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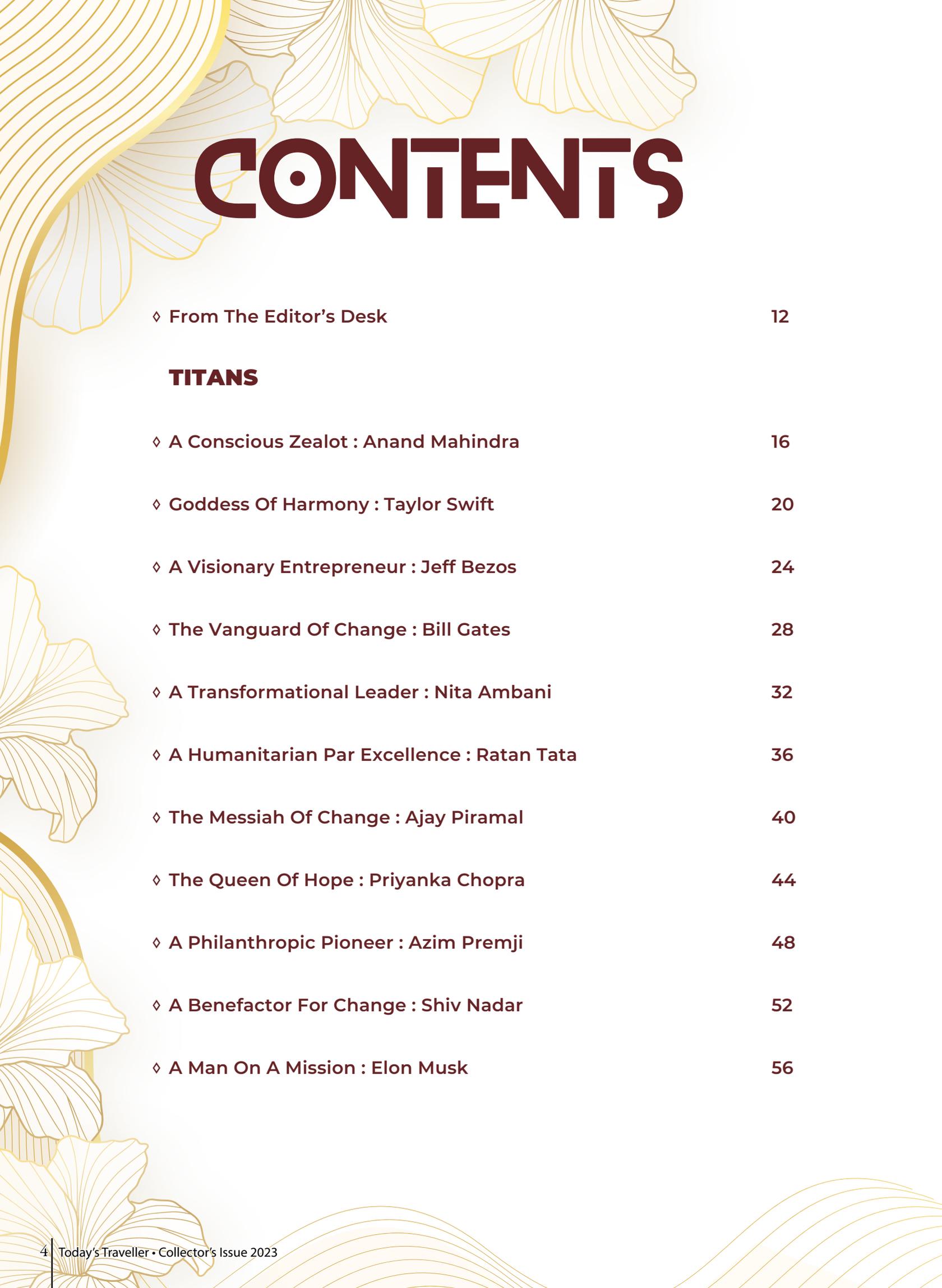
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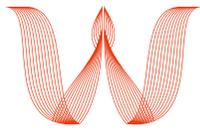
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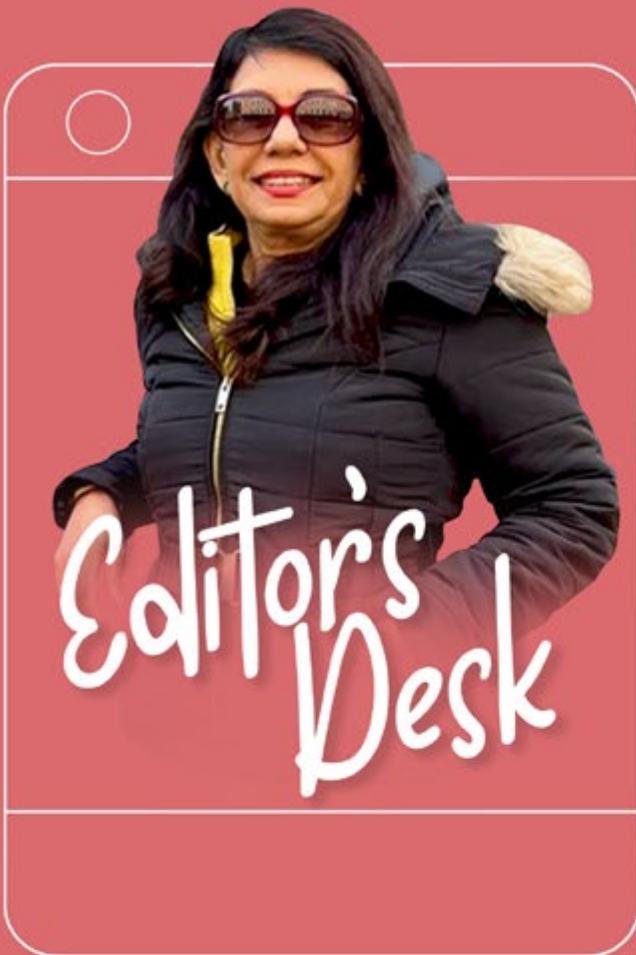
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Transformation is all about change. It's like a journey where things start as one thing and turn into something else. This can happen to people, places, or even ideas.

As we stand on the brink of unparalleled innovation and change, it's pivotal to recognize that the very essence of transformation extends beyond mere physical boundaries and tangible entities.

It touches upon something far more profound, embedding itself into the very fabric of our humanity—our connections, relationships, and the myriad ways we choose to traverse this expansive world.

TRANSFORMATION IN LEADERSHIP

Leaders throughout history have guided us with their wisdom on transformation and change. John C. Maxwell once said, "Change is inevitable. Growth is optional." This quote mirrors our sentiment today; we must actively engage with transformation to grow.

Similarly, Nelson Mandela, a man who led a nation through transformation, wisely stated, "It always seems impossible until it's done." The journey of transformation, albeit daunting at times, is a testament to our resilience and determination.

TRANSFORMATION IN TRAVEL, HOSPITALITY, AND AVIATION:

There's an old saying that rings incredibly true today: "The only constant in life is change." As we peer into the world of travel, hospitality, and aviation, we witness this change morphing, evolving, and truly, transforming our landscapes, both metaphorical and physical.

The Rise of Sustainable Travel is a major energy of transformation. Consider the transformation in the travel industry with the advent of eco-tourism and sustainable practices.

