



BRAZIL

THE BRAZIL MUSIC TOUR

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YOUR HOST

CHAZ CHAMBERS

Chaz Chambers is an American drummer and music educator with a deep-rooted passion for music. His expertise in drumming and love for cultural exploration make him a captivating guide for music tours. Known for his warm approach and professional insight, Chaz is an avid music enthusiast, often sharing his favorite styles with travelers.



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TOUR OVERVIEW

Brazil is one of the world's most influential musical destinations, playing a pivotal role in shaping Latin American and global music. Join us on an immersive Brazil Music Tour, where we'll take you deep into the heart of Rio de Janeiro, Salvador de Bahia, and Recife—three cities rich in rhythm, culture, and history. From the infectious beats of Samba and Bossa Nova to the deep roots of Choro, Latin Jazz, Axé, and Maracatu, Brazilian music is a vibrant fusion of African drumming traditions and European harmonies, evolving over centuries into a dynamic, world-renowned soundscape.

This tour offers a **musician's perspective on Brazilian music**, giving you exclusive access to **Samba school rehearsals**, where preparations for Carnaval happen months in advance, and a chance to experience the **Afro-Brazilian rhythms of Candomblé in Salvador**. You'll walk through historic neighborhoods where music is a way of life, from the lively Roda de Samba at **Pedra do Sal** to the hidden jazz clubs and street performances that pulse through each city.

Beyond the music, this journey is a **cultural and culinary adventure**. Explore Brazil's most iconic landmarks, indulge in local delicacies like **Moqueca and Feijoada**, and savor the flavors of an authentic **Brazilian steakhouse**. With live performances every night, immersive music workshops, and deep cultural connections, this tour is your chance to **see, hear, and feel the soul of Brazil like never before**.



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SAMPLE ITINERARY

RIO DE JANEIRO

DAY 1: ARRIVAL IN RIO DE JANEIRO & SAMBA SCHOOL EXPERIENCE

Arrive in Rio de Janeiro and check into your accommodation. Take some time to relax with a visit to the beach before gathering for an early dinner at Churrascaria Palace, where you'll enjoy a traditional Brazilian feast. After dinner, immerse yourself in the heart of Rio's Carnival culture with a visit to a Samba school rehearsal, where you'll witness the passion, music, and energy that bring Carnival to life. For those who want to continue the night, an optional late-night experience awaits at Roda de Samba at Pedra do Sal, a historic open-air samba gathering.

- **MEALS:** Dinner
- **ACCOMMODATION:** Premium Unique Hotel



RIO DE JANEIRO, SALVADOR DE BAHIA, & RECIFE

DAY 2: AFRO-BRAZILIAN HERITAGE & LITTLE AFRICA TOUR

After breakfast, embark on a cultural walking tour through Little Africa, one of Rio's most historically significant Afro-Brazilian neighborhoods. Along the way, we'll visit an Afro-Brazilian museum that showcases the deep cultural and artistic contributions of African heritage to Brazilian society. As we explore, we'll hear stories of resistance, music, and community that have shaped the region. The tour will end with a delicious, authentic Afro-Brazilian lunch at a local restaurant in the heart of Little Africa. After lunch, enjoy a free afternoon to go shopping, relax at the beach, or explore Rio at your leisure. Dinner is on your own, with recommendations for excellent local dining experiences.

- **MEALS:** Breakfast & Lunch
- **ACCOMMODATION:** Premium Unique Hotel

DAY 3: THE SOUL OF SAMBA & CARNIVAL

Today is a full immersion into the world of Samba and Carnival. In the morning, we'll visit the Museum of Samba, where you'll learn about the evolution of this iconic musical genre and its impact on Brazilian culture. We'll then move on to an exciting behind-the-scenes Carnival workshop, where you'll get a firsthand look at the elaborate floats, costumes, and preparations that go into Brazil's biggest celebration. During this experience, you'll have the chance to try on Carnival costumes, learn about the artistry of the parade, and even participate in a dance or percussion session. A traditional Brazilian lunch is included during the day. The evening is yours to enjoy as you wish, whether you prefer a relaxed dinner or a night out experiencing Rio's vibrant music scene.

- **MEALS:** Breakfast & Lunch
- **ACCOMMODATION:** Premium Unique Hotel



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DAY 4: RIO'S ICONIC LANDMARKS

Start the day with breathtaking views as we take the cable car up Sugarloaf Mountain, followed by a visit to the towering Christ the Redeemer statue, one of the New Seven Wonders of the World. After taking in these iconic sights, enjoy a relaxed afternoon at your own pace. In the evening, you can opt for a group dinner, explore the bustling nightlife of Lapa, or attend a Latin jazz performance at one of Rio's top venues.

