

# Santiago, Chile Tour



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# Tour Summary

The Andes Mountains form a spectacular backdrop for this fast-paced and modern metropolis, which proudly maintains its original Spanish colonial architecture. Santiago is the starting point for eager cruise ship passengers, dynamic business travelers and happy-go-lucky backpackers, all ready to explore one of the world's most promising destinations. Take a walk up to breathtaking high-altitude lookouts with magnificent views of the city. Then select from a myriad of refined restaurants that offer delicious local seafood and a host of international dishes.

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# Introduction





Santiago is currently South America's most modern and organized city, though it still maintains its initial Spanish Colonial architecture.





You can walk up to the top of Santa Lucia Hill, at 2,000 feet above sea level, for a panoramic view of the city.



The Santa Lucia Hill is also a pleasant park in the middle of Santiago's main business district.



Nearby is the historic presidential palace, La Moneda.





Outside Moneda Palace, the Changing of the Guard ceremony is held every two days at 10am.



See the finest of South American sculptures and paintings at the Fine Arts Museum.



Buy the unique bluestone jewelry and handicrafts at the city's many souvenir shops.





Enjoy top-quality wine, gourmet dining, and spirited nightlife in the Bellavista district.





Admire the natural beauty of the vast Metropolitan Park and its spectacular cable car.



The top of San Cristobal Hill in the Metropolitan Park is an excellent place to take photos.



This statue, the symbol of the city, is located at 3,000 feet above sea level.



Chile is one of the world's main fruit exporters and sidewalk stands filled with this delicious product can be found throughout the city.

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