Today, hotels, destinations and transportation worldwide have embraced sustainability, emphasizing conservation and responsible tourism. This shift is not just a trend but a meaningful transformation aligning with our values of preserving our planet.

In the realm of aviation, transformation is evident in the shift towards cleaner and more efficient air travel. Electric and hybrid-electric planes stand as a testament to our relentless pursuit of innovation and transformation.

TRANSFORMATION AS A COLLECTIVE ENDEAVOUR:

Travel is not merely a movement from point A to point B, but a journey that stitches together diverse cultures unites disparate souls, and amalgamates different perspectives into a rich tapestry of experiences.

It crafts stories of history and preservation and unveils unexplored vistas that cultivate an understanding of our surroundings and each other, empathy towards nature and sustainability, and unity among us.

In essence, we are active participants, co-creators, and beneficiaries of the process of Transformation. From relationships born out of wanderlust to investments that shape the future of our explorations and technologies that enable us to reach new heights, every facet of our journey is intertwined with transformation.

THE PLEDGE TO TRANSFORMATION

As we forge ahead, and in our pursuit to explore beyond horizons, may we all find the boundless potential in transformation.

As Steve Jobs aptly put it, "Innovation distinguishes between a leader and a follower." Let us lead, innovate, and transform.

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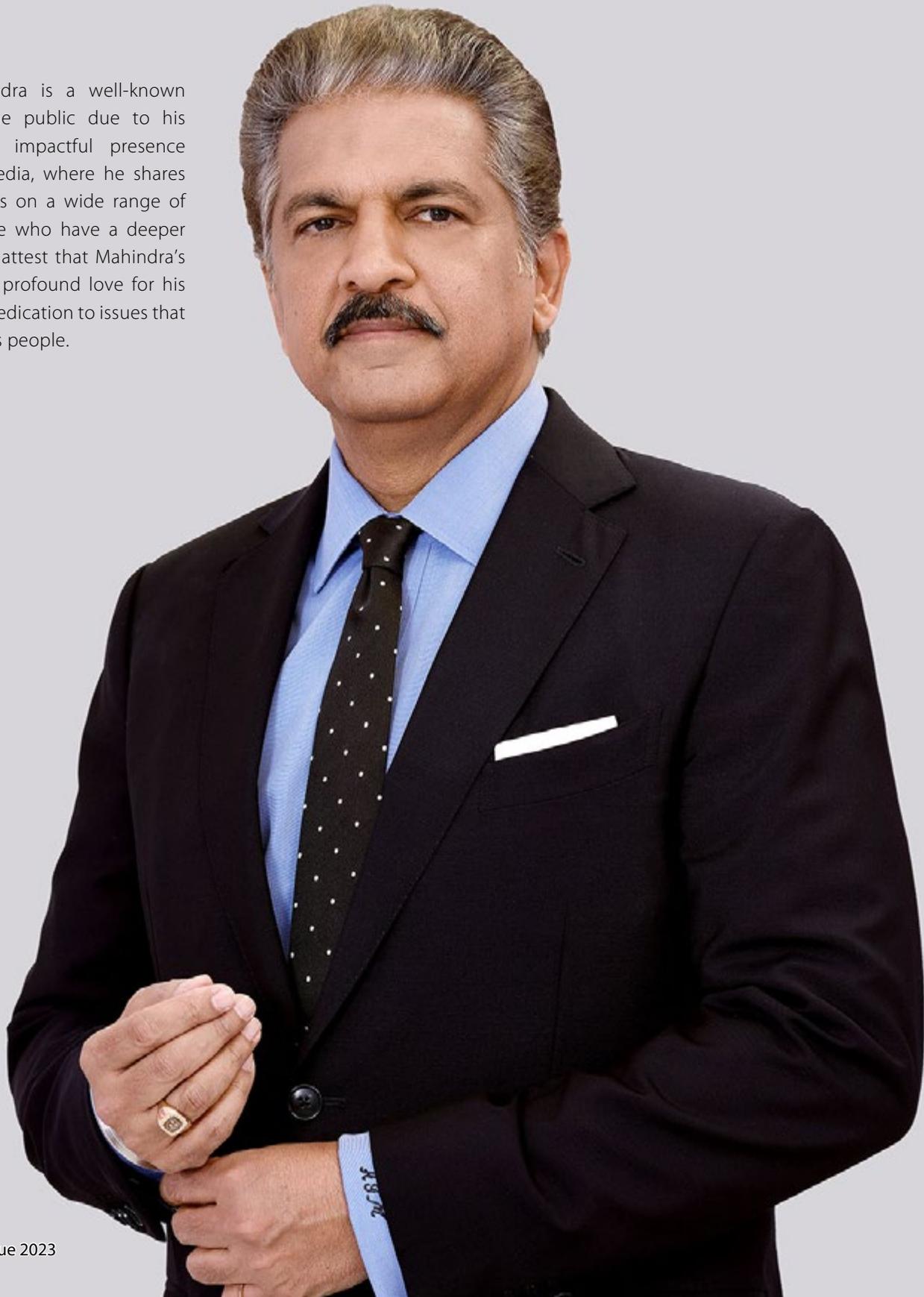
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A CONSCIOUS ZEALOT

For Anand Mahindra, environment and society are going to be the twin pillars of business enterprises the world over

TT BUREAU

Anand Mahindra is a well-known figure to the public due to his candid and impactful presence on social media, where he shares his unfiltered thoughts on a wide range of topics. However, those who have a deeper understanding of him attest that Mahindra's views are rooted in a profound love for his country and a strong dedication to issues that hold significance for its people.



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He is undeniably an emblematic figure of home-grown Indian entrepreneurship, and he embraced the concept of entrepreneurship long before freshly-minted MBA graduates kick-started the so-called start-up culture in India.

MAHINDRA BUSINESS EMPIRE

Approaching the age of 69, Anand Mahindra stands at the helm of the Mahindra Group, a private conglomerate with diversified business interests spanning numerous sectors, including automobiles, technology, defence, aerospace, and more.

Among millennials and Gen-Z, he is renowned for his contributions to creating rugged off-road SUVs that have captured the hearts of many. Yet, his influence transcends the corporate world.

He is a remarkably creative individual who has generously supported various causes, including the humanities, cinema, and above all, environmental initiatives.

ENVIRONMENTAL PHILOSOPHY

Mahindra's philosophy on environmental stewardship can be encapsulated in the acronym ESG, a concept he expounded upon during Mahindra & Mahindra's 75th General Meeting.

Addressing the virtual gathering, he passionately elaborated on Environmental Social Governance (ESG), a guiding principle aligning his business interests. This ESG principle was born from the lessons learned during the lockdown period.

It illuminated the fragility of human existence and the imperative to safeguard our environment, while also emphasizing the human need for immersive experiences and the fulfilment of long-held desires. Out of these lessons emerged the new ESG mantra, which now shapes all present and future endeavours of the Group.

