

# **BOOK INN FRANCE**

# Fine independent hotels since 1923

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Tel : +331.44.70.80.90 Fax : +331.44.90.98.49 www.bookinnfrance.com A word from the Directors and Owners:

« Since travel represents such a special occasion that cannot be boiled down to just a hotel room, our company has been pulling out all the stops for four generations to honor the values of hospitality and sharing that lie at the core of our trade: hotel accommodations. Over the past few decades, the hotel sector has undergone dramatic changes in response to the needs of an increasingly mobile and demanding clientele. Our expertise has expanded and we've been busy integrating the latest in entrepreneurial, managerial and strategic tools. Amidst this changing business environment, our philosophy has not budged: we staunchly defend the principle of making a hotel stay first and foremost a human experience, by focusing squarely on our guests' well-being. Such is the key to our success as well as our durability. By relying on its solid support and proven track record in the Paris market, Paris Inn Group is now offering its expertise and staff to independent hotel operators located throughout France, via its new venture : **Book Inn France**. »

> Jean-Bernard et Céline Falco, President and Managing Director of Paris Inn Group





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# I. Book Inn France, a Paris Inn Group hotel collection

An expert and leader in the market of independent Paris hotel operators, the Paris Inn Group oversees a network of charming hotels featuring 3- or 4-star ratings and ideally located in the heart of Paris. Building upon a solid past experience in Paris, the company has within just a few years' time been able to develop broad know-how and notoriety throughout the city.

This hotel consortium first got off the ground in 2000 when the Albar family, in the Paris hotel trade for four generations, teamed up with hotel transaction expert Jean-Bernard Falco.

Dedicated entirely to the independent hotel segment, the Paris Inn Group is based on an original concept that associates hospitality management with marketing strategy on behalf of independent hotel operators. The added value input into the range of services proposed has been derived from knowledge sharing and resource pooling, as well as from access to an innovative set of management methods and tools.

In order to generate an attractive return on investment and more effectively meet customer needs, the company in 2005 adopted a Yield-Revenue Management system, a state-of-the-art rate-setting technique that does not yet enjoy widespread use on the Paris independent hotel scene. This way, Paris Inn can demonstrate its desire to blaze the trail of innovation.

The following year, the group implemented a bona fide online electronic distribution strategy and launched its Web portal, devoted to marketing and then online booking. The network has continued to grow and forge its own unique style. An array of cozy and contemporary hotels started to take shape as building renovation and restoration projects ensued, under the supervision of Céline Falco, the group's Managing Director, accompanied and coordinated by her well-renowned father, none other than group founder Daniel Albar.

Through reliance on its range of expertise and notoriety in the Paris market, the Paris Inn Group has decided to expand its activities in 2010, and to propose its services to independent hotel owners in French provincial cities identified as offering the greatest strategic value, where the group could most effectively apply its renowned market talents and leading-edge technological tools.

Since 2011, the name Paris Inn Group encompasses all the group's activities, broken down into 4 areas of operational expertise:

- investment advisory
- project development
- project management
- asset management

Paris Inn Group manages 27 3-star and 4-star hotels, totaling 1147 rooms and 400 employees, and uses two portals to market the hotels entrusted to it: www.HotelsGrandParis.com for Paris and www.BookInnFrance.com for the whole of France. As at 31 December 2011, the company's annual consolidated turnover reached €31.5 million.

# II. Background

The history of Paris Inn Group can be traced through a family saga stretching four generations. This story has woven a long and illustrious path since the 1923 acquisition of the very first Parisian hotel.

# Timeline

: The ALBAR family purchased its first Hotel, «Le Printania», in the city's 20th arrondissement. Two other hotels would join the family concern in the 18th arrondissement.

: The «Hotel Aux Ducs de Bourgogne» was added to the family's portfolio under the capable management of Daniel Albar for more than 35 years.

: Association initiated between Daniel ALBAR and Jean-Bernard FALCO. The subsequent period was one of strong growth, with the acquisition of 8 establishments within just a few years.

: Founding of the management company as it exists today. The business plan called for implementing a Yield-Revenue management unit and launching an «e-commerce» Web portal. A year later, Paris Inn was generating 50% of its sales revenue via the Web.

: The company gradually built its organizational structure by adding Divisions specialized in administrative and financial functions, legal affairs, human resources, business development and the operator network.

: Several initiatives to raise the standing of a select number of hotels became operational under the guidance of Céline Falco (born Albar), in collaboration with some of Paris' best hotel designers.

: A Web agency was created to oversee sales optimization and the effective use of online resources for hotels under Paris Inn management; this agency was incorporated into the Group with subsidiary status.

: As hotel manager, investor and owner, Paris Inn diversifies its activities and has gained notoriety as a key player on the Paris hotel scene. The group decides to extend its services and expertise throughout the country and launches its new commercial venture **Book Inn France**.

: The name Paris Inn Group encompasses all the activities of the group. The company relocates to 96 Boulevard Haussmann in the 8th District (one of Paris' premier business districts) and signs a joint venture with one of the world's best-established companies, Prudential Financial Inc. or PFI (NYSE: PRU) under the aegis of Pramerica.

# III. The hotels under our banner

Intended to provide a tourism and business clientele with a hotel option dedicated to the human scale and high-quality services, the Book Inn France selection of hotels offers an array of charming establishments benefitting from ideal locations in Paris and across several of France's larger provincial cities.

Our hotels enjoy strategic locations, in the heart of dynamic cities and are easily able to draw a mix of leisure and business travelers, in places like Paris, Perpignan, Nimes and soon to enter the fold will be a number of other cities outside Paris and in the provinces (including Vélizy, Strasbourg, Lille, Nantes and Bordeaux).

In order to satisfy the diverse demands associated with modern travel, Book Inn France is pleased to propose a varied array of hotels, extending from the traditional 3-star category to one-of-a-kind 4-star establishments, while always stressing the need to maintain quality in the services provided.

