

# Green Events, inspired by the environment

Marriott International aims to be the global pioneer in sustainable hotel management. Our Green Events prove that you can have the perfect event respecting the environment. This means, we are creating new, fresh ideas that contribute to preserving the world around us.

## Marriott Hotels & Resorts SPIRIT TO PRESERVE

- Reduction/compensation of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions
- Protection of the rainforests through the "Juma Amazonas Project"
- Reduction of energy consumption
  - Widespread use of ENERGY STAR<sup>®</sup>-certified electrical appliances
  - Use of energy-saving lighting equipment
- Reduction of water consumption
  - Water-efficient sanitary facilities
  - Towels and bed linen used time and time again
- Use of renewable energy resources
- Avoidance of waste or recycling
- Use of environmentally friendly products
- Our employees participate actively in protecting the environment – worldwide

## Green Meetings and Events

- Environmentally friendly materials, facilities and table decorations
- Paperless quotes and invoices plus display boards, everything electronic
- Online event planning and menus
- Use of recycled/recyclable or FSC\* paper/whiteboards instead of flipcharts
- Pens made from recycled material, biodegradable
- Drinks in environmentally friendly bottles or carafes
- Use of local and seasonal products, including organic and fair trade products, such as fair trade coffee
- Recycling of waste in the events area
- Less table linen: less of a burden on the environment
- Snacks and coffee breaks largely free of packaging
- Opportunity to offset CO<sub>2</sub> through rain forest replanting

\* Forest Stewardship Council

## Zürich Marriott Hotel

- ISO 14001 certification (environmental management system)
- Recycled consumables/Nameplate collection boxes
- Uses only post-consumer paper
- Water saving showers heads in all guest rooms
- Water conserving toilets in all guest rooms
- Motion sensor and timed light switches in all offices and storage rooms
- Water conserving faucets in all public restrooms
- Re-Usable, thermal lunch boxes
- Florescent lighting throughout meeting areas
- Restaurants use whenever possible products supplied by providers of organic products
- Buying of tickets for public transport

Learn about Marriott's Green Events by visiting [eventsbymarriott.eu](http://eventsbymarriott.eu)

Contact us to make your next meeting green.



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