



MANDARIN ORIENTAL, GENEVA TO HOST HIGH-END GASTRONOMY WEEK BY ACCLAIMED MICHELIN-STARRED CHEF, PIERRE GAGNAIRE

Hong Kong, 14 September 2016 – This October [Mandarin Oriental, Geneva](#) will host acclaimed French Michelin-starred Chef, Pierre Gagnaire, for a week of high-end gastronomy. Gourmets and food connoisseurs will be able to enjoy his signature dishes at the hotel's Café Calla restaurant from 11 to 15 October 2016.

Gagnaire is the wizard of innovative French gastronomy, and one of the most original and artistic chefs in the world today. Although his style remains firmly rooted in the French cooking tradition, the Chef's astonishingly intricate and elaborate cuisine is often described as “modern French”, resulting in dishes that are exquisitely presented and utterly original.

Awarded three Michelin stars since 1998 for his eponymous “Pierre Gagnaire” restaurant in Paris, the chef's career has since taken him all around the world. No stranger to Mandarin Oriental, Gagnaire opened his first US restaurant at Mandarin Oriental, Las Vegas in 2009 following the success of the chef's debut at the Group's flagship hotel, Mandarin Oriental, Hong Kong in 2006. In addition, he has a second restaurant in Paris as well as locations such as London, Courchevel, Berlin, Dubai, Seoul and Tokyo

The Pierre Gagnaire menus at Mandarin Oriental, Geneva will include some of the chef's renowned signature dishes, such as his lobster fricassee and plankton with glasswort, the rump of farm veal cut in piccata or the famous Bouillon Zezette.

The four-course lunch menu and six-course dinner menu by Pierre Gagnaire are priced CHF 125 and CHF 225 respectively. Café Calla's tables seat up to eight people each. Total restaurant seating is limited to 80 people for both lunch and dinner. Lunch will be served from noon to 1.30pm, and dinner from 7pm to 9.30pm. For restaurant reservations, call +41 (22) 909 00 00 or email mogva-restaurant@mohg.com.



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About Pierre Gagnaire

Elected Best Chef of the World in 2015 by Le Chef Magazine, Pierre Gagnaire is not only the chef of a restaurant: he also oversees 11 other restaurants and 13 Michelin stars. His approach is – unhurriedly – being disseminated around the world, while he whets his own style of skills transfer. Passing on his quest for emotion in the cuisine he shares with his customers. Passing on the savoir-faire he teaches to his teams.

About Mandarin Oriental, Geneva

A living example of Swiss hotel tradition at its very best, Mandarin Oriental, Geneva has a superb location on the River Rhône, located within the heart of the city's shopping, historic and business districts. Following an extensive refurbishment completed in March 2013, the hotel features 189 elegant and spacious rooms and suites, with many suites enjoying private terraces with supreme views of the river, Old Town and snow-capped mountains. Michelin starred dining; unparalleled service and luxury make it the ideal choice for discerning travellers.

About Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group

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