

# PUERTO RICO CONVENTION CENTER



## LOCATION

Located in a 113-acre development in Isla Grande, San Juan – the gateway to all that Puerto Rico has to offer – the new Puerto Rico Convention Center is part of a \$415-million waterfront development project providing convenient access to the historic treasures of San Juan, the Luis Muñoz Marín International Airport and the Condado hotels and tourist district. Also within the development are hotels, restaurants and a variety of shopping venues.

## MEETINGS/EVENT SPACE

Boasting the largest meeting space in the Caribbean and the most technologically advanced in both the Caribbean and Latin America, the new 580,000-square-foot Puerto Rico Convention Center features 36,200 square feet of meeting space with 15 rooms on two levels that subdivide into 28 breakouts as well as a 152,700-square-foot exhibition hall.

## BANQUET

For banquets and elite social functions, the Puerto Rico Convention Center features the largest ballroom in the Caribbean, totaling 39,500 square feet. Among the ballroom's technological highlights are track lighting, flexible circuiting and programmable dimming controls, multi-mode fiber optic connections, production control balcony, built-in support for portable laser projection, simultaneous translation, and uplink satellite access.

## GROUP AVAILABILITY

The new Puerto Rico Convention Center can accommodate groups of 1,500 to 3,000 attendees. The award-winning Puerto Rico Convention Bureau, the oldest convention bureau in the Caribbean with more than 42 years of experience, is the official marketing and sales agent for the Convention Center and is now accepting bookings. The Bureau also provides all the services meeting planners need to hold a memorable meeting or event.

## GROUPS ACCOMMODATED

With more than 13,300 guest rooms on the island, Puerto Rico offers a wide range of accommodations at various hotels, resorts,



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and small inns with a full-scale of price points to accommodate a broad spectrum of budgets. Most major international chains are represented on the Island. Also, as part of the Convention Center District ongoing development, two full-service chain-affiliated hotels will be located adjacent to the new Convention Center.

## TECHNOLOGY

Featuring the most advanced, state-of-the-art technology in Latin America, the new Puerto Rico Convention Center offers everything meeting planners expect from an ultra-modern facility. Meeting room technology includes programmable lighting with eight-button preset control, capability for remote audio recording of program and coaxial cable to link video signals to the ballroom and other meeting rooms. The exhibition hall's key technology features programmable controls to allow two lighting levels during set up and show activities, satellite down and uplinks, and connections for line signaling, recording, playback and in-house broadcasting.

## ATTRACTIONS

Puerto Rico is a destination that offers both distinctive appeal and a variety of experiences for visitors. As an Island with more than 500 years of rich history it is the perfect place to enjoy pre-or-post meeting excursions. Meeting planners can tailor Island tours to take in charming historical sites, spectacular wonders like bioluminescent bays, a tropical rainforest or the largest cave system in the Western Hemisphere, or tranquil white-sand beaches. For sports and outdoor enthusiasts the Island offers a variety of ways to stay active, including 16 championship golf courses.

## ACCESSIBILITY

As the gateway to the Caribbean, Puerto Rico is easily accessible from a variety of destinations. The Luis Muñoz Marín International Airport, just minutes from the new Puerto Rico Convention Center, offers more than 800 domestic and 600 international weekly flights from major U.S. cities, Europe and Latin America.

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