

## **2011 EUROPEAN ALUMNI REUNION**

**LISBON, JUNE 12-13, 2011** 

R.S.V.P. to <u>Ireunion@ic.utah.edu</u> by June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2011



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# Program for the European Reunion Lisbon, June 12-13, 2011

Sunday, JUNE 12

→ 10:00 - 11:30h

Guided tour of Oceanarium (http://www.oceanario.pt/)

Need to be in front of the Oceanarium at 9:45h







Opened in 1998, the Lisbon Oceanário was the centerpiece of the XXth Century's last World Fair, themed "The Oceans, a Heritage for the Future", and eternally binds Lisbon to the Oceans. With over one million visitors per year, the Oceanário welcomes the largest number of visitors anywhere in the country.

→12:00 - 13:00h

Guided tour of Calouste Gulbenkian Museum (www.museu.gulbenkian.pt)

Meeting point – the entrance (Address: Av. de Berna 45A, 1067-001 Lisboa)

Museu Calouste Gulbenkian is a museum in Lisbon, Portugal, containing a collection of ancient, and some modern art. The museum was founded according to Calouste Gulbenkian's last will, in order to accommodate and display his private art collection that now belongs to the Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation



Calouste Gulbenkian (23 March 1869–20 July 1955) was an Armenian businessman and philanthropist. He played a major role in making the petroleum reserves of the Middle East available to Western development. By the end of his life, he had become one of the world's wealthiest individuals and his art acquisitions considered one of the greatest private collections.

→13:00 - 14:30h

Lunch at a centrally located restaurant in the city

15:00 - 17:30h

Two and a half hour boat trip (www.transtejo.pt)

Need to be at the Terreiro do Paço at 14:30h



Enjoy Lisbon from the Tagus River! Transtejo gives us a unique opportunity to go on a pleasant cruise and experience magical moments, with an amazing view of the city and all the monuments along the river in the background. The cruise will first take us up the river, to see to the new part of the city, where the 1998 Lisbon World Exposition took place (Parque das Nações), and then go west to see the historical part of the city and emblematic monuments like Torre de Belém. There is a bar service with soft drinks and waters on the boat.



→ 18:00 - 23:30h

Dinner (starts at 18:30) and the official program (starts at 20:30) of the Reunion in Hotel Sofitel

(http://www.sofitel.com/gb/hotel-1319-sofitel-lisbon-liberdade/index.shtml)

Meeting point – the entrance

(Address: Av. da Liberdade 127, 1269-038 Lisboa)

#### Monday, JUNE 13

→ 9:30h (approx.)

Trip to Sintra (http://www.cm-sintra.pt/)

Train leaves from ''Lisboa - Santa Apolonia'' Station (http://www.cp.pt/cp/) at 9:36h and arrives to ''Sintra'' Station at 11:00



12:00 - 14:00h Lunch



→ 14:00h (approx.)

Walking tour of the city, including a visit to Quinta da Regaleira (http://www.regaleira.pt/), located near the historic center of Sintra and classified as a World Heritage Site by UNESCO. Along with other palaces in this area (such as the Pena National Palace, the Monserrate Palace and the Seteais Palace), it is one of the principal tourist attractions of Sintra. It consists of a romantic palace and chapel, and a luxurious park featuring lakes, grottoes, wells, benches, fountains, and a vast array of exquisite constructions.

Flexible return to Lisbon by train from ''Sintra'' Station, leaving every half an hour and taking slightly over 1 hour to get back to ''Lisboa - Santa Apolonia'' Station.



Informal Get-Together for those staying







Recommendations for Hotels, Sightseeing, Events and more...

## About Lisbon and Portugal:

http://www.visitlisboa.com/

http://www.strawberryworld-lisbon.com/

http://www.visitportugal.com/

#### Hotels:

Tivoli Lisboa - Located on Av. da Liberdade, this elegant 5-star Lisbon hotel is set right in the heart of the city <a href="http://www.tivolihotels.com/">http://www.tivolihotels.com/</a>

**Four Seasons Hotel Ritz Lisbon** - Long considered the city's finest hotel, five-star Four Seasons Hotel Ritz Lisbon reflects the nobility and charm of historic Portugal <a href="http://www.fourseasons.com/lisbon/">http://www.fourseasons.com/lisbon/</a>

Hotel Sofitel Lisboa - Sofitel Lisbon Liberdade is a luxury hotel where supreme style reigns. Located in downtown Lisbon, on the prestigious Avenue of the same name, its luxurious rooms will live up to your expectations <a href="http://www.sofitel.com/gb/hotel-1319-sofitel-lisbon-liberdade/index.shtml">http://www.sofitel.com/gb/hotel-1319-sofitel-lisbon-liberdade/index.shtml</a>

Heritage Lisbon Hotels - Collection of Small Boutique Hotels in the Historic Center of Lisbon <a href="http://www.heritage.pt/">http://www.heritage.pt/</a>
Hotel Avenida Palace - The Avenida Palace Hotel is a symbol of charm and elegance in more than one hundred years of its history <a href="http://www.hotelavenidapalace.pt/">http://www.hotelavenidapalace.pt/</a>

#### Travel:

Check airline ticket prices on <a href="http://www.cheapoair.com/">http://www.cheapoair.com/</a> Serveral discount airlines offer cheap flights to Lisbon including Air Berlin, Brussels Airlines, Germanwings and Easyjet.

#### Q&A

### Is there any registration fee?

Depending on the number of people, we might charge a fee of 30 Euros.

#### When is registration deadline?

The registration deadline is 1<sup>st</sup> of June, 2011.

#### How does one register for this event?

Register by e-mail to the International Center only ireunion@ic.utah.edu

#### Is a partner also welcome?

Partners and children are always welcome. Please let us know when registering how many adults and children will accompany you.

#### What will be the cost of attendance (besides the travel/hotel costs and personal expenses)?

The extra cost will probably amount to around 25-30 Euros per person (lunch in Lisbon on June 12<sup>th</sup>, round-trip train ticket to Sintra, and

lunch in Sintra on June 13<sup>th</sup>)

#### WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN LISBON!

The Utah Europe Association & The International Center

University of Utah



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Mr. President Young will not be able to attend due to his departure to University of Washington

