

## Coronado, San José

Green and sunny Coronado (more than 60,000 inhabitants) is a lively semi rural town with a very active community life. Coronado, towered by a large large gothic church, is home to many painters, writers and some well know politicians have their ranch in the Coronado mountains.

Living in Coronado provides you with all the advantages of a clean natural area, and at the same time it gives you the opportunity to enjoy the cultural activities of the capital which is easily accesible in approximately 30 minutes. San José downtown is only 6,5 miles (approximately 10km) away and public transport is available from early morning until late evening. The University of Costa Rica and the lively surrounding streets with coffee shops, jazz and salsa clubs, students restaurants and discotheques are just 5 km away.

Coronado is the seat of numerous important institutions, such as:

- Interamerican Institute For Agriculture (IICA)
- The Center For Latin American Social Studies (ICAES)
- The Costa Rican Olympic Committee (COI)
- The world-famous snake research center of the University of Costa Rica, the Instituto Clodomiro Picado.



Coronado offers also offers services such as modern supermarkets, Sunday vegetable market, doctors, hardware stores, gas stations, bars, banks, traditional sodas, pizzeria, American-style restaurants and discotheques.

Being located near the southern border of famous Braulio Carrillo National Park and only 20km away from Irazú Volcano, Coronado is also a great place for all those who love hiking in the mountains, mountain biking or riding.

