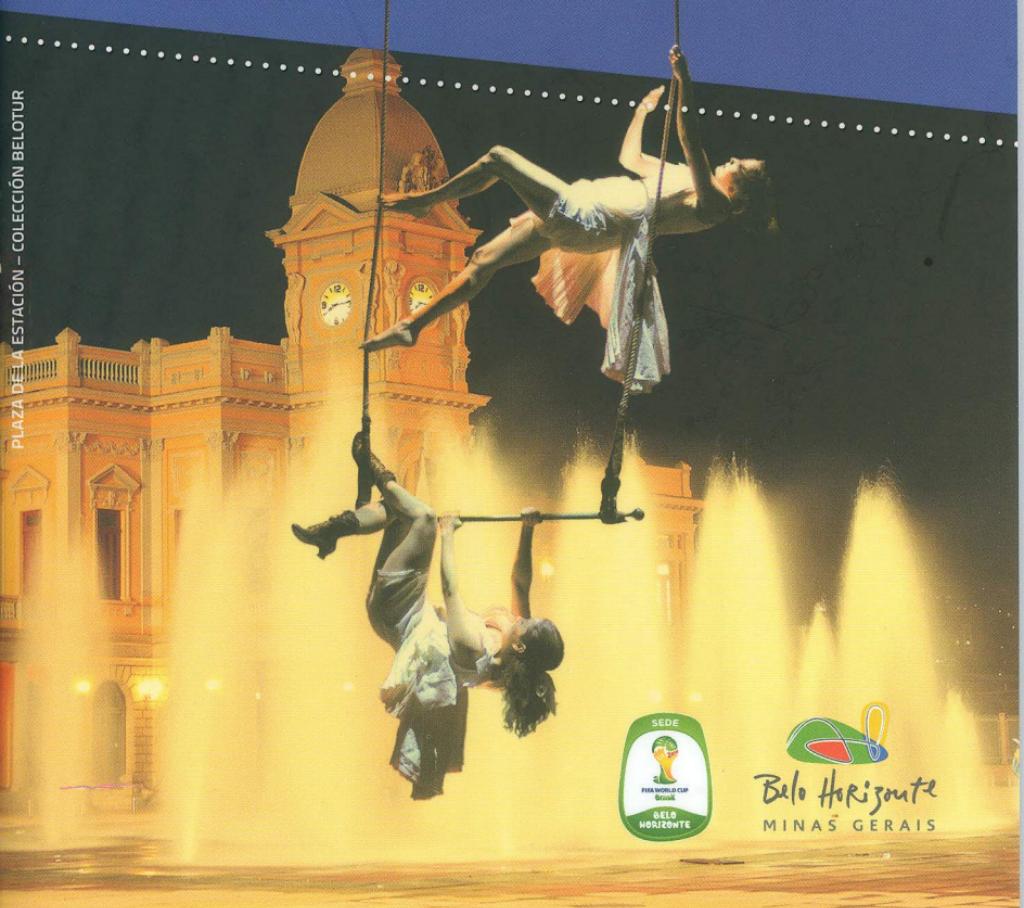
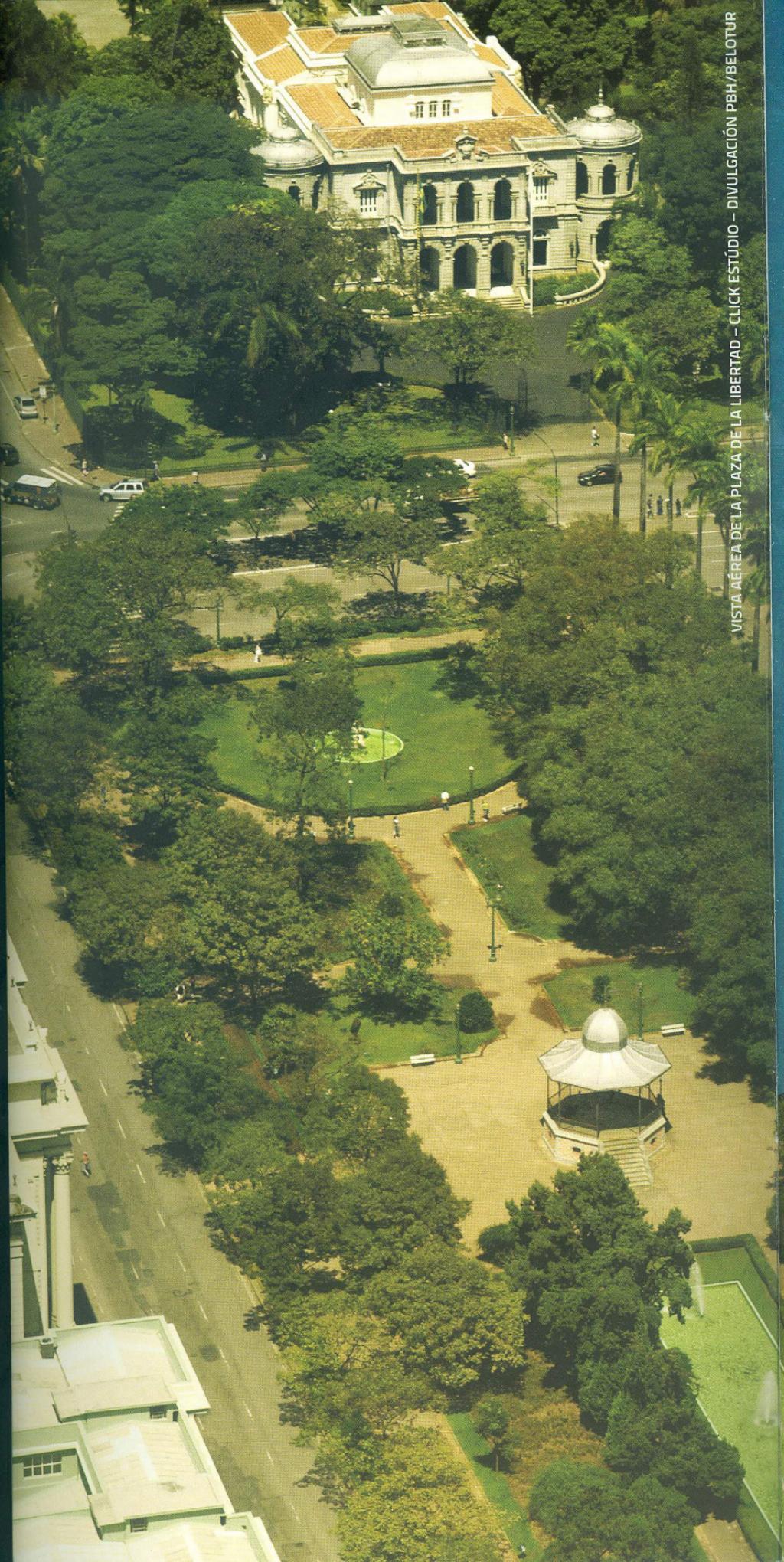




