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Discover the Maltese Islands on board a jeep, experience the thrills of a speedboat ride through the turquoise waters of the blue lagoon or travel the carbon-friendly way and explore the terrain on a bicycle trail. Malta offers an array of options to entertain, reward and motivate

Malta offers new ways to connect and redevelop your team with incentive travel programmes that will inspire and motivate. Discover new perspectives and creativity only three hours flying time from the UK. With top quality hotels and world-class conference facilities, Malta is the ideal location for an incentive break.

Go back 20 years and the incentive market in Malta was in its infancy. Today it has achieved industry recognition as a destination that can offer the all-important 'wow' factor. A fact recently endorsed at the Eventia International Awards when the Island was recognised as the best short haul conference destination and for holding the best celebratory event.

Watch the sun rise over the temples of Hagar Qim and Mnajdra, buildings which pre-date the pyramids, or moor a luxury yacht in the Portomaso marina and jump ashore for the thrills of the Dragonara casino. Visitors can enjoy remarkable historic sites and unique venues as well as places of natural beauty during their visit.

Dine in the luxurious grand halls of the 16th-century 'Sacra Infermeria', a hospital once used by the Knights of St John; make an entrance and float on a barge into the majestic Grand Harbour, one of the world's largest natural harbours, and have your company's name illustrated in fireworks above the bastions.

Internationally renowned hotel chains such as Radisson SAS, Le Meridien, InterContinental, Westin, Hilton and Corinthia Hotels abound together with boutique properties like Relais & Chateaux's Xara Palace and the Hotel Juliani. The Grand Hotel Excelsior recently opened at the edge of the Marsamxett harbour and The Palace, meanwhile, offers five-star boutique accommodation in the heart of Sliema, a bustling waterfront town.

With new hotels coming on board and improved infrastructure, the landscape is continually changing to

offer fresh incentive experiences. And the islands are also adopting a more carbon friendly approach. CSR is evolving into a core business strategy with many top hotels accredited with Eco-certification awards for their environmental policy.

The temperate climate means incentive activities can be held on the shores of the Mediterranean sea, with gala dinners overlooking the Grand Harbour in Valletta or intimate settings in village or town squares (piazzas). Island hop to Gozo, the jewel in Malta's crown, and discover authentic 200- year-old farmhouses renovated to suit the most fashionable of clients. Also home to the Kempinski San Lawrenz and the award winning Ta' Cenc, the size and natural setting of the island make it a prime location for high-powered board meetings, small conferences, workshops and incentives.

For team-building activities with a difference, how about building and racing a life-size cardboard 'boat' or 'car'? Alternatively host a time-travelling quest with medieval games and jousting tournaments. Make the most of the climate, the beaches and the surrounding Mediterranean Sea with beach Olympics and water sport competitions with jet-skis, yachts and speedboats. Pamper your guests with blissful massages, facials and an array of treatments at the spas of many hotels.

Short transfer times and the compact size of the island mean delegates can enjoy fun-packed programmes with time to discover their surroundings.

Combine a historic programme with a gastronomic twist - enjoy a beach barbecue, learn how to cook an authentic Maltese dish with an expert chef or attend a medieval banquet in a genuine historic castle complete with actors, entertainers and musicians in period costume.

For more information visit the website below.