### As of January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2013, the Book Inn France hotel network was composed of :

28	hotels in all, accounting for a total of <b>1197 rooms</b> , distributed between :	4	4 style categories :		
25	hotels in <b>PARIS</b> and vicinity		Boutique		CharmIng
2	hotels in <b>PERPIGNAN</b>		Contemporary		Budget
1	hotel in NIMES				
18	hotels ★★★★ (710 rooms)	10	hotels $\star \star \star$ (4	87 rooms	;)
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# IV. Close-up of our hotels





161 rooms - 1 restaurant - 10 meeting rooms parking - fitness center

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Contemporary

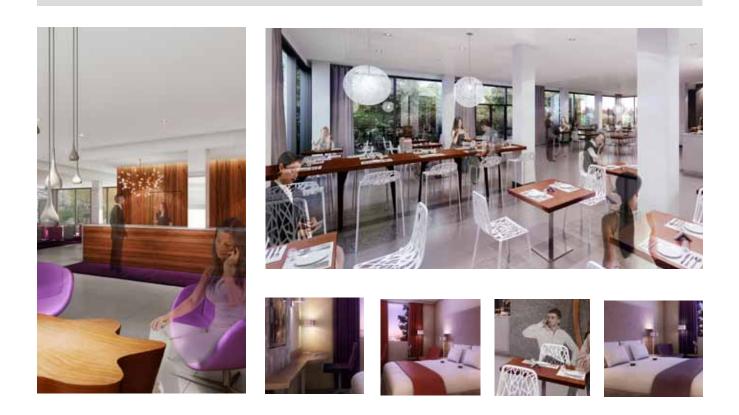
The latest of the Book Inn France hotels, the BEST WESTERN PLUS Paris Velizy is located in Velizy-Villacoublay, west of Paris, right next to the V2 shopping center and to the city of Versailles. This 4 star hotel with a contemporary design features high quality accommodation for all your business trips in Western Paris.

With a total of 161 rooms, 1 restaurant, 1 bar, 1 fitness room, a private terrace and more than 400m<sup>2</sup> of meeting spaces spread over 10 separate rooms, il welcomes you into a relaxing world, inspired by vegetal and mineral elements.

This is indeed the presence of a generous nature in close proximity to the hotel - the forest of Meudon - which dictated Axel Schoenert Architects Associates' agency (ASAA) the central theme of its interior decoration. With over 1,000 acres of green spaces and a lovely view overlooking Paris, you will certainly enjoy this green heart during your stay for a short jog or a nice stroll into the wood. Besides, a beautiful landscaped garden borders the hotel, where every detail, service or equipment brings careful attention to environmental protection.

The BEST WESTERN PLUS Paris Velizy provides all the amenities required during a business trip, and much more ...

Discover the BEST WESTERN PLUS Paris Velizy hotel on its website : <u>www.bw-velizy.com</u> Opening : 1<sup>er</sup> Quarter 2013.





The 4 star Holiday Inn Paris Gare Montparnasse is located on Paris Left Bank, in a vibrant neighborhood of Paris 14<sup>th</sup> arrondissement. Convenient and comfortable, our contemporary hotel is located mere steps from the Gare Montparnasse, and surrounded by restaurants, theaters and shops.

With a capacity of 100 rooms, 3 meeting rooms from 12 to 35 seats and a pleasant courtyard, the hotel offers an ideal setting whether you're traveling in Paris for business or pleasure. Its newly renovated areas have been refurbished in a contemporary style in shades of black, red and white.

Minutes away from the subway Gaité (metro line 13) and Montparnasse (metro line 4, 6, 12 and 13), the location of the hotel offers a wide choice of cultural outings (the Catacombs, the Zadkine Museum or the Cartier Foundation for Contemporary Art ...) as well as good addresses to eat and to drink. Montparnasse is indeed the district of some of the most famous breweries (Ia Closerie des Lilas, le Dôme, La Coupole...) and boasts the highest panoramic restaurant in Paris, at the top of the Montparnasse Tower.

The Holiday Inn Paris Gare Montparnasse team is looking forward to your visit in the heart of the French capital.



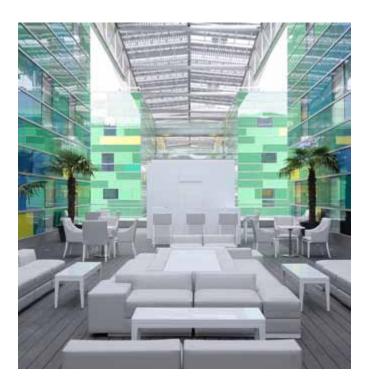


n March 2011, two new hotels will be opening their doors in Perpignan's brand new business center «El Centre Del Mon». This city of over 100,000 population at the Spanish border will be home to the center, which opened at the end of 2010; the project comprises 2 hotels, a shopping center, office buildings and associated parking lots, plus a state-of-the-art fitness center.

A strategic linchpin of the development plan for this city, which will be just 45 minutes from Barcelona by high-speed rail beginning in 2012, the Del Mon project is intended to create a new complex around the rail station, adjacent to the seat of metropolitan government. The site will be connected to the station esplanade by an extensive underground walkway, designed for strolling pleasure in addition to a pedestrian corridor.

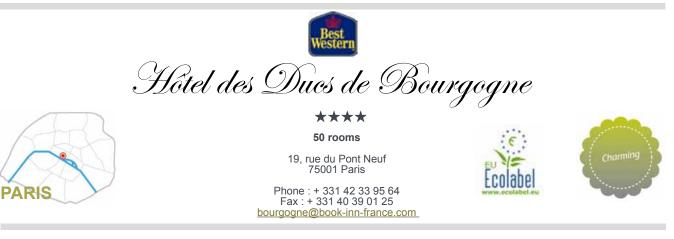
With a roofline in the shape of waves covered by photovoltaic panels and multicolored facades, the «Centre Del Mon» (in reference to Salvador Dali, who used the phrase to describe the Perpignan train station) pays tribute to the colors and light so unique to Catalan country.

The interior layout was commissioned to the architect Alexandre Danan and showcases a distinctly contemporary style, mixing modern materials and design furniture according to a black-and-white pattern.









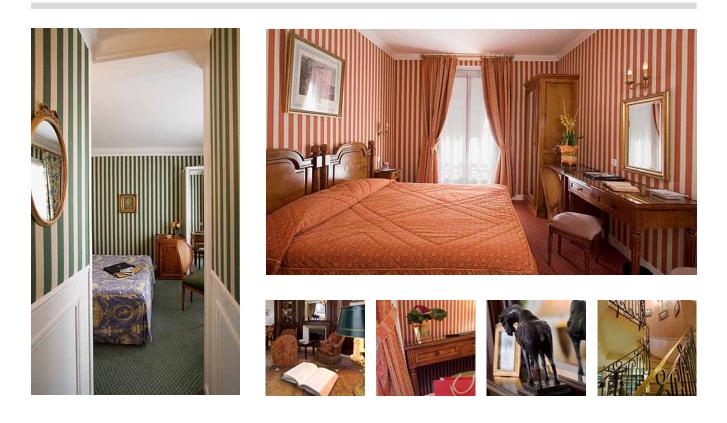
he Hotel BEST WESTERN Ducs de Bourgogne falls in the category of cozy, classical style; it is adjacent to the Pont Neuf Bridge, in the capital's historical district built near the Louvre Museum.