BELO HORIZONTE



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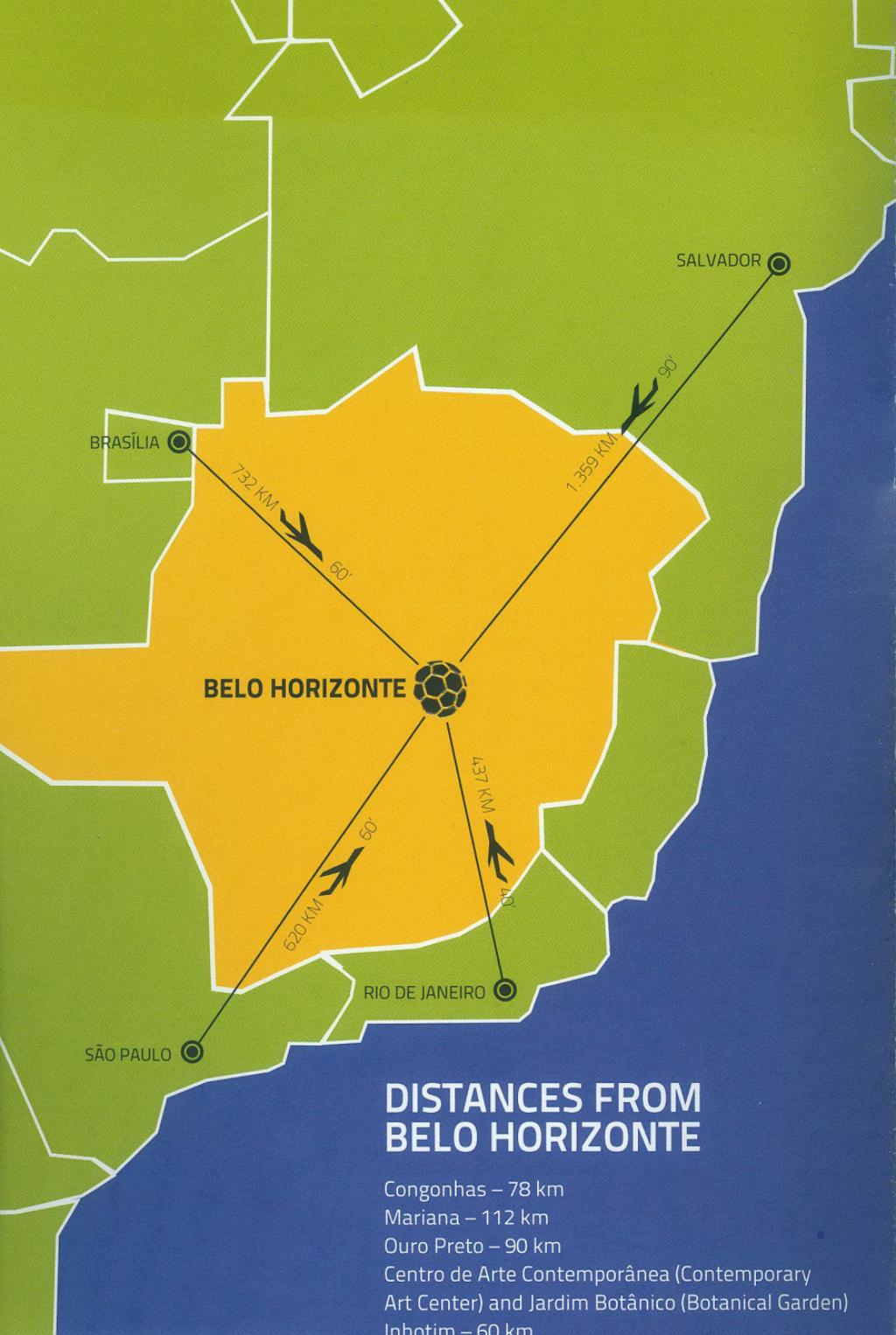
Belo Horizonte, the capital of Minas Gerais, is a city that transits between tradition and modernity offering residents and visitors a complete urban infrastructure. Its lush greenery and pleasant climate make the perfect setting for those intent on discovering the charms of this metropolis.

The synthesis of Minas Gerais, today Belo Horizonte is a pulsating, effervescent city fully prepared for the transformations that modern society demands. A creative economy and intellectual capital of the people hold its principal marketing differential. It is an innovating city sophisticated in the provision and quality of services, and it has a great variety of attractions, leisure and entertainment options.

Belo Horizonte also hosts the most diverse internationally recognized cultural and artistic festivals, such as the Festival de Teatro (Theater Festival) and Fórum de Dança (Dance Forum). Another highlight is its craftwork. The originality of these works can be seen in the various fairs located around the city.

The proximity of Ouro Preto and Congonhas, World Cultural Heritage sites, the landscape of Serra do Curral and the hospitality of Belo Horizonte's residents make this charming capital of Minas Gerais the ideal place to visit and live. These are some of the reasons why Belo Horizonte was chosen as one of the host cities for the 2014 FIFA World Cup and 2013 Confederations Cup.





DISTANCES FROM BELO HORIZONTE

- Congonhas – 78 km
- Mariana – 112 km
- Ouro Preto – 90 km
- Centro de Arte Contemporânea (Contemporary Art Center) and Jardim Botânico (Botanical Garden)
- Inhotim – 60 km
- Parque Nacional da Serra do Cipó (National Park) – 100 km
- Parque Estadual do Sumidouro (State Park) – 50 Km
- Gruta da Lapinha (Cave) – 50 Km
- Gruta de Maquiné (Cave) – 127 km
- Gruta Rei do Mato (Cave) – 62 km

Belo Horizonte is situated in a strategic location within Brazil. It is close to the large urban centers and provides easy access to all regions of the country, being considered an important hub of the Brazilian air network.

Cities	Airlines companies	Flight time
Miami	American Airlines	8h
Miami	TAM	8h
Lisboa	TAP	9h
Panamá	Copa Airlines	6h
Buenos Aires	Aerolíneas Argentinas	3h40

BASIC INFORMATION

- Capital of Minas Gerais State
- Foundation: 12/12/1897
- Population: 2.4 million
- Area: 331 km²
- Several shopping malls
- BH Digital: 50 hotspots for public use
- Cradle of architecture designed by Oscar Niemeyer and reference in modernist architecture and in the Art Deco, Art Nouveau, Eclectic, Neoclassical, and Neo-baroque styles
- Known as the Garden City due to the large number of parks, squares and gardens



CLIMATE

The city has pleasant temperatures the whole year (max. 28° C from January to March and min. 15° C in June and July). Rainy season is mainly between November and March.



PAMPULHA

POSTCARD CITY

Minas Gerais' capital is a reference in Brazilian urbanism and architecture. Pampulha's Architectural Complex, inaugurated in 1943, was designed by Oscar Niemeyer, at the request of the then Mayor of Belo Horizonte, Juscelino Kubitschek. The Pampulha ensemble, which is applying for World Cultural Heritage status from Unesco, includes the Museu de Arte (Art Museum), Casa do Baile (Dance Hall) and Igreja São Francisco (St. Francis Church), with murals by Cândido Portinari, landscape design by Roberto Burle Marx and sculptures by Alfredo Ceschiatti. A veritable masterpiece! The buildings and waterfront of Pampulha became the principal postcards of the city. The region has asserted itself as a center for the development of the city's sports: Pampulha is home to the Mineirão stadium, the Mineirinho's specialized sports gymnasium, training centers for the three major local teams, as well as sporting road events, such as running races.

Some of the tourist itineraries offered in the region include: Circuito Niemeyer (Niemeyer Circuit) – World Cultural Heritage; Circuito Verde (Green Circuit), including the Zoo, Aquário da Bacia do Rio São Francisco (St. Francisco River Basin Aquarium) and the Parque Guanabara (Guanabara Amusement Park); the Circuito Gastronômico da Pampulha (Pampulha Gastronomic Circuit) and Circuito Esportivo (Sporting Circuit), covering the city's main sorting facilities, Mineirão, Mineirinho and local clubs.



