## **Colombia Project Fair**

International Experience Opportunity Colombia Project Fair (Districts 4271 and 4281) Barranquilla, Colombia

February 3-5, 2023



Please join me as I attend next year's Colombian Project Fair – with the intention of meeting our friends in Colombia and learning about opportunities our club can assist with!!

This is a unique opportunity to attend the 8th annual project fair sponsored by the clubs in two districts in the beautiful country of Colombia.

The project fair will allow you to meet Rotarians from all over the country as they come together to present project opportunities their areas. We will be joined by Rotarians from other parts of the world and have a chance to establish relationships that could lead to lasting friendships and close future collaboration opportunities.

Perhaps more importantly, we will be able to get a taste of Barranquilla, its culture, and its people in a way few tourists are able to experience.

## **The Plan**

Tuesday January 31 - travel to Barranquilla.

Wednesday February 1 – Relax, enjoy some sites of the city, do some shopping and enjoy some Colombian food. We will plan an evening event for the group once the number of travelers has been determined!

Thursday - Saturday, February 2, 3 & 4 – The Project Fair will be in full swing. There will be activities associated with the Fair that will be available for our enjoyment. Here again, details are not yet available, but I assure you - Colombians know how to entertain!

Sunday February 5 – TBA

Monday February 6 – TBA.

Tuesday February 7 - We will depart home

## The Costs

The following are approximations based on my best available information at this time.

Airfare – currently around \$700 per person round trip from Boston

Hotel – Still being confirmed – either onsite – same place as fair – if available OR another hotel nearby

Project Fair takes place at Dann Carlton Barranquilla – approx. \$100 per night including taxes and fees.

Depending on group size and availability other locations will be arranged – possibly Hotel El Prado Project Fair Registration - \$290 per person

Ground transportation, some meals and activities – Estimated - \$250-\$400 per person.

## **ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES:**

AIRFARE - @\$500-@\$700 (BOSTON to BARRANQUILLA) PROJECT FAIR \$290 HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS Est \$100/night – 7 nights - \$700 MISC - \$250-\$500 TOTAL ESTIMATED COST \$1740 - \$2190

Please let me know if any questions and if you would like to to join in!

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