



Summer 2019



EXPO
2020
DUBAI
UAE

Connecting Minds, Creating the Future

20 October 2020 - 10 April 2021

Expo 2020 Dubai Site



Expo Site: 4.38 sq km

For the first time at a World Expo, over 190 participating countries will each have their own pavilion.

Expo 2020 Key Highlights

Travel Around the World in a Day

Explore incredible pavilions showcasing a range of groundbreaking experiences including The Hyperloop and the Amazon basin.

Indulge in Culinary Delights from Over 200 F&B Outlets

Discover new gastronomic experiences including over 30 never-before-seen concepts in Dubai.

Casual dining | Menus inspired by Michelin-starred chefs
Food trucks | Asian | Caribbean | African | European
Middle Eastern

Experience 60 Live Events a Day

Building on the three subthemes of Opportunity, Mobility and Sustainability, visitors will be enthralled by a diverse array of programmes.

Dazzling parades | Arts & culture shows
Music & literary festivals | Wellness events | Business events

Host Extraordinary Events

A once in a lifetime opportunity to host your events in a truly unique location. The Dubai Exhibition Centre, a state-of-the-art indoor venue, provides a perfect destination for all events from gala dinners, conferences, and award ceremonies, to birthday celebrations and wedding receptions.

History of World Expos

A World Expo is a large international exhibition designed to showcase the achievements of nations. The first World Expo held in London 1851 was attended by six million people, including renowned personalities like Charles Darwin, George Eliot and Charles Dickens. World Expos are known for celebrating the best of human ingenuity and showcase inventions, projects and ideas, aiming to promote cultural exchange between people and nations. To date, 33 cities have now hosted a World Expo, from London to Osaka and now, Dubai.

Expo 2020 Dubai

From 20 October 2020 to 10 April 2021, the largest event ever staged in the Middle East, Africa and South East Asia – is set to welcome millions of visitors from across the globe.

Running under the overarching theme of 'Connecting Minds, Creating the Future', Expo 2020 is an expression of the belief that innovation and progress are the result of people and ideas coming together in original and unique ways.

More than 190 countries will participate in Expo 2020, demonstrating creative interpretations and solutions to issues posed by the three subthemes of Opportunity, Mobility and Sustainability.

An Expo for Everyone

Visitors will experience warm Emirati hospitality at its finest, as well as the UAE's values of inclusion, tolerance and cooperation.

Expo 2020 is set to welcome 25 million visits - 70% of which are expected to be by international visitors.

Whether you are a fun or experience seeker, an architecture lover, culture enthusiast or foodie - Expo 2020 is for everyone. Local, global and interstellar journeys will offer inspirational fun for students and a special edutainment programme will be available for companies and incentives.

Leisure Visitors

Couples, families, youth, luxury travellers

Business Visitors

Meetings, Incentive, Conferencing & Exhibitions, business extenders

Educational Visitors

School and university field trips

Tickets

Expo 2020 has a variety of ticket options available, including:

1 Day Pass - AED 120 (\$33)

3 Day Pass - AED260 (\$71)

**Monthly Pass
Season Pass***

Further information on pricing and distribution of Monthly Pass and Season Pass will be announced in due course.

*Season Pass holders will have unlimited access to Expo 2020 from 20 October 2020 to 10 April 2021.

Special Programmes

Diwali, Festival of Lights

November 2020

UAE National Day Golden Jubilee

December 2020

Christmas

December 2020

New Year's Eve

December 2020

Chinese New Year

February 2021

International Women's Day

March 2021

Thematic Districts & Country Pavilions*



Opportunity Pavilion

Architect: Cox Architecture

The visitor experience is based on a series of gameplay moments that will challenge your thinking on issues related to basic needs of water, food and energy by simulating environments of real individuals who are agents of change in their own communities.



Mobility Pavilion

Architect: Foster + Partners

The journey begins aboard the world's largest elevating platform, which takes you to the House of Wisdom in ninth-century Baghdad before you head on to meet nine-metre-tall historical giants of Mobility.



Terra - The Sustainability Pavilion

Architect: Grimshaw Architects

Tiptoe underneath a dense forest as the roots communicate with one another, risk the planet's future in a game of high-stakes pinball and meet a giant fish who's furious about the plastic waste that's clogging up his ocean home.



UAE Pavilion

Architect: Santiago Calatrava

Designed in the shape of a falcon in flight, the pavilion will tell the history of the nation as a connected global hub, and showcase the vision of its leaders to create a peaceful and progressive society with ambitious plans for the future.

Al Wasl Plaza



Expo 2020 has large-scale venues to suit every outdoor celebration, including Al Wasl Plaza (more than 8,000 people), Jubilee Park (15,000 people) and Al Forsan Park (2,500 people).

Jubilee Park



Dubai Exhibition Centre (DEC)



The DEC will combine the best of technology, design and innovation in a 45,000 SQM world class facility. For six months, there will be like no other place on earth offering such a unique setting to host events, all within a World Expo.

Mobility District

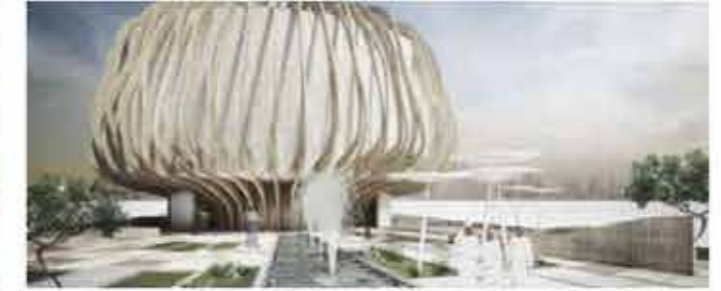


Finland Pavilion

Theme: Sharing Innovative Competences

Architect: JKMM

Finland will showcase its many areas of excellence, from education and sustainable technologies to health and wellbeing, as well as the natural beauty that attracts travellers from around the world.



