

#### Weekly Travel Industry Insight

### SPANISH TOURISM WILL LOSE MORE THAN 100 BILLION EUROS IN 2020



The tourism sector in Spain, the second-largest destination in the world, is expected to suffer a loss of more than 100 billion euros in 2020 due to the Covid-19 pandemic, a return to the level of activity of 1995,...



## RUSSIAN TOURISTS PLAN TO TRAVEL UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS



The Covid-19 crisis period has not only sharply reduced travelling around the world, but also greatly affected the preferences and expectations of tourists. This is also the case of Russian tourists, as Booking.com...



# THAILAND TOURISM: UNREST NEEDS TO BE SOLVED QUICKLY Video



Thailand has suffered significant losses due to the pandemic compared to \$60 billion in revenue in 2019. Only 6.7 million tourists are estimated to arrive in Thailand this year - a huge decrease from an average...



#### STAYCATION TO BOOST THE TOURISM INDUSTRY IN VIETNAM Video



In a context of limited travel and a sense of insecurity, mini-trips close to home are booming all over the world, including in Vietnam.



VIRTUAL TRAVEL – A TOOL TO KEEP TOURISTS ATTRACTED



The health crisis has accelerated the use of technology for many players. Many companies turn to virtual travel offer to maintain a link with the travelers' favorite destinations and heritage sites.



## BRAZIL: TOURISM SECTOR REVENUE DROPS 33.6% IN 2020



The Brazilian tourism sector revenue was R\$ 70.4 billion between January and August 2020. This is a decrease of 33.6% compared to the same period in 2019.



### EC REQUIRED TO SUSPEND VISA EXEMPTION OF U.S. CITIZENS



Last week, the European Parliament (EP) has demanded that the European Commission (EC) takes measures and suspends the visa exemption of United States nationals traveling to EU for twelve months, in response to...



## E-LEARNING IN PANDEMIC TIMES – NOT ACCESSIBLE TO EVERYONE



According to UNESCO, the current SARS-CoV-2 pandemic has affected nearly 1.5 billion students around the world, both in basic and university education. Audrey Azoulay, Director-General of UNESCO, says that "as...



# PORTUGUESE HOTELS EXPECT A LOSS OF REVENUE OF EUR 3.6 BILLION Video



Raul Martins, president of the Portuguese Hotels Association (AHP), estimates that the loss of revenue from hotels in 2020 could exceed 3.6 billion euros, a more pessimistic forecast than that made in June.



AUSTRIAN TOURISM: PRE-COVID LEVELS NOT TO BE REACHED WITHIN 3 YEARS



For more than half a year, Corona has been changing the world, its people, the way they live together, and last but not least the local and global economy. Austrian tourism has been also impacted by the pandemic...



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