

Panama





Beautiful.



Natural.



Intriguing.

## FAST FACTS

### Location

In the center of the Americas, Panama limits north with the Caribbean Sea, south with the Pacific Ocean, east with Colombia and west with Costa Rica.

### Connectivity

Panama offers great advantages as the Hub of the Americas. Tocumen International Airport connects Panama City to key European destinations such as Germany, Spain, France, Italy, The Netherlands and Turkey through direct flights with Lufthansa, Iberia, KLM, Air France and Turkish Airlines.

### Weather

Panama has Tropical climate throughout the year in the lowlands, and temperate climate in the highlands. At sea level the average annual temperature is 27°C / 80.6°F. There are 2 seasons: dry season from December to April and rainy from May through November.



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### When to travel

At any time of the year, the weather allows it and there is plenty to do.

### Accommodations

Prestigious hotel chains and independent brands, 20,000 rooms in the metropolitan area and 10,000 in the provinces.

### Dress

It is recommended to wear light clothing, thin fresh fabrics. If you are visiting the highlands, it is convenient to wear a light jacket or a windbreaker.

### Language

The official language is Spanish. Most Panamanians speak some English and many speak it fluently, especially those working in hospitality in major tourist destinations.



## FAST FACTS

### Currency

The US Dollar circulates freely and parallel to the Panamanian Balboa, which has parity with US\$.

### Banks

There are more than 1,000 ATMs, most in the metropolitan area. The rest is in the provinces, within supermarkets and shopping malls.

### Electricity

110 volts.





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CHASERS





2,490 km of coastline  
combined from the  
Caribbean and the  
Pacific sides.





1,518 islands, dazzling gems in both oceans.







Countless beaches of soft  
sands and transparent waters,  
kissed by the warm tropical  
sun.





UNFORGETTABLE

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ADVENTURES





Scenarios created by nature  
through millions of years.





Peaks where the soul  
touches the sky.





Mysteries of an amazing world, waiting to be explored.





ADRENALINE

TO THE MAX



Spectacular rivers to  
experience the excitement  
of river rafting.





Surfing beaches recognized worldwide for their incredible waves.







Go fishing! Panama has more than 250 world records of fishing, more than any other country.



GREEN

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IN MILLION OF SHADES



The second largest tropical rainforest of the American continent.





The Coffee Route and the Organic Cocoa Tour, two delicious highland experiences of award-winning Panamanian coffee and eco-cultivated cocoa.