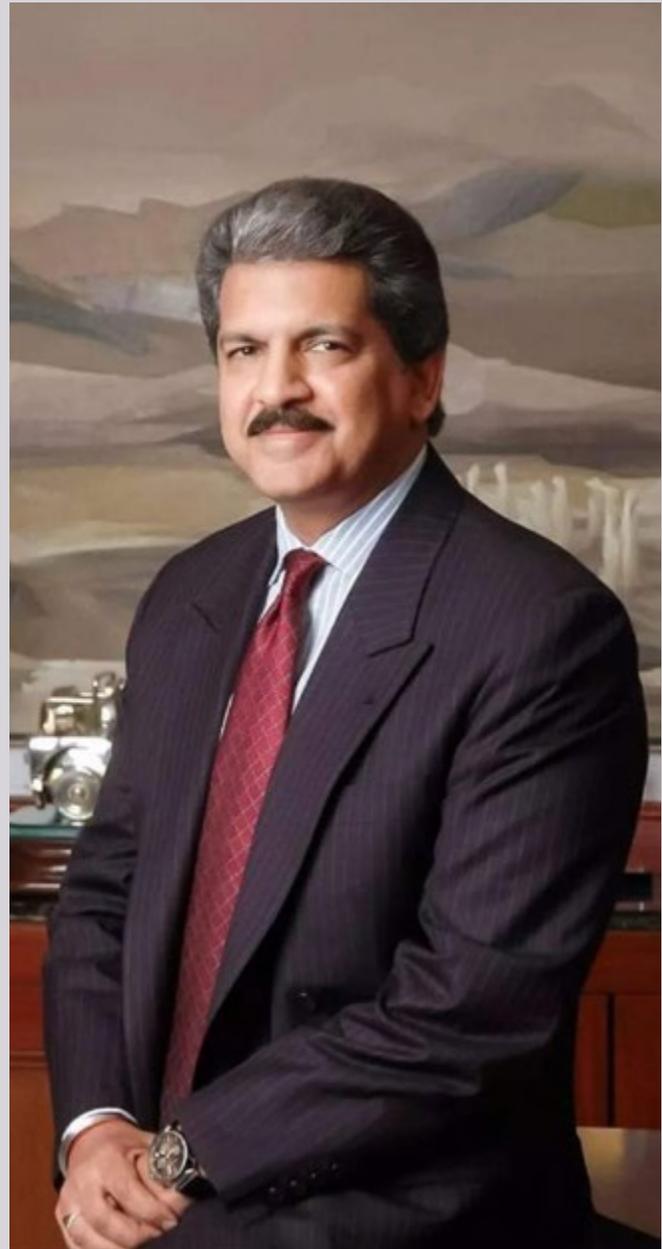
According to this business magnate, companies worldwide are increasingly evaluated based on their impact on the environment and communities.

Indeed, prominent financiers and venture capitalists insist that businesses must unequivocally demonstrate their social and environmental contributions before receiving funding.

MAHINDRA RISE

With the ESG mantra in mind, the company has managed to create sustainable, enduring, and meaningful impacts across various sectors of society and the economy. Through initiatives such as the Mahindra Rise program, the company has generated a substantial \$4 billion impact, encompassing environmental welfare and community development.

These achievements include committing to carbon neutrality by 2040, transforming all Mahindra factory sites



into zero-land-waste-to-landfill certified facilities, attaining water positivity, and actively participating in Project Hariyali, aimed at extensive tree planting. Anand Mahindra envisions that these endeavours will establish the Group as a leader in ESG by its 100th anniversary.

IMPACT

In conclusion, the influence of Anand Mahindra on the corporate landscape of India goes beyond traditional metrics like net worth, market valuation, or assets. For someone with a fervent commitment to environmental sustainability, his impact should be measured by the profound effect the Group has had on the lives of people in his home country and worldwide, wherever the Group has left its footprint.

In this regard, he has been incredibly successful, and there are no signs of this conscious capitalist slowing down anytime soon. Judging by his extensive list of commitments, it is evident that he is only getting started.

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GODDESS OF HARMONY

Taylor Swift, one of the leading music divas of our times, combines her love for country music with her support to environmental causes

TT BUREAU

When it comes to sustainability and environmentally friendly efforts, many celebrities tend to engage in mere token gestures. Whether they're featured in videos endorsing eco-friendly initiatives or making appearances at glamorous events championing environmental causes, celebrities often seem to use their support for these issues primarily as opportunities for publicity. However, Taylor Swift is a noteworthy exception to this trend.

Regardless of whether you're a fan or not of the pop icon, her presence in the public eye is undeniable. Her songs are ubiquitous and frequently dominate the charts.





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Yet, in recent years, another dimension of her fame has captured the public's attention: her dedicated commitment to significantly reducing her carbon footprint.

The reasons are not difficult to gauge. In recent times, her concerts have drawn significant ire from experts, who have criticized them for contributing to burgeoning carbon emissions. Furthermore, her recent performances in Seattle resulted in seismic activity comparable to a 2.3-magnitude earthquake.

Seismologist Jackie Caplan-Auerbach attributed this phenomenon to either Swift's dedicated fan base or the powerful sound system. This incident stands as just one example of the profound influence Swift wields over our contemporary cultural landscape.

Being one of the highest-selling recording artists of all time, Taylor Swift has garnered significant attention in recent years. She began her professional career in 2005 with country music.

After initial moderate success, she found herself in the midst of international stardom with hit albums like *Fearless* (2008) and singles like *Love Story* and *You Belong With Me*. She experimented with rock and electronic elements with *Red* and *We Are Never Getting Back Together*.

Later on, she started departing from her country image and started incorporating other influences like synth-pop, alternative rock and even hip hop. Experts say that her music has had a deep impact on the popular culture of America. As such, concerns have also been raised about the environmental impact of her mammoth-sized concerts.

Taylor Swift, in her own right, has taken tangible actions to embrace sustainability. Her dedication to wildlife

preservation was evident in her 2014 video "Wildest Dreams," where she committed to channelling all music sales proceeds towards wildlife conservation via non-profit organizations.

In 2019, Taylor Swift joined forces with the renowned eco-conscious designer Stella McCartney to establish the *Lover Collection*—an environmentally friendly fashion line composed of sustainable attire.

Her commitment to sustainability extends beyond the environmental realm, encompassing the development of local communities. Following the devastating 2022 tornado in Nashville, she generously contributed \$1 million to aid in the relief efforts.

In 2011, Taylor Swift actively participated in UNICEF's Tap Project Initiative, wherein celebrities sold water from their own homes to raise \$2.5 million for individuals lacking access to clean drinking water.

Furthermore, her devotion to nature harmonizes seamlessly with her support for country music. She allocated \$4 million of her personal wealth to establish the Taylor Swift Education Centre, dedicated to educating young individuals about the history of country music.

Taylor Swift also plays an active role in the Make-A-Wish Foundation, visiting children at St. Jude's Children Research Hospital, and making substantial donations to the Joyful Heart Foundation while closely monitoring their work.

Despite the fact that her tours result in more than 8,000 tonnes of carbon emissions, Taylor Swift appears to have more than compensated for this environmental impact through her continuous efforts to support both the environment and the community.





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A VISIONARY ENTREPRENEUR

Through his family foundation, Jeff Bezos, one of the richest people in the world, is quietly contributing to the betterment of the society

TT BUREAU

Jeff Bezos, the visionary entrepreneur and founder of Amazon, is not only known for his business acumen but also for his remarkable commitment to philanthropy. Through the Bezos Family Foundation, he and his family have been actively involved in numerous charitable initiatives aimed at making a positive impact on society.

