

汉堡：汉萨之光

作为曾经的汉萨同盟城市之一，汉堡凭借着它的海滨魅力与开放包容成为了欧洲最美的大都市。它为游客提供了纯粹的都市与自然生活：城市的光辉与自然风景相结合，密布的水道、繁茂的绿植，都成为了这座北德都市的名片，使络绎不绝的游客们为之倾倒。

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被《孤独星球》和《纽约时报》告白的都市

《纽约时报》的编辑对汉堡之旅着迷。几乎同时，《孤独星球》将汉堡列入《2018 最佳旅行地》榜单。

今年 1 月初，汉堡已被《纽约时报》列为“52 个必去之地”之一，它是德国唯一一个获此殊荣的城市。作为“36 小时”旅行系列的一部分，这位编辑对汉堡情有独钟。著名的旅行指南《孤独星球》也将汉堡排在《2018 最佳旅行城市》

的第四名。

《纽约时报》的作家将汉堡称赞为“充满着建筑奇观、餐厅与文化魅力的水榭奇迹。”(a waterywonder, teeming with architectural marvels, restaurants and cultural charms)。海港的风景、微缩景观世界和易北爱乐音乐厅的照片都充分印证了他的观点。

毫无疑问，这个“闪闪发光的新音乐厅”也是他文章中 12 个汉堡必去景点之一。为此，他写了一段诗意的描述：

“在坚固的旧式仓储城上，波浪状外立面如海浪泛起涟漪，高耸起伏的尖顶像马戏团的帐篷。砖块与玻璃的并列，旧与新的结合，如同汉堡传统与现代工业的一次完美联姻。汉堡是‘一颗等待被人发现的遗珠’。”

著名的背包客旅行指南《孤独星球》也对汉堡青睐有加。在最新的《2018 最佳旅行城市》排行榜中，汉堡高居第四。这本旅行指南每年会选择十个城市、国家或者地区作为下一年的最佳旅行目的地。

在榜单中，编辑不仅提到了易北爱乐音乐厅，还大力推荐了沿着港口和易北河步行探索城市的旅行方式，一路上跟随德式教堂的塔尖就不会迷路。而汉堡的夜生活无疑是“欧洲最棒的夜生活”之一。此外榜单的第一名是西班牙的塞维利亚，其次是美国密歇根州的底特律和澳大利亚的堪培拉。

汉堡不仅在建筑和文化方面独领风骚，在风尚方面也表现不俗。时尚平台 Zalando 近日对全球不同类别的 80 个城市依据时尚因素和都市风貌等条件进行了研究评估。结果显示，汉堡仅次于慕尼黑成为德国第二大典雅城市，位居世界第 20 名，特别是在时尚都市 (4.35 / 5 分) 和整洁 (4.37 / 5 分) 方面取得了非常好的成绩。

优雅宜居的海滨都市

汉堡凭借着它的海滨魅力与开放包容成为了欧洲最美的大都市。它为玩家提供了纯粹的都市与自然生活：城市的光辉与自然风景相结合，密布的水道、繁茂的绿植，都成为了这座北德都市的名片，使络绎不绝的游客们为之倾倒。

无论是易北爱乐音乐厅的文化氛围，港口城的现代气息，仓库城的历史韵味还是逛街购物的奢侈享受——你每天都



能收获新的惊喜。

作为拥有 180 万人口的德国第二大城市，汉堡能为游客提供无与伦比的享受：最棒的文化艺术活动、闻名世界的音乐剧、高质量的轻松戏剧、多样舒适的住宿选择、美味可口的饭店、丰富的购物地点、迷人的海景、诱人的夜生活以及多个拥有 1200 年历史的旅游景点。

汉堡的海滨魅力主要来自于港口城、世界文化遗产仓库城以及船运大楼区的智利屋。仓库城由世界上最大的仓库群组成，作为一个完美的海事仓库，其现代化的办公建筑联结了过去与现在。在相邻的船运大楼区有一座欧洲最古老的办公大楼“智利屋”。除此之外，汉堡港还是欧洲第二大港口。每年除了大型集装箱船只和豪华邮轮外，还有成千上万的游客前来，沿着海滨散步，欢庆港口庆典。

