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What do you like most about travelling?

The thing I like most about travelling is the thrill of discovery, the promise of the unseen, the excitement of it all. I consider myself as an adventurous person and I love going to new places and experiencing the culture and way of life.

What is your favourite business destination?

My favourite business destination would have to be the South of France. That is one of the few places where I can actually mix business with pleasure. Other such destinations entice me, where the harmony between work and leisure is perfect.

What is your favourite holiday destination?

Spain. The lively culture and great food, I couldn't ask for much more.

Do you go there often?

Whenever I get a chance, I go, even if it is only for a couple of days.

Where do you stay when you go there?

I have bought myself an apartment in Barcelona, so I stay there.

What attributes must a hotel have for you to decide to stay there?

For me the most important thing is for the hotel to have a local flavour.

What do you do when you go on holiday?

I like to spend as much time as possible outdoors. I like to experience life like a native to that particular place does.

What makes a destination enjoyable for you?

It would have to be a combination of the culture, people, ambience and historical sights.

Are you a big fan of flying?

Even though I love travelling, flying gives me the jitters. I am a very nervous flyer.

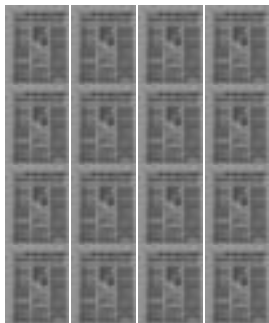
Do you have a favorite tourist attraction or landmark that you have visited?

Not really, it's the people and the culture that attracts me the most.

Is there any city/country you haven't yet been but would love to visit? If so, why?

One country that is a definite on my list is Brazil. The vibrant nature of the people and the country really appeals to me. ■

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