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GENERAL MANAGER, AREA VICE PRESIDENT, OPERATIONS,

PHILIPPE LEBOEUF

One of luxury hospitality's foremost figures in France and Europe, Philippe Leboeuf is General Manager of Mandarin Oriental, Paris, the hotel group's first destination in France, and Area Vice President, Operations.

He is responsible for positioning Mandarin Oriental, Paris as one of the city's pre-eminent luxury hotels, showcasing the best in French design and Parisian flair combined with Mandarin Oriental's legendary, award-winning service. Since September 2013, Philippe Leboeuf has been in charge of Mandarin Oriental, Marrakech (Morocco) and the management of the local team through its opening in 2015. Since 2018, M. Leboeuf has also assumed operational oversight of Mandarin Oriental, Geneva (Switzerland).

Philippe Leboeuf has over 25 years of senior management experience in the luxury hotel industry and has worked in the industry's most influential global locations. He joined Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group from Claridge's in London where he held the position of General Manager from 2007 to 2010.

From 1995 to 2001, he was Managing Director of the Crillon Hotel in Paris, and then became Executive Vice President of the Concorde Hotels Group. In 2004 he was appointed Executive Vice President of Louvre Hotels with responsibility for operations, sales, marketing and development. In 2006, Philippe Leboeuf moved to Dallas as Vice President, Operations for Rosewood Hotels & Resorts. He was also a Board Director of The Leading Hotels of the World organisation from 1999 to 2006.

Philippe Leboeuf likes to describe himself as a self-made man who has gained his experience in the field, although this would be forgetting that he is also a graduate of Cornell University

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and holds a degree in finance and strategy from HEC management school in Paris. He is

fluent in English, French, Italian and Spanish. He sits as the President of the children's cancer

charity board, A Chacun son Everest! and has been nominated as administrator at Medef

Paris (Movement of the Enterprises of France). In July 2014, he is awarded 'Knight of the

Legion of Honour'. In November 2018, Philippe Leboeuf is named Best Independent Hotelier

of the World by the leading global hospitality trade magazine Hotels to honour excellence in

hospitality leadership.

He enjoys exploring Paris, one of his favourite cities, by bicycle or on foot with Archie, his

border terrier.

His vision is that Mandarin Oriental, Paris be renowned for its passion for service, which he

considers to be the very essence of hospitality.

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