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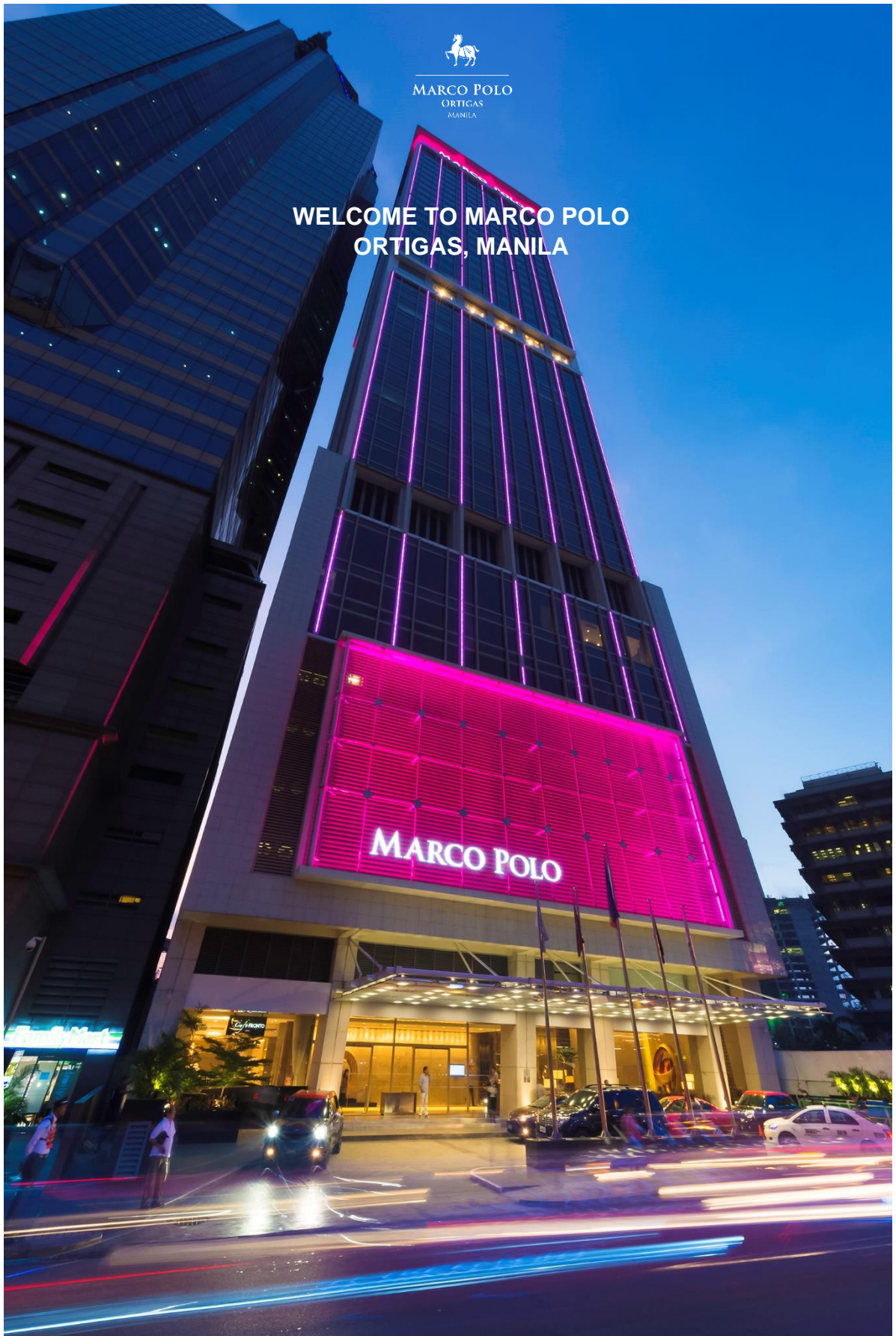
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WELCOME TO MARCO POLO
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Nestled in the vibrant and growing commercial business district of Ortigas is the first five-star Marco Polo hotel in the country offering 316 spacious and well-designed rooms and suites to discerning guests. These rooms include two Continental Club floors that accord unrivalled privileges and benefits. Adjudged to be the most stunning hotel in the Ortigas district and one of the best among Marco Polo hotels in the world, it is exclusive for guests who desire a higher level of luxury enhanced by its impressive new Continental Club lounge. Located on Level 44, the Continental Club transforms into a stylish venue for business and leisure travellers. Continental Club guests can indulge in the exclusive services from complimentary daily breakfast and afternoon tea to cocktails while overlooking an impressive view of the Rizal mountainside.