We explore some of Jeff Bezos' philanthropic endeavours, highlighting the work done by the Bezos Family Foundation and its significant contributions to various social causes.

EDUCATIONAL INITIATIVES

One of the key areas of focus for the Bezos Family Foundation has been education. Bezos believes in the transformative power of education and has made substantial investments to improve educational opportunities for children and young people.

The foundation has supported initiatives like the Bezos Scholars Program, which provides scholarships and mentorship opportunities for high school students, enabling them to pursue higher education and achieve their full potential.





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EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Recognizing the importance of early childhood education, the Bezos Family Foundation has also contributed to programs that promote early learning and development. By supporting organizations like the Fred Rogers Center, the foundation has worked towards creating high-quality learning experiences for young children, ensuring that they have a strong foundation for future success. The Fred Rogers Center, on the other hand, has been working tirelessly to provide learning resources to adult caregivers.

GLOBAL HEALTH INITIATIVES

In addition to education, the Bezos Family Foundation has been actively involved in global health initiatives. The foundation has partnered with organizations like PATH to address critical health challenges in developing countries. Through its funding and support, it has helped implement life-saving interventions, improve healthcare infrastructure, and enhance disease prevention efforts, thereby saving countless lives.

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

Environmental conservation is another cause close to Jeff Bezos' heart. The Bezos Family Foundation has supported environmental organizations working to preserve natural habitats, protect endangered species, and combat climate change.

By funding innovative projects and research, the foundation has contributed to the global effort to create a sustainable future for our planet. Recently, Bezos teamed up with Leonardo Di Caprio to launch a fund to save the Amazon rainforest.

POVERTY ALLEVIATION

The Bezos Family Foundation has also been actively involved in poverty alleviation programmes, aiming to improve the lives of individuals and families facing economic hardships.

Through partnerships with local and international charities, the foundation has funded initiatives providing food, shelter, education, and vocational training to those in need. These efforts have not only offered immediate relief but also empowered people to break the cycle of poverty and build a better future for themselves and their communities.

DISASTER RELIEF

In times of natural disasters and humanitarian crises, the Bezos Family Foundation has stepped up to provide crucial aid and support. Whether it's providing emergency relief supplies, medical assistance, or rebuilding infrastructure, the foundation has played a vital role in helping affected communities recover and rebuild their lives.

Jeff Bezos' philanthropic initiatives through the Bezos Family Foundation exemplify his dedication to giving back to society. By focusing on education, global health, environmental conservation, poverty alleviation, and disaster relief, Bezos and his family have made a significant impact on the lives of people around the world.

Through their generosity and vision, they have inspired others to join the cause of making the world a better place for everyone, leaving behind a lasting legacy of compassion, empathy, and positive change.



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THE VANGUARD OF CHANGE

From eradicating polio to promoting education, the impact of the charity work done by Bill Gates has been profound

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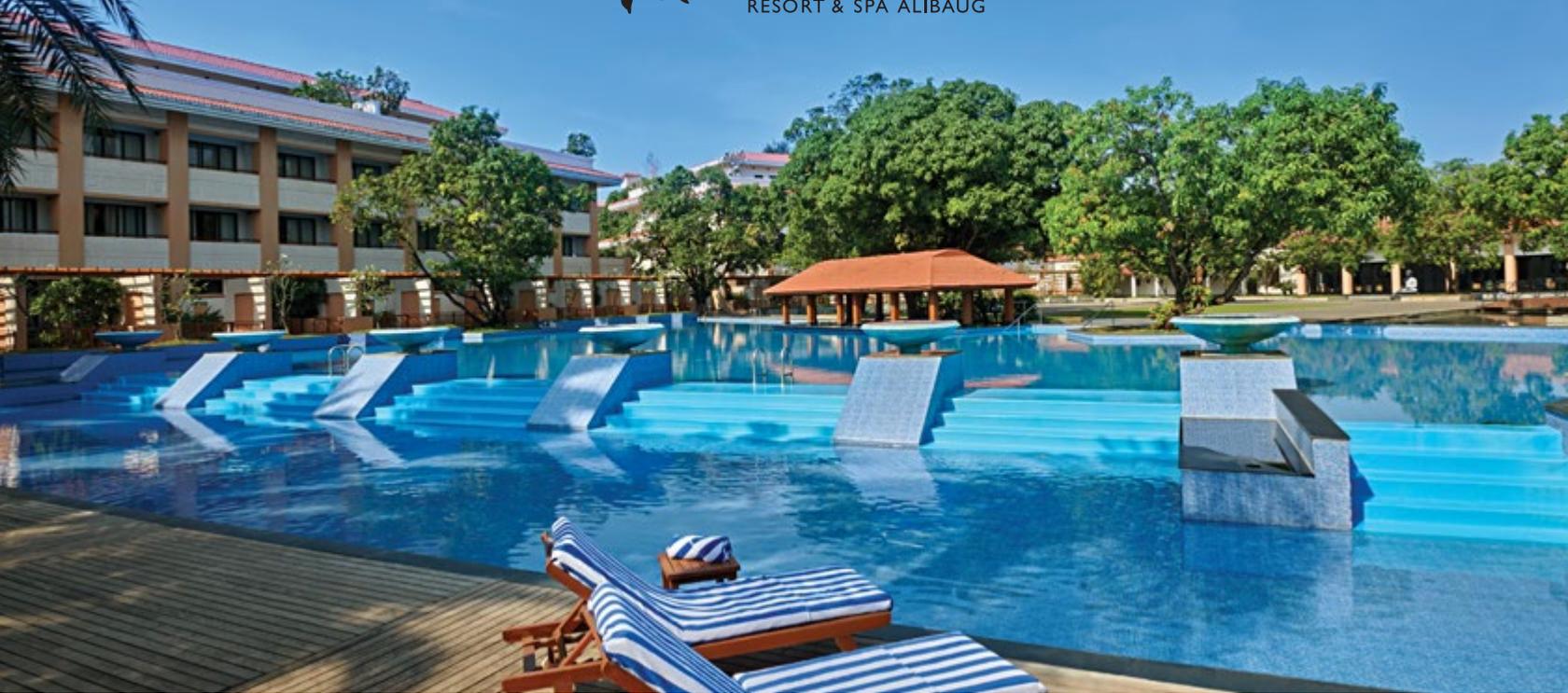
In the world of business, where fortunes are made and lost, one name stands out not just for its wealth but for its profound impact on humanity: Bill Gates. While he co-founded Microsoft and played a pivotal role in shaping the technological landscape we live in today, his legacy is equally defined by his remarkable charity work through the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.

Established in 2000 by Bill and Melinda Gates, this foundation has emerged as a beacon of hope, championing

numerous causes and making a tangible difference in the lives of millions around the globe, but especially in the global south.

RISE TO PROMINENCE

As the co-founder of Microsoft Corporation, Gates played a pivotal role in the personal computer revolution of the 1970s and 1980s. In 1975, he and his childhood friend Paul Allen launched Microsoft, which became a global powerhouse in the software industry. Gates' vision and



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leadership were instrumental in the development of the iconic operating system MS-DOS and later the widely successful Windows operating system.

ERADICATING DISEASES

One of the foundation's flagship initiatives is its commitment to global health. Gates Foundation has been instrumental in eradicating deadly diseases like polio and malaria. Through extensive funding, research, and collaboration with other non-governmental organizations, the foundation has



significantly reduced the number of polio cases worldwide, bringing humanity closer to eradicating this debilitating disease entirely.