Around the corner from the place du Châtelet, the hotel's central Paris location provides convenient access on foot to Notre-Dame, or heading towards Saint-Germain-des-Prés or the Latin Quarter, depending on the guest's mood.

The hotel's decoration, showcasing wood paneling, antique armchairs and colorful wall hangings, offers a chic and timeless setting. The 50 rooms within this handsome 18th-century building are laid out like in a city manor, via hallways adorned with traditional paintings and engravings that pay tribute to the Dukes of Burgundy. An array of rooms, including Superior, Twin, Family suites, Classical, Singles or Junior Suites, are distributed throughout the hotel, from the ground floor to the highest storey under a mansard roof. Each accommodation achieves the level of desired comfort thanks to excellent beds, a minibar and free wireless connections.

The hotel, awarded the European Ecolabel in April 2010, introduces only ecological and recyclable products and prepares breakfast using organic ingredients and foods produced under fair trade agreements. In addition, a state-of-the-art, air-conditioned conference room with seating capacity for 15 is available for all professional gatherings.

A secluded haven amidst Paris' historical district, this hotel is run by a highly skilled and attentive team that wins over guests by their sheer kindness.



new !





50 chambres (actuellement en travaux en vue d'une ouverture en catégorie 4 étoiles)

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The future Hotel de Liège is located in Paris 9<sup>th</sup> district, at the intersection of several lively neighborhoods of the Right Bank of the Seine. Located within walking distance of the antique dealers of the Richelieu-Drouot area, but also very close to the department stores (Galeries Lafayette, Printemps Haussmann), to the Saint-Lazare train station and to the Opera Garnier, the Hôtel de Liège falls in the middle of a vibrant area frequented by tourists as well as Parisians.

The hotel is housed in a beautiful 2- to 4-storey building, boasting a dressed-stone façade and organized around a large covered patio. The interior architecture offers nice volumes, with a high ceiling and an exceptional brightness due to the glass-roof.

The building is currently undergoing renovation works in order to be transformed into a high-end 4-star hotel. The hotel de Liège will have a capacity of 50 rooms, and will feature all the comfort and the refinement you can expect from a boutique-hotel : innovative design, cuting-egde amenities, as well as high standards of service provided by an attentive and a professional staff...

A promising new address, in the very heart of Paris!



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61 Paris Nation Hôtel

★★★ 47 rooms



(curently renovated to be transformed into a 4 star boutique-hotel in 2013)

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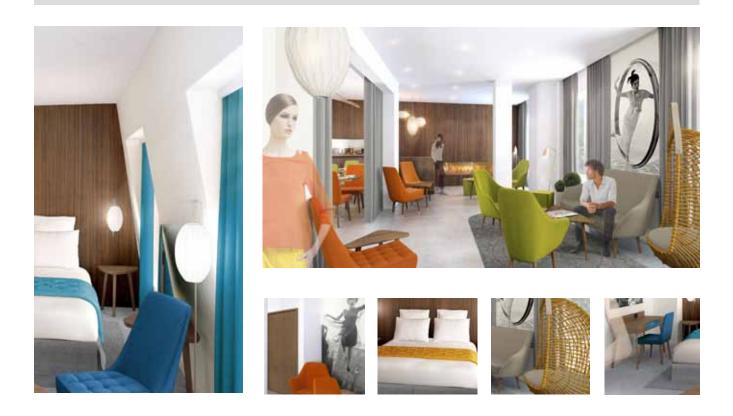
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The Paris Nation Hotel is a 3 star hotel located just steps from the Place de la Nation and the Porte de Vincennes in the 12<sup>th</sup> district of Paris. In this quiet and particularly well served district of eastern Paris, the 61 Hotel Nation is convenient place to stay for your business or leisure travels to the French capital.

Perfectly suited to your meetings at the Bercy business centre or to cultural outings downtown (shows at the Palais Omnisports de Paris Bercy or at the Opera Bastille), the hotel's location provides ready access to major monuments and tourist sites of Paris. By foot, the Vincennes wood with its floral park and castle offer many possibilities of walks. Located nearby in the 20th district, the Pere Lachaise cemetery is also a must with its famous tenants including Jim Morrison, Proust, Moliere and Oscar Wilde... Lastly, you will find typical Parisian «»Brasseries»», cinemas and charming places for dinner near the Nation place or at «»Bercy Village»», old wine warehouses transformed into a veritable village of shops and restaurants bordering Park de Bercy.

The 47 rooms of 61 Paris Nation Hotel are comfortably equipped with king size bed, flat screen TV with satellite, free WiFi, safe, sound proofing and double glazing. On the ground floor, the hotel features a small outdoor terrace and a light breakfast room with a capacity of 30 seats to enjoy a moment of relaxation.

The 61 Paris Nation Hotel is curently undergoing renovation works and will unveil from the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2013 a brand new concept by the agency ASAA, inspired by the style of the sixties.







 $\star \star \star \star$ 45 rooms

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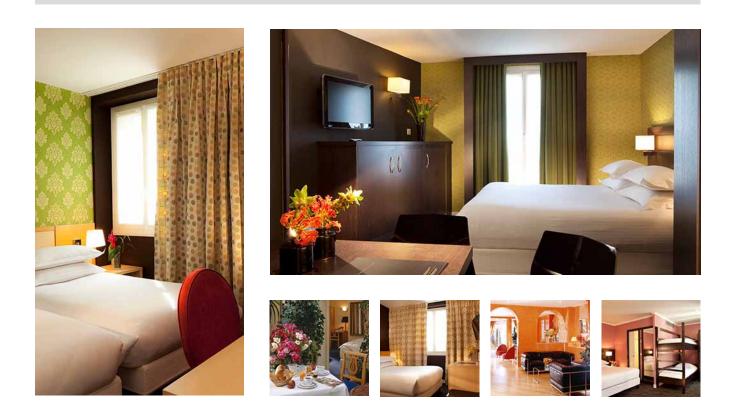
A fixture among Left Bank accommodations in an elegant Mansart-style building, the BEST WESTERN Hotel Bretagne Montparnasse is located in the historic district of Pernety Montparnasse, a once favorite spot of Paris School painters.

