



# ABC AFRICA TRAVEL & TOURS

## MAURITIUS PROGRAMME

**Created for:**

**CLIENT**

**CONFERENCE GROUP OF 350 PARTICIPANTS**

**February - March 2014**

**4 nights | 5 days**

4 nights Mauritius – Sofitel L'Imperial Resort & Spa 5\*

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## Map of Mauritius





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## **Day 1: Arrival in Mauritius and coach transfer to the Sofitel L'Imperial Resort & Spa**

- The group arrives at Mauritius International Airport
- Welcome at the airport and welcome by ABC Africa Team at counter 18 (Arrivals Hall)
- The luggage is collected at the airport and transferred to the resort in a separate truck
- Coach transfer from the airport to the resort



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Our recommendations for a special welcome at the airport (optional):

- **Branded Roll Up banner with the group's name**
- **Flower garlands for all participants**
- **Hostesses at the airport wearing multicultural gowns**

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- Arrival at the Sofitel L'Imperial Hotel Resort & Spa
  - Time at leisure at the hotel
  - Dinner at the resort Main Restaurant (Ravinala)

**Overnight: Sofitel L'Imperial Hotel, 5\*, Mauritius**



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Ravinala Restaurant: Every night, a different corner of the world - Mauritius, France, Italy, and India - inspires heaped buffets and barbecues in this poolside restaurant.



## Day 2: Full Day Conference at the Resort and Casual Group Dinner at the Resort's Main Restaurant

From 07h00 the participants enjoy breakfast at the resort's main restaurant.

### Conference at the resort for 350 persons

#### Conference details at Sofitel L'Imperial Conference Centre

Room name	Close all ▾	Surface	Height	Theatre	U-shape	Boardroom	Classroom	Banquet
IMPERIAL ROOM	▶	227m <sup>2</sup>	3.30m	250	70	80	120	220
ROOM A	▶	157m <sup>2</sup>	3.00m	150	30	40	50	50
ROOM B	▶	170m <sup>2</sup>	5.20m	200	50	60	100	90



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## **The Conference package at Sofitel includes:**

- The use of Room A and B combined
  - 1 LCD projector
  - 1 Screen
  - Marker Pens
  - Flip Charts
  - Lectern with microphone
  - 2 wireless microphones
  - Notepads and pencils
  - Mints and Water
  - Technical banquet service and assistance
  - Lunch
- Dinner at the resort Main Restaurant (Ravinala)

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## **Day 3: Full Day Conference and Casual Dinner at the Resort**

From 07h00 the participants enjoy breakfast at the resort's main restaurant.

**Conference at the resort for 350 persons**

***\*\*\* Same as Day 2***

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### **Day 4: Day at leisure with optional activities and Beach BBQ Dinner**

From 07h00 the participants enjoy breakfast at the resort's main restaurant.

- Day at leisure at the resort
- Options of activities below

#### ***Option 1: Catamaran and Speed Boat Cruise along the West Coast***

Sailing on a catamaran or a speed boat is a must do activity while in Mauritius. The island is surrounded by kilometres of coral reefs, making sailing a pleasant and enjoyable experience. The West Coast is home to the highest mountain ranges of the Island as well as the spectacular peninsula of 'Le Morne', which is a UNESCO listed heritage site. This provides a magnificent backdrop to a sea ideal for sailing, swimming and snorkeling. This coast also boasts resident populations of both spinner and bottle-nosed dolphins. These amazing playful animals move in shoal, jump out of the water, spin out and put up a spectacular show for all lucky observers. One can spot them throughout the year.

#### **Itinerary**

**09:30** Departure is from Black River Bay on the West Coast.

The skippers will set course towards Tamarin Bay, where there is the possibility to encounter the dolphins. International dolphin-watching rules are respected: the dolphins may be observed, but not disturbed. The boat then sails down the West Coast to 'Ile aux Benitiers' and anchor close to the coral reefs. The swimming and snorkeling is just amazing.

There is also the possibility to go to Ile aux Benitiers for some sun bathing or discovery.

**13:00** Lunch is served on board and drinks are inclusive throughout the day.

After lunch, it is 'sailing time' all the way back to Black River. The sails are hoisted and the catamaran slowly heads back. Listen to the wind pushing through the sails and the water streaming the hulls while relaxing on the spacious deck.

**16:00** Back to the jetty at Black River and coach transfer back to the hotel.

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#### **Our Recommendations:**

- **Branding: flags for each catamaran, branded towels on board for each participant**
  - **Floating bar in the lagoon of Ile aux Benitiers. This can be the real WOW or surprise effect of the day when participants discover a branded floating bar in the lagoon as they approach.**
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## **Technical Information:**

**Location:** West Coast

**Timings:** 09h30 – 16h00

## **Inclusions of the day:**

- Transfer in air conditioned coaches with English speaking guide
- Catamarans / Speed Boats in exclusivity
- BBQ lunch with a selection of salads on board
- Free flow of alcoholic and nonalcoholic drinks (juice, soft, water, beer, rum, wine, tea and coffee)
- Snorkeling equipment available on board

## **Transfer times:**

- West Coast: 15-20 minutes

## **Capacities:**

- Capacity per Catamarans : 20- 30 persons
- Capacity per Speed Boats : 8 – 12 persons
- Maximum catamarans available on the West Coast : 11
- Maximum speed boats available on the West Coast : 10

**What to bring:** sun cream, sun glasses and hats / caps.



- Dinner at the resort Main Restaurant (Ravinala)

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## **Beach BBQ Dinner on the beach of Sofitel**

"Dress white for a heavenly Night".

This night is meant to be the first party night, where the participants let loose and have fun for an exquisite Mauritian Night. Come as you are as this evening is meant to be feet in the sand and head in the stars...

Venue : Sofitel Beach  
Cocktail : Open bar with a selection of canapés  
Dinner : Buffet Menu  
Beverages : Open bar during dinner

### **Set up and Entertainment:**

- \* Bonfire on the beach
- \* Fire Jugglers and eaters show
- \* Sega Show







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## **Day 5: Group Departure**

From 07h00 the participants enjoy breakfast at the resort's main restaurant.

- Bag pull and check out
- Private coach transfer to the airport
- Departure formalities assisted by ABC Africa Team
- Departure of the outbound flight

**End of ABC Africa Travel & Tours arrangements**



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## **Accommodation Sofitel L'Imperial Resort & Spa, 5\* Mauritius West Coast**

Deluxe Rooms (Combination of Twin & Single Occupancy)

### **Rooms at Sofitel:**

Wake to ocean views in your luxury Mauritius accommodation. The peace is as striking as the facilities: a soft MyBed® (Special Signature mattresses from Sofitel), Bose surround sound, gleaming bathrooms with powerful rain showers for rinsing off sun and sand. Catch up on emails with free Wi-Fi.