- **MEALS:** Breakfast & Lunch
- **ACCOMMODATION:** Premium Unique Hotel

DAY 5: LEISURE & OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS IN RIO

This is your free day to experience Rio on your own terms. Whether you prefer a relaxing beach day, an adventurous excursion to a nearby island, or a visit to luxury resorts, the choice is yours. Optional activities will be available, such as guided day trips, a nature hike in Tijuca National Park, or a boat cruise along the coast. This is the perfect opportunity to revisit your favorite places or explore something new before departing Rio.

- **MEALS:** Breakfast
- **ACCOMMODATION:** Premium Unique Hotel

DAY 6: ARRIVAL IN SALVADOR & TRADITIONAL BAHIAN DINNER

After an early flight, arrive in Salvador de Bahia and check into your hotel. In the morning and afternoon, you are free to rest, explore, or visit nearby attractions. In the evening, we'll gather for a traditional Bahian dinner, where you'll get a taste of Salvador's rich and flavorful cuisine. After dinner, we'll attend an included performance of Balé Folclórico da Bahia, an incredible showcase of Afro-Brazilian dance, drumming, and folklore.

Day 7: Salvador's Cultural & Music Exploration

- **MEALS:** Breakfast & Dinner
- **ACCOMMODATION:** Premium Unique Hotel



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DAY 7: SALVADOR'S CULTURAL & MUSIC EXPLORATION

After breakfast, embark on a cultural tour of Salvador, exploring the influences of Candomblé and the city's Afro-Brazilian traditions while visiting historic neighborhoods and cultural landmarks. For lunch, enjoy a homemade Bahian meal in Liberdade, one of Salvador's most historically significant Afro-Brazilian neighborhoods, where you'll experience traditional flavors and learn about the area's deep cultural roots. In the afternoon, take a music and history tour, diving into the rhythms of Samba de Roda, Axé, and Afro-Brazilian drumming, discovering how these sounds continue to shape Brazil's music scene. The evening is yours to explore at leisure, with recommendations for dining and live music, whether you choose to visit a beachside restaurant, enjoy a cocktail at a local bar, or experience Salvador's legendary nightlife.

- **MEALS:** Breakfast & Lunch
- **ACCOMMODATION:** Premium Unique Hotel

DAY 8: FREE DAY IN SALVADOR

Enjoy a relaxed day in Salvador at your own pace. Whether you want to explore more of the city's music and art scene, visit the beach, or go shopping, this day gives you time to soak in the local culture. Optional activities will be available for those who want to engage in additional guided experiences. In the evening, take in your final night in Salvador with a relaxed dinner or explore one of the city's vibrant nightlife spots.

- **MEALS:** Breakfast
- **ACCOMMODATION:** Premium Unique Hotel

DAY 9: FLIGHT TO RECIFE & TRADITIONAL BRAZILIAN NIGHT

In the morning, we depart for Recife, where we'll check into our hotel and have some time to settle in. In the evening, we'll head out for a traditional Brazilian dinner at one of Recife's best local restaurants. Afterward, we'll explore the vibrant streets of Olinda at night, where street performers, live music, and breathtaking city views create an unforgettable atmosphere. We'll take in the sights and sounds of Maracatu, Frevo, and Forró music, with optional stops at local bars for those who wish to experience more of Olinda's nightlife.

- **MEALS:** Breakfast & Dinner
- **ACCOMMODATION:** Premium Unique Hotel



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DAY 10: RECIFE'S MUSIC & CULTURE

Start the day by exploring Recife Antigo, the city's historic district, where you'll find beautifully preserved colonial buildings, artistic spaces, and cultural landmarks. We'll visit the Museum of Frevo, where you'll learn about this uniquely Brazilian dance and musical style that defines Pernambuco's Carnival. Next, we'll participate in a music workshop, where you'll get hands-on experience with the powerful rhythms of Maracatu and Frevo. Afterward, enjoy an included lunch in the city center, then take the afternoon at your leisure—whether you choose to explore more music, visit local shops, or relax before your final night in Brazil. The evening is free, with options for live music events or dinner on your own.

- **MEALS:** Breakfast
- **ACCOMMODATION:** Premium Unique Hotel

DAY 11: FAREWELL TO BRAZIL

Enjoy a leisurely morning before departing for Recife International Airport, where your journey home begins.

- **MEALS:** Breakfast



LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR DAY TOUR & EXPERIENCES

EXPERIENCE A BRAZILIAN STEAKHOUSE

DINNER IN RIO

Churrascaria Palace is a celebrated Brazilian steakhouse that embodies the rich tradition of churrasco, a style of barbecue originating from the gauchos of Southern Brazil. Guests experience a unique rodízio dining format, where servers continuously present various cuts of perfectly grilled meats, including the iconic picanha. This all-you-can-eat feast is complemented by vibrant Brazilian hospitality and an array of sides. Dining at Churrascaria Palace is not just a meal; it's an immersive cultural experience that showcases Brazil's passion for meat and communal dining, making it a must-visit for any food lover.