音乐和文化名城

汉堡全年都被众多文化活动所围绕。文化爱好者们对易北爱乐音乐厅的开幕翘首以盼。这座雄伟的音乐厅于 2017

年 1 月 11 日开幕，它不仅是汉堡的新地标，也是“未来音乐”的象征。在这里，你将能听到古典音乐以及爵士乐，世界音乐和流行音乐。汉堡作为一个文化大都市而闻名于世，享有举办一流文化活动的声望。这里有 John Neumeier 带领的世界知名的汉堡芭蕾舞团，有历史悠久的作曲家传承，还有大型舞台和诸如 NDR-Elbphilharmonie Orchester 等交响乐团。同样，有趣热闹的展览与博物馆也展现了汉堡的文化丰富性。

汉萨城市汉堡一直被誉为“德国通向世界的大门”。19 世纪末期 Alfred Ballin 在汉堡开启了邮轮巡航，直到今天世界上最美丽最受欢迎的邮轮巡航每日在这里进出。在港口庆典与汉堡邮轮节期间将出动整支邮轮舰队巡航，每年吸引着来自超过 100 个国家的 50 多万名游客前来观赏。汉堡也因此成为了德国最重要的邮轮巡回地以及世界前 20 名邮轮巡回港口。

购物“潮”圣地

无论是追求高性价比的平民百姓，



Tips: 汉堡十大景点推荐

汉堡市政厅

汉堡市政厅是德国最令人印象深刻的议会和政府建筑之一，建于 1886 至 1897 年之间，以新文艺复兴风格建造，是这座城市的骄傲。它位于阿尔斯特湖和易北河之间的中心地带，拥有近 650 间房间，比伦敦的白金汉宫还要大。三翼花岗岩砂岩建筑，112 米宽的华丽大门，112 米高的塔楼和铜屋顶，让整座建筑显得宏伟高大。在市政厅广场边，矗立着 20 位古老德意志帝国国王和皇帝的古铜色雕塑，从查理大帝一直到弗朗西斯二世。

少女堤

对于许多汉堡人和游客来说，它是汉堡市的心脏：少女堤连接着内阿尔斯特湖和周围遍布的商店与景点。少女堤坐落于内阿尔斯特湖畔，拥有汉堡历史最为悠久的购物长廊。其中最能体现汉萨城市优雅气质的是汉堡霍夫商场 (Hamburger Hof) 的购物长廊。少女堤还有一家传统的高档百货公司阿尔斯特购物中心 (Alsterhaus)，它将传统与现代相结合，拥有世界各大知名品牌。此外，您还可以在少女堤小憩片刻，一边享受下午茶，一边欣赏阿尔斯特湖

的美景和历史悠久的汉堡市政厅。

汉堡易北爱乐音乐厅

港口新城的最西端，汉堡的新地标——易北爱乐音乐厅——静静地矗立于水波粼粼的易北河畔。在旧时储存可可的红砖仓库上，一座高达 110 米的不规则玻璃结构建筑拔地而起。这座建筑由瑞士建筑事务所赫尔佐格 (Herzog) 和德梅隆 (de Meuron) 设计，核心是一个拥有 2100 个座位的世界级音乐厅。它的开幕为汉堡血脉中的古典音乐和世界音乐新星们提供了一个壮阔的舞台。在波涛般起伏的屋顶下，易北爱乐音乐厅容纳了大小两个音乐厅，一家酒店，多间私人公寓和一个向公众开放的景观大平台——“易北爱乐音乐厅广场”。

港口新城和世界文化遗产：仓库城、船运大楼区和智利之家

港口新城是汉堡最新规划的城区，在这里汇集着现代城区和古老建筑所散发的迷人魅力。在汉堡找不出第二个地方能像港口新城一样，凭借历史悠久的红砖仓库建筑以及现代的玻璃幕墙建筑，让新老汉

堡元素在这里相会。港口新城毗邻市中心，位于易北河畔，不仅有独特的建筑，而且还将拥有传统港区以及各类有趣的博物馆。此外，这里还将建造一些沿河的餐厅、咖啡馆以及宽敞的露台。港口新城是世界上最大的市内城市规划和建筑项目，它的面貌每天都发生着改变，在那里总能找到新的建筑亮点和令人着迷的各种展览。在玛格兰广场或马克波罗广场，可领略到汉堡新城的独特魅力。在玛格兰广场，游客可以欣赏到汉堡的新地标——易北爱乐音乐厅——独特的建筑风格。该音乐厅位于港口新城的西端，是汉堡最新建成的音乐厅。