WHERE TO GO

Igreja São Francisco de Assis (St. Francis of Assisi Church) –
Address: Avenida Otacílio Negrão de Lima, s/nº – Pampulha –
Telephone: +55 (31) 3427-1644

Museu de Arte da Pampulha (Pampulha Art Museum MAP) –
Address: Avenida Otacílio Negrão de Lima, 16.585 – Pampulha –
Telephone: +55 (31) 3277-7946 / 3277-7955

Casa do Baile (Dance Hall) – Address: Avenida Otacílio Negrão de Lima, 751 – Pampulha – Telephone: +55 (31) 3277-7443

Mineirão – Estádio Governador Magalhães Pinto (Governor Magalhães Pinto Stadium) – Address: Avenida Antônio Abrahão Caram, 1.001 – São Luís – Telephone: +55 (31) 3499-4300 – www.minasarena.com.br

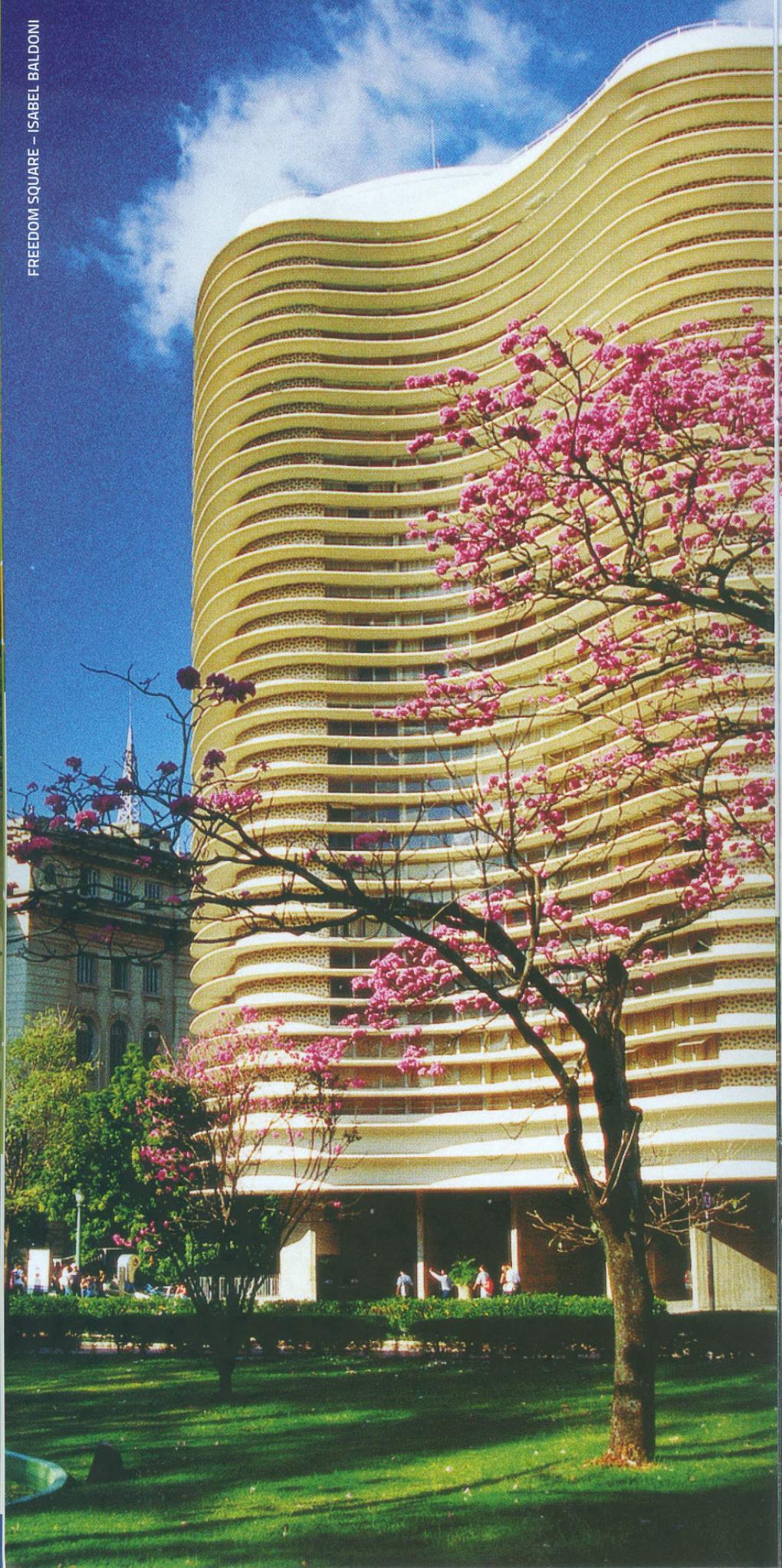
Museu Brasileiro de Futebol (Brazilian Museum of Football) –
Address: Avenida Antônio Abrahão Caram, 1.001 – São Luís –
Telephone: +55 (31) 3499-4300 – www.minasarena.com.br

Mineirinho – Estádio Jornalista Felipe Drummond (Journalist Felipe Drummond Stadium) – Address: Avenida Antônio Abrahão Caram, 1.000 – São Luís – Telephone: +55 (31) 3499-1171
www.ademg.mg.gov.br/ademg/estadios.html

Fundação Zoo-Botânica de Belo Horizonte (Botanical Zoo Foundation of Belo Horizonte) – Address: Avenida Otacílio Negrão de Lima, 8.000 – Pampulha – Telephone: +55 (31) 3277-7100 – www.pbh.gov.br/zoobotanica

Parque Ecológico (Ecological Park) – Address: Avenida Otacílio Negrão de Lima, 6.061 – Bandeirantes – Telephone: +55 (31) 3277-7439

Aquário do Rio São Francisco (River San Francisco Aquarium) –
Address: Avenida Otacílio Negrão de Lima, 8.000 – Pampulha –
Telephone: +55 (31) 3277-7100 – www.pbh.gov.br/zoobotanica





THE HEART OF THE CITY

Here you can find some of the city's treasures from the time of its inception, such as the Palácio da Liberdade (Freedom Palace), the headquarters of the previous state government and the main administrative buildings. In 2010, the historical buildings of the state secretariats became part of the Praça da Liberdade Cultural Circuit, considered the largest cultural ensemble in Brazil.

Already in operation are the Arquivo Público Mineiro (Minas Gerais Public Archive), Biblioteca Pública Estadual Luiz de Bessa (State Public Library), Centro de Arte Popular Cemig (Popular Art Center), Espaço TIM UFMG do Conhecimento (Knowledge Space), Memorial Minas Gerais Vale (Minas Gerais Memorial), Museu das Minas e do Metal (Metal and Mining Museum), Museu Mineiro (Minas Gerais Museum) and Palácio da Liberdade (Freedom Palace). As well as these, there are another five spaces already in the process of development: the Casa Fiat de Cultura (Culture House), Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil (Cultural Center), Centro de Referência da Economia Criativa Sebrae-MG (Creative Economics Center of Reference), the Inhotim School and the Museu do Automóvel (Automobile Museum).

Trips:

Círculo Cultural Praça da Liberdade (Freedom Square Cultural Circuit), Praça da Savassi (Savassi Square), Mercado Central (Central Market), Praça Sete (Seven Square), Palácio das Artes (Palace of the Arts), Parque Municipal (Municipal Park), Museu de Artes e Ofícios (Museum of Arts and Crafts), Praça da Estação (Station Square), Museu Inimá de Paula (Museum). It is also worth visiting the Museu Histórico Abílio Barreto (Historical Museum) which showcases a significant part of Belo Horizonte's history.

