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As a [Professional Meeting Planner](#), you are always charged with the task of looking for the next adventure your client and attendees can partake upon as a diversion to their meeting. You can never go wrong when it comes to food, people are more adventurous when it comes to food and are always willing to try something different. [The Murcia Gastronomy Route](#) is perfect for advanced travelers and for those who are new to the world cuisines. Below are a few items that your clients can savor and places that will make them think that a full meal is truly overrated.

[The Region of Murcia](#) is an autonomous community of Spain located in the southeast of the state, between Andalusia and Valencian Community, on the Mediterranean coast. The community has a population of 1.4 million, of which one-third live in the capital. The highest mountain is Los Obispos (2,015 m).

The Murcia [Gastronomy](#) Route also known as the Tapas Route has been a boon for businesses. For route-goers, it's a bargain, and a lot of fun. The atmosphere in participating bars is guaranteed to be lively, and the tapas are particularly adventurous. A "passport" turns the Tapas Route into an exciting quest.

**What Can I Eat?**

**Caballitos:** Prawns in batter skewered on a toothpick.

**Patatas con Ajo:** A boiled or roast potato accompanied by a spoonful of "ajo", as aioli or garlic mayonnaise.

**Pipirrana:** lettuce, tomato, peppers, cucumber and tinned sardines or cod.

**Pisto Murciano:** Made with fried peppers and aubergine with tomato.

**Queso Fresco Plancha:** grilled fresh cheese. You can eat it on toasted bread with some tomato.



**Where Can I Eat?**

**La Tapa:** Located in the Center of Murcia; Located in the beautiful Plaza de las Flores.

**Pepe El Torrao San Juan:** A wide selection of dishes made from the freshest ingredients from our vegetable garden and the sea.

**Bar Los Zagales:** Small tapas restaurant with a charming interior, great food and helpful staff. Very affordable, so don't be afraid to try something new.

**Pepita Pulgarcita Tapas Restaurante:** Pepita Thumbelina is a restaurant located in the center of Murcia, with a modern menu, great food, great atmosphere and best of all, your company. Gourmet restaurant modern and innovative cuisine.

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wrote: 27 November 2014 / 10:22 AM  
Mmm. That looks like a "paparajote" in one of those photos.



[Juanita](#) (United States) wrote: 27 November 2014 / 05:22 PM  
Yes it is!



[Samantha](#) (United States) wrote: 30 November 2014 / 10:11 PM  
I'd love to try this Tapas Route! Sounds fun!



[Juanita](#) (United States) wrote: 01 December 2014 / 11:59 AM  
Hi Samantha; I will be doing a follow-up post that will go into more detail regarding the restaurants and food items you can try.

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