



## Rio de Janeiro with Ponta dos Ganchos Resort



Ponta dos Ganchos

Located on a private peninsula near Florianopolis on Brazil's south coast, Ponta dos Ganchos is one of the country's most exclusive beach resorts. A ridge of Atlantic rainforest runs down to the water, where three tiny islands horseshoe around a sandy bay. There is a thatched restaurant just 10 feet from the beach, and paddle across to one of the islands and you find a bar that's illuminated by torches at night. You are in the middle of nowhere here, and Ponta dos Ganchos delivers the dream: idyllic landscapes of emerald sea and forest, contemporary interiors in 20 beautiful bungalows (some with private plunge pools, saunas and jacuzzis) and service that's second to none (all meals, including breakfast, are served at any hour of the day).

Deluxe options in Rio de Janeiro: Copacabana Palace or Fasano Hotel.

This tour includes airfare allowance from London (UK), on non-holiday dates. You do not need to fly via London; Yampu will fly you the most direct way to your city of destination. Depending on your travel dates and proximity of travel, we will quote you the most economical surcharge from your city or country of origin.

### Pricing

Occupancy Type	4-Star/ SuperLuxo	5-Star/Villa Bungalows	Deluxe/Bungalow Especial
Double	£ 3449	£ 3999	£ 4629

Prices shown above are per person, in Sterling (£).



Rio de Janeiro



Special Villa Bungalow

### Itinerary

#### Day 1

Upon arrival in Rio, transfer to your hotel. Afternoon of leisure. Note: Check-in is normally after 2 p.m. Early check-in may be granted, subject to availability (not confirmed).

## Day 2

Full day of touring Sugar Loaf, Corcovado Mountain and Tijuca rainforest. Drive along Rio's famous beaches to the Praia Vermelha cable car station, where you will be taken to the Urca Mountain (mid-way station) with its gardens and lookout points. Then, the second part of the ride will take you to the peak of Sugar Loaf Mountain, 1,300 feet above sea level. Continue to the Cosme Velho train station. The cogwheel train will climb up through the Tijuca rainforest and bring you to the steps of the Christ statue. At 2,300 feet above sea level, it is a breathtaking view of the city of Rio de Janeiro, Guanabara Bay, Sugar Loaf Mountain, the nine-mile Rio-Niterói Bridge, the Rodrigo de Freitas Lagoon and the Atlantic Ocean. Lunch included.

Note: This is a group tour and may involve wait times picking up other passengers at different hotels. We recommend that this tour be done privately in order to avoid this, at an additional cost of \$170 per person, based on two people (\$425 based on one person).

## Day 3

Day free to enjoy Rio, or choose from one of our optional day tours.

Tonight, enjoy Rio by night! The night tour includes dinner at a barbecue restaurant followed by a Brazilian music presentation at Rio Scenarium. Rio Scenarium is one of the premier places to listen to the best of Brazilian music. Located in Lapa, where the real carioca spirit of bohemian way of life can be felt. This venue is an antique shop during the day and a live music bar during the night. The programming changes every month. The clients are sophisticated listeners who really enjoy good music. After the show, around midnight, return to the hotel stuffed with tunes.

Note: Transfers are done via bus and may involve wait times picking up other passengers at different hotels. We can offer private transfers at an additional cost of \$76 per person, based on two people (\$152 based on one person).

## Day 4

Morning, transfer to the airport for a flight to Florianopolis. Arrive there and transfer to Ponta dos Ganchos Resort. Afternoon, free to enjoy the amenities of the hotel.

## Day 5

Free to enjoy the amenities of the hotel. All meals included.

## Day 6

Choose between one of these tours: \* Dolphins Bay Boat Trip \* Arvoredo Island Boat Trip \* Old Town Florianopolis (transfers only)

## Day 7

Transfer back to Florianopolis to continue your trip to Rio de Janeiro or overlap with the Yampu add-on of your choice.

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## Price includes:

Price includes international roundtrip airfare from Miami to Rio de Janeiro, hotel accommodation with daily continental breakfast, guided tours in English, meals where specified, entrance fees, transportation between hotels, transfers between airport and hotel, naturalist guides and taxes. Local airport taxes that are payable in the country of destination are not included. Taxes and security fees that can be paid at the time of ticketing are already included in the quote (if airfare has been included in the quote). Resort prices not applicable for New Year's and carnival, 4-night minimum in January and February. Package prices include domestic roundtrip airfare from Rio de Janeiro to Florianopolis, 3 nights hotel accommodations, including all meals (not including alcohol and oysters), 1-day tour, all transfers between airports and lodge with assistance and baggage handling, certain amenities at the hotel. Local airport departure taxes that are payable in the country of destination are not included. Airfare taxes and security fees that can be paid at the time of ticketing are included in the cost.

This trip includes the Brazil Airpass, which entitles you to four segments of air travel within Brazil. Please enquire with your travel consultant about adding extra destinations within Brazil.

Note: U.S. and Canadian citizens require a Visa to enter Brazil which must be requested with plenty of notice.