The hotel is a product of sophisticated design and a well-planned development with a team of internationally renowned designers: Architectural Design Concept by MOHRI, Architect & Associates, Inc. of Tokyo, Japan and Interior Design Concept by GLYPH Design Studio based in Canada. The hotel is acclaimed to be the first sky hotel in the country with dedicated floor areas exclusively for business and recreation. The floors are accessed via high-speed elevators including the first sky lobby in the Philippines nestled at Level 24, offering unparalleled views of the cityscape.

The Ultimate Dining Destinations

Marco Polo Ortigas Manila complements the metro's stellar dining destinations with its five signature restaurants and bars. Café Pronto captures casual chic in its form and function. It is a beacon for coffee lovers where designer blends and aromatic coffees complement an array of savouries, sandwiches, chocolates and freshly baked confections. Specialty teas share the limelight at Café Pronto where dining in or ordering to go will be a daily pleasure.

Cucina is the fashionable all-day dining restaurant located at Level 24 which features live kitchens showcasing specialties from the world's culinary capitals. Experience bespoke buffets and an original a la carte menu in a stylish setting where attention to detail is front and centre.

Experience the innovative design of the Connect Lounge, a gallery with an integrated business centre that provides guests a modern work and social space as well as delectable light meals. It offers decadent dessert samplers and snacks for guests to indulge in while they enjoy the invigorating aroma of signature coffee concoctions, teas and wines, for an afternoon tea.

The contemporary Chinese restaurant Lung Hin serves traditional and authentic Cantonese food and fresh seafood from the expert hands of its Hong Kong chefs. The sleek interiors and expansive lay-out blends in perfect symmetry with exclusive private rooms that are ideal for a range of intimate affairs.

Vu's Sky Bar and Lounge on Level 45 is poised to be a signature Ortigas attraction. Imagine nursing any of the bar's signature cocktails, wines, spirits, and champagnes with Mediterranean tapas surrounded an awe-inspiring 360-degree vista where East meets West. The al fresco advantage is also celebrated with high-end sound systems and a shisha lounge. Discover the spectacular as soon as you go sky high at Vu's Sky Bar and Lounge where dining al fresco or indoors will be an event in itself.

Spectacular Venues

The Marco Polo Grand Ballroom features all the design elements to celebrate grand occasions or to host corporate events and can accommodate up to 600 guests. In addition, the 8 function rooms can accommodate 250 people in simultaneous meetings. The innovative design of the Connect Lounge also offers guests a contemporary workspace with a social vibe.

The entire Level 22 is dedicated to the total wellness featuring a state-of-the-art fitness centre, spa and an indoor infinity pool aptly named Flow. Complimentary high-speed wireless internet access is available in the entire hotel to provide savvy business and leisure travellers seamless connectivity for work or play.

For more information, contact (632) 720 7777 or book online via www.marcopolohotels.com or email: manila@marcopolohotels.com. Visit facebook.com/MarcoPoloOrtigasManila or follow @MarcoPoloManila on Instagram.

