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HOT BUTTONS

2019

2020

- Suite Upgrades
- Room Rates
- Value Adds
- 1:40

- Allowable Attrition
- Hybrid Meetings
- **Duty of Care**
- Comp Receptions · Social Distancing
 - Lower F & B Mins

BUZZWORDS

2019

- Wellness
- Authenticity
- Customization
- **Niche Events**

2020

- Trust
- Safety/Sanitation
- Space
- Flexibility
- Seller's Market
 Buyer's Market



IT TAKES **MONTHS** CUSTOMER...

SECONDS TO LOSE ONE

Be Proactive

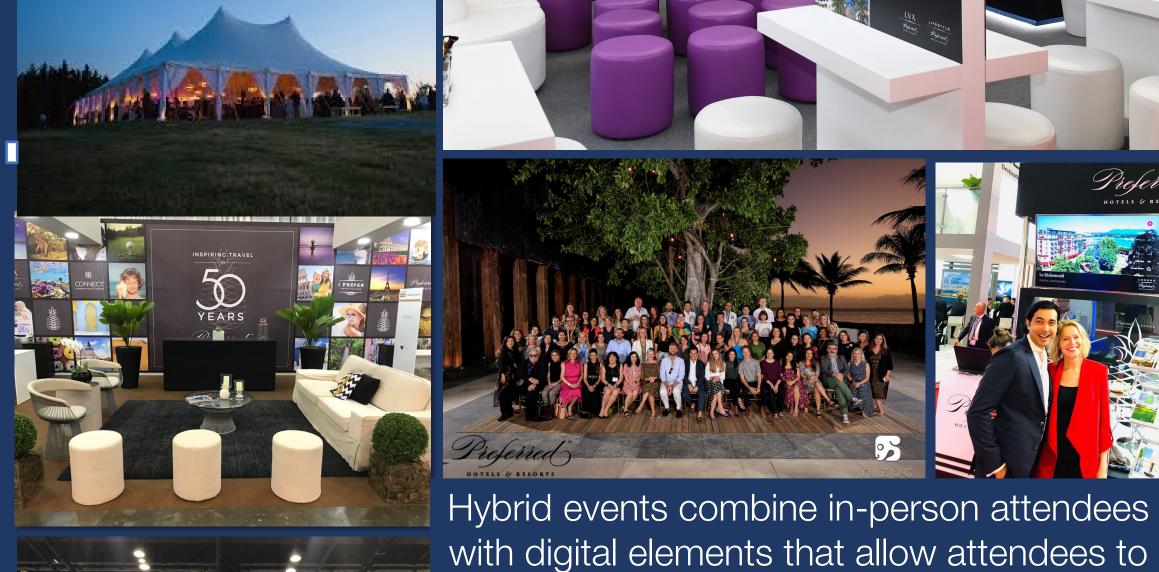
- Temperature Check
- Communicate
- Instill Confidence

