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POP-UP MARX TO OPEN AT MANDARIN ORIENTAL, MARRAKECH

Hong Kong, 17 July 2019 - Mandarin Oriental, Marrakech will showcase the new French

cuisine of Michelin-star Chef Thierry Marx this autumn. The hotel's sublimely stylish

Mes'Lalla restaurant will host POP-UP MARX from 6 September to 30 November 2019.

Bringing his avant-garde approach to cooking from Mandarin Oriental, Paris, where he is

Executive Chef at Sur Mesure par Thierry Marx, Camélia, Bar 8 and l'Honoré, Thierry Marx

will introduce Mes'Lalla diners to modern French dishes developed during a career that has

taken him to Hong Kong, Thailand, Japan and Australia.

By transforming Mes'Lalla's menu, Chef Marx will effectively turn the restaurant into a

quintessential French eatery, where he will revisit French culinary tradition to craft a selection

of contemporary dishes that are as visually enticing as they are a joy to eat.

POP-UP MARX diners will be invited to discover an À La Carte Menu of unconventional

recipes such as Salmon with seaweed, Carpaccio of Octopus, and even Zucchini with marinated

peach and marjoram jus, a series of exciting new taste and texture combinations that will delight

epicureans.

For further information and reservations, please call +212 5 24 29 88 88 or email momrk-

reservations@mohg.com.

Guests can also enjoy this limited time gastronomic experience by taking advantage of the

Resort's latest accommodation offers at Mandarin Oriental, Marrakech.

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About Thierry Marx

One of France's most distinguished chefs, Thierry Marx received his first Michelin star in 1988 at Roc en Val in Tours and another in 1991 at Cheval Blanc in Nîmes. After having worked for 10 years at the Châteaux Cordeillan-Bages (Gironde) where he has held 2 stars since 1999, the chef joins Mandarin Oriental, Paris. Since 2010, he directs all the Food & Beverage of the Mandarin Oriental in which he opened the restaurant *Sur-mesure by Thierry Marx*, *Camelia*, *Bar8* and *l'Honoré*. Thierry Marx draws his inspiration in France but also through his many trips across the globe, including visits to Asia. Between 2010 and 2015, Thierry Marx was one of the judges of the French show *Top Chef*.

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 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 Moroccan Kingdom.



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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 32 hotels and six residences in 23 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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