Oman Pavilion

Theme: Oman - Opportunities over Time

Architect: Adl Architecture

Reflecting the country's rich past, five zones within the pavilion will explore how frankincense has been playing an important role in Omani life for over 5,000 years.



Poland Pavilion

Theme: Kinetic Flocks of Birds Floating over Visitors' Heads

Architect: WXCA

The tree-like structure, which references the large-scale migration of birds from Poland to the Arab world, explores the nation's diverse global connections, as well as its role as a leading producer of goods.



Republic of Korea Pavilion

Theme: Smart Korea, Moving the World to You

Architect: Mooyuki Architects

The structure will explore the ways that mobility is set to change our lives, as well as featuring the best of Korean art, style and technology. The nation's modern culture, including its world-famous K-pop music, will also be on show.



Thailand Pavilion

Theme: Mobility for the Future

Architect: Index Creative Village

Covered on the outside by a curtain of over 500 woven artificial flowers, the Thailand Pavilion will present the nation's warm hospitality and its capabilities in digital innovation and technology.



USA Pavilion

Theme: What Moves You? The Spirit of Mobility

Architect: Curtis W. Fentress

The Hyperloop, which uses vacuum technology to transport passengers at ultra-fast speeds, will be showcased alongside dance, literature, music and gastronomy.

*Country Pavilions are updated as of June 2019, more countries will be added periodically

Sustainability District



Brazil Pavilion

Theme: Together for Diversity

Architect: JPG.ARQ, MMBB and Ben-Avid

Recreating the Amazon basin, the pavilion will have a water feature that visitors can walk through (or around) as they take in the sights, sounds and scents of Brazil's riverside areas.



Germany Pavilion

Theme: Campus Germany

Architect: LAVA, facts and fiction

Visitors can wear cutting-edge connected devices as they venture through themed areas featuring a wonderful array of creative environmental ideas with real-life results.

Opportunity District



China Pavilion

Theme: Building a Community with a Shared Future for Mankind - Innovation and Opportunity

Architect: Construction Engineering Design Group Corporation Limited

This pavilion will showcase China's culture and history by artistically integrating Chinese elements with technology.



Japan Pavilion

Theme: Join. Sync. Act.

Architect: Yuko Nagayama and NTT Facilities

Get inspired to put the 'Join.Sync.Act.' message into action, and discover the vibrant art, culture and technology of the Far Eastern nation, which will host Expo 2025 in the city of Osaka.



Netherlands Pavilion

Theme: Uniting Water, Energy and Food

Architect: V8 architects

Brimming with sustainable solutions, the Netherlands Pavilion will harvest water, energy and food through innovations including a cone-shaped vertical farm.



New Zealand Pavilion

Theme: Care for People and Place

Architect: Jasmx

The New Zealand Pavilion's theme reflects the Maori value of 'kaitiakitanga', which emphasises the deep kinship between people and the environment.



Norway Pavilion

Theme: Norway as a World-Leading Ocean Nation

Architect: Rintala Eggertsson Architects, Expomobilia, FiveCurrents

The Norway Pavilion will allow you to explore the deep blue sea and learn about the importance of ocean conservation - all without changing into a wetsuit.



Saudi Arabia Pavilion

Theme: The Sky is the Limit

Architect: Boris Micka Associates

Balancing a rich heritage with the creativity of its people, the pavilion will demonstrate how Saudi Arabia is shaping both its own and the world's future.



Spain Pavilion

Theme: People and Places

Architect: Amann-Canovas-Maruri

Exploring everything from historical innovation and adventure to biodiversity and organ transplants, the Spain Pavilion offers a diverse experience with a town square atmosphere.



Sweden Pavilion

Theme: Co-Creation for Innovation

Architect: Alessandro Ripellino Arkitekter, Studio Adrien Gardère, Luigi Pardo Architetti

Learn how Sweden is building smart cities, developing the next generation of travel, innovating life sciences and developing a bio-circular economy.



UK Pavilion

Theme: Innovating for a Shared Future

Architect: Es Devlin Studio, Avantgarde, Veretec

The pavilion will offer an awe-inspiring glimpse into the future, exploring everything from the commercialisation of space to creating exoskeletons for the disabled.



Ukraine Pavilion

Theme: Smart Ukraine: Connecting Dots

Smart living, smart thinking and smart feelings will come together at the Ukraine Pavilion, as the nation demonstrates how bright ideas and the latest innovations can help create a better future.

Expo 2020 Location Map

Dubai

Dubai World Central (DWC)	23 mins
Burj Khalifa	30 mins
Dubai International Airport (DXB)	45 mins
DP World - Port Rashid	45 mins

Abu Dhabi

Abu Dhabi International Airport (AUH)	60 mins
Al Bateen Executive Airport (AZI)	60 mins
Ports	70 mins

Sharjah 47 mins

Ajman 54 mins

Umm Al Quwain 65 mins

Ras Al Khaimah 90 mins

Fujairah 90 mins



Key Dates & Times

Event Dates

20 October 2020 - 10 April 2021

Site Opening Hours

Sat - Wed | 10:00am - 1:00am

Thur - Fri | 10:00am - 2:00am

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