

# Real Estate Investments in Panama

Profitable, secure and beautiful



# Our Agenda

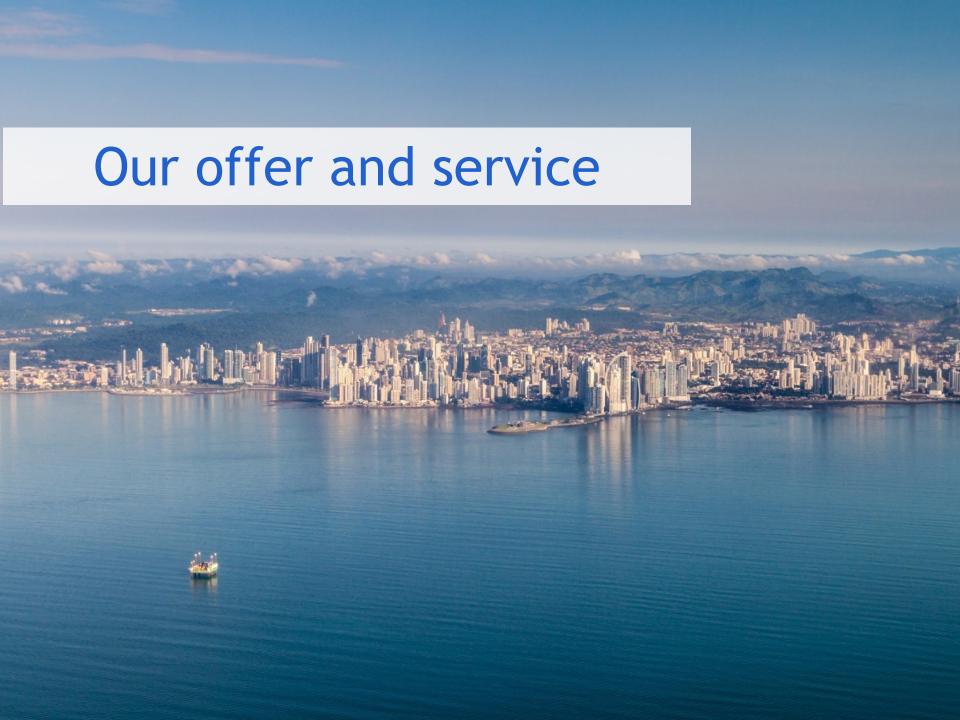
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### Our offer and service



Support for investors that would like to invest in the real estate market in Panama. Main objectives of the investors:

- Diversification of assets & real estate portfolio
- Participation on economic growth With 6.0% GDP growth one of the fastest growing economies in the world
- Investment security thanks to western structure and political stability with USD as currency



### Our offer and service

#### Who we are & Services



- Klaus Happ worked 23 years in banking industry (UBS / Dresdner Bank) / His wife is Panameña
- "FRAPAN-Invest, Corp" was founded by Klaus Happ in Panama
- Operations started in April 2017
- "German" real estate company in Panama
- Own real estate broker license in Panama

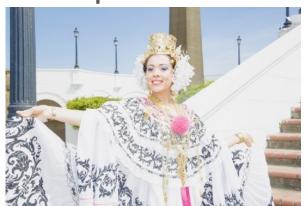
#### <u>Services</u>

- Advisory
- Real Estate Broker
- Property Administration





### An unique combination



### Country & People

- Democratic government, no military
- **4.1** million inhabitants, 40% in Panama City
- Young Population
   (average age 26 years /
   Germany 43 years)
- Language: Spanish / English due to USA history



#### Economy

- With 6.0% p.a. GDP growth one of the fastest growing economies in the world (IMF forecast for 2019-2023)
- USD is the national currency
- More than 250 multinational companies are based in Panama; more than 130 with their Latin American headquarters
- Second largest free trade zone in the world



### Safety

- USA protects Panama's borders and guarantees security
- The safest country in Central and South America
- Panama's constitution
   protects private property and
   the land register and purchase
   process are very similar to
   those of Europe and the USA



### An unique combination



#### Location & Logistics

- Logistics and trade center of the American continent
- Expansion of the Panama Canal completed in June 2016, doubling the canal capacity
- American aviation hub, connecting the USA with South America. More than 80 direct connections



#### Climate

- On the coastlines, the climate is summer all year round, while in the mountains it is spring throughout the year.
- No hurricanes
- No serious earthquakes