世界文化遗产：仓库城、船运大楼区和智利之家

2015 年，汉堡仓库城作为世界上最大的仓储综合体被联合国教科文组织列入世界文化遗产目录。游客在这座世界级港口可以欣赏富有诗意的美景：威廉时代的哥特式红砖建筑拥有独特的山墙和小门，其倒映在河道里的影子显得格外迷人。在仓库城建筑和河道的中心线上欣赏风景，是一种别样的体验。一米间隔的仓库城建筑鳞次栉比地坐落于易北河畔。



还是寻找最新潮流的时尚界弄潮儿，汉堡是一个购物者的圣地。城市里各大奢侈品牌琳琅满目，吸引着来自世界各地的游客。汉萨区，欧洲购物长廊，少女堤，蒙克贝格街和斯比塔勒大街等购物区对前来购物的人们有着魔法般的吸引力。不论天气如何，无论何时何地，汉堡的购物体验都将是您最美好的回忆。

位于新明斯特的亚瑟格兰名品奥特莱斯有众多德国本土设计师品牌，全年都能享受 30%~70% 的优惠折扣。新明斯特名品奥特莱斯距离汉堡只需 40 分钟，建筑保持着当地的建筑风格：精致优雅的广场、美丽迷人的街道，加之街道两旁半木质的房屋，配备有各种咖啡厅和餐厅、儿童游乐区、免费停车场以及各种名牌店，这一切都为游客提供了田园般的购物体验。在这里有各类超有质感的名品服饰，时尚运动装和精致家居品。

德国汉堡冬季好去处

汉堡冬季 DOM 游乐节即将在 11 月 3 日至 12 月 3 日开幕，我们将迎来

北德最大的嘉年华啦！DOM 在德文里是“教堂”的意思。这是欧洲最古老、最大的民间节日，一年分春、夏、冬三次举行，无疑是小伙伴们最期盼的节日了！每年参加游乐节的人达 1000 多万。

DOM 不设门票，是大型的开放式游乐场，大家可以自行前往项目进行消费。在这里尽情享受各种游乐实施、民间小吃、风情表演。每周五晚 10:30 还有烟火表演哦！

如果圣诞节期间来汉堡，那你一定要去当地的圣诞市场，作为德国第二大城市，汉堡的圣诞市场自然也最具代表性。每年的圣诞节期间，汉堡将变幻成为一座童话般的城市，人们精挑细选圣诞装饰品和小礼物，烤杏仁和热葡萄酒的香气弥漫于大街小巷之间，浓浓的艺术气息笼罩其间，在灯光下显得格外浪漫梦幻。

圣诞节在汉堡有其独特的氛围：海洋风情、奇幻神秘，有时甚至是香艳曼妙的。汉堡全力打造精彩的圣诞季，将整座城市变成集市、庆典、音乐会和展览云集的冬季仙境。

除了以上建筑特色外，仓库城还拥有许多博物馆，例如每一位汉堡游客必去的汉堡微缩景观世界，它是世界上最大的铁路模型博物馆和德国最受欢迎的景点，其精心设计的景观和细节呈现令人印象深刻。船运大楼区也是汉堡建筑密集的区域。在 19 世纪末 20 世纪初，这里创办了由红砖建筑组成的商业区域，例如闻名世界的智利之家就是其中的典型代表。仓库城和船运大楼区都集中展示了汉萨同盟商人所聚集的惊人财富，威廉时代的红砖建筑令人印象深刻，是汉堡之行的必去景点之一。

阿尔斯特湖

阿尔斯特湖位于市政厅广场以东，是游人、帆船发烧友和购物爱好者的天堂。在这里，游客不仅可以品尝美食、尽情购物，而且还能体会到汉堡这座北德大都市的浪漫与海港风情。游客可以悠闲地坐在外阿尔斯特湖畔的咖啡馆或餐厅，欣赏豪华的别墅群和郁郁葱葱的花园；可以在少女堤旁的购物大街，尽享奢侈名品购物乐趣；可以坐蒸汽船，环游总面积达 160 公顷的阿尔斯特湖，品味宁静之美。大片的水域和绿化使汉堡成为一个宜居城市。