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GENERAL MANAGER, RICHARD SIMMONS

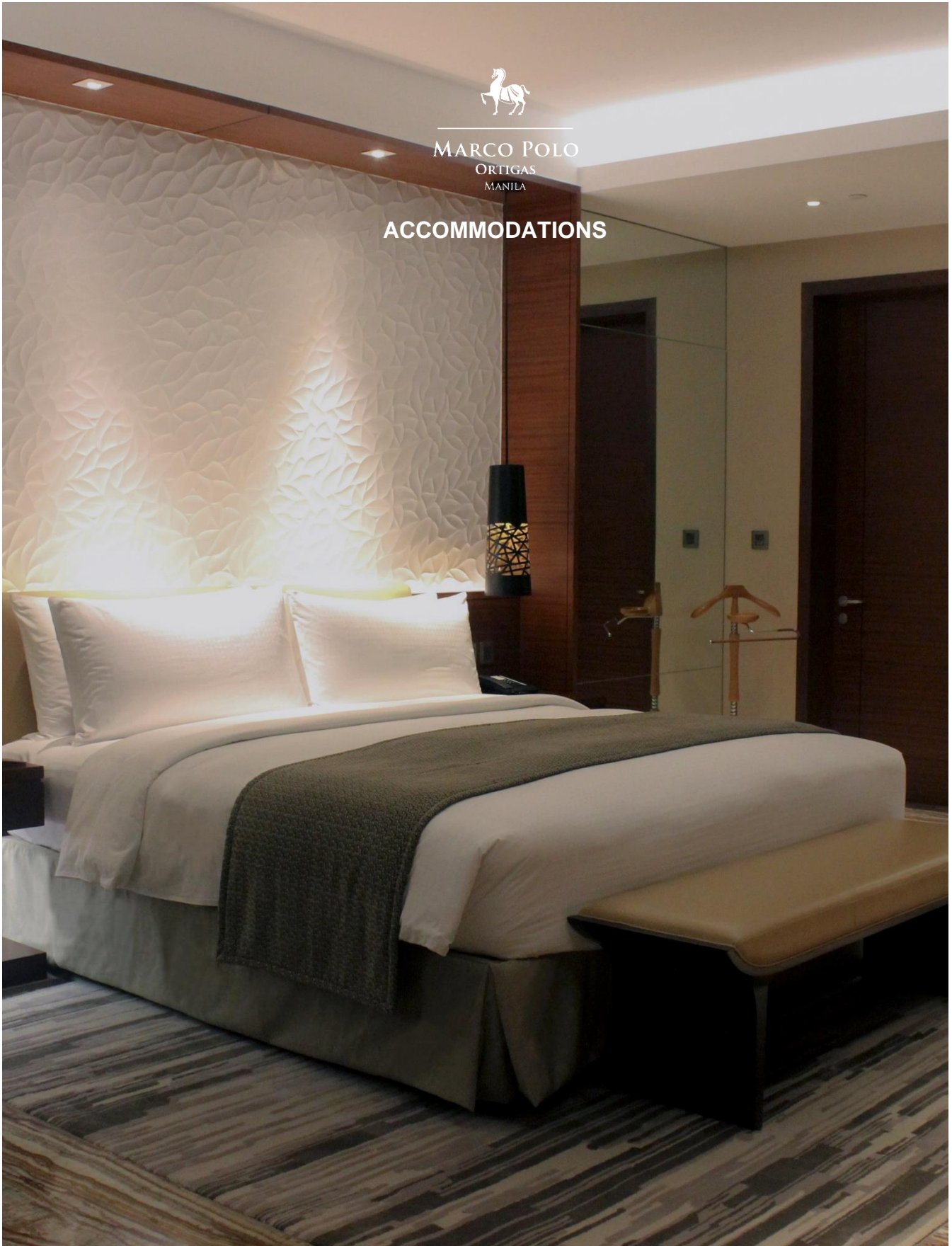


Richard was born into the hospitality industry while his father was stationed in Hong Kong. He subsequently grew up in and studied in Australia with ample opportunities to travel, stay in diverse hotels, and become connected with industry leaders that introduced him to the early steps of his hospitality career.

Commencing his career as a Management Trainee with Hyatt he quickly progressed through Rooms Division, Sales and Revenue postings primarily in Asia. This included a tenure with Shangri-La, before gaining his first General Manager role in Malaysia with Hyatt. Subsequent General Manager postings in the Philippines, Hong Kong and China followed. Richard's most recent position was General Manager at The Luxe Nomad in Koh Samui, Thailand.

