

TIRANA



**Return flights from LGW, LTN, STN to TIA
from just £35pp.**



**Taxi from TIA to Tirana Centre just €20.
Bus just €4. On the hour, every hour.**



Hotel Mondial

4 star hotel

**25 minute walk from
centre**

Around £50 per night

**Affordable,
rooftop bar
available
Free breakfast
included**



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Restaurant TYMI

Located on Kavaja Street

**Exceptional food, at low prices; about 35-40
minute queues to enter.**

Getting Around

Tirana has a wide range of bus routes to get you anywhere, including the Dajti Express. All tickets (except Airport) cost 40LEK (€0.40) payable to conductor whilst on bus. Must use LEK, and not euros. Timetable not always accurate, but buses are very frequent. Most bus routes available from the Central Station behind Skanderberg Square.





Skanderberg Square

Central square in Tirana, at 40,000 square metres.

Symbolises freedom, identity, resilience and independence for the Albanian people.

The Opera House is along the far side of Skanderberg Square, which is named after the Albanian National Hero.

Artificial Lake of Tirana

Only a 30 minute walk from the centre of Tirana, past the football stadium, if you are interested in that.

Lovely walk around the lake.

Created in 1955, it serves as a flood prevention and community hub.

Swimming is forbidden all year round.





Bunk Art Tirana

Serves as a museum which remembers the Communist past of Tirana. It is located inside a bunker which was built by Communist dictator Enver Hoxha, who wanted to protect himself in case of a war. 500-900LEK (€5-9) entrance fee.

Toptani Shopping Centre

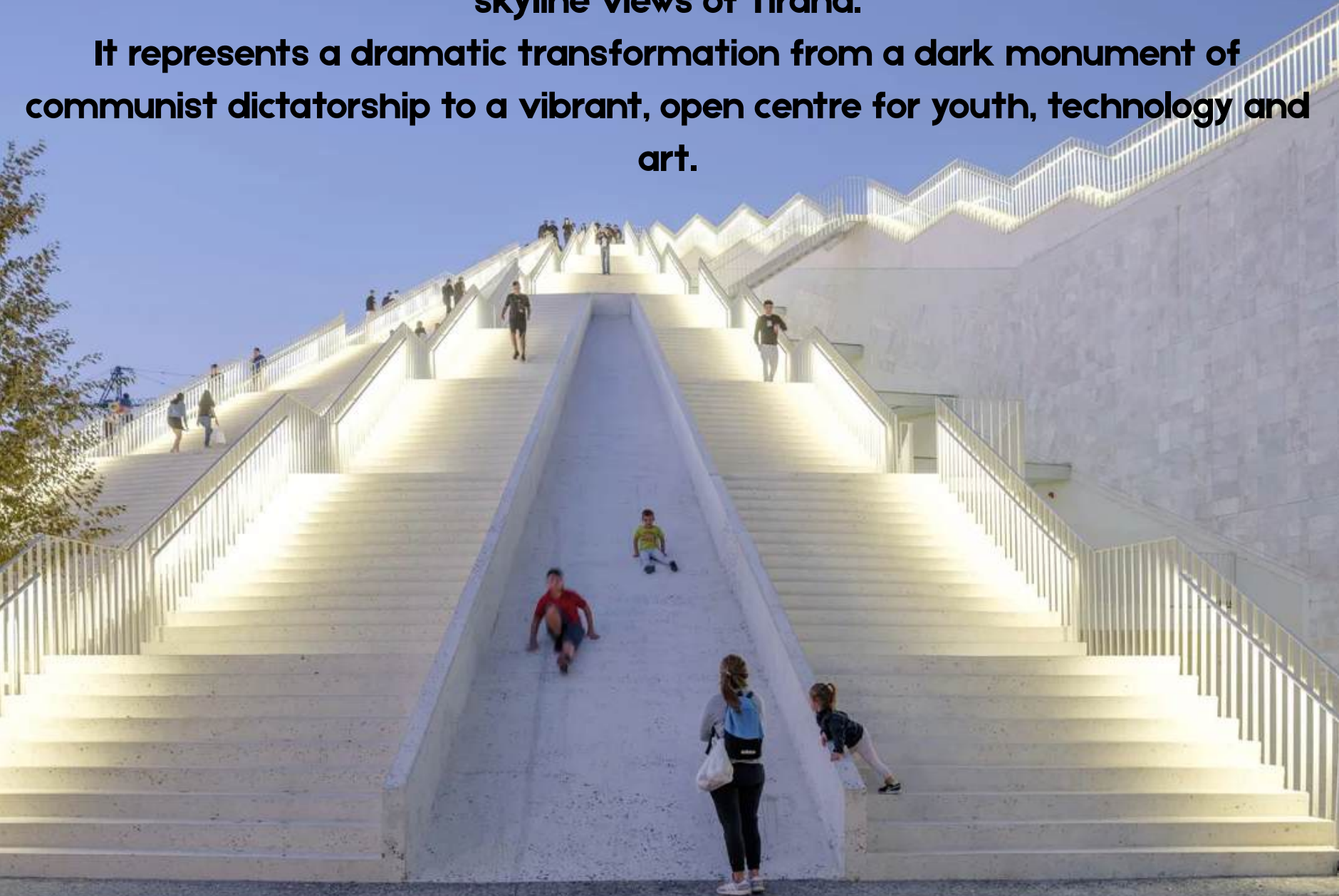
Large shopping centre located in central Tirana, with many restaurants (mainly fast-food like KFC) and 81 shops.



Pyramid of Tirana

A pyramid in central Tirana, which is free to ascend, offering amazing skyline views of Tirana.

It represents a dramatic transformation from a dark monument of communist dictatorship to a vibrant, open centre for youth, technology and art.



It was built by Enver Hoxha, so represents triumph over dictatorship.

A cable car is seen ascending Mount Dajti, offering a panoramic view of Tirana, Albania. The city is visible in the distance, nestled in a valley. The cable car is a modern, enclosed cabin with large windows. The sky is clear and blue, and the surrounding landscape is lush with green trees and vegetation.

Dajti Express Cable Car

A beautiful cable car which ascends Mount Dajti in the North East of Tirana City.

A 15-25 minute ascend in a cable car, which are not usually super busy.

You receive excellent views of the entire of Tirana.

Located in the suburbs, it is easily accessible by a 30 minute bus, for just 40LEK.

There are two restaurants, including one café at the top of the mountain, where you can start a walk from.

€15 return, per person. Very much worth it.

Tirana, and Albania in general, is a beautiful city in Eastern Europe. Easily accessible by flights from 3 London Airports, and elsewhere in the UK and Europe, it serves as a great, affordable destination for all travellers who want to experience a different style of life, which is more rushed and simple than our own.



The LEK is the official currency of Albania, where 100LEK \approx €1. However, despite this, the euro is generally accepted in many places. The only place that did not accept euros was the local buses, where you had to pay with 40LEK. The airport bus, however does accept euros, as do most restaurants/tourist spots. The majority of places do not accept card, but the Airport Bus, Bunk'Art and the Dajti Express are exceptions.

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