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THE VENUE CITY HOTEL LJUBLJANA

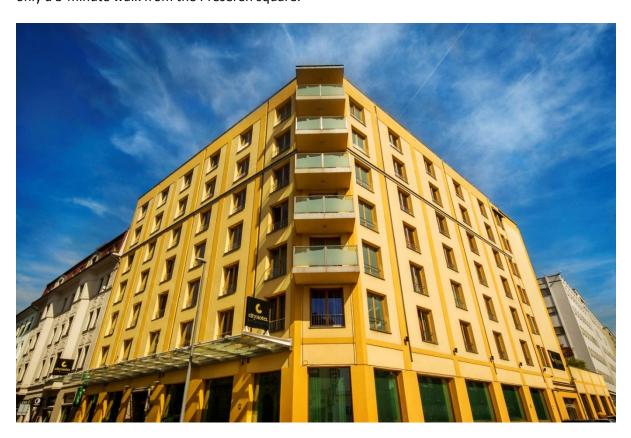
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The <u>City Hotel Ljubljana</u> is located at the heart of Ljubljana, at the beginning of the traffic-free area and only a 3-minute walk from the Prešeren square.











HOW TO REACH CITY HOTEL LJUBLJANA

BY CAR - PARKING

Hotel Garage entrance:

Located: on the opposite side of the main Hotel entrance, on Tavčarjeva street 10.

Access to the Hotel Garage (arriving from Dalmatinova or Komenskega street): link: HERE

Cost: We offer secure parking in our underground garage for 20 EUR per day.

How to book: 32 parking spaces are available. We request you make an inquiry in advance (please leave a comment upon placing your reservation / email / call). Your space will not be guaranteed until we confirm it.

Ljubljana is located at the intersection of the main Slovenian traffic routes.

A vignette is required when using Slovenian highways. A link to buy an e-vignette: <u>HERE</u> A weekly vignette costs 15 EUR.

BY PLANE

Ljubljana is accessible by plane. The international Ljubljana Jože Pučnik Airport (Brnik) lies 25 km northwest of Ljubljana. It hosts flights to all the major European cities and airports. At City Hotel Ljubljana, we wish to make your stay in Ljubljana as easy as possible by providing

the following airport transfer options:

Shuttle minibus (12 EUR per person one way)

Private airport transfer (62 EUR per up to 2 persons one way).

Both services provide door-to-door transport to/from City Hotel, carefree and with no hassle. You can also reach Ljubljana relatively easily from neighbouring country airports:

Austria (Klagenfurt - 79 km or Graz - 160 km) Croatia (Zagreb - 135 km) Italy (Trieste - 120 km, Venice - 220 km)

We will be happy to organize airport transfer to the hotel for you:

For transfer reservations, please write to us at: info@cityhotel.si OR CALL AT +386 1 239 00 00.

BY BUS

Ljubljana has bus connections to all European countries. We are located only 400 meters from the main bus station. Traveling by bus is also a good option for short trips across Slovenia and for discovering Ljubljana's surroundings.

More information: <u>Ljubljana Bus Station</u>









BY TRAIN

Ljubljana has international railway connections due to its central geographical location. Train travel throughout Europe is immensely popular, and with our proximity to the station, guests can seamlessly embark on their European adventures.

We are located only 400 meters from the main train station and easily accessible.

How to reach us from Main train station:

Simply head southeast on Trdinova Street, then turn left onto Dalmatinova Street, where you'll find us on the right-hand side.

More information: Ljubljana Railway station: Domestic and International train Schedule HERE

ACCOMMODATION

Please note that each participant is responsible for arranging and paying for their own travel a nd accommodation. Please be aware that according to the Grant Agreement, travel and hotel costs are to be covered by the countries themselves.

There are many hotels around the venue. To book your accommodation at City hotel: HERE

USEFUL INFORMATION

TIME

Central European with one hour forward in summer (GMT + 1).

Currency: Euro

Major credit cards are widely accepted throughout the country. Automatic cash dispensers

(ATMs) are easily found both in Ljubljana and around Slovenia.

Language: Slovenian: Locals speak fluently English and / or German and Italian.

