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New York City skyline

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New York City Information

New York City (NYC) is regarded as one of the world's leading travel destinations, attracting more than 52 million visitors in 2012. Offering exceptional dining, shopping, nightlife and culture, world-class arts and entertainment, NYC has an energy and vibrancy that cannot be found anywhere else.

With three international airports and a plethora of public transportation options, NYC is easily accessible and convenient to navigate. Some of the many advantages of hosting ISBTS 2017 in NYC include:

- With 92,000 hotel rooms and over 1 million square feet of event space, there's far more choice and flexibility in creating and accommodating special events while remaining flexible in price points.
- The 'City that never sleeps' offers inexpensive and reliable public transit system that operates 24/7 and makes getting from meeting to entertainment and hotels easy.
- NYC's arts venues make headlines, with endless new additions, from the Museum of Natural History ("Night at the Museum" fame!) to the expanding wings of The Metropolitan Museum of Art.
- NYC's vibrant entertainment scene includes free celebrity TV show tapings, live rock and jazz concerts, nightly sets from popular comedians and endless star-studded performances
- NYC shopping creates more excitement than any other destination. Buyers find experiences year-round to match every price point and style.
- New York City's 24,000 restaurants embody the City's diverse interests and cultures. Dining experiences feature celebrity chefs and signature New York fare, along with fine dining from every corner of the globe.

Before or after ISBTS 2017, attendees and guests can sample Manhattan's iconic cultural masterpieces—The Metropolitan Museum of Art, Museum of Modern Art and the Guggenheim Museum—or experience a live show on Broadway, at Lincoln Center, a TV studio or in jazz clubs from Harlem to Greenwich Village. The list of key landmarks—too long to list—is topped by the Statue of Liberty, the Empire State

Building, Times Square, South Street Seaport, The Cloisters and Rockefeller Center. Whether one chooses to shop, dine or just people-watch, there's truly no place in the world like Manhattan!

Getting to New York City is quick and affordable. With three major airports and four other nearby landing areas, plus a comprehensive East Coast transit system, domestic and international attendees can get to NYC with ease. New York and its airports serve as a major hub for international travel into the United States and almost no other city in the world can boast such easy and direct accessibility, and once here, incredibly easy and convenient public transport through all hours of day and night.



Times Square