In the fight against malaria, the Gates Foundation has funded research for the development of innovative tools to combat the disease. The Foundation has supported the distribution of insecticide-treated bed nets in malaria-prone regions, preventing countless deaths, especially among children under the age of five. These efforts have not only saved lives but have also strengthened healthcare systems in affected regions.

EMPOWERING MINDS

Education has always been a cornerstone of the Gates Foundation's initiatives. Bill and Melinda Gates believe that every child deserves access to a quality education, regardless of their socio-economic background.

The Foundation has invested heavily in education reform efforts, focusing on improving K-12 education in the United States and enhancing educational opportunities globally.

Through various programs and partnerships, the Foundation has worked towards providing teachers with the necessary training and resources to deliver high-quality education. It has also supported research initiatives aimed at understanding the most effective teaching methods, ensuring that students receive the best possible education.

FOSTERING EQUALITY

The Gates Foundation has been a staunch advocate for gender equality, emphasizing the importance of empowering women and girls worldwide. By investing in initiatives that provide women with access to healthcare, education, and economic opportunities, the foundation is breaking down barriers that have held back generations.

In developing countries, the Foundation has supported projects that focus on maternal and child health, ensuring that women receive proper healthcare during pregnancy and childbirth.

By addressing these critical healthcare needs, the foundation is not only saving lives but also empowering women to lead healthier, more fulfilling lives.

TACKLING GLOBAL CHALLENGES

Beyond their specific initiatives, the Gates Foundation actively supports innovative research and projects aimed at addressing pressing global challenges. From funding research to develop new vaccines to supporting innovative agricultural practices that enhance food security in impoverished regions, the foundation is at the forefront of driving positive change.

Through their Grand Challenges program, the foundation invites innovators and researchers from around the world to submit bold ideas and projects that tackle complex problems.

By providing funding and resources to these initiatives, the foundation catalyses innovation, encouraging scientists and researchers to explore novel solutions to some of the world's most daunting challenges.

A LEGACY OF COMPASSION

Bill and Melinda Gates' dedication to philanthropy has transformed countless lives, fostering a legacy of compassion, commitment, and positive change. Through their foundation, they have demonstrated that wealth, when used wisely and compassionately, can be a powerful force for good.

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A TRANSFORMATIONAL LEADER

From the opening of a cultural centre to various social welfare programmes, the Reliance Foundation's impact under the tutelage of Nita Ambani has been remarkable

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Nita Ambani is just not another First Lady – a plus-one to a powerful and rich industrialist in India. She, in her own right, is a visionary philanthropist working tirelessly to uplift millions of artisans, artistes, women and children across India.

Therefore, in the realm of philanthropy and social initiatives, Nita Ambani stands out as a beacon of inspiration, making remarkable strides in areas such as sustainability,

community development, and the promotion of Indian culture.

THE HEAD OF RELIANCE FOUNDATION

As the founder and chairperson of the Reliance Foundation (operating since 2010), her unwavering dedication has touched countless lives, reshaping communities and fostering a brighter, more sustainable future for all.



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SUSTAINABILITY

One of Nita Ambani's pivotal contributions has been in the realm of sustainability. Recognizing the urgent need for environmental stewardship, she has championed various initiatives to promote eco-friendly practices and raise awareness about environmental conservation.

Under her guidance, the Reliance Foundation has implemented large-scale projects focused on renewable energy, waste management, and water conservation. By harnessing the power of sustainable technologies, these initiatives have not only reduced the carbon footprint but have also empowered local communities to adopt green practices in their daily lives.

RURAL TRANSFORMATION

In the sphere of community development, Nita Ambani's efforts have been nothing short of transformative. She has spearheaded numerous programs aimed at enhancing healthcare, education, and overall quality of life in rural and underserved areas. These initiatives include building healthcare facilities, providing access to clean drinking water, and establishing schools that offer quality education to children who previously had limited or no access to schooling.

Two of Reliance Foundation's initiatives have shown wonderful results. While the Bharat India Jodo helps rural communities take collective action towards sustainable livelihood, Reliance Foundation Information Services offers crucial data to communities on weather, fishing, farming, livestock rearing and management.

PROMOTION OF CULTURE

Furthermore, Nita Ambani's commitment to preserving and promoting Indian culture is truly commendable. Through various cultural initiatives, she has revitalized traditional art forms, music, dance, and crafts, ensuring that the rich heritage of India continues to thrive in the modern world.

By supporting local artisans and organizing cultural events, she has not only preserved the cultural fabric of the nation but has also provided artists with platforms to showcase their talents globally. Perhaps the best expression of this support has been the opening of the Nita Mukesh Ambani Cultural Centre in Mumbai that offers a safe space to artistes, musicians and actors to showcase their talent.

TRANSFORMING LIVES

Nita Ambani's philanthropic efforts extend beyond mere charity; they represent a holistic approach to societal development. By addressing key issues such as sustainability, community development, and cultural preservation, she has laid the foundation for a more inclusive and harmonious society.

Her work serves as a testament to the power of compassion, dedication, and vision, inspiring individuals



and organisations alike to contribute meaningfully to the betterment of society.

Needless to say, Nita Ambani's multifaceted initiatives in sustainability, community development, and the promotion of Indian culture have left an indelible mark on society. Through her relentless efforts, she has not only transformed lives but has also set a shining example for others to follow.

As a visionary leader, she continues to illuminate the path toward a more sustainable, equitable, and culturally rich world, reminding us all of the incredible impact that one person's dedication and passion can have on the lives of many.