Richard likes to travel, trying out both new and historic dining venues and simultaneously being inspired by others creativity. In his spare time, he enjoys playing golf, hiking, reading biographies, and spending time with his two daughters who live in Berlin, Germany.

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ACCOMMODATIONS

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Marco Polo Ortigas, Manila features 316 luxurious guestrooms including upscale suites with the best views of the bustling Ortigas skyline, as well as panoramic valley and mountain views. All custom-designed rooms are spacious, stylishly appointed and done in elegant earth tones, and with provisions for plush goose down bed toppers for a relaxing sleep experience.

The rooms are equipped with high-end and state-of-the-art amenities such as coffee-making facilities, multi-docking device with Bluetooth technology for personal gadgets and complimentary high-speed WiFi access. All rooms have large custom-fitted bathrooms with high-pressure rain showers and marble bathtubs.

Guestrooms

Superior

Available with either a king-sized bed or two double beds, Superior Rooms at Marco Polo Ortigas Manila are spacious at 38 square meters and can accommodate two adults and two children (under 12 years old).



Deluxe

Marco Polo Ortigas Manila offers well-equipped Deluxe hotel rooms, sized at 40 square meters. Spacious enough to accommodate two adults and two children (under 12 years old). Guests may choose to reserve rooms with either a king bed or two double beds.



Premier Room

All 48 well-appointed Premier Rooms are corner rooms with spacious layout and are done in elegant earth tone finish. Each Premier Room has an area of 51 square meters and provides a host of amenities that affirms its promise of class and comfort.



Suites

Marco Polo Suites are equipped with remote controlled window curtains and cutting-edge home theater systems including three sleek LED television screens in the living, bedroom, and bathroom spaces. Premium suites also feature a mirror bathroom television in their accommodations.

Superior Suite

Located on the higher floors of the hotel, Superior Suites of Marco Polo Ortigas Manila offer a panoramic view of the Ortigas cityscape with Continental Club benefits along with other luxury amenities. All suites are equipped with high-end and state-of-the-art amenities.



Deluxe Suite

Located on the higher floors of the hotel, Deluxe Suites of Marco Polo Ortigas Manila offer a panoramic view of the Ortigas cityscape with Continental Club benefits along with other luxury amenities. All suites are equipped with high-end and state-of-the-art amenities such as mirror bathroom LED television.



Marco Polo Suite

The Marco Polo Suite of the Marco Polo Ortigas Manila exemplifies luxury at its finest with its cutting-edge home theatre systems including three sleek LED television screens in the living room, bedroom and bathroom. All these are capped off with Continental Club benefits and exclusive privileges for those seeking a higher level of privacy and exclusivity.



Continental Club Floor (For Marco Polo Hotels)

Nestled on Level 44, Marco Polo's signature Continental Club Lounge provides the finest accommodation and premium amenities for those seeking higher level of privacy and exclusivity. Expect a new hotel experience with Marco Polo Ortigas, Manila's fresh approach to engaging heartfelt service.



Exclusive privileges for guests include:

Club Floor Check-in and Check-out

On arrival, a guest relations officer will personally escort you to the Club Lounge, where your check-in will be handled smoothly and quickly.

Lounge Facilities

In addition to business services, complimentary broadband Internet access and a private meeting room, the exclusive Club Lounge provides a wide selection of newspapers, magazines, books and board games.

Complimentary Breakfast, Afternoon Tea, and Cocktails

Breakfast is served daily

Wake-up calls

Wake-up calls are made with personally delivered complimentary tea, coffee or other hot beverages to the guest's room.

Newspaper and Fresh Fruits

Every day, a selection of fresh tropical fruits is replenished and delivered to the guest's room together with an international newspaper.

Complimentary Suit Pressing and Shoeshine Service

The Club's friendly, attentive staff will arrange for suit pressing and shoe shining upon request. Each guest is entitled to one complimentary suit pressing per stay.

Concierge Service

The Club concierge will be on hand to respond to guests needs, from onward travel and hotel reservations to shopping and entertainment arrangements.