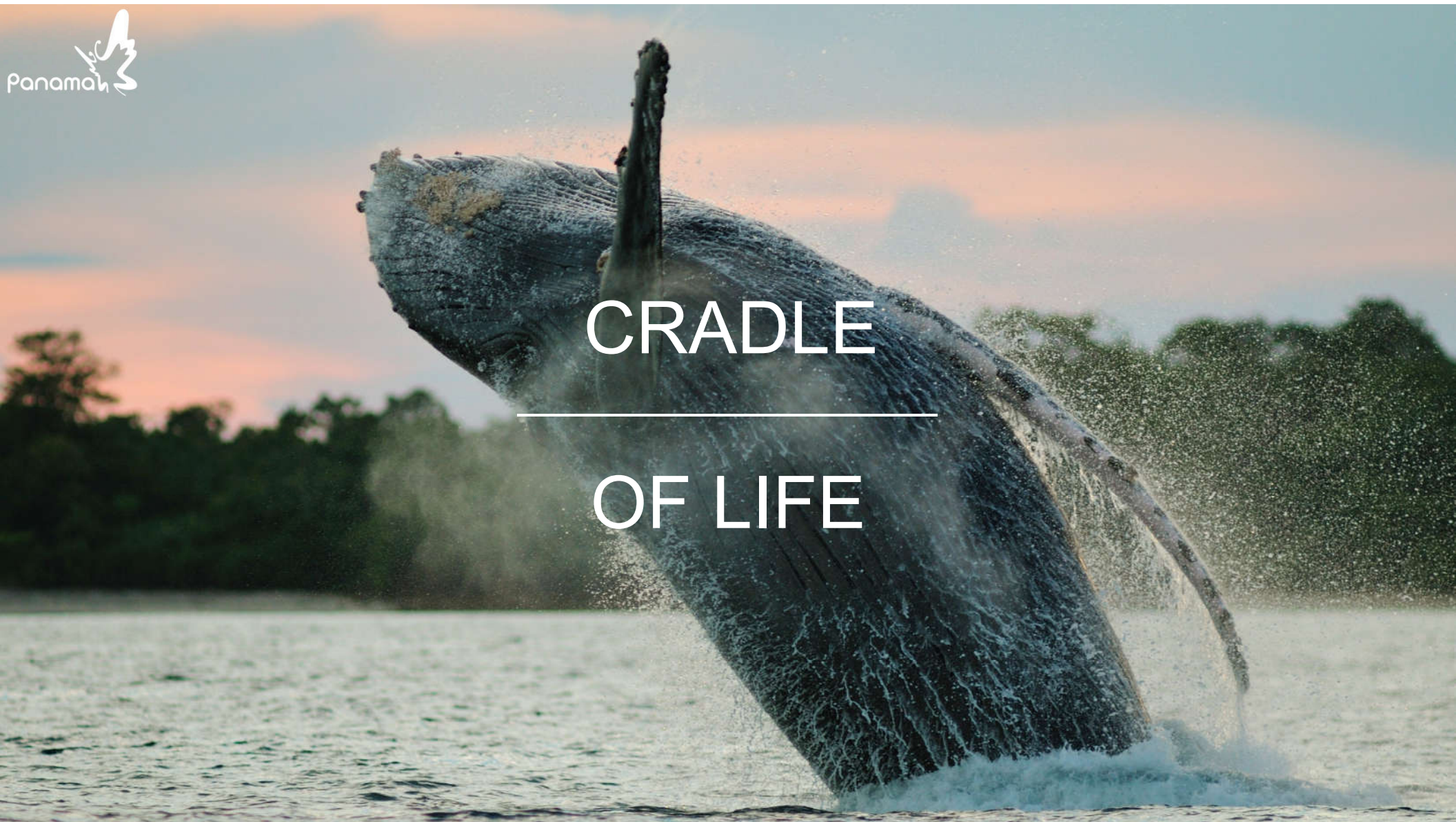
The vegetation at the top of the Baru Volcano (3,475 m) gives way to an imposing view of the Caribbean sea and Pacific ocean.





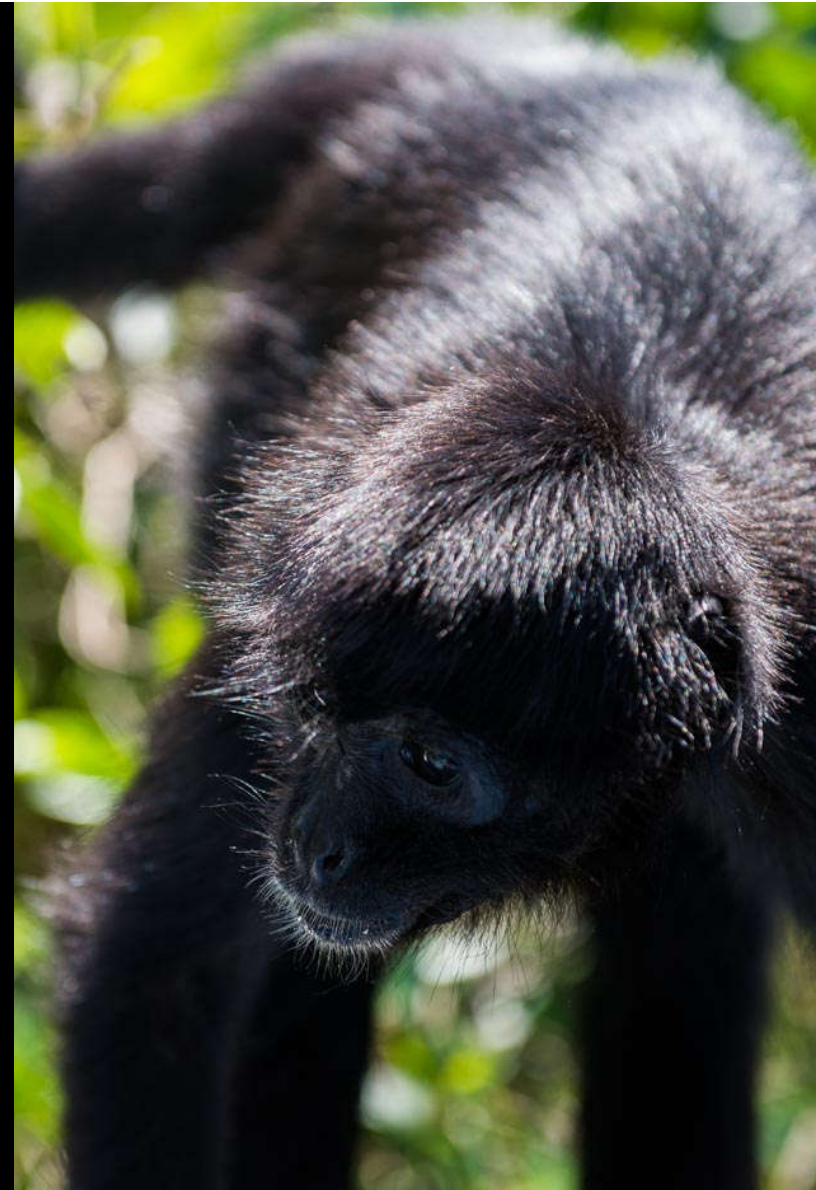
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OF LIFE





