

# 19th INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON REGULATORY PEPTIDES 20-23 August 2012, Copenhagen, Denmark

## Things to see in Copenhagen

We have listed here a small sample of sights and experiences available in Copenhagen. August is one of the busiest months in Copenhagen, and the city and surrounding areas are blooming with activities—no matter where your interest may lie. For more information and ideas, please visit [www.visitcopenhagen.com](http://www.visitcopenhagen.com).



### **The Royal residence:**

Amalienborg palace is considered one of the greatest works of Danish Rococo architecture. It was constructed in the 1700s and is made up of four identical buildings: Christian VII's Palace (or Moltke's Palace), Christian VIII's Palace (or Levetzau's Palace), Frederik VIII's Palace (or Brockdorff's Palace) and Christian IX's Palace (or Schack's Palace)—spread around the octagonal courtyard. This is the main residence of Her Majesty the Queen. When the flag is raised, it signals that the Queen is in residence.



### **Strøget:**

Copenhagen's largest shopping area is centered around Strøget in the heart of the city.

Strøget is the world's longest pedestrian street with a wealth of shops, from budget-friendly chains to some of the world's most

expensive brands. The stretch is 1.1 kilometres long and runs from City Hall Square (Rådhuspladsen) to Kongens Nytorv.

Strøget is a nickname from the 1800s and covers the streets Frederiksberggade, Nygade, Vimmelskaftet and Østergade and Nytorv square, Gammeltorv Square and Amagertorv Square.



The stretch was originally called Routen, and it was not before 1962 and in the years after that it was converted to a pedestrian street.

### **Tivoli gardens:**

A few minutes' walk from the Town Hall Square (Rådhuspladsen), right in the middle of the city, you will see the gates of the famous old Tivoli Gardens. An enchanted world of exotic architecture, exquisite gardens and scenery, theatres, open air stages, restaurants, cafés and 26 rides and amusements ranging from monstrous constructions that will twirl and spin their victims, to gentle children's carrousel.

### **Carlsberg:**

A visit to the Carlsberg breweries will give you an idea of how the world-famous Carlsberg Beer is made.

Carlsberg is among the largest tourist attractions in Copenhagen, and now you have the opportunity to get closer to the roots of Carlsberg, the history and the beer.

The Old Carlsberg Brewery from 1847 has been converted into a modern centre for visitors covering 10,000 m<sup>2</sup>.