VISIT PEDRA DO SAL

EXPERIENCE IN RIO

Pedra do Sal, located in Rio de Janeiro's historic port area, is the birthplace of samba and a cultural landmark steeped in Afro-Brazilian heritage. Visitors can immerse themselves in the vibrant atmosphere of a traditional samba circle. This open-air gathering features skilled musicians playing authentic samba rhythms on a central table, often without microphones. Tourists and locals alike join in singing popular samba tunes, creating a lively and inclusive environment.



VISIT TO PRESTIGIOUS SAMBA SCHOOL

EXPERIENCE IN RIO

Estácio de Sá is one of Rio de Janeiro's most traditional samba schools, founded in 1928 and known as the "Cradle of Samba." Visitors can join a lively samba rehearsal, where they'll witness the passion and energy that define this iconic Brazilian music genre. Participants can engage with talented musicians and dancers, learning the rhythms and steps that bring samba to life. This immersive experience not only highlights the school's rich history but also offers a unique opportunity to connect with the vibrant culture of Rio, making it a must-visit for any samba enthusiast.



ICONIC RIO DE JANEIRO

DAY TOUR IN RIO

Visiting Cristo Redentor and Sugarloaf Mountain offers a breathtaking glimpse into Rio de Janeiro's iconic landscapes. Begin your journey at Cristo Redentor, a towering symbol of faith and one of the New Seven Wonders of the World, perched atop Corcovado Mountain. The panoramic views of the city and surrounding mountains are unforgettable. Next, ascend Sugarloaf Mountain, where you can enjoy 360-degree vistas of Rio, from its stunning beaches to the lush forests. This combination of cultural significance and natural beauty makes for an exhilarating experience.



CULTURAL WALKING TOUR

DAY TOUR IN RIO

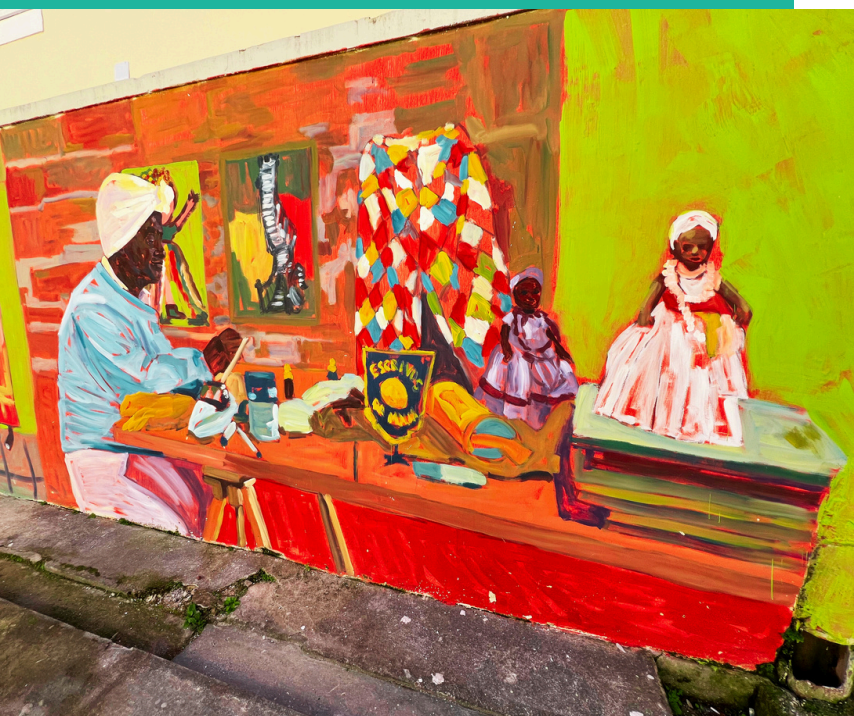
Embark on a captivating cultural walking tour through Rio de Janeiro's historic heart, exploring the city's rich Afro-Brazilian heritage. Begin at the Museum of Afro-Brazilian History and Culture (MUHCAB), which highlighting African contributions to Brazilian identity. Continue to Caixa Cultural Rio de Janeiro, a vibrant arts center housed in a stunning historic building. Conclude at Largo de São Francisco da Prainha, a charming square in the Little Africa district, where you can experience the area's vibrant atmosphere and learn about its significance in the development of samba music. This immersive journey offers a unique perspective on Rio's cultural tapestry beyond its famous beaches and landmarks.