Electricity: 220 V

Telephone dialling codes: Country code: +386 Ljubljana city code: (0)1International calls from

Slovenia: 00+country+city codes Emergency numbers: Police: 113

Fire Brigade: 112 Ambulance & First Aid: 112

Medical assistance: 232 30 60

AMZS, Slovenian Automobile Club: Info 530 53 00 Road emergency and towing service: 1987

CLIMATE









Slovenia, although a small country – half the size of Switzerland, has three distinct climate types: continental, Alpine and sub-Mediterranean. A good part of the country, including Ljubljana, is characterized by a typical European continental climate with warm, dry summers and fairly cold winters, while the coastal areas and the lowlands in the south have a milder climate. The chart below illustrates the mean annual temperature in Ljubljana. (Source www.weather.com).

On average, the warmest month is July, and the coolest month is January. The most precipitation on average occurs in June.

LJUBLJANA AT A GLANCE

Ljubljana is a city tailored to people, cosmopolitan for work, yet green and pleasant for relaxation. It's a city like many charming European capitals, yet like none other. It is woven with picturesque and pleasant corners where you can experience numerous small surprises — whether you have lived here your whole life or are stepping into the city for the first time. Through the eyes of residents and visitors alike, you can discover it anew every month and become part of the community that appreciates this wonderful city.

And how do we nickname Ljubljana?

By changing just one letter in our city's name, you get the word "Ljubljena", meaning "The Beloved". It's only right that the capital of the only country in the world holding LOVE in its name has a romantic twist...

More about Ljubljana: **HERE**

Top 10 best sights for everyone in Liubliana. With maps and descriptions

SLOVENIA'S GREEN EMBRACE

Halfway between London and Istanbul; a good two-hour drive from Venice; or a short trip from the metropolises of Vienna and Prague – geographically, historically, and culturally, Slovenia has for long been a blend of diverse features. In a relatively small area of 20,273 square kilometres one can find the best of a whole continent: mountains and lakes, the









Adriatic Sea, rolling hills and vineyards, ancient castles, and charming cities with a more dynamic urban beat, with pristine countryside flourishing around them.

As a country that historically developed at the crossroads, Slovenia has absorbed influences from the neighbouring territories that have left their distinctive traces – the result being a stunning variety of professions, lifestyles, traditions and culture shared by its 2,100,000 residents.

With 60% of its surface area covered by woods, it's the third most forested country in Europe, while more than two thirds of its territory have for twenty years been placed under the protection of the Natura 2000 Network, making it the leading country on the continent.

Whether in the city or in the countryside, wherever you turn, you will find an abundance of green topped by a striking biodiversity. For centuries, the people living here have been in harmony with nature and still making their best to preserve the country green for future generations. Efforts aimed at sustainable development and environmental preservation have been systematically integrated through education and certification in the tourism & travel sector, thus reinforcing the country's international image as a rising star among green destinations.

Some interesting facts?

- Slovenia consistently ranks among the top 10 countries in the Global Peace Index and is in 2022 positioned as the 6th safest country in Europe and 7th in the world.
- Slovenia is also one of the most environmentally friendly countries in the world. According to the Good Country Index, Slovenia ranks fourth among 169 countries in terms of its positive contribution to the planet and the climate.
- Slovenia is in the world's top for the number of published books per million residents, only exceeded by Great Britain. Poetry is a cherished literary genre. In terms of musical tradition, Ljubljana boasts having the second oldest Philarmonic society in Europe, whose predecessor was established in 1701.
- Slovenia is also in the world's top according to general participation in sport, which amounts to 64% of the population, and ranks alongside Scandinavian countries. It also features very high in the statistics of Olympic medallists per number of country residents. Not only the oldest wooden wheel with an axle and the oldest known instrument, a Neanderthal flute, in the world were discovered in Slovenia, as it is also home to the oldest skis found in Central Europe.









• Slovenia is a country with above-average biodiversity and is an absolute champion in terms of the number of animal and plant species per square kilometre. Its area accounts for 0.004% of the Earth's total area and 0.014% of the Earth's land area. Nonetheless, it is home to 1% of all known species and more than 2% of all terrestrial species. Slovenia is home to over 3,100 native plant species and 18 registered native animal species. It also has a native honeybee species, the Carniolan honeybee, while the Lipizzan white horse breed was established in Lipica in the Slovenian Karst region in 1580.

It is no cliché but pure truth that there are only a few countries in the world where one can hit the ski slopes of the Alps in the morning and then drive off to take a dip in the sea in the afternoon.

This, and much more, can absolutely be done in Slovenia. All in the same day. Enjoy your discovery!