#### **Tourism**

- Beautiful coastlines on the Pacific and Caribbean with the spring-like mountains and one of the richest rainforests in the world
- Government focus on expanding tourism industry
- Lufthansa is flying directly six times a week



### Mega infrastructure projects









#### Airport - Expansion

- More direct connections than any other South American airport
- New modern terminal to be completed in the beginning of 2019
- Expansion of the capacities

#### **Metro Lines**

- Linie 1 started in 2014
- Line 2 to be completed in the beginning of 2019
- Line 3 will cross the canal
- Further lines planned
- Lines 1 and 2 cost about 1.5 - 2 billion USD, which corresponds to yearly canal income

#### Conference center

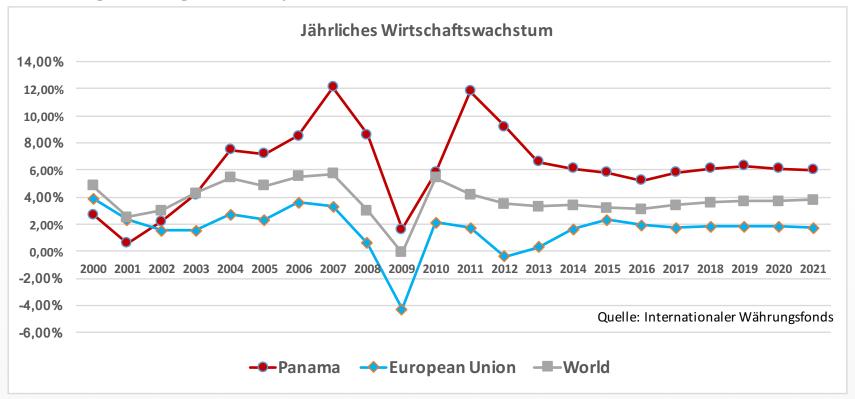
 Largest conference and event center in Central America to be completed in Panama City in 2019

#### Cruise ship terminal

 Cruise ship terminal in Panama City to be completed in 2019



### Fastest growing country in the western world







### Real estate market in Panama

#### Strong demand from:

- Investors from the USA and Canada
- •Wealthy investors from South America due to security reasons
- Middle and upper class of Panama

Europeans, Asians and Arabs have not discovered Panama yet.

Chinese investors are arriving after diplomatic relations with China.

#### **Yields**

• Prime locations in Panama City around 7,0% (in Germany 2,0%)

#### High rental demand from

- multinationals and NGOs (UN) for their employees
- international business people because of economic growth
- South Americans because of the large labour supply





### Various strategies





- Participation to diversified real estate portfolio as limited partner
- Joint venture between FRAPAN-Invest and arsago Real Estate, Ffm
- Combination of decades of real estate experience and Panama know-how



# Residential properties in prime locations

- Apartments in prime location on the Pacific promenade cost 2,500 USD/sqm
- Gross rental yields about 7% p.a.
- Purchasing a property in the Old Town is a sustainable and unique investment



# Restoration in UNESCO Old Town

- Purchase & restoration of a historic colonial building
- Experienced German restorer in Panama
- Thereafter leasing
- "Casco Viejo" is the historic centre and the "trendy district" of the city



#### Land projects or plots

- Attractive plots with potential for value appreciation on the beautiful sea coasts or in the mountains
- Development of a beach hotel with apartment complex on an island property