汉堡微缩景观世界

汉堡微缩景观世界拥有世界上最大的铁路模型，面积为 1300 平方米，同时也是德国最受欢迎的热门景点。超过 800 多列火车在美国、斯堪的纳维亚半岛、意大利和瑞士的微缩景观中昼夜穿梭。游客不仅可以在此体验一次迷你版的环球旅行，还可以通过各种按钮参与到这个小小世界中来。您可以按下按钮，帮助汉堡足球俱乐部射门，通过风车改善微缩世界中的环境，甚至可以让一架直升飞机起飞。

汉堡港

汉堡港不单单只是一个港口，凭借汉堡市中心的有利位置，它还是汉堡市最大的旅游景点。汉堡港是汉堡市的心脏，在这里游客能体验到与众不同的魅力，一种扬帆远航的激情。汉堡港是欧洲第二大海港，也是世界九大集装箱港口之一。每年约有 13000 艘来自世界各地的货轮在这里靠岸，其中包括知名品牌的豪华邮轮。漫步于鲍姆瓦尔德区的湖滨林荫道或码头栈桥，游客可以体验到独特的港口风情；乘坐汽艇，环游码头，可从易北河上欣赏汉堡港的独特风景。船上可以领略的港口风景：巨大的集装箱轮船、

轻巧的游艇等等，一切尽收眼底。此外，游客还可以坐船，往来于各大博物馆之间。

圣米歇尔大教堂

圣米歇尔大教堂（简称米歇尔）高 132 米，被认为是北德最著名的巴洛克式教堂。这一标志性建筑，每年都吸引一百多万游客前来参观。游客们不仅能从 82 米的高台上眺望汉堡港的壮丽景色，而且还能进入教堂中殿祈祷礼拜。除了管弦乐队、合唱队唱诗班和“Trinity”乐队外，圣米歇尔大教堂也以具有 300 年历史的塔楼音乐而闻名。每一天，教堂都会响起由三架管风琴演奏的音乐以及钟声合唱。

绳索街与圣保利区

在欧洲最大的娱乐区之一，只有你想不到的，没有他们做不到的。这条曾经放置百米船用绳索的大街，如今遍布众多啤酒馆、酒吧、夜店、咖啡馆、俱乐部、小吃店以及各类娱乐场所。绳索大街，又被称为“世界上最魅惑的一英里”，是汉堡著名的娱乐区。当然，喜欢其他的娱乐活动的人们也可以在汉堡歌剧院、话剧厅度过自己的夜晚。



Hamburg A Hanseatic City

Article: Hamburg Tourism Bureau Photos: Quanjing

As one of the former Hanseatic cities, Hamburg has become the most beautiful metropolis in Europe with its seaside charm and openness. It provides visitors with pure urban and natural life: the combination of the city's brilliance and natural scenery, the waterways and greenery have become the business cards of this North German city, making it attract many tourists from around the world.

Lonely Planet and The New York Times declare love for Hamburg

The New York Times spotlights "36 Hours in Hamburg, Germany" - Lonely Planet puts city on the Elbe among top 10 cities for 2018.

In January, The New York Times ranked Hamburg tenth among "52 Places to Go" in 2017, and the only German destination on the list. The New York Times sounds like a Hamburg fan in a recent article of

the "36 Hours in ..." series. This comes just as the Lonely Planet travel guide puts Hamburg fourth among the "Top 10" cities to visit in 2018.

New York Times writer Davin O'Dwyer praised Hamburg as "a watery wonder, teeming with architectural marvels, restaurants and cultural charms". The article is complimented by images of the Port of Hamburg, Miniaturwunderland and the Elbphilharmonie.

Naturally, the "shimmering new concert hall" is among 12 places featured by

O'Dwyer, who describes the Elbphilharmonie as "a sturdy old brick warehouse serves as the base to a soaring rippled glass structure that culminates in a crown of peaks resembling billowing circus tents. The juxtaposition of brick and glass, old and new, practically begs to be seen as a metaphor for Hamburg's marriage of traditional and modern industries." Hamburg is like a "surprising jewel just waiting to be discovered."

The international Lonely Planet travel

guide also enthuses about Hamburg and has ranked the city fourth among the top five “Best in Travel 2018”. The annual travel guide ranks ten top cities, countries and regions for the coming year.