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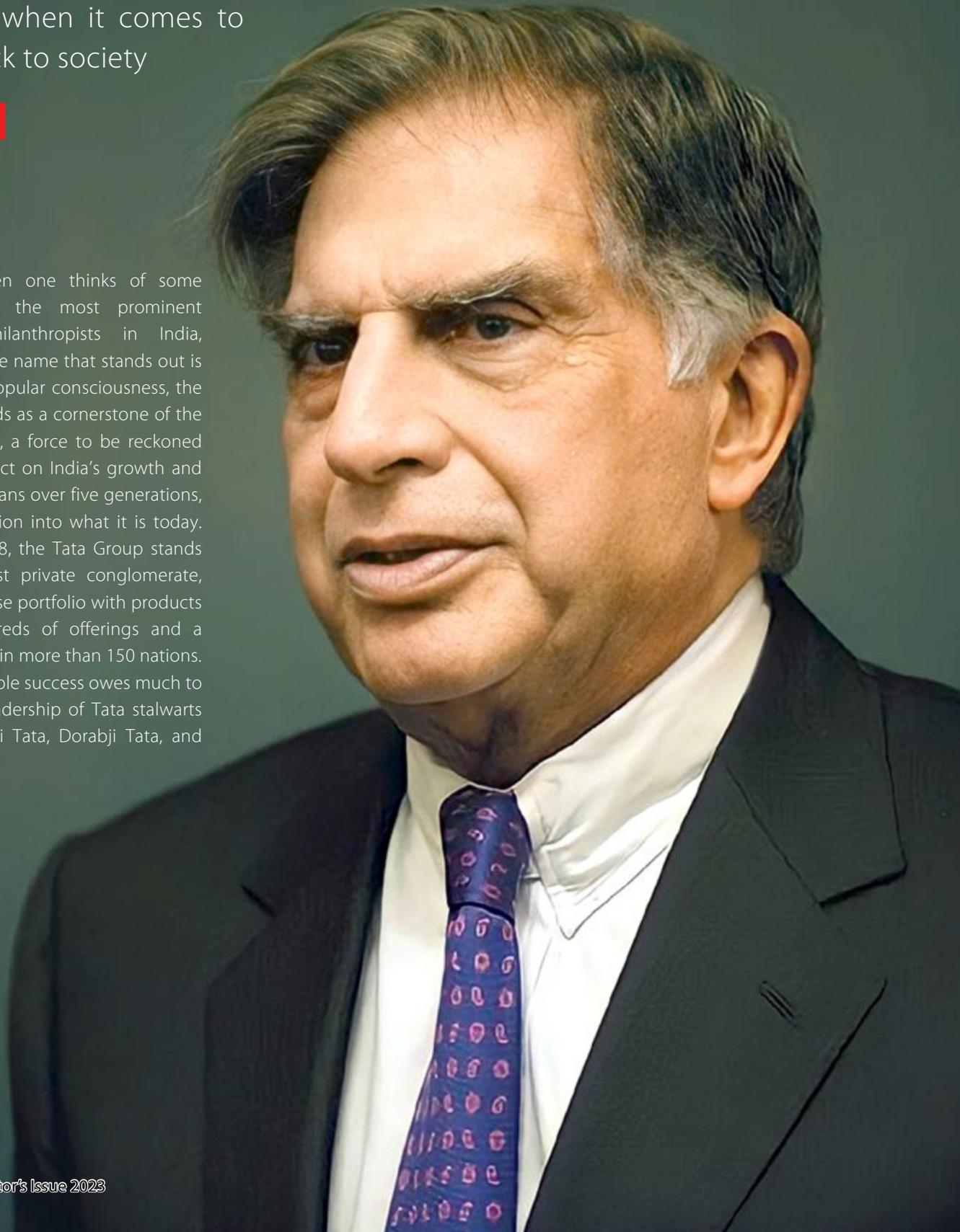
A HUMANITARIAN PAR EXCELLENCE

Ratan Tata stands tall among his peers when it comes to giving back to society

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When one thinks of some of the most prominent philanthropists in India, the name that stands out is Ratan Tata. In popular consciousness, the Tata family stands as a cornerstone of the Indian economy, a force to be reckoned with. Their impact on India's growth and development spans over five generations, shaping the nation into what it is today. Founded in 1868, the Tata Group stands as India's largest private conglomerate, boasting a diverse portfolio with products spanning hundreds of offerings and a global presence in more than 150 nations.

This remarkable success owes much to the visionary leadership of Tata stalwarts such as Jamsetji Tata, Dorabji Tata, and J.R.D. Tata.



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THE TATA LEGACY

For over five generations, the Tata family has contributed immensely to the growth and development of India which has helped the country become what it is today. Established in 1868, the Tata Group is India's largest private conglomerate with hundreds of product offerings and footprints in more than 150 nations across the world. The success, however, has come with the able and visionary leadership of several Tata stalwarts, including Jamsetji Tata, Dorabji Tata, and JRD Tata.

Ratan Tata, the torchbearer of his family's legacy, has propelled their tradition of excellence forward. His multi-billion dollar conglomerate encompasses a wide array of sectors, from IT services to civil aviation.

Beyond his business acumen, he shines as a compassionate humanitarian, untainted by the trappings of fame and success. In a nation grappling with pervasive poverty, Ratan Tata stands among the select few industrialists who are revered as much for their philanthropy as their business prowess.

THE TATA TRUSTS

In recent years, Ratan Tata like many of his peers has taken his philanthropic spirit to the realms of environment, clean energy and community development. In accordance with the Paris Climate Agreement Goals, Tata Trusts – the philanthropic arm of the organisation – has been providing free and clean cooking energy to overcome the challenges of using biofuel.

The trust has also been empowering rural entrepreneurs to provide last-mile energy services besides upskilling them. This clean energy initiative has worked wonders for poor families in Manipur.

It has spawned a new breed of energy entrepreneurs who have immensely benefitted from the scheme, by generating livelihood activities.

ENVIRONMENT CONSERVATION

As a leading business enterprise, Tata Trusts know the value of protecting the environment. As such, the conglomerate has invested heavily in protecting fragile ecosystems and conserving at-risk species. The Tata Reef Recharge project that began in 2011 in the Maldives has seen the regeneration of coral reefs on the island.

On the site of its soda ash facility in Mithapur, Gujarat, Tata Chemicals has created a 150-acre reserve that shelters 21 species of native plants and more than 114 species of other vegetation. Additionally, TCS has been instrumental in protecting 6,000 Olive Ridley Turtle hatchlings.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Since its inception, 150 years ago, the group has been involved in the development of the local community.



The group works with NGOs as well as local and central governments to provide education to vulnerable communities across India.

Masti Ki Pathshala run by Tata Steel in Jamshedpur provides free education to street children and child labourers to end the scourge of child labourers in India.

Titan Kanya, one of the flagship CSR programmes of the watch company, has worked with NGOs to provide quality education to more than 17,000 girls across the country.

While Ratan Tata may not be among the wealthiest individuals globally, his impact on the country's progress resonates deeply.

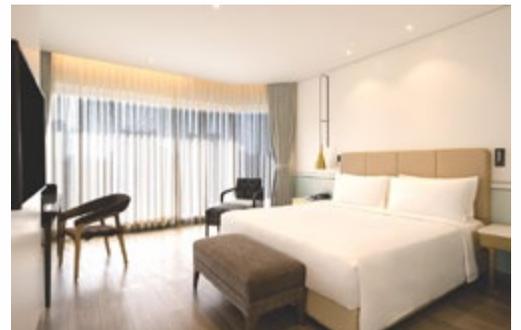
In a society fixated on market valuations and personal fortunes, Tata's enduring legacy lies in his significant contributions to the nation's growth. Despite his retirement from active business, his wisdom and values persistently shape the Group's board decisions.

Driven by a commitment to fostering positive change rather than mere profits, these directors are guided by empathy, compassion, and a strong urge to give back. As a result, the Group consistently captures the admiration and affection of millions of Indians.



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THE MESSIAH OF CHANGE

Ajay Piramal's contribution to education, tribal empowerment and digital democratization has been nothing short of extraordinary

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Ajay Piramal is an Indian billionaire who is committed to bring in social change through investments in education, digital technology, and tribal welfare. With an estimated USD 3 billion of personal wealth, he is not only one of the richest persons in India, he is also one of the most generous philanthropists who is working tirelessly to transform the country.

WELFARE FOR ALL

Ajay Piramal was born in a business family in Rajasthan and joined his father's business in his early twenties. He was forced to take over his family's mantle when he lost both his father and elder brother in quick succession.

Over the years he has established himself as a pharma giant through a string of acquisitions, such as Nicholas Laboratories, and the subsidiaries of Roche, Boehringer Mannheim, Rhone Poulenc, ICI, etc. He also invested in Vodafone and bought an 11% stake in the company that he later sold. He is also a shareholder in Shriram Capital and currently serves as its chairman.

