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SO, YOU'RE COMING TO TORONTO! HERE ARE SOME FUN FACTS TO MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR STAY IN CANADA'S DOWNTOWN!

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#### **TO KNOW**

- One of The New York Times' Places To Go in 2016.
- The 4th largest city in North America, Toronto and the surrounding area are home to 5.5 million people.
- An international hub for business, culture, entertainment, finance, and science & technology.
- The currency is the Canadian dollar. One- and two-dollar coins are affectionately known as the "loonie" and "twoonie," respectively.

### TO GO

- Two airports, Toronto Pearson International Airport and Billy Bishop Toronto City Airport, provide easy access from around the world.
- The **UP Express** can get you from Toronto-Pearson International Airport to Union Station and the downtown core in 25 minutes. Check upexpress.com for schedules and fares.
- There are a number of taxi companies in Toronto to help you get around town. Fares are metered, standard and non-negotiable.
- If you want to keep your mobile service fees in check, talk to the server provider about travel packs. Most restaurants, cafes and hotels have free Wi-Fi.

### TO DO

- Don't just look at the iconic CN Tower. Experience it with the thrilling, outdoor, gravity-defying EdgeWalk!
- Visit 125 of the country's best museums and galleries including the Art Gallery of Ontario, Royal Ontario Museum, and the Hockey Hall of Fame.
- From the popular Toronto Eaton Centre to the luxury shops of Yorkville, Toronto is a shopper's dream.
- Extend your stay and enjoy idyllic day trip to Niagara Falls, Niagara-on-the-Lake, and the Muskokas.

#### TO EAT

- Over 9,000 restaurants feature world-famous chefs and globally inspired cuisine including a diverse, delicious collection right outside your hotel.
- Must try: Carousel Bakery's Peameal Bacon Sandwich at **St. Lawrence Market**, Bahn Mi Boys tacos and Ice Wine from 360, the world's highest wine cellar!

# Mark your calendar!

Sept 13-16, 2018

#### Take 2: GLAO & MASO Present: REEEL SIMULES GLAO/MASO Annual Session September 13 – 16, 2018 Fairmont Royal York, Toronto

#### tiff. The Toronto International Film

**Festival** the biggest and brightest public film festival happening right here while you are in town! World premieres, cutting-edge film, galas and industry shmoozes all make TIFF the illustrious event it is. Whether you're a cinephile or just love to see the celebs, TIFF is the place to be... <u>http://www.tiff.net/tiff/</u> For details on the GLAO/MASO Annual Session visit: http://www.glao.org/ or http://maso.org/

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GET A GLIMPSE OF SOME KEY LOCATIONS IN WALKABLE, CLEAN AND SAFE DOWNTOWN TORONTO.