Be Creative

- Hybrid Meeting
- Split into Waves









Believe in Travel

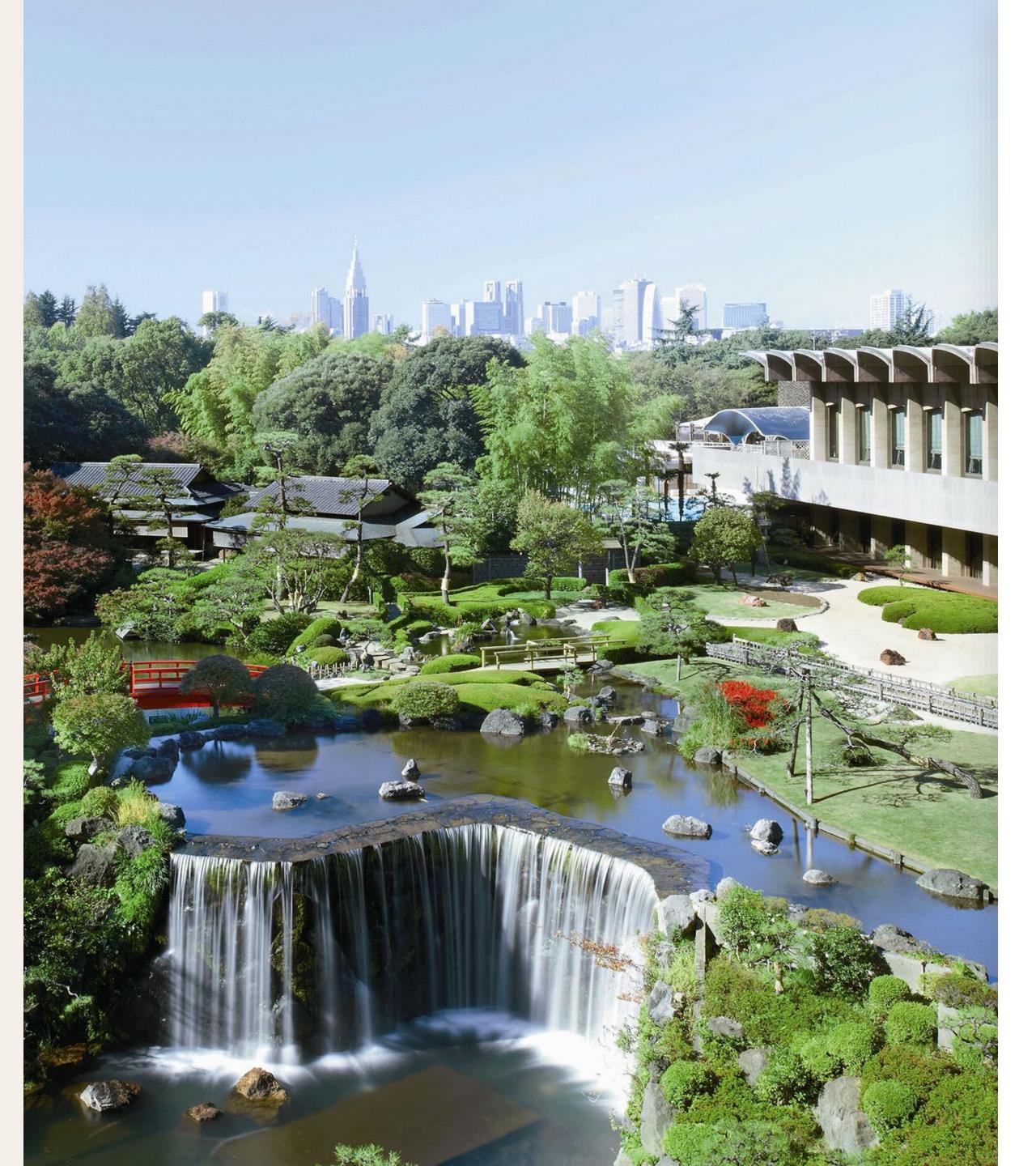




Insights for Southeast Asia

- Virtual & Hybrid Meetings gaining popularity
- Travel bubble?
- Pharmaceutical industry starting to recover
- Tech Companies restrict travel
- Thailand & Vietnam reopen for domestic tourism
- Anticipated timeline for resumption of MICE business in Asia:
 - Regional MICE by Q2 2021
 - International MICE possibly in 2022





Insights for Japan

- COVID-19 Infections surging
 - Tokyo excluded from the "Go To Travel"
 Campaign
 - Many agency employees remain on furlough
 - Limited group movements outbound due to border restrictions
- Financial/Consulting/Legal industries ramping up for Q4 2020 & early 2021 to short haul destinations
- Creative strategy by JTB: New Normal based
 Corporate Incentive Travel



Insights for India

- MICE recovery window
 - Group/MICE showing signs of recovery in Q4 2020 & Q1 2021
 - Domestic MICE will return first
- Hybrid meetings trending
- Weddings and Social segment will show phased recovery
- Maldives has opened it borders =
 Resorts can once again accept
 Groups/Incentives



- ITB Asia 2020 (21 23 Oct 2020) incorporating MICE Show Asia, Travel Tech Asia going virtual
- Asia MICE Forum









Insight for Greater China

Mainland:

