Robben Island is the name of a famous prison which is located seven kilometers away from the city of Cape Town in South Africa. This prison is one of the most visited sites in South Africa since it is the place where former political activist (and then president) Nelson Mandela was imprisoned from June 1964 to April 1982. Apartheid officially ended in 1994. Jacob Zuma was also imprisoned there. Since 1997, it has been turned into a museum.