WHERE TO GO

Palácio da Liberdade (Freedom Square)

Address: Praça da Liberdade, s/nº
Savassi – Telephone: +55 (31) 3217-9521
www.circuitoculturalliberdade.mg.gov.br

Arquivo Público Mineiro (Minas Gerais Public Archive)

Address: Avenida João Pinheiro, 372 Centro
Telephone: +55 (31) 3269-1167 / 3269-1060
www.cultura.mg.gov.br/arquivo.html

Biblioteca Pública Estadual Prof. Luiz de Bessa (Prof. Luiz de Bessa State Public Library)

Address: Praça da Liberdade, 21 Funcionários
Telephone: +55 (31) 3269-1166 / 3213-0812
www.cultura.mg.gov.br

Centro de Arte Popular – Cemig

(Cemig Popular Art Center)

Address: Rua Gonçalves Dias, 1.608 Lourdes
Telephone: +55 (31) 3222-3231

Espaço TIM UFMG do Conhecimento (TIM UFMG Knowledge Space)

Address: Praça da Liberdade, s/nº Funcionários
Telephone: +55 (31) 3409-8350 / 3272-9584 / 3409-8366
www.espacodoconhecimento.org.br

Memorial Minas Gerais Vale (Vale Minas Gerais Memorial)

Address: Praça da Liberdade, s/nº Funcionários
Telephone: +55 (31) 3343-7317
www.memorialvale.com.br

Museu das Minas e do Metal (Metal and Mining Museum)

Address: Praça da Liberdade, s/nº Funcionários
Telephone: +55 (31) 3516-7200
www.mmm.org.br

Museu Mineiro (Minas Gerais Museum)

Address: Avenida João Pinheiro, 342 Funcionários
Telephone: +55 (31) 3269-1103 / 3269-1168
www.cultura.mg.gov.br

Mercado Central (Central Market)

Address: Avenida Augusto de Lima, 744 – Centro
Further information: Near Minascentro
Telephone: +55 (31) 3274-9434
www.mercadocentral.com.br

Palácio das Artes – Fundação Clóvis Salgado (Palace of the Arts – Clovis Salgado Foundation)

Address: Avenida Afonso Pena, 1.537 Centro
www.palaciodasartes.com.br

Parque Municipal Américo Renné Giannetti (Américo Renné Giannetti Municipal Park)

Address: Avenida Afonso Pena, 1.377 Centro
Telephone: +55 (31) 3277-4161

Museu de Artes e Ofícios (Museum of Arts and Crafts)

Address: Praça da Estação, s/nº Centro
Telephone: +55 (31) 3248-8600
www.museudearteseoficios.com.br

Museu Inimá de Paula (Inimá de Paula Museum)

Address: Rua da Bahia, 1.201 – Centro
Telephone: +55 (31) 3213-4320
www.museuinimadepaula.org.br

Museu Histórico Abílio Barreto (Abílio Barreto Historical Museum)

Address: Avenida Prudente de Morais, 202 – Cidade Jardim
Telephone: +55 (31) 3277-8573 / 3277-8861
www.amigosdomhab.org.br



NIGHTLIFE

The city has more bars per capita than any other major Brazilian city. Belo Horizonte's nightlife provides alternatives for visitors of all tastes. You may find traditional street bars, night clubs, wine houses, beer houses, pubs and cafes, as well as sophisticated restaurants that offer the best in international cuisine. Besides the bars, where you can listen to bossanova, jazz, samba, hip-hop and other musical genres, the city offers large venues and international shows. For those looking for contemporary dance, Belo Horizonte is the base for Grupo Corpo, one of the most acclaimed dance groups in Brazil!

In the capital, the neighborhoods that are best known for their nightlife are Santo Antônio, São Pedro, Savassi, Funcionários, Anchieta, Sion, Santa Tereza, Mangabeiras and Lourdes.

THE BEST VIEW OF BELO HORIZONTE

Belo Horizonte must be seen from the top of its nearby mountains. The Mirante das Mangabeiras (Mangabeiras Lookout), located beside the Parque das Mangabeiras (Mangabeiras Park), provides an unrivalled panoramic view of the city. Nature lovers must see the Parque Serra do Curral (Curral Mountain Range Park) which embraces the city and provides scenery not to be missed. To finish the day, why not appreciate the sunset at the Praça do Papa (Pope Square).

Mirante das Mangabeiras (Mangabeiras Lookout)

Address: Rua Pedro José Pardo, 1.000 – Mangabeiras

Further information: Behind Palácio Mangabeiras

Telephone: +55 (31) 3277-7784

Parque Municipal das Mangabeiras (Mangabeiras Park)

Address: Avenida José do Patrocínio Pontes, 580

Mangabeiras – Telephone: +55 (31) 3277-9244 / 3277-9697 / 3277-8277

Parque da Serra do Curral (Serra do Curral Park)

Address: Avenida José do Patrocínio Pontes, 1.951

Mangabeiras – Telephone: +55 (31) 3277-8120

www.parqueserradocurral.com.br/

Praça Israel Pinheiro – Praça do Papa (Pope Square)

Address: Praça do Papa – Mangabeiras

Further information: Avenida Agulhas Negras, s/nº

Rua do Amendoim (Peanut Road)

Address: Rua Professor Otávio Magalhães, 910 – Mangabeiras



GASTRONOMY

Belo Horizonte maintains Minas' culinary tradition, steeped in history, simple ingredients and a lot of creativity. It is also considered as the "National Capital of Botecos (Street bars)". There are 12,000 bars, restaurants and cafés which offer a vibrant nightlife and a variety of traditional regional dishes, recognized internationally for their originality and flavor. Its coffee, pão de queijo (cheese bread), craft beers, cachaça (rum) and the local cheeses are some of the products that mark the local gastronomy. The capital city hosts various gastronomic festivals, such as the Comida di Buteco (Bar food), Restaurant Week and Brasil Sabor (Brazil Taste), among others. The Mercado Central (Central Market), located in the heart of the city with 400 shops, brings together what is most expressive of Minas Gerais' culinary culture, from its craft cheeses to the best cachaça in Brazil, as well as its local craftwork.