The guide hailed the stunning Elphilharmonie. It also praised the “oh-so-walkable HafenCity port area.” From there, Hamburg is “alluringly accessible” and radiates along the Elbe River. Dozen of old steeples serve as compass points. Nightlife is definitely among the “Best in Europe”. Seville, Spain, is the number one city followed by Detroit Michigan, USA and Canberra, Australia.

Hamburg is also among the top fashion cities and not only in terms of architecture and culture. A recent study by Zalando rated 80 cities in diverse categories such as fashion and urbanity. Hamburg ranked second after Munich among Germany’s most elegant cities. The city also scored well in terms of fashion (4.35/5 points) and cleanliness (4.37/5 points).

Hamburg, A Graceful, Livable Coastal Metropolis

Hamburg has become the most beautiful metropolis in Europe because of its seaside charms and inclusiveness. The city offers tourists a glimpse of pure city living and the natural ways of living: the city’s combined brilliance and natural views, dense water channels, and lush green plants, which all serve as the business cards of the northern German city, and attract numerous tourists.

From the cultural atmosphere of Elbphilharmonie Concert Hall, the modern atmosphere of the Port of Hamburg, the historical flavor of Warehouse District, or the luxury of going shopping, you will



find new surprises every day.

As the second largest city in Germany, boasting a population of 1,800,000, Hamburg can provide incomparable indulgence for tourists. The city offers tourists a selection of the best cultural and art events, the world-famous musical dramas, high quality relaxing dramas, diverse and comfortable accommodation choices, delicious restaurants, rich shopping malls, mesmerizing seascapes, alluring nightlife, and different tourist attractions with 1,200 years of history.

The coastal charms of Hamburg mainly originate from the Port of Hamburg, the UNESCO World Heritage Site Warehouse District, and Kontorhaus District with Chile House. The Warehouse District consists of the largest warehouse groups in the world. As a perfect maritime warehouse, its modernized office buildings connect the past and the present. In the neighboring Kontorhaus District, there is an office building named “Chile House”, which is the oldest in Europe. In addition, Hamburg is also the second largest port in Europe. Apart

from the large container ships and luxurious cruise ships that arrive here each year, thousands of tourists also come here, who walk along the seashore and cheer for the celebration of the port.

Culture & Music

Many cultural events are held in Hamburg, and sightseeing and shopping happen, all year round. Culture lovers have been longing for the opening of Elbphilharmonie Concert Hall. This magnificent concert hall opened on January 11, 2017, and it is not only the new landmark of Hamburg, but it is also the symbol of "future music". At this hall, you will hear classical music, jazz, world music, and popular music. Hamburg is known to the world as a cultural metropolis, and the city enjoys the reputation of holding

first-class cultural events. There is the world-famous Hamburg Ballett led by John Neumeier, a long history of composer inheritance, the large stage, and symphony orchestras such as NDR-Elbphilharmonie Orchester. Meanwhile, the interesting, lively exhibitions and museums also exhibit the cultural richness of Hamburg.

Hanseatic City Hamburg has always been reputed as the "Germany's Gate to the World". At the end of the 19th Century, Alfred Ballin embarked on cruise ship cruising from Hamburg, and even until now, the world's most beautiful and popular cruise ships arrive and depart from here daily. During the port celebration and Hamburg Cruise Ship Festival, the entire cruise ship fleet will begin cruising. Every

year, more than 500,000 tourists from more than 100 countries will come here to see the spectacular view. Therefore, Hamburg has turned into the most important cruising site in Germany, and it has also become one of the top 20 cruise ship ports in the world.

Shopping Paradise

No matter if you are looking for cost-effective products or looking for the latest fashion trends, Hamburg is the sacred place for shoppers. The luxury brands compete with each other while attracting tourists from all over the world. People are attracted here to shopping at the Schanze district, Europa Passage, Jungfernstieg, Mönckebergstraße and Spitalerstraße. No matter how the weather changes, no matter when and where,

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Hamburg City Hall

Hamburg City Hall, the pride of the city, is one of the most impressive parliament and government buildings in Germany and was built in the new Renaissance style from 1886 to 1897. Located in the central area between the Alster Lake and the Elbe River, it houses 650 rooms, and is even larger than Buckingham Palace. With a luxurious 112-meter-wide gate, 112-meter-tall turret, and copper roof, the entire tri-wing granite and sandstone building looks huge and magnificent. Located on the edge of the city hall square are 20 bronze statues of the kings and emperors of the German Empire, spanning from Charles the Great until Francis II.