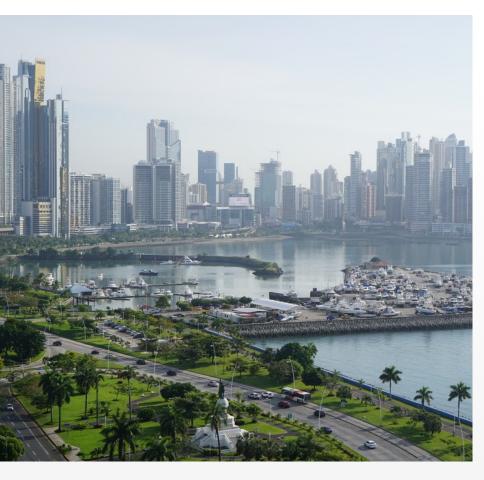


Diversified property portfolio



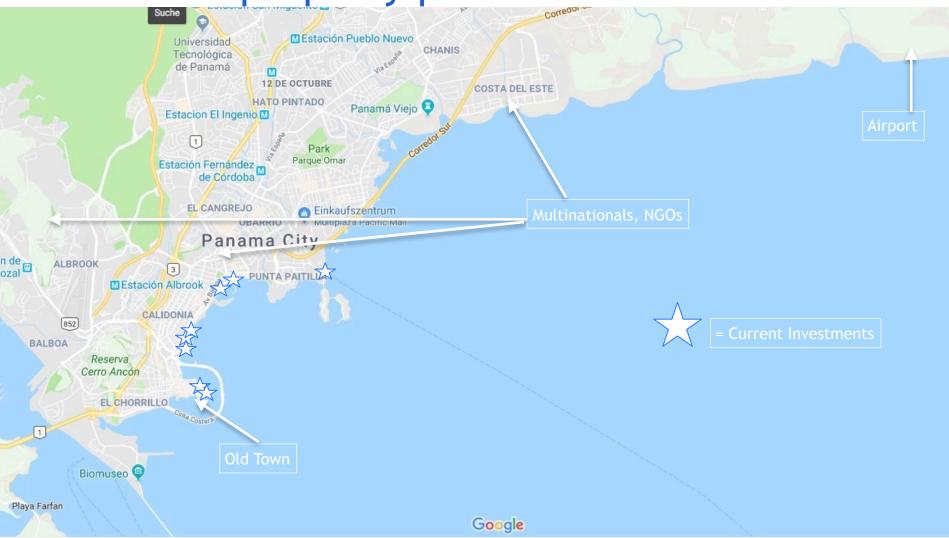


### Diversified property portfolio



- Joint Venture between "FRAPAN-Invest" and "arsago Real Estate" from Frankfurt
- arsago has a successful track record since 2001 with famous investors and investments of > 1 billion USD
- **Start in 2018** to create a profitable real estate portfolio
- High-yield existing residential properties
- "Buy and Rent" for a sustainable income
- Main criteria: Good rentability and reasonable acquisition prices
- Tenants: Multinationals, embassies, NGOs
- We buy in the modern city and in the UNESCO Old Town "Casco Viejo"
- Concentrating on unique and sustainable locations (Ocean front, views, social areas, administration, Metro, workplace, supermarkets, etc)

Diversified property portfolio





**DIRECT** Residential properties in prime locations





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#### 1/2: MODERN CITY / Residential properties in prime locations



- DIRECT investment with registration in the land register
- First line ocean front investment are internationally limited and can be rented well
- All-In-Living (Pool, Gym, Concierge, child care, next to workplace)
- Gross rental yield about 7% p.a. in prime locations
- Purchasing prices about 2.500 USD (sqm) and rental prices 14-17 USD (sqm)
- In addition to the potential for value growth, the main objective here is to generate regular rental income



### 2/2: HISTORIC TOWN / Residential properties in prime locations



- DIRECT Investment or RESTAURATION
- "Casco Viejo" is the historic town and the "in" district of the city
- On a peninsula there are about 850
  historical colonial buildings under UNESCO
  World Heritage Site
- Approx. 50% restored or under restoration
- Presidential palace, museums, the best hotels, bars and restaurants
- Purchasing prices around 3.000 -3.500 USD
   / qm (existing properties)
- Special tax reductions
- Very sustainable investment, as the offer is limited, unique and not expandable
- Our German construction manager is an experienced restorer in the UNESCO old town



Land projects or plots





"Island property Boca Brava" in Chiriqui



- Tropical island property (12ha / 120.000 sqm)
- 400m fine sandy beach with view to the mountains / volcano
- Great infrastructure location:

  - ☆ 3 minutes by taxi boat from the mainland
- Partner is German hotelier (20 years living in Panama, own hotel in coffee area of Boquete)
- Purchse of plots of titled land (each 2ha) for 19 USD / qm

<u>OR</u>

 Master plan to build a beautiful beach hotel and an apartment complex (combination of beach and mountain holiday)

More Island Ideas Available



"Golf course plot" in Chiriqui



- Spectacular lot in the mountain area of Boquete (23 hectare /230,000 sqm)
- Directly borders a beautifully designed golf course (J. Michael Poellot Golf Designs)
- Tourist spot with wonderful landscapes of mountains, waterfalls and coffee
- 1 hour from Panama`s second biggest city and its international airport
- 1.5 hour drive to pacific coast
- Springlike temperatures all year round
- Opportunity to directly purchase the titled property for approx. 11 USD / sqm.

<u>OR</u>

• A Master plan for the development of an apartment complex can be designed



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