A short walk from the Montparnasse train station and its business district, this hotel straddles two buildings via a central staircase and lies near the Cartier Foundation and Paris' famous brasseries La Coupole, La Closerie des Lilas and La Rotonde.

The Hotel Bretagne Montparnasse features a contemporary and accommodating design encompassing 45 rooms, with sleeping capacities ranging from one to five guests, running the gamut from standard double or twin to the family suite with a mezzanine.

The thorough remodeling job in 2010 added soundproofing and air conditioning to the rooms, as well as comfortable beds and complimentary wireless access. The hotel proposes a range of services including dinner and show reservations, and onsite babysitting.

Another advantage: close proximity to the Montparnasse station and Air France shuttles to the Orly and Charles de Gaulle airports.







44 rooms

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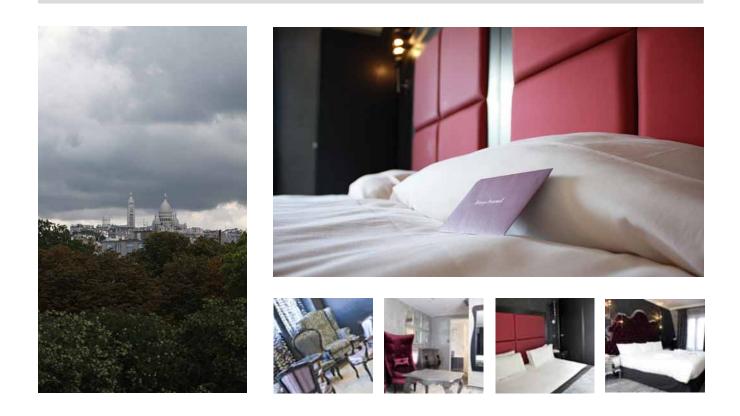
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S pacious and completely renovated, the hotel BEST WESTERN Opera Batignolles is located in the Batignolles district of Paris, which remained an independent rural village until its annexation to Paris at the end of the 19th century.

Having retained its «village» atmosphere, along with a famous open-air organic produce market and multiple parks and open space, this quiet and well-preserved corner of Paris' 17th arrondissement offers plenty of comfort and accessibility while removed from the hubbub of the city's large avenues. The Saint-Lazare station and metro lines 2 and 3 are close by and allow reaching the La Défense Business Center in just a few minutes, in addition to Paris' main attractions: Arc de Triomphe, Pigalle, the Opera House, and all major department stores.

The hotel BEST WESTERN Opera Batignolles underwent a thorough renovation in 2010 and proposes a total of 44 rooms designed in contemporary style. Subdued tones, unique furniture design and a well conceived mix of materials shape the environment of this spacious hotel, with upper floor views overlooking Montmartre and the Batignolles Gardens. For optimum comfort, each room has been equipped with complimentary wireless access, flat screen TV, minibar and a platter of treats awaits all newly-arrived guests.

Nestled in the heart of a quieter arrondissement yet very well connected, just a short distance from the Saint Lazare station, Monceau Park and avenue de Wagram, the hotel BEST WESTERN Opera Batignolles is a name to remember, with a 4-star rating quality of service





Hôtel Champs Elysées Mac Mahon



★★★★ 40 rooms

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# Boutique

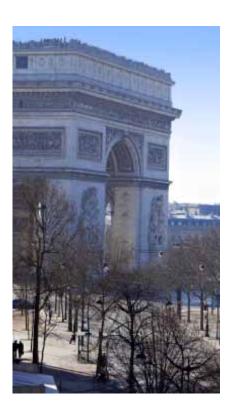
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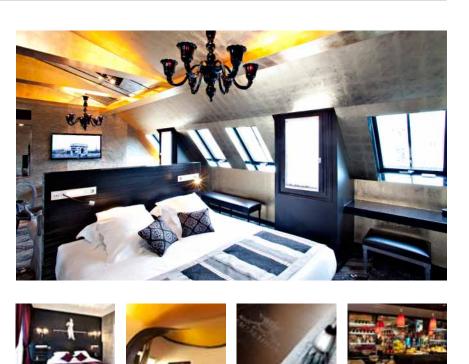
A t the foot of the Arc de Triomphe, the Hotel Mac Mahon enjoys a fantastic location immersed in one of Paris' most beautiful districts: place de l'Etoile, avenue des Champs Elysées, and the tremendous selection of luxury boutiques in the immediate vicinity, where guests can stroll to their heart's content within a magical locale.

Set in an attractive Haussmanian building, this former 3 star hotel is currently being totaly renovated by the interior architect Alexandre Danan and his interior design agency: European Design Office Consulting.

Danan's project will feature 40 rooms with a unique decor, combining the best of contemporary design and 19th Century Empire style. This brand new hotel adorned with original paintings by the Serbian artist Vuk Vidor will be completed by the end of the year 2011 and will transform the Champs Elysees Mac Mahon into a high-end 4 star boutique-hotel

This extraordinary design, coupled with an attentive reception staff eager to share their in-depth knowledge of the district, will make this hotel more than a new trendy place for discovering Paris : an Empire revisited.





Credits: European Design Office Consulting





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W ith this Right Bank location in the Marais district, a short hop from Paris' Grands Boulevards, the Sentier area and Châtelet hub, the Hotel BEST WESTERN France Europe is surrounded by excitement and great connections to transit lines.

Its setting offers quick access to Paris' main tourist sites and business districts. The Pompidou Center, Louvre Museum, place de la Concorde and Champs-Elysées are just a few minutes away by bus or metro.

Lit at night by LED fixtures and spotlights, the Haussmanian facade was entirely restored in 2009. The hotel is equipped with all amenities, and its 40 rooms have been decorated simply and with taste, spanning quality categories from standard to superior.

Featuring complimentary wireless access and air conditioning, the rooms have been soundproofed to the greatest extent to ensure the utmost serenity inside. The mansard rooms on the upper floor and rooms with balconies on the 2nd and 5th floors reveal the charm of this typically Parisian building.

With theaters and rail stations close by, the BEST WESTERN France Europe is the perfect spot for business and leisure travelers, whether for a short period or longer stays, and facilitates exploring the vast potential of the Parisian lifestyle.





ucked into an 18th-century building on the fashionable rue Saint-Honoré, the BEST WESTERN PREMIER Louvre Saint-Honoré Hotel provides easy access to Paris' most beautiful sites.

Just a few minutes on foot are needed to reach the Louvre Museum, the Marais or Saint-German-des-Prés districts and discover all the various facets on display in this city: historical Paris, hip Paris, luxurious Paris.

