

THE DESTINATION

The city of Oporto boasts 2000 years of history. It is closely linked to the founding of the Portuguese nation and has even provided it with the origins of its name. Declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO, this destination is well known for the natural and warm hospitality of the local people and its wonderful scenery, particularly along the course of the River Douro, where the grapes used for the famous Port wine are grown. This capital of the north (as it is often called) is the second largest city in a country which has offered the world a guarantee of quality in the major international events it has already hosted. In addition to being the European Capital of Culture in 2001, Oporto was also one of the main host cities for the "EURO 2004".

LOCATION

Strategically located between Boavista and Foz, the Hotel Ipanema Park is just a few minutes away from both the city centre and the motorway which provides access to the airport and the city of Lisbon.

ROOMS

Due to its elevated location and its 18 floors, a special feature of the rooms are the magnificent views over the city or the mouth of the River Douro, which complement the peaceful atmosphere of well-being and comfort provided by the 281 ample, well-decorated rooms, which include:

- 264 standard
 - 149 twin
 - 115 queen
- 4 junior suites
- 13 executive suites
- 1 diplomatic suite

The rooms are provided with:

- double glazing
- satellite and closed-circuit TV
- a minibar
- 2 direct dial phones
- an individual fax connection
- broadband wireless internet (on some floors)
- a safe
- a hair dryer
- 24 hour room service

RESTAURANTS & BARS

The hallmark of the "JARDIM D'INVERNO" restaurant is its discreet and elegant atmosphere. The quality of the Portuguese and international cuisine which characterises its sophisticated service has won it many local clients as well as guests, particularly for the Sunday buffet lunch



and the traditional theme dinners which are frequently offered. The "TWIN TREES" piano bar next to the garden also offers a pleasant opportunity for relaxation.

- "JARDIM D'INVERNO" RESTAURANT
 - buffet breakfast
 - lunch
 - dinner
- "TWIN TREES" BAR
 - drinks and snacks

CONFERENCES & BANQUETS

Events catering is one of the main services offered by the hotel, and the variety and size of the space available provides unrivalled facilities for conferences, banquets, exhibitions, presentations and shows. This area, which has an elegant foyer, contains 10 multipurpose rooms that can be partitioned. They range from 33 m² to 365 m² and are equipped with a broadband wireless internet system and support technology.

OTHER FACILITIES

The hotel also offers an usually wide range of other facilities for a city-centre hotel, including:

- an outdoor pool (on the top floor)
- a health club
- indoor pool (with natural lighting)
- massage
- sauna
- Turkish baths
- Scottish bath
- gymnasium
- squash
- prestige shops
- jewellery
- antiques
- leather goods
- tobacconist
- a business centre
- a wireless system (broadband wireless internet) in public areas
- private parking
- laundry service
- rent-a-car
- baby-sitting
- tourist information and excursions
- hairdressers