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**DINING AND BAR
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Cucina

Known as “The World’s Kitchen,” Cucina features a symphony of flavors from the world’s different culinary capitals. It has a unique dining design with open kitchens that provides an intimate audience with expert chefs in action. Its distinguished interiors were elaborated by a young Filipino national artist – Jinggoy Buensuceso, along with its floor to ceiling windows that provide the perfect dining backdrop to the city skyline.

Cucina offers a versatile dining experience complemented by a well-curated spread of international cuisine focused on depth of flavors made from superior ingredients.

Cucina is located on Level 24.



Lung Hin

Lung Hin transports diners to Hong Kong through the fine art of Cantonese cuisine. Boasting a well-defined menu that goes across dim sum, roast specialties, and seafood, Lung Hin has been designed to delight guests through its exemplary service, tasteful interiors, and wonderful food creations.

The restaurant also features private dining areas with floor to ceiling windows perfect for business meetings or any personal affairs. The amazing dining view from the top floor promotes a rich and sophisticated dining experience along with the restaurant’s remarkable signature dishes.



Café Pronto

Café Pronto is a chic and casual coffee shop that is known for fresh flavors and innovative creations.

Located at the Ground Floor of Marco Polo Ortigas Manila, it boasts of a good selection of beverages from coffee, tea and smoothies complemented by an equally well variety of pastries, breads and savories. Custom-made and hand-curated gourmet sandwiches are a true delight which makes it a perfect pit stop for morning run, afternoon breaks, or to-go treats.



Connect Lounge

Overlooking the Rizal Mountains, Connect Lounge serves afternoon tea with distinguished class and timeless flair. Friends can catch up over drinks, savories, coffee, or even small plates at the Lounge, located on Level 24.

From coffee to wines, the lounge also has menus for small items that bring a luxury feel every time a guest dine. Wait for the check in or out, or chitchat with old friends over good drinks, Connect Lounge brings the finest selections of food and beverage.



In-room Dining

Guests can look forward to an array of Filipino and international specialties even when staying in the comfort of the hotel's rooms and suites.



VU's Sky Bar and Lounge

Located at the 45th topmost level of Marco Polo Ortigas, Manila, VU's is a signature Ortigas attraction offering unobstructed views of the Rizal Mountains and the Ortigas cityscape for al fresco dining at its finest.

Apart from the remarkable skyline scenery, VU's invites diners to indulge in its vast selection of cocktails, wines and other spirits together with a well-curated line-up of dishes that is a good mix of Filipino, Spanish and other Mediterranean favorites.



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EVENTS & MEETINGS



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The only sky hotel provides an ideal setting and location for all types of affairs. With a Grand Ballroom and eight function rooms located on Level 7 and 9, Marco Polo Ortigas, Manila offers its guests a haven for all corporate and social events.

The Marco Polo Grand Ballroom is located at the 7th level of the hotel tower and can accommodate up to 600 guests for cocktails and around 410 for roundtable set-up. The 714 sqm. ballroom is divisible into two (2) sections and has a pre-function area for events. It features elegant ceiling chandeliers and has a sizeable layout graced with natural daylight and 5 metre floor-to-ceiling glass windows from both ends of the venue which provide the perfect backdrop for conventions, meetings, seminars, parties and social affairs.



Easily customized to meet the needs of any event are the eight function rooms located at the 9th floor of the Hotel. These function rooms, namely Aloe A and B, Freesia, Kashmir, Oudh A and B and Verbena A and B, can hold a maximum of 120 guests in a theatre-style seating. The eight function rooms offer a private haven perfect for meetings, conferences and other social events.