Beyond his remarkable success in the corporate world, Ajay Piramal is equally dedicated to social causes that include tribal welfare, digital technology, and education. This article delves into his noteworthy efforts and accomplishments in these areas, highlighting how he combines his business acumen with a commitment to making a positive impact on society.





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TRIBAL WELFARE INITIATIVES

Ajay Piramal's commitment to tribal welfare stems from a profound sense of social responsibility. In India, tribal communities often face significant challenges such as lack of access to quality healthcare, education, and livelihood opportunities. To address these issues, he has initiated and supported several projects aimed at improving the lives of these marginalized populations.

One of his notable endeavours is the Piramal Foundation, which focuses on empowering tribal communities through healthcare and education. The foundation operates in various tribal regions, delivering healthcare services, promoting maternal and child health, and facilitating access to clean drinking water. By doing so, Ajay Piramal has made a substantial impact on the health and well-being of thousands of tribal individuals and families.

DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION

Recognizing the transformative potential of digital technology, Ajay Piramal has been a pioneer in integrating technology into various sectors to drive positive change. In the field of healthcare, he has championed the use of digital solutions to enhance patient care, diagnostics, and healthcare accessibility.

His initiatives have included telemedicine services, digital health records, and the development of mobile apps for health monitoring and education.

Moreover, his investments in the fintech sector have played a crucial role in expanding digital financial services across India. These innovations have improved financial

inclusion for marginalized populations, including tribal communities, by providing them with easier access to banking and financial resources.

EDUCATION FOR EMPOWERMENT

Education is a powerful tool for social transformation, and Ajay Piramal has consistently demonstrated his commitment to promoting quality education. He believes that education is the key to unlocking the potential of individuals, particularly those from underserved communities.

Piramal Foundation's 'Sarvajal' initiative, for instance, focuses on providing quality education to children in rural and tribal areas. The foundation has established schools, learning centres, and vocational training programs, offering children and young adults a chance to gain valuable skills and knowledge that can help them lead more prosperous lives.

Additionally, Ajay Piramal's support for educational institutions and scholarships has helped countless students from disadvantaged backgrounds access higher education, fostering a sense of hope and aspiration within these communities.

Ajay Piramal's commitment to tribal welfare, digital technology, and education showcases his visionary leadership and a deep-rooted sense of social responsibility.

By combining his business acumen with a strong sense of purpose, Ajay Piramal exemplifies how corporate leaders can make a meaningful difference in society. His dedication to the underprivileged serves as an inspiring example for others to follow.



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THE QUEEN OF HOPE

Priyanka Chopra's legacy will undoubtedly foster a world where compassion, environmental consciousness, and sustainable living prevail

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In the glitz and glamour of the global entertainment industry, few stars manage to shine as brightly as Priyanka Chopra. Beyond her cinematic accolades, Priyanka has emerged as a formidable force in the realms of community development, environmental conservation, and sustainability. Her commitment to making the world a better place extends far beyond the silver screen, setting an inspiring example for her fans worldwide. While people mostly know her for on-screen glamour, her beauty-queen status, and her million-dollar wedding, she for a long-time has been involved in charity and philanthropy working closely with organisations like the UN. However, it is only recently (more specifically after her move to Hollywood) that the world has woken up to her contributions and her deep impact.



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FOCUS ON EDUCATION

Priyanka Chopra's journey in community development began in her homeland, India. She established The Priyanka Chopra Foundation for Health and Education, focusing on providing support to unprivileged children across the country. Through this foundation, she has spearheaded numerous initiatives, including building schools, providing educational resources, and promoting healthcare in underprivileged communities. Her foundation's efforts have touched the lives of thousands, giving them access to quality education and healthcare, empowering them to break the cycle of poverty.

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

Recognizing the urgent need to address environmental issues, Priyanka became a UNICEF Goodwill Ambassador for Child Rights in 2010. In this role, she worked tirelessly to raise awareness about climate change and its impact on children worldwide. She actively participated in various campaigns aimed at promoting environmental conservation, emphasising the importance of sustainable practices to safeguard the planet for future generations. Priyanka's advocacy in this area has been instrumental in galvanising public support for eco-friendly initiatives and policies.

A CONSCIOUS BUSINESSWOMAN

Priyanka Chopra has also been a vocal advocate for sustainability, advocating for conscious living and responsible

consumerism. She has been a champion of eco-friendly fashion, supporting designers and brands that prioritise sustainable practices and ethical production. By leveraging her influence in the fashion industry, she encourages the adoption of sustainable materials and ethical manufacturing processes. Priyanka also invests in and promotes sustainable startups, like Anomaly, fostering innovation in the field of green technology and renewable energy.

GLOBAL IMPACT

Priyanka's dedication to community development, environmental conservation, and sustainability transcends borders. She actively participates in global forums, engaging with leaders and organisations to drive meaningful change. Her work with the United Nations and other international bodies has elevated crucial issues onto the global stage, inspiring collective action. Through her advocacy, she continues to emphasise the interconnectedness of humanity and the planet, urging people to unite for a more sustainable future.

Priyanka Chopra's multifaceted efforts in community development, environmental conservation, and sustainability have established her as a beacon of hope and inspiration. Her unwavering commitment to making a difference serves as a reminder that celebrities, with their influence and resources, can be powerful catalysts for positive change.

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A PHILANTHROPIC PIONEER

From education to digital literacy, Azim Premji's contribution to transforming the country has been immense

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Azim Premji, the renowned Indian business tycoon and philanthropist, is a name synonymous with transformative social change. Through his unwavering commitment to philanthropy, Premji has made significant contributions to education, healthcare, and social development, leaving an indelible mark on the lives of millions. Here, we explore the various facets of Azim Premji's philanthropy, highlighting specific examples of his impactful initiatives.

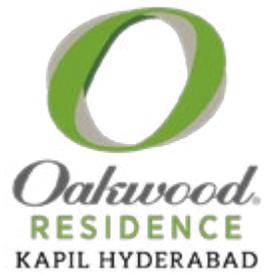
A REMARKABLE JOURNEY

Azim Premji, the renowned Indian business tycoon and philanthropist, embarked on a remarkable journey that transformed him into a global icon. He inherited the

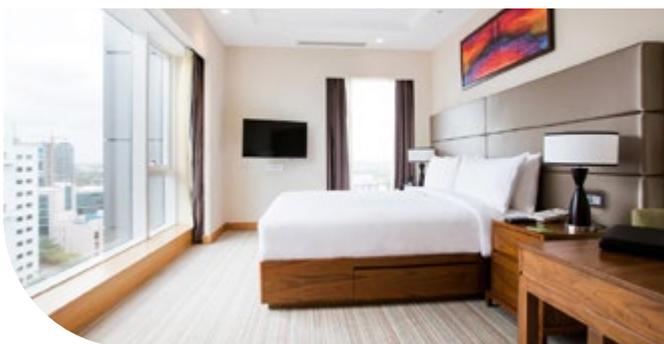
family business, Wipro, at the young age of 21, after the sudden demise of his father in 1966. With determination and foresight, Premji steered Wipro, a small cooking oil company, into a leading IT services and consulting corporation.

Under his visionary leadership, Wipro expanded its horizons, becoming a global player in the IT industry. Premji's commitment to excellence and innovation turned Wipro into one of India's most respected companies, creating thousands of jobs and driving economic growth.

