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TASTE THE PASSION OF SPAIN: MANDARIN ORIENTAL, MARRAKECH COLLABORATES WITH CHEF JOANNA ARTIEDA



Hong Kong, 16 May 2023 – Known as a *dessert cook with the soul of an artist*, award-winning Spanish Celebrity Chef Joanna Artieda will bring a taste of Spain to [Mandarin Oriental, Marrakech](#) this summer. Drawing inspiration from her travels around Morocco and working closely with the resort’s talented culinary team, Joanna has developed a spectacular menu of “Spanish Delights” to be served at the Pool Garden during the evenings. Joanna’s menu will feature local ingredients utilised in new and innovative ways, including Safran, Ras el Hanout, Menth, and more.

As part of this exciting collaboration, a unique Spanish-themed summer offer for the upcoming season will complement Joanna’s cuisine, as the resort embraces the vibrancy of Spanish culture for an unforgettable vacation experience. Be transported to the enchanting streets of Andalusia with music, dancing and entertainment, as Mandarin Oriental, Marrakech hosts live flamenco performers and salsa dancers to liven the atmosphere. Guests can also relax and unwind at our award-winning spa, itself drawing design inspiration from Andalusian architecture, and enjoy indulgent signature treatments.

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"We are excited to welcome Chef Joanna Artieda and introduce our Spanish theme this year, to provide our guests with a unique cultural experience," said Marcel Thoma, General Manager of Mandarin Oriental, Marrakech. "We have carefully curated every detail to ensure that our guests feel as though they have been transported to Spain within the stunning natural landscape of Marrakech."

To fully experience the arrival of Spain at the resort, guests can choose the [Andalusian Summer Sojourn](#) package, including:

- Round-trip airport transfers from Marrakech Menara Airport.
- Daily breakfast for two at the resort's all-day dining restaurant.
- Tapas and a variety of Spain's national culinary treasures at the Tent.
- Lunch for two at Casa Lalla.
- Free-flow Spanish cocktails.
- A private guided tour of Marrakech's souks and medina.
- An outdoor treatment at the award-winning Spa at Mandarin Oriental, Marrakech.
- A special MO gift from our boutique.
- Additional benefits available when you log into or join [Fans of M.O.](#)

For bookings or more information, call +212 5 242 98888 or visit

mandarinoriental.com/Marrakech.

About Mandarin Oriental, Marrakech

Mandarin Oriental, Marrakech is set among 20 hectares of landscaped gardens filled with the scent of 100,000 roses, with the snow-capped Atlas Mountains providing a stunning backdrop. Located just 10 minutes' drive from the heart of the city and the historic Medina, the hotel offers 54 private villas inspired by Berber and Andalusian-Arabic influences, all with secluded walled gardens, swimming pools and hot tubs, extensive areas for sunbathing

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and shaded alfresco dining. A further nine spectacular suites, seven with their own rooftop plunge pool, feature panoramic vistas of the gardens and the surrounding countryside. There are a variety of exceptional restaurants and bars, and a world-class spa offering the Group's renowned signature treatments as well as treatments inspired by Moroccan traditions. The luxury experience is completed by the Group's unparalleled service, allied to the best traditions and hospitality of the Kingdom of Morocco.

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 36 hotels and nine residences in 24 countries and territories, with each property reflecting the Group's oriental heritage, local culture and unique design. 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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