

# news release

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## **JORGE MONJE, APPOINTED GENERAL MANAGER AT MANDARIN ORIENTAL, BARCELONA**

**Hong Kong, 20 June 2017** - [Mandarin Oriental, Barcelona](#) is delighted to announce the appointment of Jorge Monje as General Manager.

Mr. Monje joins the hotel from Secrets Papagayo, Guanacaste, Costa Rica where he was General Manager. The property is part of AM resorts, a leading luxury hotel company in the Caribbean.

Mr. Monje brings with him over twenty years of experience in the tourism and hospitality industry including an extensive background in finance management, and has worked in more than twelve countries across four different continents. Previous appointments include senior management roles at COMO Hotels and Resorts, Leading Small Hotels of the World and Meliá Hotels, including positions in Bangkok, Bali and Bhutan.

Born in Spain, he enjoys photography, sports and travel.

### **About Mandarin Oriental, Barcelona**

[Mandarin Oriental Barcelona](#) is an exclusive hotel situated right on Barcelona's Passeig de Gràcia. The property has 120 bedrooms and suites with an exquisite and elegant interior design by Patricia Urquiola. Its carefully considered gastronomic offering currently consists of two restaurants: [Blanc](#) restaurant and the signature restaurant [Moments](#), providing neo-traditional Catalan cuisine under the auspices of the multi-Michelin starred chef Carme Ruscalleda. Mandarin Oriental, Barcelona appeals as a meeting point for guests and local residents alike, and offers enticing spaces such as the [Mimosa garden](#), the [Terrat](#) with exceptional panoramic views over the Mandarin Oriental, Barcelona also has a 1,000 m<sup>2</sup> [Spa](#) where guests can enjoy an innovative range of holistic treatments. Facilities include a 12 metre long, heated swimming pool, eight treatment rooms and steam baths infused with essential essences.



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### **About Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group**

Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group is the award-winning owner and operator of some of the world's most luxurious hotels, resorts and residences. Having grown from its Asian roots into a global brand, the Group now operates 29 hotels and eight residences in 19 countries and territories, with each property reflecting the Group's oriental heritage and unique sense of place. Mandarin Oriental has a strong pipeline of hotels and residences under development, and is a member of the Jardine Matheson Group.

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