More biodiversity than in most countries of the world.





1,002 species of birds, more than in Canada, the United States and Mexico combined.





1,500 species of trees, 675  
species of ferns and 1,200  
species of orchids.





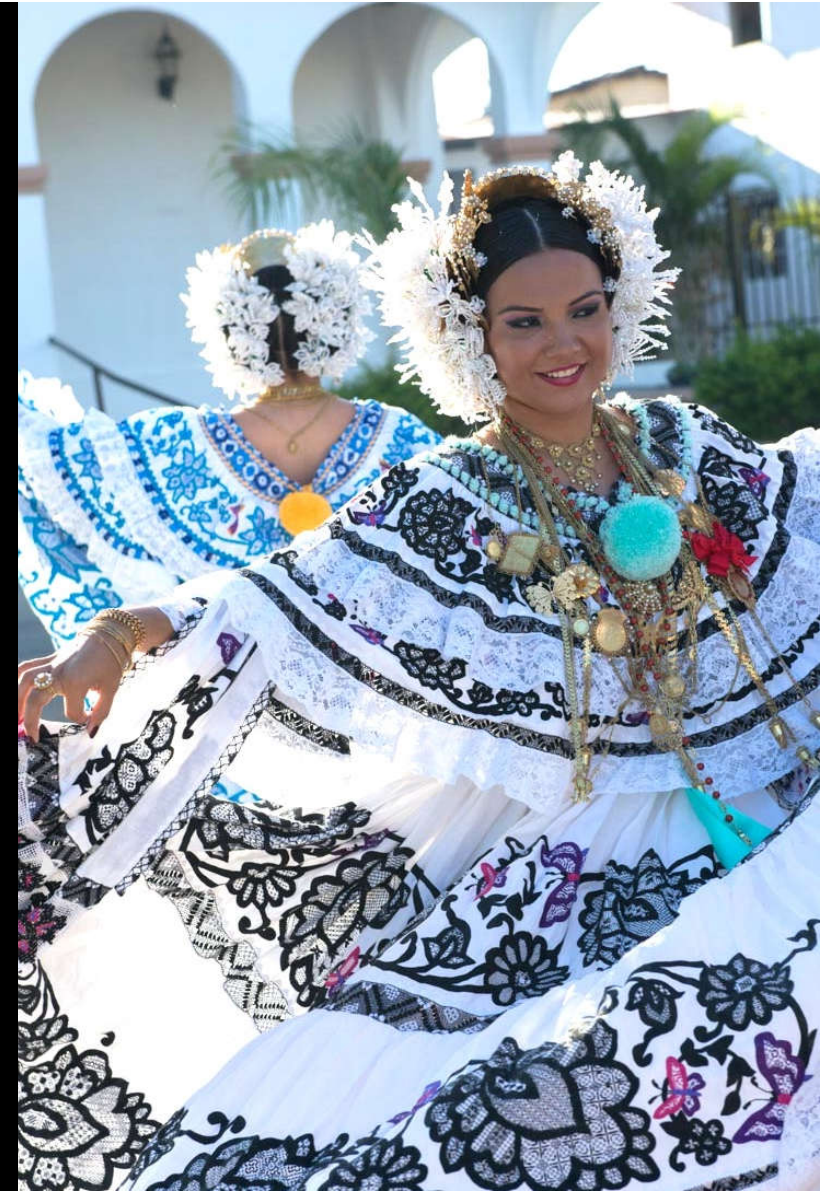
One of the best places in the world for whale watching.