This hotel was entirely renovated in 2009 by the designer Valérie Manoïl. With its high-tech fireplace, leather-covered walls and Philippe Starck armchairs, the hotel lobby laid out in an attractive atrium space offers a cozy and relaxing area to unwind after a busy day.

In the Classical, Superior, Deluxe or Junior Suite accommodations, every effort has been made to provide guests with full comfort, including fluffy comforters and spacious bathrooms. Wireless service is complimentary and all rooms are equipped with large LCD screen TVs.

The hotel proposes a personalized concierge service and discounts for any of the spa and massage treatments offered by its partner, Premier Sens, located 50 m away.







37 rooms

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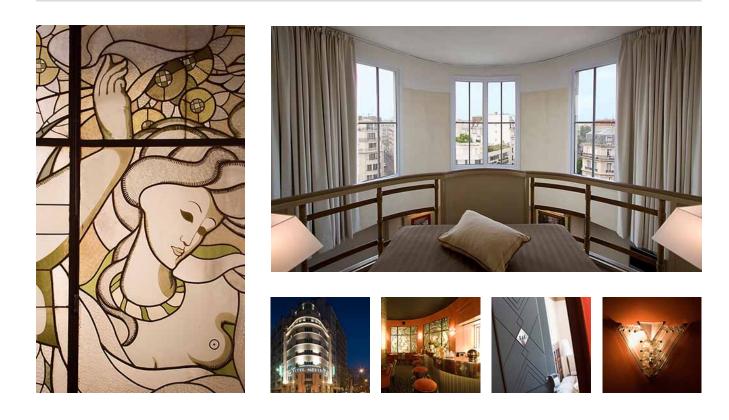
nstalled within a beautiful Art Deco style building from the 1930's, the BEST WESTERN Mercedes Hotel is located just a few minutes from the place des Ternes, not far from the Arc de Triomphe and the surrounding place de l'Etoile.

Set in this prestigious district, the BEST WESTERN Mercedes offers guests a pleasant and tastefully retro environment showcased by its wood paneling and original Art Deco stained glass windows. These decoration elements were produced by Jacques Gruber, famous master glassmaker from the beginning of the 20th century, whose signature work remains the stained glass at the Galeries Lafayette department store.

The hotel's accommodations consist of 37 fully-renovated rooms, with impeccable duplex and junior suites, some of which offer superb views over the avenue de Wagram and Paris' rooftops.

All rooms have been decorated in contemporary style with bed frames made of tropical wood and a minibar, flat LCD screen, safe, complimentary wireless and individually-controlled air conditioning units.

This friendly hotel is run by a well-trained, attentive staff and can be characterized by a family spirit that emphasizes high-quality guest services.





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O n the Right Bank around the corner from the place de la Bastille and Gare de Lyon station, Hotel Alexandrie enjoys a central location well served by lines 1 and 14 of the Paris metro and lines A and D of the RER suburban rail system, allowing guests to quickly reach all of Paris' transit stations, museums and monuments, in addition to the business / commercial centers at La Défense, Val d'Europe and Disneyland.

Decorated using upbeat and spicy hues, the hotel's 37 rooms offer complimentary wireless access, soft comforters and LCD screens, just like home sweet home. They're split into three categories: family suites, the most spacious under the mansard roof; double rooms; and twins.

The hotel's common areas comprise a lobby and a recently-renovated breakfast room. A refurbished conference room has been set up in the basement and equipped with all amenities necessary to host professional events.

The Alexandrie is a charming establishment featuring an array of customized services, creating a feeling of family and relaxation for its guests.







(curently renovated to be transformed into a 4 star boutique-hotel in 2013)

35 rooms

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At the heart of Paris 15<sup>th</sup> arrondissement, a residential and shopping area of the Left Bank, the 3 star hotel Wallace welcomes you just few minutes walk from two great symbols of Paris : the Eiffel Tower and the Invalides. You will enjoy the charm and tranquility of this 3 star hotel, its pleasant winter garden and its 35 rooms with exposed beams, decorated in a traditional style.

The Wallace hotel is located close to the metro stations La Motte-Piquet Grenelle, Cambronne and Avenue Emile Zola (metro lines number 6, 8 and 10), providing a quick access to Paris mains sites and attractions: The Trocadero, the Arc de Triomphe and Place de l'Etoile, the place de la Concorde, the Garnier Opera...

For business trips or trade shows, the hotel is strategically located to ensure you an easy access to the Gare Montparnasse and the Porte de Versailles exhibition centre. In couple or in family, the Eiffel Tower and the Champs de Mars gardens, the Invalides, the Rodin Museum and the Quai Branly Museum are great opportunities of cultural outings. The rue du Commerce located just around the corner features boutiques, perfumeries, delicatessen and restaurants including the famous «Café le Commerce». This lively shopping street leads to the charming Etienne Pernet place and ist church.

The Wallace Hotel will soon be totally renovated and will unveil in 2013 a brand new boutique-hotel concept designed by the Alexandre Danan and the interior architecture agency EDO.



Buda





 $\star \star \star$ 34 rooms

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The Marquis Hotel de la Baume, in the historic centre of Nîmes, offers attractive rooms and the refined atmosphere of a former town house dating from the time of the Sun King, Louis XIV. You will fall in love with its romantic patio, with the antique ceilings above you while you have breakfast, and with the modernity and comfort we offer.

In the heart of the historic centre of Roman Nîmes, this hotel is the ideal starting point for visiting Nîmes, given that it is so close to the many sites and listed monuments that have witnessed 2000 years of history.

Among the most well-known are: the Arena of Nimes, the Maison Carrée (Square House), the Temple of Diana, the Gate of Augustus, the Castellum, the Mont Cavalier, enhanced by the Fountain Gardens and overlooked by the Magne Tower.

With the hotel Marquis de la Baume as your base you will have the chance to discover plenty of the other gems that have earned Nîmes the label of Town of Art and History, such as the Romanesque cathedral Notre-Dame-et-Saint-Castor.







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ocated in what's known as Paris' luxury triangle, just a short stroll from the Madeleine, the place Vendôme and the Garnier Opera House, this boutique hotel was completely renovated in 2007 and provides guests with a contemporary and friendly setting for their Paris stays.

Boasting modern contours, a large central fireplace, Philippe Starck lamps and geometric tapestries, the BEST WESTERN PREMIER Opera Opal has been restored from top to bottom under the guidance of the talented designer Valérie Manoïl.

Its contemporary lobby area decorated in shades of vivid red, black and white is the ideal spot for relaxing away from the Paris commotion after a day chock full of meetings or shopping excursions.