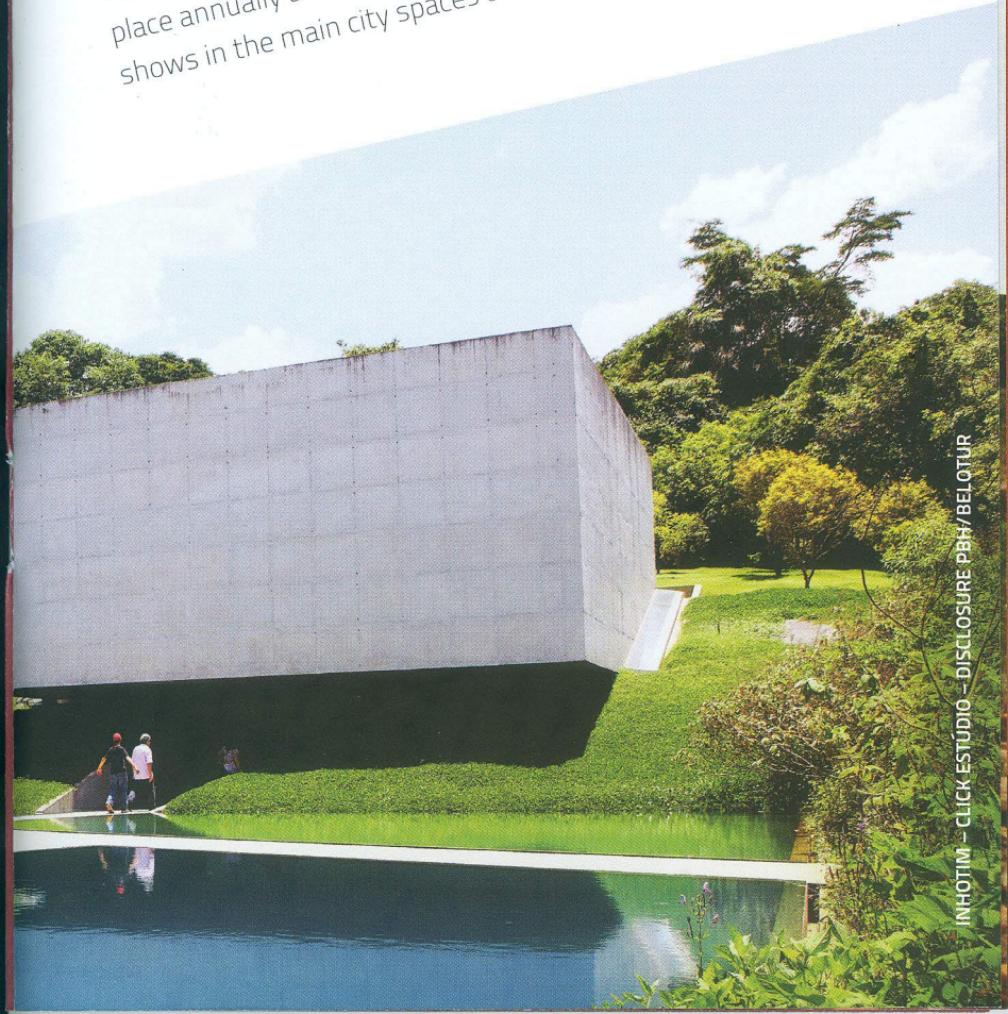


CULTURAL EFFERVESCENCE

Belo Horizonte is a city with some of the biggest cultural production in Brazil. Well known cultural groups such as Corpo, Giramundo and Galpão began in the state capital. In music, Uakti, Skank, Jota Quest and Sepultura are examples of some of the bands formed in Belo Horizonte that achieved international success.



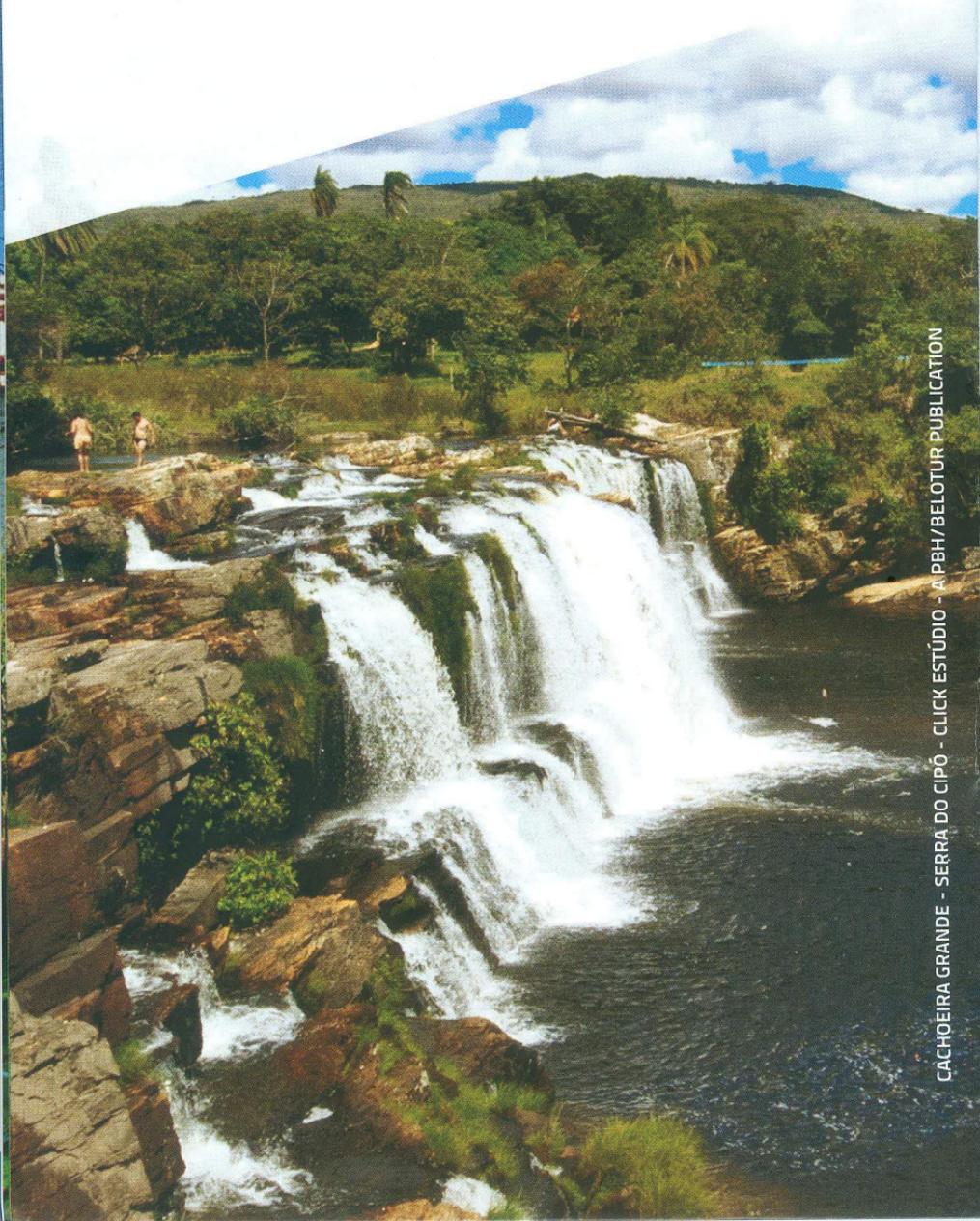
A varied artistic and cultural calendar hosts major national and international events. The Campanha de Popularização de Teatro & Dança (Campaign for the Popularization of Dance and Theater) takes place annually and is part of the capital's official calendar, offering shows in the main city spaces at reasonable prices.



SURROUNDING AREA

The capital is close to important tourist destinations such as the Rota das Grutas de Lund, which is composed of the Museu de Ciências Naturais da PUC (Pontifical Catholic University Natural Sciences Museum), the Sumidouro State Park, and the Rei do Mato, Maquiné and Lapinha caves. The historical cities of Mariana, Ouro Preto and Congonhas (the last two declared World Heritage Sites) are home to treasures and riches of baroque production dating back to the Brazilian colonial period and the Brazilian gold cycle.

In Brumadinho, a good option is to visit the Centro de Arte Contemporânea (Contemporary Art Center) and Jardim Botânico (Botanical Garden) in Inhotim, considered the largest open-air art museum in Latin America. It houses art galleries and gardens designed by Burle Marx. The Serra do Cipó National Park, about 100 km from the capital, is a biosphere reserve and represents one of the most beautiful and important destinations for adventure tourism, due to its exuberant nature.