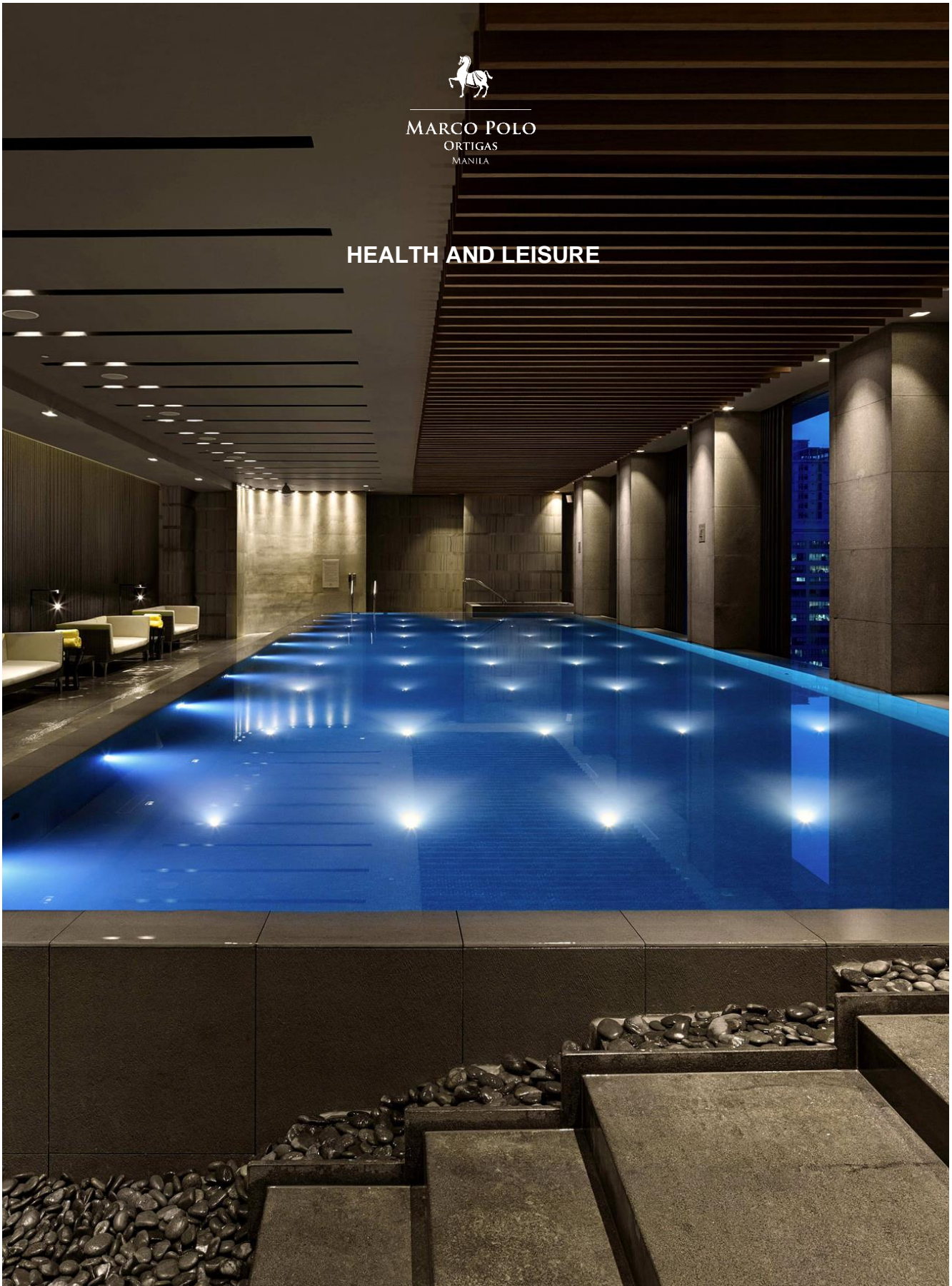
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HEALTH AND LEISURE