Jungfernstieg

For many Hamburg locals and tourists, Jungfernstieg is the heart of the city, for it connects the Alster Lake and the surrounding shops and scenic spots. Jungfernstieg lies on the bank of the Alster Lake, where there is the oldest shopping corridor in Hamburg. The one that can represent the Hanseatic city's grace is the shopping corridor inside Hamburger Hof. Located beside Jungfernstieg is a traditional upscale department store---Alsterhaus, which combines tradition and modernity, and has the world famous brands. In addition, you can also take a rest on Jungfernstieg, while enjoying the afternoon tea, beautiful scenery of the lake, and ancient Hamburg City Hall.

Hamburg Elbphilharmonie

Located at the western tip of HafenCity is the new

landmark of Hamburg---Elbphilharmonie, which is located on the bank of the rippling Elbe River. Built on top of the red brick wall warehouse, once used for storing cocoa, is an irregular 100-meter-tall glass structure building. It was designed by Herzog and de Meuron, both from a Swiss architecture firm. The core of it is a world-class music hall, where there are 2,100 seats. Its opening provides a great stage for the classical music in Hamburg's blood and the world's new music stars. Under the wave-shaped rooftop are two different sizes of music halls, a hotel, many private apartments, and the Elbphilharmonie Plaza, a public viewing area, and all of them are inside the Elbphilharmonie.

HafenCity and UNESCO World Heritage Sites: Warehouse District, Kontorhaus District with Chile House

HafenCity is Hamburg's newly planned urban area, where the modern urban area and the old buildings gather and give off fascinating charms. In Hamburg, you will not find another area like HafenCity. With historical red brick wall warehouse buildings and modern glass wall buildings, HafenCity congregates the old and new elements of Hamburg. HafenCity is adjacent to the city center, located on the bank of the Elbe. Not only can you see unique buildings, but you can also take a tour of a traditional port district and many other types of museums. In addition, restaurants, cafes, and spacious terraces will also be built along the river. HafenCity is the largest city planning and building proj-

ect within a city in the world. Its appearance changes daily and you can find new architectural highlights as well as all kinds of exhibitions in the city. By visiting the Magellan-Terrassen Square or on the Marco Polo Terraces, you will be experiencing the unique charms of HafenCity. At the Magellan-Terrassen Square, tourists will see the Hamburg landmark Elbphilharmonie, and appreciate its unique architectural style. The Elbphilharmonie is located at the western tip of HafenCity, and it is the newly built music hall in Hamburg.

UNESCO World Heritage Site: Warehouse District and Kontorhaus District with Chile House

In 2015, Hamburg Warehouse District, as the world's largest storage complex, was listed by the UNESCO among the World Heritage Sites. Tourists can have a poetic beautiful view at the world-class port: the Wilhelmine Gothic red brick buildings have unique gables and little doors, and their reflections in the river look exceptionally mesmerizing. Standing on the central line of the Warehouse District buildings and the river to appreciate the scenery is a special experience. The buildings, with just one meter of space between each other, are arranged in rows on the Elbe riverbank. In addition to the above architectural characteristics, Warehouse District also features many museums, such as the Hamburg Miniature Wonderland, which every tourist visiting Hamburg must go to. It is the world's largest railway model museum, and also the most popular attraction in Germany. Its care-

the shopping experience in Hamburg is unforgettable.

Many numbers of local designer brands offer 30%-70% discount all year round, you can find these brands in McArthurGlen Designer Outlet in Neumünster. Located about 40 minutes' drive from Hamburg is the McArthurGlen Designer Outlet in Neumünster. The outlet maintains the local architecture style with the elegant square, the beautiful street as well as the wooden houses spread along the road. Among them you can find the café, Kids Corner, free parking lot and multiple luxury brands. All of them are made for tourists. There are all kinds of quality clothing, sportswear and exquisite household products for you to choose from.

Come to Visit Hamburg in Winter

Winter DOM is on from Friday, 3 November 2017 to Sunday, 3 December 2017. The iconic Hamburg DOM is the biggest public festival in Northern Germany. It is on for 30 days every summer, winter and spring at Heiligengeistfeld. The name of Hamburg's most famous fun fair is the only reminder of the old days in the cathedral. There are about 10 thousand people come to this festival every year.

