



Things You Didn't Know About the Shanghai Expo



STAY IN STYLE AND GET TWO FREE TICKETS TO THE 2010 WORLD EXPO IN SHANGHAI!

Start the day with a hearty breakfast while you map out your Expo plan over the WiFi service at the luxurious, brand-new **Ascott Huai Huai Road Shanghai** - both are included in this package!

Then, pick up your two FREE tickets and get ready to see the best from the world's brightest minds at Expo 2010. After a long day of exploring, we'll welcome you home to your spacious and well-appointed apartment where a good night's sleep is assured - it's the perfect way to rest up to do it all again the next day! This offer is also available at Ascott's other serviced residences in Shanghai: **Somerset Xu Hui, Citadines Shanghai Biyun and Citadines Shanghai Jinqiao.**

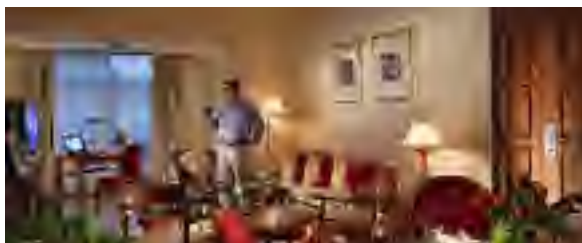
[more](#)





While you are enjoying your stay at one of our Shanghai serviced residences, you won't want to miss the chance to visit the 2010 World Expo. But how much do you really know about this once-in-a-lifetime event?

- 1 While sovereign countries from Spain to Saudi Arabia have their own pavilions, another unusual contender is the United Nations, who will be screening a film featuring sound-bites and interviews from 6,000 people from around the world.
- 2 China proudly boasts a myriad of its own pavilions. Guizhou province in the Southwest has constructed a replica of one of its famous waterfalls - and it flows with the region's own famous brand of baijiu spirits.
- 3 The gargantuan Expo site is twice the size of Monaco... and twenty times the size of the 2008 Expo held in Spain.
- 4 To upgrade the city's infrastructure and accommodate the 70 million expected visitors, the Shanghai council improved the metro line, making it the longest in the world.
- 5 A low estimate puts China's total investment for the Expo at US\$4.2 billion (though some say as high as \$58 billion, including peripheral investments); twice the amount that was spent on the Beijing Olympics.



Early Bird Promotion in Ho Chi Minh City

Explore the magical mayhem of **Ho Chi Minh City** from your own private studio apartment and enjoy special daily rates from just **US\$90**. Just make an advance online reservation for stays between now and 31 December 2010.

BOOK NOW



Family Weekend Shopping Experience in Jakarta

Tired of all the usual shopping spots near home? Why not spice things up by jetting off to Jakarta for bargains and a plethora of fine finds! But you won't have to leave the comforts of home behind if you stay at **Somerset Berlian, Jakarta** just a 10-minute drive from a variety of high-fashion shopping centres. Shop by day; be enveloped by secure comfort at night!

BOOK NOW

Find out more about our other specials and packages at:

www.the-ascott.com/specials

new
property opening - Citadines Melbourne on Bourke



One More Reason To Love Melbourne
If the fresh air, rich cultural offerings and Victorian era architecture weren't already reasons aplenty to visit Melbourne, here's another one: the NEW Citadines Melbourne on Bourke (opening in July 2010) with introductory daily rates from AUD \$150!

BOOK NOW



The Ascott Limited is a member of CapitalLand. It is the largest global serviced residence owner-operator in Asia Pacific, Europe and the Gulf region, managing the *Ascott*, *Somerset* and *Citadines* brands in over 60 cities across 22 countries.

[Become a member](#) | [Locations](#) | [Contact Us](#) | [Privacy Statement](#) | [Subscribe](#) | [Unsubscribe](#)

 [Join us on Facebook](#) |  [Follow us on Twitter](#)

Please do not reply to this email. Mail sent to this address cannot be answered. This email has been sent to subscribers of The Ascott Limited newsletters. The Ascott Limited respects your privacy. For a full description of our privacy policy, please [click here](#).

Update Your Profile

Ensure you receive the most relevant information from The Ascott Limited and manage your email subscriptions by signing in and [updating your profile](#).

Please allow up to 10 days for processing opt-out requests. You may receive our newsletters during this period after opting out.

If you have other questions, suggestions or comments, please [send us a message](#).