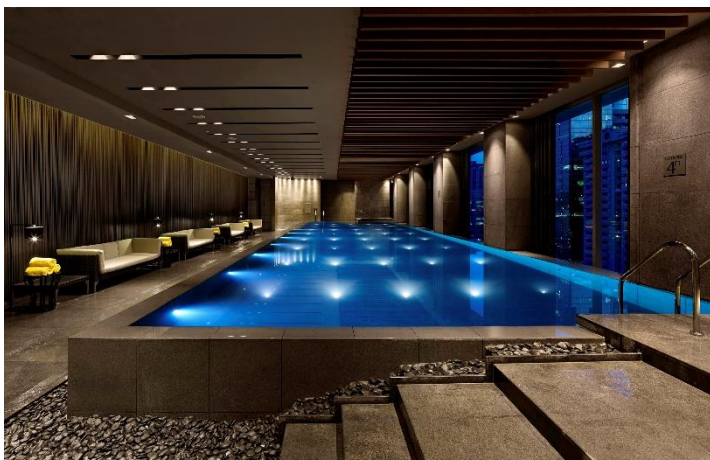


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A hub of wellness and tranquillity await guests at FLOW, Marco Polo Ortigas, Manila's suite of lifestyle facilities. Located on Level 22, FLOW features an indoor temperature-controlled swimming pool, a fully equipped fitness center, and a serene spa.

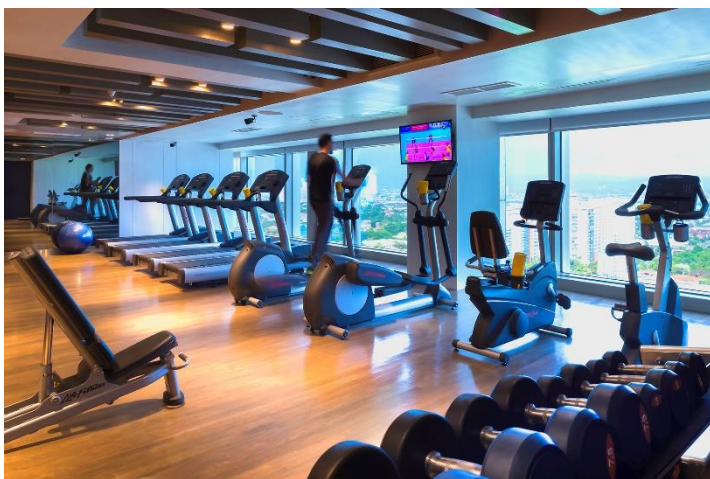
Swimming Pool

Available for all-season use, the indoor temperature-controlled pool overlooks the busy cityscape. The pool is an even four feet deep and maintained at a comfortable 36° Celsius. Guests may relax and unwind by the pool or swim a few laps to maintain their fitness.



Gym

The fully-equipped gym features free weights, treadmills and cycling machines, as well as multifunctional exercise equipment to keep guests in shape even while on holiday. The gym faces the Rizal Mountains, further inspiring guests who choose to embrace their overall wellness.



Spa Services

A tranquil garden of serenity and relaxation, Marco Polo Ortigas Manila's Flow Spa offers a variety of treatments from foot reflexology, whole-body massages and rejuvenating facials by the brand Algotharm, a marine based line from France which utilizes seaweed extracts and other marine ingredients.

The interiors of the spa already bring a relaxing touch as it is painted in soft neutral colours and accessorized with butterfly statement pieces around the area. All spa treatments start with a relaxing foot therapy with scrubs made from the most refreshing ingredients. With therapists trained to deliver the ultimate spa experience, Marco Polo Ortigas Manila's Flow Spa promises to sustain the highest standards of hospitality, and luxury

The Flow Spa boasts and highlights its Flow Signature Massage which is a fusion of Eastern and Western techniques using a special blend of essential oils. This stress-relief massage perfect for after-work hours also features Thai stretching and Hawaiian Lomi Lomi strokes.



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AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

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- Forbes Travel Guide
Five Star Hotel Awardee
- Earth Check
Silver Certified
- Philippine Tatler
Lung Hin, noted among the Philippines' Best Restaurants for 2023

2022

- Forbes Travel Guide
Five Star Hotel Awardee
- Diversey™
100% Rating – Clean and Ready Stamp
- Philippine Tatler
Lung Hin, noted among the Philippines' Best Restaurants for 2022

2021

- Forbes Travel Guide
Five Star Hotel Awardee
- Diversey™
100% Rating – Clean and Ready Stamp
- Tripadvisor
#1 Hotel in Pasig City
- Hotels.com
9.1/10 Rated Hotel, "Loved By Guests"
- EarthCheck
Silver Certification