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WHERE TO GO

Parque Estadual do Sumidouro (Sumidouro State Park) – Casa Fernão Dias (Fernão Dias House)

Address: Praça Fernão Dias, 10 – Entorno do Aeroporto de Confins

Further information: Distrito de Quinta do Sumidouro

Telephone: +55 (31) 3661-8122

Parque Estadual do Sumidouro (Sumidouro State Park) – Gruta da Lapinha (Lapinha Cave)

Address: Estrada Campinho Lapinha, km 6 – Entorno do Aeroporto de Confins – Further information: Lapinha, Lagoa Santa

Telephone: +55 (31) 3661-8671 / 3661-8165 / 3689-8592

Gruta Rei do Mato

Address: Rod. BR-040, km 472, s/nº – Entorno de Belo Horizonte

Further information: Sete Lagoas – Trevo

Telephone: +55 (31) 3773-0888 / 3771-5258 / 3681-9625

www.circuitodasgrutas.com.br

Gruta de Maquiné

Address: Rod. MG-231, km 27 – Entorno de Belo Horizonte

Further information: Rodovia Alberto Ramos

Telephone: +55 (31) 3715-1310 / 3715-1078

www.grutadomaquine.tur.br

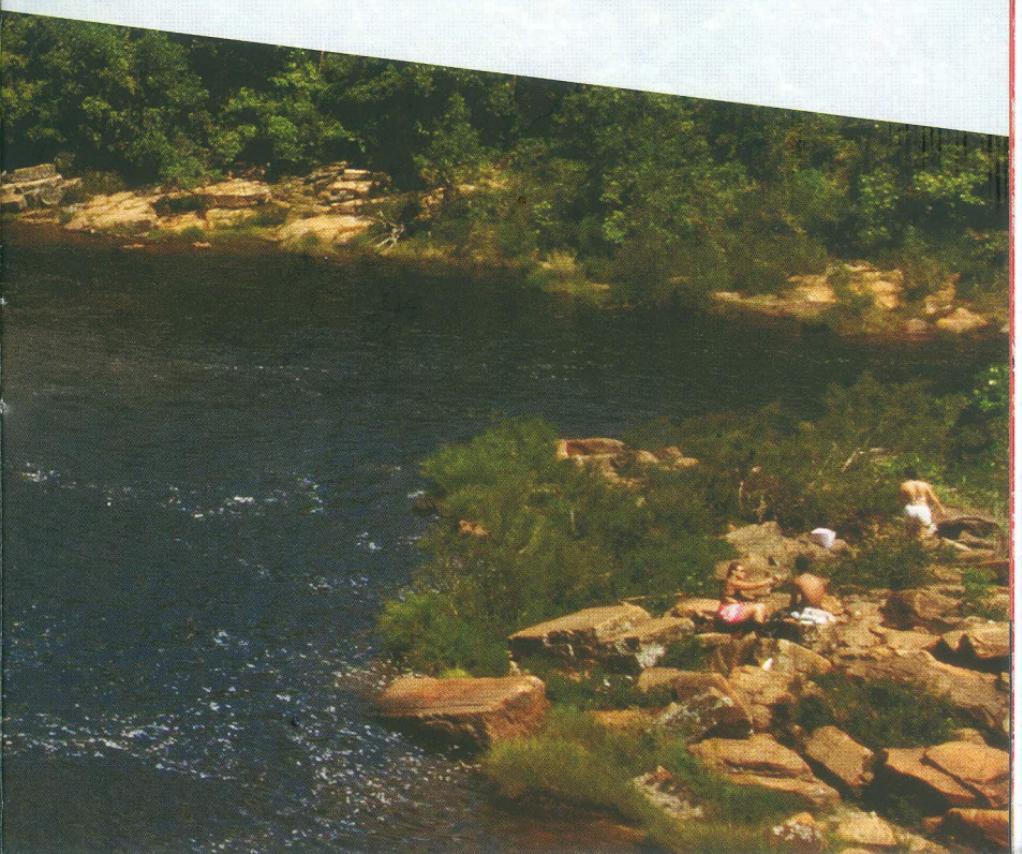
Inhotim

Address: Rua B, 20 – Entorno de Belo Horizonte

Cidade: Brumadinho

Telephone: +55 (31) 3571-9700 / 3571-6638 / 3223-8224

www.inhotim.org.br





MINEIRÃO

The Governador Magalhães Pinto Stadium, known as the Mineirão, underwent a complete refurbishment and was transformed into an international standard multi-purpose arena. The stadium holds 62,000 supporters and is located in the Pampulha region alongside the works of Oscar Niemeyer.

In the 'Gigante da Pampulha' (Giant of Pampulha), as it is also called, an esplanade with a capacity for 65,000 people was also built to host events and shows. The whole complex has universal access. www.copa.mg.gov.br/novomineirao/

BRAZILIAN MUSEUM OF FOOTBALL

As with other stadiums around the world, the Mineirão has a museum dedicated to football, which aims to provide the sporting with an extra attraction. Visiting the museum allows visitors to travel through the history of the sport and experience the excitement and emotion that only football can provide. www.minasarena.com.br



SPORTS CITY

Belo Horizonte provides an ideal environment to practice sports. For the 2013 Confederations Cup and 2014 FIFA World Cup, two of the city's traditional stadiums, Independência and Mineirão have been modernized. The stadiums offer some of the best sports infrastructure facilities in Brazil, as well as a high level hospital network and an internationally recognized sports medicine center. www.cidadeesportes.com.br

INDEPENDÊNCIA (INDEPENDENCE)

The Raimundo Sampaio stadium, better known as Independência, was built for the 1950 FIFA World Cup and hosted three games in the tournament. The stadium was the main football stadium in Minas Gerais until 1965, the year the Mineirão was inaugurated. Recently redeveloped, it had its capacity increased from 10,000 to 25,000 fans. Located in the western region of the city, the stadium is easily accessible.

