IDO World Championships DECEMBER 2022 Ballet -Jazz -Modern/Contemporary and OPEN WORLD CUP in Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt



Sharm el-Sheikh

Sharm el-Sheikh is an Egyptian city on the southern tip of the Sinai Peninsula, in South Sinai Governorate, on the coastal strip along the Red Sea. Sharm El Sheikh is the administrative hub of Egypt's South Sinai Governorate, which includes the smaller coastal towns of Dahab and Nuweiba as well as the mountainous interior, St. Catherine and Mount Sinai. The city and holiday resort is a significant centre for tourism in Egypt, while also attracting many international conferences and diplomatic meetings.





Tourism

Sharm El Sheikh's major industry is foreign and domestic tourism, owing to its landscape, yearround dry climate with long hot summers and warm winters and its long beaches. Its waters are clear and calm for most of the year and have become popular for various watersports, particularly recreational scuba diving and snorkelling. Due to the diversity of marine life: 250 different coral reefs and 1000 species of fish, the natural resources, together with its proximity to tourist markets in Europe, have stimulated rapid growth in tourism in the region.

Quick Facts

Sharm el-Sheikh is an Egyptian resort town between the desert of the Sinai Peninsula and the Red Sea. It's known for its sheltered sandy beaches, clear waters and coral reefs. Naama Bay, with a palm tree-lined promenade, is filled with bars and restaurants. Ras Muhammad National Park is a major diving destination, with marine life around the Shark and Yolanda reefs and the Thistlegorm wreck.

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Dancers Abroad

Is Egypt allowing international tourists? You must be in possession of a visa to visit Egypt. If you are travelling to Egypt with a regular passport, you may obtain a tourist visa at an Egyptian airport upon arrival. However, we recommend that you obtain a visa from the nearest Egyptian Embassy or consulate prior to your departure or <u>online</u>.

Do I need Covid test to enter Egypt?

Yes if not vaccinated. All passengers travelling to Egypt (including Egyptians) must be in possession of negative PCR test certificate for COVID-19 with Quick Response (QR) code, taken at a maximum of 72 hours before their flight departure time

Is Egypt Safe?

The honest truth is that Egypt isn't 100% safe like most countries, but it's still a country that can be safely travelled through because there's still a large part of the country that welcome tourists with open arms. Egypt is very safe to travel as long as you stick to certain destinations, such as the resort town of Sharm El Sheik, work with a reputable local tour operator if going to the pyramids, and be a smart traveller





Travel Advisory

Travel warnings in Egypt<u>do not</u> include the coastal resort of Sharm el-Sheikh, the area within the Sharm el-Sheikh perimeter barrier, the Sharm el-Sheikh International Airport and the areas of Hadaba, Naama Bay, Nabq, Sharks Bay and Sharm el Maya. Advisories for Egypt are for places you won't be travelling to.

The World Championships

IDO Egypt will host the IDO World Ballet & Jazz Championships as well as the IDO World Modern/Contemporary Championship in December of 2022.

Many of the Europeans and Americans do travel to this tourist destination and the upmost will be done for the safety of our dancers in order to enjoy their time at this tropical paradise.

See you there!