The light inside inspires a sense of well-being and becomes one of the hotel's most outstanding features. A sculpture crafted from the imagination of Argentine designer Octavio Amado weaves along the main staircase and accompanies guests until reaching their suites, whose bathtubs have been fitted with hydro massage, color therapy bathtubs.

The hotel contains a total of 33 rooms, all equipped with wireless access and LCD screens, including 2 exclusive and spacious suites featuring exposed wood beams and a view overlooking Paris' rooftops: all the charm of a historic house for a stay surrounded by Paris excitement.









Hôtel *H*ulivia Opéra



 $\star \star \star$ 32 rooms

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Thanks to its central location and its proximity to public transportation (metro and RER), the hotel allows a quick access to all the Grands Boulevard attractions (Movie theaters, clubs and theatres ...) and to the nearby districts as well, Opera, Marais and Louvre.

The BEST WESTERN Aulivia Opera features 32 comfortable and handy rooms. Double or Twin, rooms are equipped with a private bathroom, a work space, LCD Satellite TV screen and complimentary Wi-Fi. In the morning between 7:00 and 10:30 am, a breakfast buffet is served in a comfortable sitting room and a room service continental breakfast is also available.

The pleasant and professional hotel staff can help you getting around or recommend you restaurants, attractions, shopping and nightlife in Paris.

Its location and services as well make the BEST WESTERN Aulivia Opera, a great choice for business or leisure travelers.







30 rooms

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pen since August 2009, the BEST WESTERN PREMIER Opera Diamond is located near the city's famous department stores, luxury shops and business centers in the historic district around the Saint-Lazare train station.

With its coal gray facade and interior drawn in unconventional and contemporary contours, the hotel is imbued with a trendy and fashionable aura. The interior layout designed by Alexandre Danan has been organized around the theme of jewelry and femininity. Black quartz, Bohemian crystal chandeliers and Swarovski crystal pieces dot the floor, framing the setting of this exceptional establishment.

The 30 rooms, all equipped with wireless Internet and LCD screens, have been covered with a crocodile-skin imitation wallpaper. Each has been decorated with original draperies, reproducing a portrait by Jean Clemmer, both Salvador Dali's and Paco Rabanne's favorite photographer.

On the upper floor, the double executive rooms offer a concert of luxury and technology, with a wide range of upscale equipment: an individual Nespresso coffee machine, the latest and snazziest iPod and iPhone docking stations, a TV embedded into the bathroom mirror, and the full line of Chopard guest accessories.

The hotel also features an elegant and cozy lobby, a patio and cocktail lounge open all night long for guests. A conference room, able to accommodate group bookings up to 25 for holding any kind of professional gathering, connects with a courtyard garden.

A stunning jewel right in the heart of the French capital, the BEST WESTERN PREMIER Opera Diamond provides an exceptional place for those truly unique occasions.







**Best Western** 



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30 rooms

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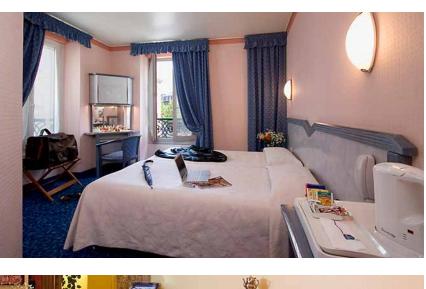
C onveniently located for travelers leaving the Gare de Lyon station and immediately adjacent to Paris' public transit lines, both suburban rail and city metro, the BEST WESTERN Aurore Hotel combines the pleasure of strolling on the Viaduc des Arts bridge with the ease of reaching Paris' main points of interest.

Just a short hop from the Massena district and Paris-Bercy Palais Omnisports venue, this hotel contains 30 rooms split between singles, doubles and twins, with one of each category made accessible to the mobility impaired.

Equipped with wireless access, LCD screens and fluffy comforters, these rooms have been decorated using warm tones and original designs, creating an attractive and relaxing setting to base tourist or professional stays in the capital.

The BEST WESTERN Aurore is a friendly place, whose energetic staff is always on hand to provide guests with personalized service and advice for what to do while in town.













**30 rooms** 112, rue de Boulainvilliers 75016 Paris

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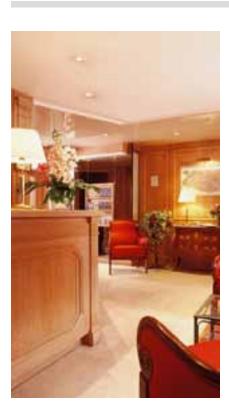
S et up in Paris' 16th arrondissement opposite the city's radio hall ('Maison de la Radio') and just across the river from the Eiffel Tower, this hotel radiates the special aura of Auteuil, Paris' district of handsome residential buildings and luxury shops along the rue de Passy.

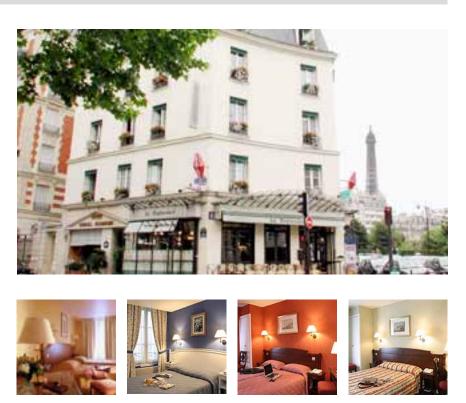
Greeting guests with a family-like reception service, the Eiffel Kennedy comprises 30 comfortable rooms, each equipped with complimentary wireless access and decorated in different colors according to a traditional and subdued scheme.

One of the hotel's unique features is to serve a hot buffet breakfast plus an assortment of homemade pies and cakes, just one of the special treats that, along with the warm, cozy atmosphere and personalized attention, make the Eiffel Kennedy an ideal base for a stay dedicated to exploring the many facets Paris has to offer.

Access to the hotel is very convenient and, thanks to proximity of the Porte Maillot transit node, shuttles are readily available for reaching the Beauvais and Roissy-Charles de Gaulle Airports.

Another highly appreciated amenity for discovering this city «on the go»: Bus line 72 has a stop very close to the hotel and follows an itinerary along the Seine, from the Maison de la Radio to City Hall, passing some of Paris' most prestigious tourist sites.





	Faubourg 88	
AR	★ ★ ★ 29 rooms	
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Currently under renovation works for a transformation into an innovative 4-star hotel, the Faubourg 88 hotel is located in Paris 10<sup>th</sup> arrondissement, near the metro stop Poissonnière. A few steps from the railway stations Gare du Nord and Gare de l'Est, this new boutique hotel will be the new place to be for urban travellers.

