**EXPERIENCE BRAZIL’S EXOTIC AND VIBRANT HOLIDAY SEASON CELEBRATIONS**

**AT IBEROSTAR HOTELS & RESORTS**

*Escape the Winter Cold and Bid Farewell to 2017 with an End-of-Year Celebration Filled with Sun, Pulsating Music, Delicious Food, and a Luxury Hotel Experience*

**Miami, November 15, 2017 -** IBEROSTAR Hotels & Resorts**,** known for its four and five-star, all-inclusive resorts in the Caribbean and Mexico, will be celebrating the end of the year with a special holiday program in two of its Brazilian luxury properties. Designed to entertain the whole family and to generate the best memories, the **IBEROSTAR Praia do Forte,** in Salvador de Bahia, and the **IBEROSTAR Grand Amazon** hotel ship will offer an exceptional atmosphere complete with live shows, poolside concerts, special Christmas dinners, toasts and, of course, a visit from Santa Claus.

“We are thrilled to provide our guests with an unforgettable and memorable holiday season filled with lively music, exquisite food and an unforgettable luxury hotel experience,” said John Long, Vice-President of Sales and Marketing for IBEROSTAR Hotels & Resorts. “The holidays are a perfect opportunity to showcase our high-quality service to our guests and express our commitment to them, and we look forward to celebrating this special time of the year together.”

Boasting breathtaking views of the Atlantic Ocean and located on the east coast of Brazil, the **IBEROSTAR Praia do Forte** and its sister hotel the **IBEROSTAR Bahia** will offer a once in a lifetime, end-of-year celebration experience with events, shows and live concerts by Banda Eva (Dec 30), Jammil e Uma Noites (Dec 31), and Batifun and Star Band (Jan 1) that will allow vacationers to dance and create memorable Brazilian experiences.

At the **IBEROSTAR Grand Amazon**, a unique all-inclusive hotel ship in Manaus and part of the brand’s Grand Collection segment, guests can discover the mystery of the Amazon jungle and its wildlife, such as monkeys swinging through the branches while colorful parrots and macaws flash through the trees. Guests can also enjoy exhilarating boat rides, live music and stunning views of the bonfires on Ponta Negra beach. The hotel ship also will be offering a New Year’s Eve dinner, bonfire and champagne waterfall, as well as a special place for the little ones (minimum age for children is eight years old).

The end of the year is always buzzing at IBEROSTAR hotels. Last year, the chain’s Brazil hotels boasted a 98% occupation rate, and this year promises to be as successful. New Year’s vacation packages at IBEROSTAR begin on December 26 and end on January 7, 2018. American travelers with a valid visa (required for travel to Brazil) can book their stay at this exotic destination by visiting [www.iberostar.com](http://www.iberostar.com) and [www.thegrandcollection.com](http://www.thegrandcollection.com/pt).

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**About IBEROSTAR Hotels & Resorts**

IBEROSTAR Hotels & Resorts is a resort hotel chain based in Palma de Mallorca (Balearic Islands, Spain), founded by the Fluxà family in 1986. IBEROSTAR Hotels & Resorts is an integral part of GRUPO IBEROSTAR, one of the main Spanish tourist companies with over 60 years of experience, which currently has 100 hotels of 4 and 5 stars in 17 countries around the world. For more information, please visit: [IBEROSTAR.com](https://www.iberostar.com)