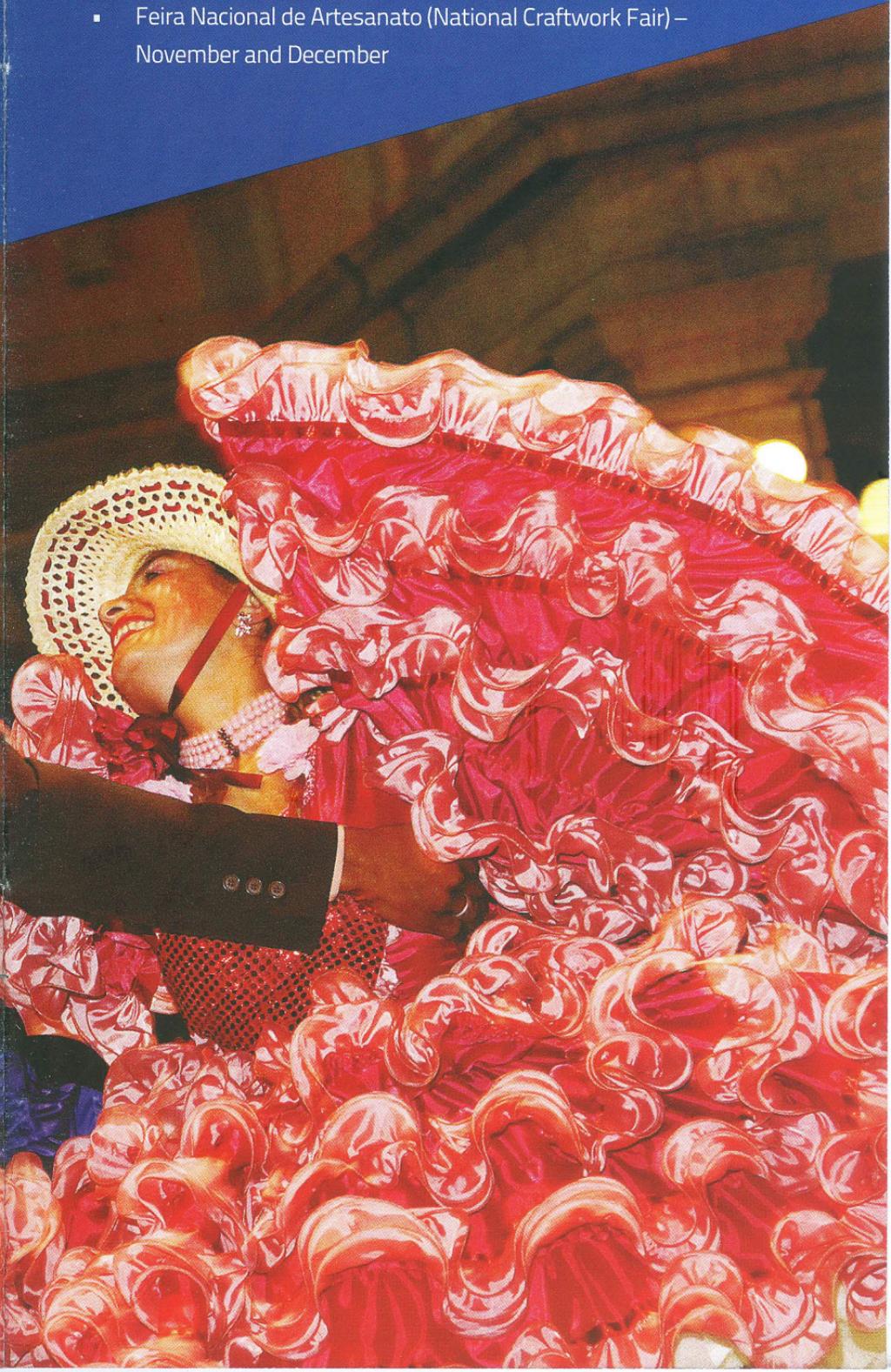
CURRENT CALENDAR

- Campanha de Popularização do Teatro (Campaign for the Popularization of Theater – January to March)
- Carnival – February or March
- Comida di Buteco (Bar food) – April and May
- Brasil Sabor (Brazil Taste) – May and June
- Minas Trend Preview – April and October
- Expocachaça – June
- Superagro – June
- FIT – Festival Internacional de Teatro (International Theater Festival – biennial on the even year) – June
- Arraial de Belô – June and July
- FIC – Festival Internacional de Corais (International Choral Festival) – November



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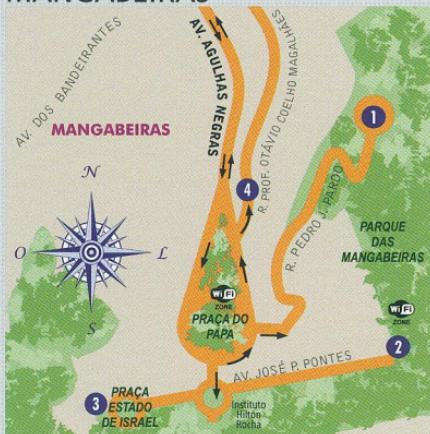
- Festival Internacional de Curta de Belo Horizonte (BH Short Film Festival) – September
- Festival Internacional de Quadrinhos (International Cartoon Festival – November – biennial on odd year)
- Mostra de Cinema Mundial (World Cinema Show) – September
- Forum Internacional de Dança (International Dance Forum) – October and November
- Volta Internacional da Pampulha (International Race around Pampulha) – December
- Feira Nacional de Artesanato (National Craftwork Fair) – November and December



AEROPORTO INTERNACIONAL DE CONFINS



MANGABEIRAS



Mangabeiras:

- 1 - Mirante das Mangabeiras / Mangabeiras Viewpoint
- 2 - Parque das Mangabeiras / Mangabeiras Park
- 3 - Parque da Serra do Curral / Serra do Curral Park
- 4 - Rua do Amendoim / Peanuts Street

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PAMPULHA



Museu / Museum

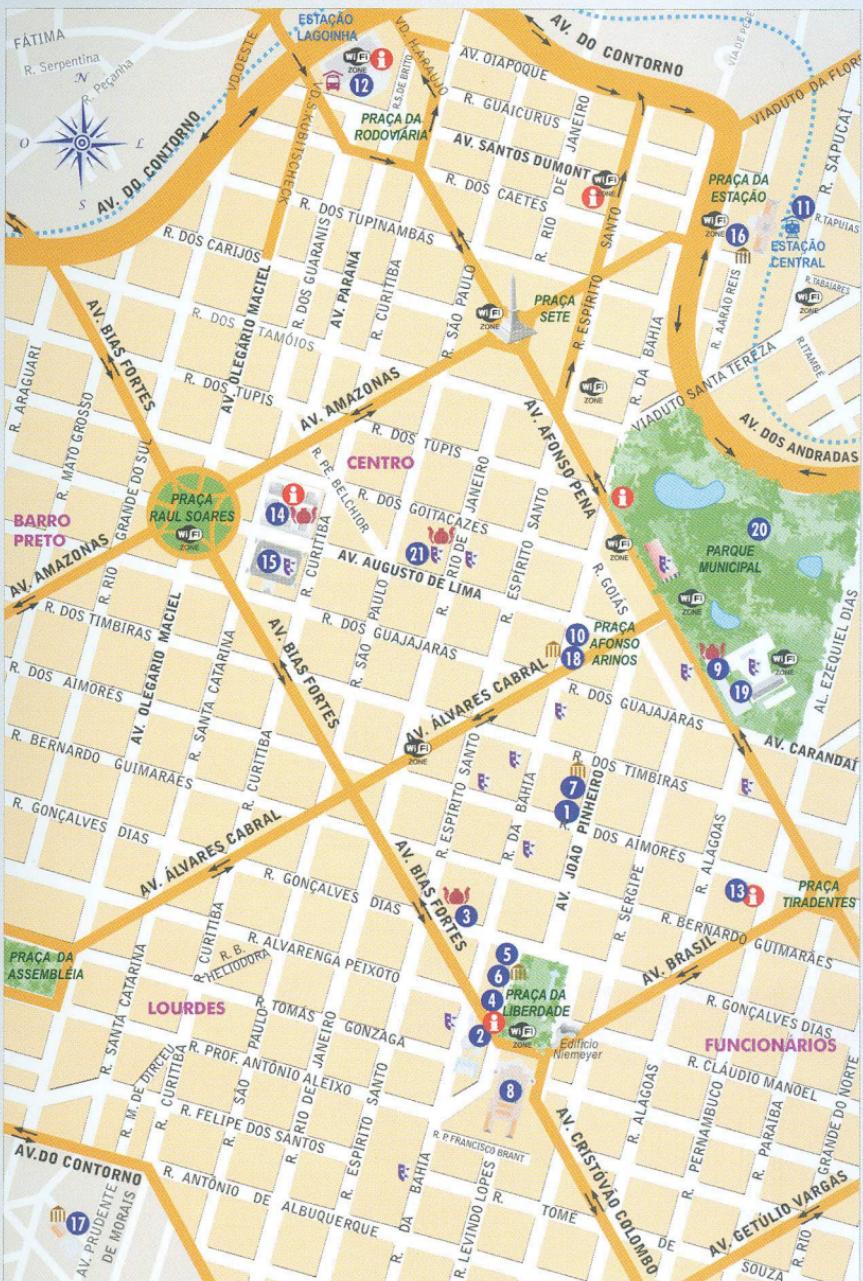
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Informação Turística
Tourism Information