WHERE  
CULTURES MEET

Every year, more than 10,000 polleras - the national costume - dazzle with its beauty in a great parade.



The native people surprise by their warmth and friendship.





The people of the Caribbean coast  
see life with the colors of joy.



Picturesque villages fill the corners of the interior.



From the mixture of cultures  
emerges a gastronomy as diverse  
as exquisite.







DEEP

ROOTS



Archaeological displays surround you with mystery and takes your imagination flying to other times.



Panama City was the first settlement of Europeans in the American Pacific. In 1671, it was looted and destroyed by pirate Henry Morgan.

In 1983, UNESCO inscribed the Historic Monumental Complex of Old Panama Viejo on The World Heritage List.



Other 6 sites, including imposing ruins of fortifications and natural areas, have been declared World Heritage Site by UNESCO.



The Old Town of the capital captivates by its beautiful architecture and bohemian atmosphere.



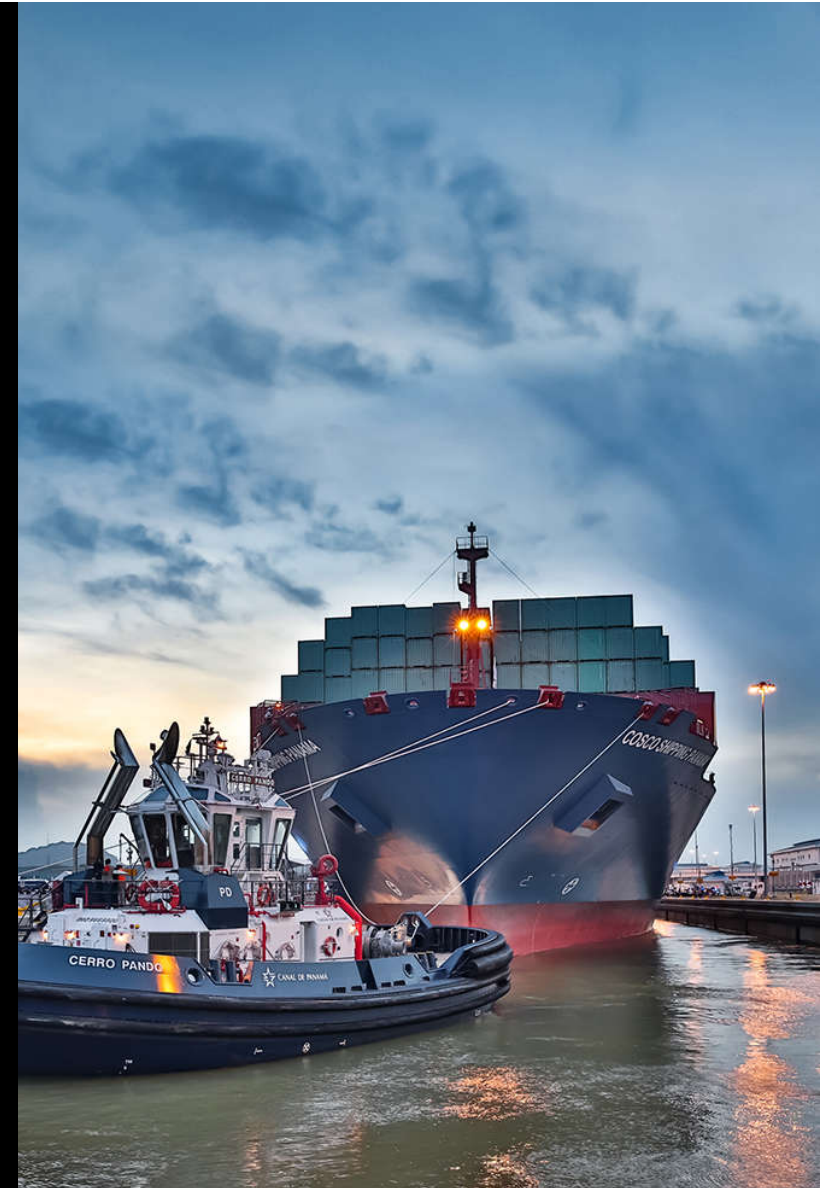


# THE PANAMA CANAL





One of the wonders of engineering,  
connects the maritime world.





You must see the operation of this colossal work, it is an amazing experience.





Visiting the canal expansion you can admire the mega ships that, due to their size, can only pass through the new locks.





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