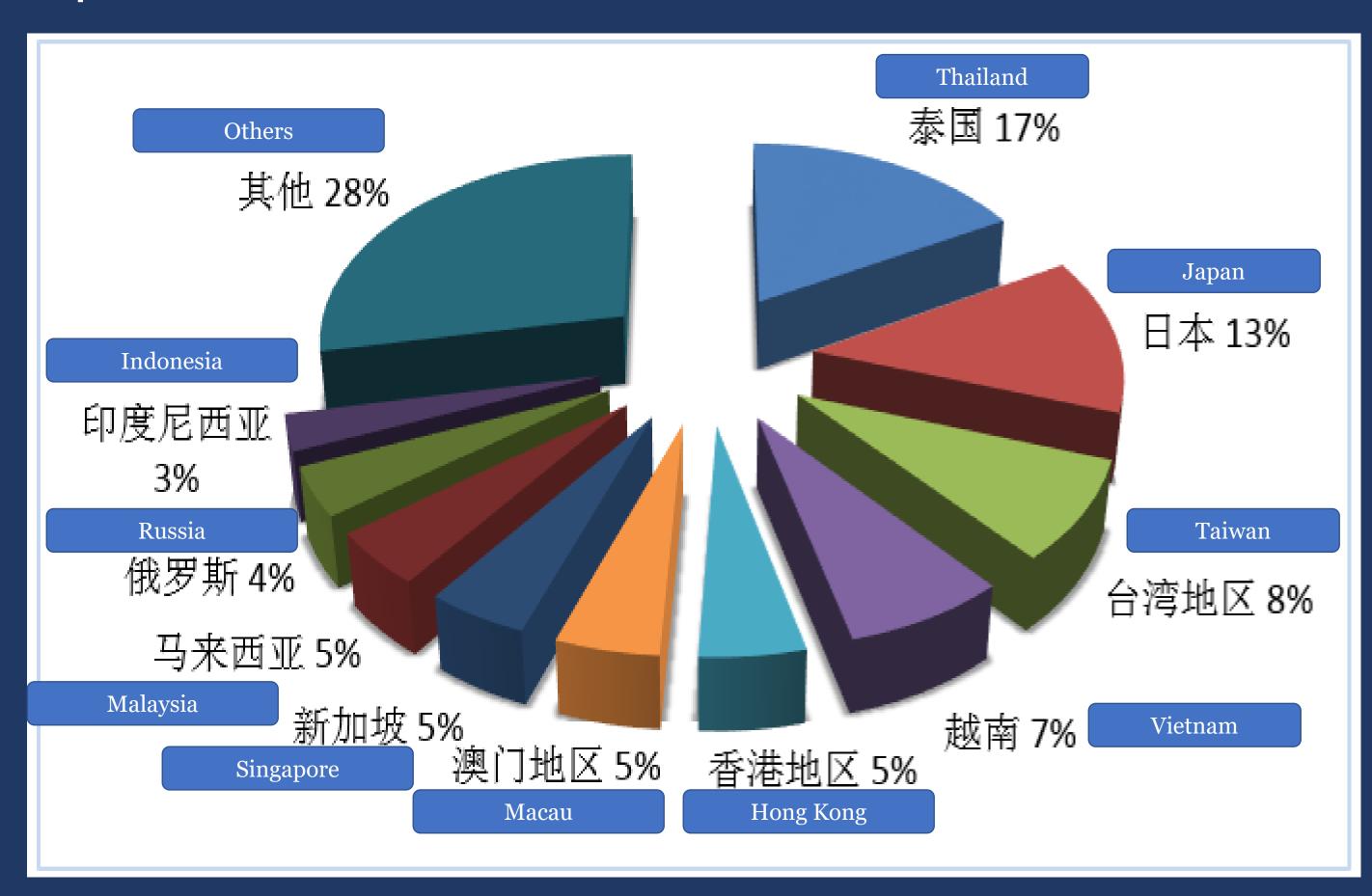
- COVID-19 Pandemic well-controlled
- Rebound of domestic MICE
- Cross provincial travel is allowed
- Once again seeing large groups with hundreds of participants

Hong Kong:

- Third Wave of COVID-19
- Partial lockdown
- Public gathering of max 4 people

Greater China – Outbound Travel Policy

Top 10 outbound destinations of Q4 2019



- Currently mostly business travel and expats
- Bilateral Fast Track between
 China & ASPAC
- International flights operated by Non-Chinese Carriers resumes
- Strict safety requirements for travelers returning to China
 - Negative test within 5 days of departure
 - Test results upload to WeChat to get health code approval



Greater China

How do we support you?

- Preferred Sales Team Associates based in Key 1st Tier, 2nd Tier & 3rd Tier Cities
- Proactively targeting industries that are less affected by COVID-19
- Actively securing MICE RFPs from MNCs
- Strong relationships with top 500 Chinese companies
- Strengthen strategic partnership with Top MICE agencies



Tips for ASPAC Hotels

- Sanitization and safety protocols
- Awareness on updated travel policy
- Prepare Chinese version content

- Visuals of room setups adhering to social distancing guidelines
- Virtual and Hybrid meeting capabilities
- Adapted to Digital Tools

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Open Forum

Let's Discuss









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Manager

Pending posts

Requests to join

Manage group

277 members

Including Lauri Baker and 128 other connections











Invite connections









Preferred Hotels & Resorts Group Sales Community https://www.linkedin.com/groups/13865606//

🚜 Listed group





"When written in Chinese, the word crisis is composed of two characters - one represents danger, and the other represents opportunity."

- John F. Kennedy

THANK YOU

