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## MANDARIN ORIENTAL, BARCELONA REOPENING ON 12 MARCH 2021

**Hong Kong, 4 March 2021** – Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group has announced that <u>Mandarin</u> <u>Oriental, Barcelona</u> will reopen its doors to guests on 12 March 2021, following a temporary closure due to coronavirus-related restrictions.

An array of <u>tempting offers</u> and personalized experiences are now available, including gifts and delights for children, complimentary transfers to and from the hotel and courtesy nights. When booking a <u>Staycation by M.O.</u>, guests can enjoy the charm of Barcelona through this dream-like package that includes an indulgent breakfast, early check-in, late check-out, parking and EUR100 credit that can be used on hotel services or toward the accommodation rate.

The hotel has much to celebrate, having recently received a myriad of accolades, including:

- *Travel* + *Leisure* magazine selected the hotel as one of the 100 best hotels in the world, strengthening its position as the leading luxury hotel in Barcelona.
- *Forbes* awarded its five-star rating to the property, making it the only hotel and Spa in Spain with this rating in its *Forbes Travel Guide*.
- *Elite Traveler* selected its <u>Penthouse Suite</u> as one of the 100 best suites in the world.

The gastronomic proposal is exceptional, and led by <u>Blanc</u>, which has celebrated Chef Carme Ruscalleda at the helm. Two menus have been designed for all tastes. On weekdays, guests can sample the indulgent *Menús de Carme*, and at weekends, the *Domingos con Carme*, which celebrates traditional dishes, such as Chef Carme's legendary cannelloni. The reopening of <u>Moments</u>, the hotel's two-Michelin-starred restaurant, run by Chef Carme and her son Raül Balam, will be confirmed in due course.

An oasis of calm in the heart of the bustling city, the hotel's renowned <u>Spa</u> is ideal for guests seeking a reprieve to balance body, mind and soul with Mandarin Oriental's expert practitioners, signature treatments and therapies.



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General Manager, Jean Philippe Moser, said: "It's an immense joy to now be able to reopen our doors. My team and I look forward to welcoming guests back to the beautiful environs of Mandarin Oriental, Barcelona and providing personalized service that comes from the heart."

The hotel has implemented Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group's '<u>We Care'</u> programme of health and safety practices and precautionary measures to continue to uphold its commitment towards the comfort, safety and health of its guests and colleagues.

Mandarin Oriental, Barcelona is back to charm the days and nights of locals and tourists alike. Now there's something to celebrate. For further information, visit www.mandarinoriental.com/barcelona.

## About Mandarin Oriental, Barcelona

Mandarin Oriental, Barcelona is an exclusive 5\*GL hotel located in the heart of Paseo de Gracia in Barcelona. The establishment, with 120 rooms and suites, is characterised by a meticulous gastronomic proposal led by Carme Ruscalleda as gastronomic advisor, one of the most renowned chefs in the world. Its gastronomic offer takes the form of the signature restaurant Moments<sup>\*\*</sup>, led by the award-winning Carme Ruscalleda and her son Raül Balam; the Blanc restaurant; the Mimosa garden; and also the Terrat proposal directed by Gastón Acurio. A true gastronomic destination that makes Mandarin Oriental, Barcelona a meeting place for both guests and residents of the city, with suggestive settings such as the Banker's Bar, with a splendid cocktail menu, and a Spa of more than 1,000 square metres.

## **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 33 hotels and seven residences in 23 countries and territories, with each property reflecting the Group's oriental heritage. Mandarin Oriental has



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a strong pipeline of hotels and residences under development, and is a member of the Jardine Matheson Group.

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