

# HP Costa Rica Global Delivery Center Overview

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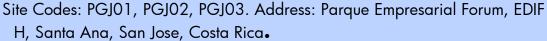


## Costa Rica, San Jose HPS Global Delivery Center









- Scope: Foundation, Application, ITO, BPO services:
   One of HPS' Global Delivery Centers for English
   language support with 24x7 and "follow the sun"
   options for internal and global trade business.
- Resources: total workforce is about 2000 (1700 HP).
   New business and transition of current delivery from US/Latin America are driving a very aggressive expansion, with the total workforce expected to reach 5,000 in 2007. The workforce in Costa Rica is one of the most cost-effective in the Americas.
- 2 DS3 Pipes (Houston and Atlanta). Upgrade to 2
   OC3 Lines in progress.
- All systems attached to UPS (PC's, Telecomm and Network). Multiple Power Generators





#### **Key Contacts**

Foundation Services Manager: James McAnally

ITO Manager - Greg Betz

Application Services Manager – Franscisco

**BPO Manager - Evan Owen** 

## Costa Rica Profile General Overview





#### Overview

Costa Rica is home to the oldest and most established democracy in Latin America

- > 4 million population, 15-29 years old: 27%
- > Total work force: 1.6 million
- > \$15 billion economy
- > 6% of GDP Invested in education
- > Literacy rates currently exceed 95%.
- > Advanced telecommunications infrastructure

#### San Jose

- Capital and primary air hub of Costa Rica
- Ranked #1 among Latin American cities EIU quality of life survey
- US companies with large presence include HP, Procter
   & Gamble , Intel, Coca-Cola & Firestone

#### **Advantages**

- > Costa Rica offers a stable economy with a large English speaking population
- > Highly educated workforce with improving technical skills
- > The lowest bilingual labor costs in the Americas.
- > Advanced telecommunications infrastructure among Latin American locations.
- > Free trade zone benefits among best in Latin America



## Site overview

#### History:-

- Site established by P&G in Aug 99 as part of their shared services strategy.
- May 03, P&G and HP signed \$3B outsourcing deal, enabling P&G to focus on their core business.
- ►ITO started operations in Aug 03.
  - ➤ 123 employees transferred to HP in Costa Rica.
- ➤ BPO started operations in Aug 04.
  - ➤ 45 employees transferred to HP in Costa Rica.







- 1.Alburquerque, NM
- 2.B. Aires, Arg
- 3.Calgary, AB
- 4.Caracas, Vz
- 5.Cayman Islands

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- 24. Mexico City
- 29.Panama, Panama
- 35.San Juan, PR
- 36.San José, CR
- 37.Santiago, Chile
- 38.Tampa, FL



- Site Study from
   September 1998 to June
   1999
- 42 cities were analyzed in the Americas







### **Key Factors Considered**

- \* Social, Political and economic Stability
- \* Total Operation Cost
- \* Population's level of education (bilingual capabilities)
  - \* Government support
  - \* Time Zone
  - \* Distance to other countries



# Global Delivery Center Costa Rica Voice & Data/Rews



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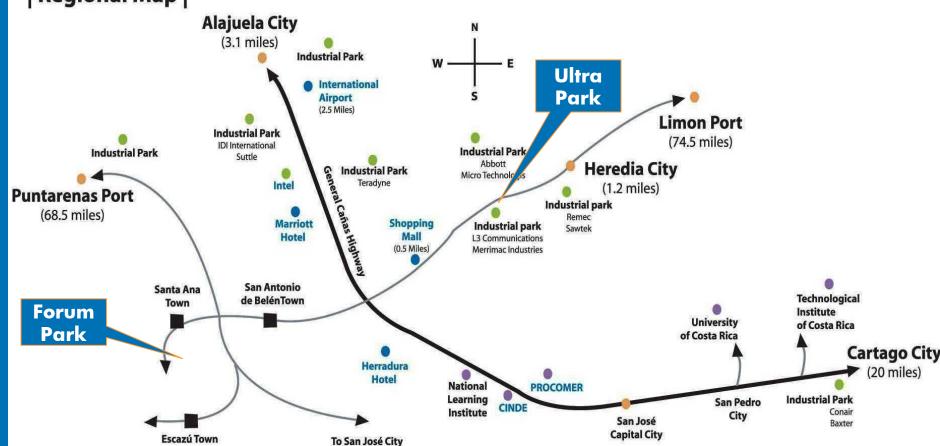
# Submarine optic fiber route





## CR Real Estate Expansion







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