Pampulha

- 1 - Aeroporto da Pampulha / Pampulha Airport
- 2 - Casa do Baile / Ballroom House
- 3 - Igreja São Francisco de Assis / São Francisco de Assis Church
- 4 - Lagoa da Pampulha / Pampulha Lake
- 5 - Mineirão / Museu Brasileiro do Futebol / Soccer Stadium
- 6 - Mineirinho / Olímpico Stadium
- 7 - Museu de Arte da Pampulha / Pampulha Art Museum
- 8 - Parque Ecológico da Pampulha / Pampulha Ecological Park
- 9 - Zoológico - Jardim Botânico - Jardim Japonês - Aquário da PBH / Zoo - Botanical Garden - Japanese Garden - Aquarium

ÁREA CENTRAL



Terminal Ferroviário e Metroviário
Railway Station and Local Train Station

Estação Rodoviária
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Teatro / Theater

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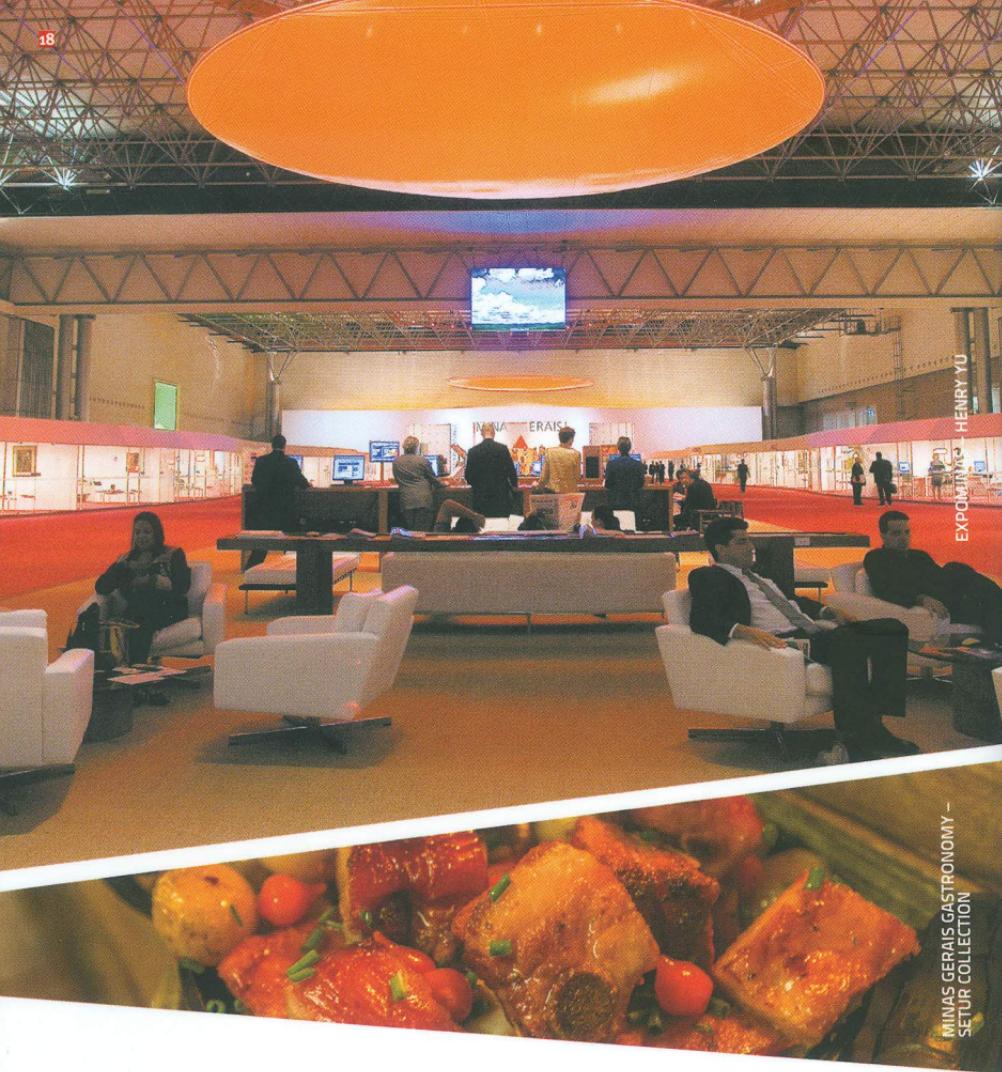
Informação Turística
Tourism Information

Centro Cultural Praça da Liberdade:

- 1 - Arquivo Público Mineiro / Public File Mining
- 2 - Biblioteca Pública Estadual / Public Library
- 3 - Centro de Arte Popular - Cemig / Folk Art Center Cemig
- 4 - Espaço TIM UFMG do Conhecimento / Place of knowledge
- 5 - Memorial Minas Gerais - Vale / Minas Gerais -Vale Memorial
- 6 - Museu das Minas e do Metal / Mining and Metal Museum
- 7 - Museu Mineiro / Mineiro Museum
- 8 - Palácio da Liberdade / The Liberdade Palace

Outros locais:

- 9 - Centro de Artesanato Mineiro / Handcraft Center
- 10 - Centro de Cultura Belo Horizonte / Belo Horizonte Cultural Center
- 11 - Estação Ferroviária / Railway Station
- 12 - Estação Rodoviária / Bus Station
- 13 - Informação Turística - Belotur / Belo Horizonte Tourism Authority
- 14 - Mercado Central / Market Center
- 15 - Minascenter / Minas Exhibition and Convention Center
- 16 - Museu de Artes e Ofícios / Arts and Crafts Museum
- 17 - Museu Histórico Abílio Barreto / History Museum
- 18 - Museu Inimá de Paula / Inimá de Paula Museum
- 19 - Palácio das Artes / Concert and Exhibition Halls
- 20 - Parque Municipal / Municipal Park
- 21 - Sesc Palladium / Cultural Center



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PAMPULHA'S AIRPORT

Praça Bagatelle, 204 – Pampulha
Phone: +55 (31) 3246-8015

TANCREDO NEVES – CONFINS BELO HORIZONTE'S INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Rod. MG-10 – Confins
Phone: +55 (31) 3689-2557

BELOTUR

R. Pernambuco, 282 – Funcionários
Phone: +55 (31) 3277-9754

ÁLVARO HARDY – VEVECO TOURIST REFERENCE CENTER

Av. Otacílio Negrão de Lima, 855
Pampulha
Phone: +55 (31) 3277-9987

MERCADO CENTRAL [CENTRAL MARKET]

Av. Augusto de Lima, 744 – Centro
Phone: +55 (31) 3277-4691

MERCADO DAS FLORES [FLOWERS MARKET] / PARQUE MUNICIPAL [MUNICIPAL PARK]

Av. Afonso Pena, 1.055 – Centro
Phone: +55 (31) 3277-7666

BUS STATION

Praça Rio Branco – Centro
Phone: +55 (31) 3277-6907

ALÔ TURISMO [TOURIST INFORMATION]

Phone: 156 (BH) / +55 (31) 3277-9754

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Av. Bias Fortes, 50 – Lourdes
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