Entry to Hamburg DOM is free. Besides exciting attractions, you'll also find delicious food, from sweets and traditional snacks to hearty multi-course meals. Don't miss the special events, like the fireworks that can be seen every Friday night at 10:30 p.m!

You can't miss the Christmas market when you come to visit Hamburg During the Christmas. As the second largest city in German, Christmas markets in Hamburg are representative. Experience the winter magic in the Hanseatic City! Thousands of lights are reflected in the Alster, Elbe and canal. The scent of roasted almonds and fir sprigs fills the air. And the eyes of visitors light up with the romantic Christmas decorations – each year Hamburg turns into a real Christmas fairytale.

Romantic, traditional or unusual - here you will find all the Christmas markets in Hamburg. Discover the festive lights, arts and crafts and delicious delicacies at the variety of Christmas markets in Hamburg.

fully designed landscapes and details give people a lasting impression.

Kontorhaus District is also an area where buildings are densely constructed. At the end of the 19th Century and the beginning of the 20th Century, a business district comprised of red brick buildings was created, such as the world famous Chile House, which is among the typical representatives.

Warehouse District and Kontorhaus District intensively show the surprising wealth that the Hanseatic League businessmen have created. The Wilhelmine red brick buildings are very impressive, and that is one of the places you must visit when you travel to Hamburg.

The Alster

Located east of the city hall, the Alster is the paradise of tourists, sailboat lovers and shoppers.

Around the lake, tourists can taste delicacies and enjoy shopping, in addition to experiencing the romantic and port style of Hamburg---the northern German metropolis. Tourists can sit down and relax at the cafes or restaurants along the Outer Alster Lake to appreciate the luxurious villas and the lush flower gardens; enjoy the fun of buying luxurious products at the shopping mall beside Jungfernstieg; or jump onto a steam boat to cruise the 160-hectare lake and taste the charms of quietness. Large areas of water and greenery make Hamburg a livable city.

Hamburg Miniature Wonderland

The Hamburg Miniature Wonderland features the world's largest railway model, covering an area of 1,300 square meters, and it is also the most popular tourist attraction in Germany. More than 800 trains keep rushing through day and night in the miniature wonderland where the United States, the Scandinavian Peninsula, Italy, and Switzerland have been modeled in. Tourists can experience a miniature travel of the entire world, and they can also come to the little world by using the varied buttons. You can push the button to help Hamburger Sport Verein (HSV) shoot the ball at the football gate, and use windmills to change the environment of the miniature world. Inside the wonderland, even a helicopter can take off.

Port of Hamburg

The Port of Hamburg is not only a port; it is also one of the largest tourist attractions in Hamburg due to its advantageous location. The Port of Hamburg is the heart of Hamburg, where visitors can experience the different charming of the city, a passion for sailing. The Port of Hamburg is the second largest seaport in Europe and one of the nine largest container ports in the world. About 13,000 ships from all over the world dock here every year, including well-known luxury cruise ships. Visitors can take a stroll through the lakeside boulevard or the pier at the Baumwall district to experience the unique port view. People can also take a motorboat to enjoy the beautiful views of the

Port of Hamburg from the River Elbe: huge container ships and small yachts. In addition, visitors can also travel between major museums by boat.

St. Michael's Church

The 132-meter-tall St. Michael's Church, colloquially called Michel, is considered to be one of the finest Hanseatic Protestant baroque churches in north Germany. This iconic building attracts more than one million visitors every year. Not only can visitor enjoy an excellent panoramic view over the city in the 82-meter-tall tower platform in the church, but they can also enter the nave of the church to pray. Aside from the orchestra, choir and the "Trinity" band, St. Michael's Church is also known for its 300-year-old tower music. Every day in the Church, three pipe organs are played, and the bell chorus sounds.

The Reeperbahn and St. Pauli

Inside one of the largest entertainment areas of Europe, the only problem is that you have not imagined enough; there is nothing that isn't possible. The street where the 100-meter-long ropes used on ships were once placed is now lined with beer houses, bars, nightclubs, cafes, clubs, snack restaurants, and all kinds of entertainment venues. The Reeperbahn is also called "The most glamorous mile in the world," and is a famous entertainment area in Hamburg. Indeed, those who like other types of entertainment activities can also spend their night at Hamburg's opera houses, and drama rooms.