CULTURAL TOUR WITH LOCAL MUSICIAN

DAY TOUR IN SALVADOR

Experience the vibrant culture of Salvador de Bahia on a guided walking tour with a local expert musician. Begin in the historic Pelourinho, known for its colorful colonial architecture and rich Afro-Brazilian history. Next, visit Mercado Modelo, a bustling market filled with local crafts and culinary delights. Explore Feira de São Joaquim, a lively street market offering traditional foods and cultural artifacts. Finally, stroll through the Curuzu neighborhood, where the rhythms of samba fill the air. This immersive tour combines music, history, and local insights, providing a unique perspective on Salvador's dynamic cultural landscape.



YOUR STAY

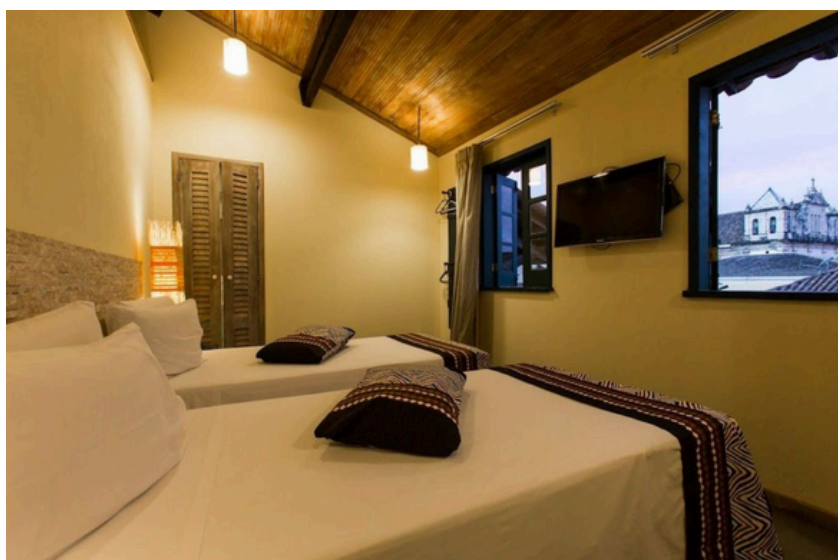


PREMIUM UNIQUE HOTELS

LOCATION: RIO DE JANEIRO,
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RECIFE

NIGHTS: 10

ROOM TYPE: STANDARD
ROOM



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WHAT'S INCLUDED?



- Brazilian Music Specialists guides
- Unique deluxe hotel room or suite
- All breakfasts
- Four lunches
- Musician Tour Leaders
- Local guides
- All music, city, and historical tours
- Internal flights to Salvador de Bahia and Recife
- Entry into Brazilian music events nightly
- Three nice dinners
- Transportation to events (As needed – some events and other destinations are nearby, and we will walk a bit on this tour – please bring comfortable shoes!)
- VIP Samba dance rehearsal
- Brazilian Music or Samba dance lessons
- Airport arrival and departure transportation to Rio De Janeiro Airports





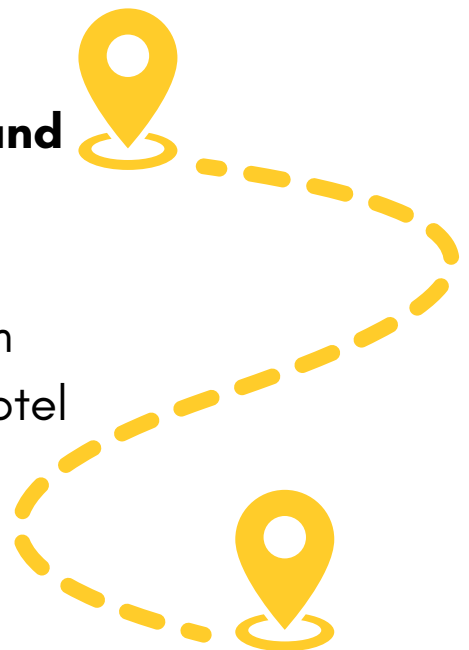
UPCOMING TOUR DATES & PRICES

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**Rio De Janeiro, Salvador De Bahia, and
Recife, Brazil**

Price Per Person

- \$5,885 Hotel Double Shared Room
- \$6,825 One Person in a Double Hotel Room
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PRICING AND PAYMENTS:

Prices are per person and vary based on your selection of accommodation. To reserve your spot, we require a \$1000 USD deposit (50% of the total price for private tours). Final payments are due around 90 days before tour departure. We have some options for multiple payment plans if needed. Just contact us and let us know.

The prices on our website are all in US Dollars and based on an ACH/Wire bank transfer from our 3rd party merchant or directly from your own bank. If you wish to use a credit or debit card, a 3.5% fee will be added. We do not accept cash or checks.

We have plenty of individuals, couples, groups, and families that travel with us, and everyone has a blast. If you have any special requests, please let us know. We will work with you to make sure you have the perfect space and feel comfortable during your stay.

If our dates do not work for you, keep in mind that we also do personalized tours with custom dates and group sizes.