The Faubourg 88 hotel is located at the crossroads of lively neighborhoods of Paris such as Pigalle, Montmartre, the Opera and the Canal Saint Martin. Its decoration draws inspiration from the digital world and the new technologies : multiconnected, playful and resolutely modern. The interior design of the hotel mixes the warm reflects of the gold leaf to the graphic contrast of black and white.

As an emblem of the Y Generation, pixels and QR Codes punctuate the space, putting the host at the center of this unique, fun and relaxing setting.

This new address is the fourth collaboration between Paris Inn Group and interior designer Alexandre Danan, and offers a capacity of 29 rooms, a lobby, a bar, a lounge and a quiet courtyard for an unparalleled stay, right in the heart of Paris.

Opening : Q1 2013. To discover from now on the official website : www.hotel-faubourg88.com







**29 rooms** 153, rue de Vaugirard 75015 Paris

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The Sèvres Montparnasse Hotel is situated in the heart of the Montparnasse district, where the 15th, 6th and 7th arrondissements converge. Close to some of the city's largest cafés and famous brasseries, like La Coupole or Le Dôme, the Sèvres Montparnasse is an especially desirable spot for lovers of historical Paris and Left Bank lore. Saint-Germain-des-Prés, les Invalides, the Eiffel Tower, Luxembourg Gardens, Latin Quarter and Bon Marché department store are some of the nearby attractions, as are the Montparnasse station, its adjacent business district and the Parc des Expositions Convention Center.

This charming 3-star rating hotel was completely renovated in 2010 and now offers a very trendy and contemporary setting. Located within easy reach of the Porte de Versailles Event Center, the Sèvres Montparnasse is a great choice for business and tourist travelers alike, for longer periods or short visits.

Thanks to a large reception hall and 29 rooms with elevator access, the hotel's pleasant environment lends itself to a relaxing stay. Room sizes vary between doubles and triples, and each has been elegantly refurbished, soundproofed and equipped with all amenities expected of a toptier establishment: minibar, large LCD television with Canal Plus channels, blow dryer, telephone, Internet outlet and complimentary wireless. Breakfast room service is proposed to guests who prefer extra time in the morning to lounge; also available is an extensive selection of tourist guides and brochures, to ensure making the most of time spent exploring the capital.

With all these advantages in the way of location, comfort and quality of service, the Hotel Sèvres Montparnasse is definitely an address worth noting.







28 rooms

3, rue Verniquet 75017 Paris Charming

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ocated in one of the Right Bank's most attractive districts within a 19th-century mansion raised several stories, the BEST WESTERN hotel de Neuville provides an exceptional setting for any Paris stay.

Its proximity to the Champs-Elysées and Parc Monceau serves as an invitation for guests to discover the tourist sites or more intimate places associated with the 8th and 17th arrondissements.

With their handsome wood paneling and cozy atmosphere, the hotel's reception area and lobby have retained all the warmth and elegance of older manor homes.

Its 28 rooms were entirely renovated in 2008 and all feature air conditioning and free wireless access, covering the spectrum from standard to superior, family suites or triples, with canopy beds placed in three of them.

This luxurious and intimate hotel overlooks a very pleasant, tree-shaded courtyard, and the top floors offer a charming unobstructed view of Montmartre's Sacred Heart Basilica.

A short stroll from the Palais des Congrès convention center and Espace Champerret, the BEST WESTERN hotel de Neuville is the right choice for both business and leisure travelers, whether for longer stays or short visits.





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26 rooms

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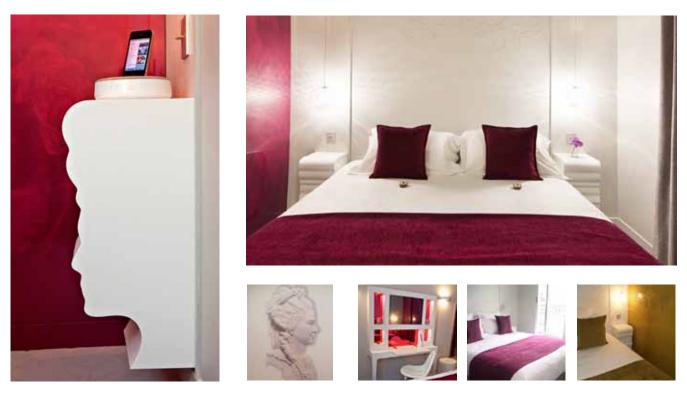
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A stone's throw from the Champs-Elysees on a smaller street lined with shops that hosts a lively night scene, the hotel BEST WESTERN PREMIER Elysee Secret provides the ideal location to discover all that Paris' 8th and 7th arrondissements have to offer.

Near the capital's largest museums, the hotel BEST WESTERN PREMIER Elysee Secret is a select place for basing a cultural stay in Paris, with outings to the Grand and Petit Palais, Guimet Museum, Cite de l'Architecture and Palais de Tokyo all in the immediate vicinity, without overlooking the Hotel des Invalides and Quai Branly Museum across the Seine. For shopping and nightlife, the avenue des Champs Elysees just a few hundred meters away abounds in luxury shops and popular clubs like the very trendy Regine's Club.

This hotel which has been totally renovated by the architect Axel Schonert and his interior design agency ASAA, has given birth in September 2011 to a high-end boutique hotel with a sensual and cozy atmosphere. Its 26 design rooms and suites decorated in shades of yellow, purple, green and fuchsia, combine the intimacy of 18th century boudoir with the top-of-the range comfort of our time.

Give in to the call of this contemporary boudoir. A confidential and cozy retreat in Paris, in the heart of the Champs Elysees district!



Credits: Axel Schoenert Architectes Associés





**25 rooms** 2 bis, rue Robert Giraudineau 94300 Vincennes

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S urrounded by nature yet fully anchored in the city, the Hotel Saint Louis is located in Vincennes, near the Bois de Vincennes and its Château amidst a vast park, just next to Paris' Botanical Gardens. Basing a stay here is an ideal way to take advantage of what Paris has to offer while appreciating the nearby open space. Well connected by transit, including stops on metro line 1 and RER rail line A, this traditional charming hotel allows access to central Paris in under 15 minutes.

Among the Saint Louis' 25 air-conditioned and recently renovated rooms, 5 are set up as duplexes along the tree-lined courtyard, creating a sense of comfort and authenticity found in individual residences.

