

Join us for the Pan-African Council's 2019 Africa Tourism Diaspora Trade Mission to Lagos Nigeria from September 21<sup>st</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>.



In our ongoing commitment to promote bilateral and multilateral trade relationships and deepen Diaspora engagement with the African continent, the **Pan-African Council - Africa Tourism Diaspora Trade Mission** will assist entrepreneurs, tourism and hospitality professionals, travel businesses, tour operators, agents, companies and organizations in finding overseas partners, innovative new tourism products and opportunities for international growth.

Africa with 54 countries and a population of 1.2 billion has unimaginable tourist attractions. The African Diaspora and continental Africans share the same unique and rich cultural heritage – tourism and trade are a sure way to build sustainable economic social and cultural relationships between the two in the spirit of mutual benefit.

#### **Business Opportunities and Networking**

This mission is tailored around specific business opportunities relevant to delegates interested in Africa's vast and diverse tourism market. The agenda is designed to match these objectives with both:

- 1) business matchmaking opportunities via key introductions and one-on-one meetings with industry decision-makers and well-placed government officials, and:
- 2) key social events for organic networking and relationship building.

The Yoruba King Ooni of Ife, His Majesty Oba Adeyeye Enitan Ogunwusi, the Ojaja II has confirmed his attendance to the African Tourism Diaspora Conference as the Special Guest of Honor.



PAC Trade Missions are a cost-effective opportunity to gain first-hand market information, save time and maximize your results!

#### **TRIP BENEFITS & DETAILS**

- 4 days of accommodation including breakfast: September 21<sup>st</sup> 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019
- Diplomatic Seating at All events from the 22<sup>nd</sup> to the 24<sup>th</sup> at <u>Akwaaba</u>
   <u>African Travel Market Expo</u>
- Special Guest Access to the <u>African Food Fair</u> and <u>#JollofRiceWar</u> events
- Access to the <u>African Diaspora Tourism Conference and Awards</u> on September 23<sup>rd</sup>

- Access to the <u>African Aviation Conference</u> and the <u>African Youth in</u> <u>Tourism</u> events on September 24<sup>th</sup>
- Access to the <u>Lagos Day Event</u> at Akwaaba Travel Market Expo
- Boat Cruise on the Five Cowrie Creek
- <u>Carnival Calabar Pre-Party</u> in preparation for Africa's biggest carnival, <u>click here</u> to learn more.
- Nigerian <u>visa-on-arrival</u> facilitation\* (\* if requested, verify Nigeria's visa policy <u>here</u>.)

## **Trade Mission Package Price**US\$ 1459.00\*

\* Pan-African Council Members Receive a \$100.00 discount

### **Reserve Your Spot Today!**

# CLICK HERE FOR ONLINE RESERVATION or visit panafricancouncil.org

Limited spots available on the delegation, registrations will fill fast, so reserve your spot today for this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity.



#### TRADE MISSION TERMS & CONDITIONS

#### **Payment and Fees**

Our trips are calculated in USD (United States Dollar). If you are using an international card to pay via our online booking system a small conversion fee may be applied. This is due to foreign exchange conversion. Full payment must be made at least **2 weeks** prior to the start date of the tour unless otherwise authorized.

Payments can be made in one of the following ways:

- 1. By paying online via our online booking system, OR
- 2. By making other arrangements (such as check, wire transfer, PayPal, etc). Email us at <a href="mailto:info@panafricancouncil.org">info@panafricancouncil.org</a> if you would prefer to make other arrangements.

All payments made are <u>non-refundable</u> unless a request for a refund is submitted within 7 calendar days of having made payment minus any credit card transaction fees. If for some reason you are unable to participate in the mission, 25% of the cost can be put toward one of our future trade missions to various destinations.

#### Not Included

- International Flight To/From Lagos, Nigeria
- · Any Excursions NOT Listed Above
- Food (aside from breakfast provided at the Hotel) and Alcoholic Beverages
- Travel Insurance
- Gratuities

#### Passport, Visa, Immigration, and Travel Requirements

- A valid passport with 2+ blank pages & 6 months validity left.
- Certification of yellow fever vaccination is required. Malaria medicine recommended. The Center for Disease Control has information on routine recommendations and vaccinations. For more information please consult with your doctor.
- It is your responsibility to fulfill the passport, visa and other immigration requirements
  applicable to your itinerary. You should confirm these with the relevant embassies and/or
  consulates. We do not accept any responsibility in the case of you being unable to travel
  due to not complying with any such requirements, or if immigration refuses you entry for
  any reason. In some cases for specific countries, we can assist with securing a visa on
  arrival if requested.

#### **Late Arrivals by Delegates**

Our daily itineraries will start at their respective times. If you arrive late for whatever reason and miss the tour, no money will be refunded but we will make accommodations for you to either catch up with the tour on that day or do other activities.

#### Insurance

Travel insurance is a vital part of your arrangements. We strongly recommend that you have taken out adequate insurance for the duration of your journey.

#### Indemnification

You agree to indemnify us, our affiliates, and any of our Suppliers, and any such parties' officers, directors, employees and agents from and against any claims, causes of action, demands, losses, damages, and other costs, (including reasonable legal and accounting fees) brought by you or third parties as a result of (a) your breach of this Agreement, (b) your violation of any law or rights of any third party, and (c) your use of our website.

#### **Privacy Policy**

You consent to our processing and sharing of personal information about you and other members of your party that you have provided to us with tour guides, hotels, other flights and any other necessary entities deemed necessary to ensure your full participation on the trip.

#### Changes

The stated itinerary may change at any time due to weather, force majeure, or any other unforeseen issues.

If you would like to shorten or lengthen your trip we will help you to determine the proper flights and hotel accommodations as necessary at no cost. If you lengthen your trip we can help you plan your daily itinerary for a cost, or you can plan it out on your own. Also if you would like to opt out of any of our planned itinerary items during the trip we can assist you in finding other activities.

#### **Cancellations by the Pan-African Council**

While we always endeavor to avoid cancellations and changes, we must reserve the right to do so. However, we will only cancel your confirmed booking where we are forced to do so as a result of circumstances outside our control.

The Council will notify you before the trade mission or tour begins. If we do make a significant change or cancel, you will be notified as soon as possible. If we must cancel, you will be refunded the full amount and we will not deduct any non-refundable expenses. Compensation will not be payable and no liability assumed by us.

#### **Assumption of Risk**

You understand and accept that your proposed trade mission may expose you to inherent dangers including but not limited to physical exertion, equipment failure, or the activity itself.

You acknowledge that alterations to the schedule itinerary or activity may be made as necessitated by weather, group size, road transport, road closures, illness or other factors. You agree to accept the decisions of the tour leader or representative, and you accept that neither we nor the providers of services can be held responsible for expenses or inconvenience incurred as a consequence. You acknowledge that the enjoyment of your trade mission or tour is derived in part from travel beyond the safety risks of life at work or at home, and you accept and assume all the risks involved. All disputes are subject to local jurisdiction only.