The friendly reception area and cozy lobby, combined with a handsome library and classical decoration style, make for a very attractive setting to enjoy stays in the Paris region. The hotel also boasts a naturally lit conference room with seating capacity for 35. The various rooms, including superior, standard and the honeymoon suite, are all equipped with fancy beds and soft comforters, wireless Internet and LCD screens; moreover, most bathrooms have been designed with generous space and a jet massage bathtub.

For a peaceful holiday stay or stress-free business trip, this elegant, well-connected hotel is especially convenient and pleasant, a mere quarter hour from the heart of Paris.



Hôtel Opéra Marigny \*\*\*\*



**24 rooms** 11, rue de l'Arcade 75008 Paris

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Tucked into a 19th-century building adjacent to the place de la Madeleine, the Opera Marigny Hotel offers guests an extremely advantageous location. A short stroll from Paris' renowned department stores and the Garnier Opera House, the hotel is just a 10-minute metro ride from the Louvre Museum, Champs Elysées and Tuileries Garden and just twenty short minutes from Saint-German-des-Prés, Notre Dame and the Eiffel Tower.

This charming establishment, a favorite of the writer Marcel Proust, was thoroughly restored in 2008 and today offers a distinctly contemporary style with completely modernized equipment and amenities, including in-room automation, complimentary Internet access and an intelligent lighting scheme.

The interior spaces are awash in a soft glow with white, gray and pink hues, encompassing 24 rooms including 2 suites. This luxury accommodation treats its guests to an outstanding level of comfort by a dedicated staff for tourist or business stays in the heart of Paris.



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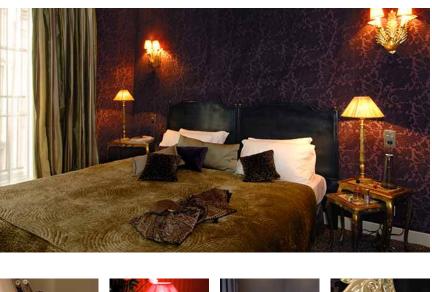
ust a short stroll from the Champs Elysées and Grand Palais, the highly coveted Mathis Elysées Hotel offers guests rapid access to the city's major monuments, museums and a plethora of luxury stores this district is famous for.

On the Right Bank, in a 1920's building, this cozy, one-of-a-kind 4-star boutique hotel is located near the place de la Concorde, the Louvre Museum, both the Grand and Petit Palais, the new Quai Branly Museum, and the place des Invalides on the other side of the Seine: an ideal spot to head out on a discovery tour of Paris' treasures.

Its decoration has been inspired by an array of styles and eras from the world over: each object, furnishing, fabric or light fixture feels like a prize finding from an exotic journey. Set in a tranquil corner of Paris and graced by a reception staff always eager to please and share their rich knowledge of the district, the Mathi's Elysées Hotel offers room sizes extending from standard to junior suites. The hotel's 23 rooms, each fitted with a beautiful bathtub and immersed in a plush and luxurious atmosphere, effuses the mysteriousness of Baroque times.

Hotel guests can connect to the wireless network free of charge; room service is available from 6 pm until 2 in the morning and professional massages are performed onsite. Mathi's has that special aura of an idyllic spot with a style all its own.









# V. Offering our expertise to benefit France's independent hotel operators

As a longtime major player on Paris' independent hotel scene, Paris Inn Group has witnessed first hand the evolution in hotel business practices over the years. To accompany these changes, the company's activities have diversified to a considerable extent, leading to the founding of **Book Inn France**, its latest commercial venture.

**Paris Inn Group** remains involved with all issues relative to our hotel projects: investments, sales, property management contracts, new construction, renovation, rating upgrades, etc.

# Paris Inn Group: your partner for all hotel-related projects

# **PROJECT DEVELOPMENT**

Paris Inn Group accompanies all types of hotel-related projects, running the gamut from acquisition, construction, rehabilitation, marketing and management, organized under the most suitable contracting arrangements.

Each project gives rise to a thorough analysis conducted in a coordinated manner by all concerned in-house departments:

#### Marketing study / preliminary audit

Identification of high-potential establishments or sites Market / feasibility study Drafting of Business Plans Search for financing Relations with financial institutions Assistance in the label selection process

### Technical assistance

Identification of high-potential establishments or sites Concept creation and decoration advice Audit and recommendations for a rating upgrade, if applicable Assistance in the selection of service providers (architects, decorators, etc.) Needs definition regarding hotel equipment and facilities Choice of suppliers and purchase order tracking

# Customized solutions for showcasing your hotel

# **OPERATIONAL MANAGEMENT**

Thanks to the breadth of competence afforded by a talented, multidisciplinary team, Book Inn France proposes a wide range of services to hotel operators in pursuit of maximizing income, optimizing hotel operations and considerably improving the Gross Earnings of each of their establishments (both the REVPAR, i.e. revenue per available room, and average gross operating income of hotels under Book Inn France management are among the best in the profession, a claim that's backed by the statistics).

#### Human resources

Human resources management Legality of work contracts Payroll control - IRP relations Recruitment and career paths

### Legal advice

Regular legislative and regulatory updates Drafting of contracts Oversight of procedural compliance Monitoring of licenses and insurance policies

### Financial management

Generation and verification of provisional budgets Capital investment budgets Cost controls Analysis of operating statements Statistical analyses Reporting processes

### Operations

Personalized accompaniment of hotel directors Implementation and monitoring of operational procedures Full scope of renovation projects Compliance with regulatory standards Choice of suppliers and service providers

# Information systems and networks Design and maintenance of the computer system Hardware purchasing and advice Network management and security Installation, device specifications and maintenance of the wireless network

## **MARKETING & PROMOTION**

In response to the fast evolution taking place in tourist behavior and new constraints inherent in independent hotel operations, Paris Inn Group's «e-business» unit makes it possible for hotels to take advantage of an optimized level of visibility and pricing offered by the latest Web tools.

#### Yield-Revenue management

Analysis and processing of extensive macro and microeconomic datasets Definition of the rate-setting strategy best able to achieve the objectives established Permanent adaptation to the behavioral patterns of hotel guests and suppliers Instantaneous income optimization

#### Online marketing

Definition and implementation of online strategy Production, development and operations of Group sites in-house Referencing, promotion and coordination of Internet media portals Communication and oversight in the area of client relations (press relations, newsletters, social networking, etc.).

« By covering all aspects of the hotel business value chain, our experts are able to accompany the execution of any sized project step by step and then its operations by the industry's leader »

# Contacts

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