Beyond business, he displayed extraordinary generosity, pledging a significant portion of his wealth to philanthropic causes through the Azim Premji Foundation. This organization focuses on improving education in



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rural India, ensuring access to quality schooling for underprivileged children. Premji's journey is a testament to his entrepreneurial spirit, social consciousness, and enduring legacy in the realms of business and education.

EDUCATION FOR ALL

One of Azim Premji's key philanthropic areas is education. He established the Azim Premji Foundation in 2001, with a vision to improve the quality of education in rural India. The foundation focuses on teacher training, curriculum development, and infrastructure support. A standout example of his commitment is the Azim Premji University, a leading educational institution dedicated to nurturing socially responsible professionals. The university offers various undergraduate and postgraduate programs, empowering students with knowledge and skills to address societal challenges.

TECHNOLOGY FOR SOCIAL CHANGE

Recognizing the potential of technology in driving social change, Azim Premji has utilized his philanthropic efforts to bridge the digital divide. His foundation has initiated several programs to provide computer literacy and digital education in remote and underserved communities. Through initiatives like the Wipro Digital Literacy Van, equipped with computers and internet connectivity, the foundation has enabled access to information and digital skills, empowering individuals to participate in the digital age.

HEALTHCARE INITIATIVES

Premji's philanthropy extends to healthcare, aiming to improve the overall well-being of communities. The Azim Premji Foundation has collaborated with various healthcare organizations to establish primary healthcare centres and provide medical services in rural areas. Additionally, Premji's foundation has supported vaccination drives, maternal health programs, and disease prevention initiatives, contributing significantly to reducing healthcare disparities in marginalized communities.

DISASTER RELIEF AND REHABILITATION

In times of natural disasters, Azim Premji has demonstrated swift humanitarian response. His foundation has been actively involved in disaster relief efforts, providing immediate aid, shelter, and rehabilitation support to affected communities. Whether it's floods, earthquakes, or other calamities, Premji's philanthropic initiatives have offered hope and assistance to those in need, helping them rebuild their lives.

SUPPORT FOR NGOS AND SOCIAL ENTERPRISES

Azim Premji's philanthropy also extends to supporting non-governmental organizations and social enterprises



working towards social welfare. His foundation provides grants, mentorship, and capacity-building support to grassroots organizations, enabling them to expand their reach and impact. By nurturing these initiatives, Premji fosters a culture of collaboration and shared responsibility in the social sector.

Azim Premji's philanthropic journey stands as a testament to the power of giving. His multifaceted approach, spanning education, healthcare, disaster relief, and support for grassroots organizations, showcases the breadth and depth of his commitment to social change. It is evident that Azim Premji's legacy goes beyond business success; it encompasses a profound dedication to improving lives and creating a more equitable society. As a beacon of philanthropy, Premji continues to inspire others to join the noble cause of making the world a better place for everyone.

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A BENEFACTOR FOR CHANGE

From art to health, from community development to education there isn't an area that is not touched by Shiv Nadar's philanthropy

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In the realm of corporate social responsibility, few names shine as brightly as Shiv Nadar's. Renowned as an industry titan in the digital technology and cloud computing spaces, Nadar's legacy extends far beyond the boardroom. His commitment to philanthropy has left an indelible mark on countless lives, reshaping communities and fostering a brighter future for generations to come.

SHIV NADAR FOUNDATION

At the heart of Nadar's philanthropic endeavours is the belief that education is the cornerstone of societal progress. His vision led to the establishment of the Shiv Nadar Foundation

in 1994, a non-profit organization dedicated to transforming education in India. One of the foundation's flagship initiatives, the Shiv Nadar University, stands as a testament to his commitment to nurturing young minds. Located in Uttar Pradesh, this multidisciplinary university provides world-class education to students, fostering innovation and creativity.

HEALTHCARE

Nadar's philanthropic efforts are not confined within the walls of educational institutions; they extend to healthcare as well. The Foundation's healthcare initiatives focus on providing accessible and affordable healthcare services



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to underserved communities. Through numerous medical camps and initiatives, thousands have received medical aid, ranging from basic check-ups to life-saving surgeries.

Healthcare initiatives extend to the Shiv Nadar University campus as well. The university has a healthcare centre with 24x7 paramedic staff and an ambulance on the stand-by for emergencies.

EDUCATIONAL INITIATIVES

One of the most notable examples of Nadar's impact on education can be seen through the Vidya Gyan schools, a chain of institutions established by the Shiv Nadar Foundation. These schools aim to identify and nurture exceptional talent from rural areas, providing them with high-quality education, mentorship, and exposure to a world of opportunities. By breaking the barriers of privilege, these schools empower bright minds to dream big and achieve their goals.

ART & CULTURE

Nadar's philanthropic influence also extends to the realm of art and culture. The Kiran Nadar Museum of Art, named after his wife Kiran Nadar, stands as a beacon of artistic expression. Housing an impressive collection of contemporary and modern Indian art, the museum not only preserves the country's cultural heritage but also promotes emerging artists, providing them with a platform to showcase their talent.

WOMEN EMPOWERMENT

Additionally, Nadar's commitment to social change is evident through his support for initiatives promoting gender equality and women's empowerment. The

Foundation's programmes focus on providing education and skill development opportunities to women, enabling them to become financially independent and contribute meaningfully to their communities.

GLOBAL IMPACT

Beyond the borders of India, Nadar's philanthropy has made a global impact. He has contributed significantly to charitable causes around the world, supporting initiatives related to education, healthcare, and social welfare. His generosity knows no bounds, transcending geographical barriers to uplift lives on a global scale.

What sets Shiv Nadar apart as a philanthropist is not just the magnitude of his contributions but also the holistic approach he adopts. By addressing various facets of societal development, from education to healthcare and beyond, he creates a ripple effect that transforms entire communities. His initiatives not only offer immediate relief but also sow the seeds of lasting change, fostering self-reliance and resilience among those he touches.

In essence, Shiv Nadar's philanthropic journey is a testament to the transformative power of generosity and vision. Through his unwavering dedication to education, healthcare, and social causes, he has become a beacon of hope, illuminating the path toward a brighter and more equitable future for all.

As his initiatives continue to flourish and inspire, Shiv Nadar's legacy as a visionary philanthropist will undoubtedly endure, reminding the world of the immense impact one individual can have in shaping the destiny of nations and the lives of millions.



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A MAN ON A MISSION

From climate change to space exploration, Elon Musk is on a mission to make the planet a better place to live in

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The term “disruptive innovator” might carry a negative connotation, but in today’s tech-driven world, it’s a badge of honour coveted by many experts. Yet, only a handful truly embody the essence of disruptive innovation. Elon Musk, however, effortlessly fits the bill. His electric cars stand as a testament to genuine disruptive technology, compelling established players in the industry to adapt to his game-changing rules.

TOWARDS A BETTER PLANET

But Musk’s prowess doesn’t stop there. He wears numerous hats, including being the mastermind behind SpaceX, a company dedicated to designing and manufacturing

cutting-edge rockets with the audacious goal of terraforming Mars.

In a recent bold move, he acquired Twitter for a staggering 44 billion USD, not driven by profit but, in his own words, to transform it into a “common digital town square,” fostering healthy debates across a wide spectrum of beliefs.

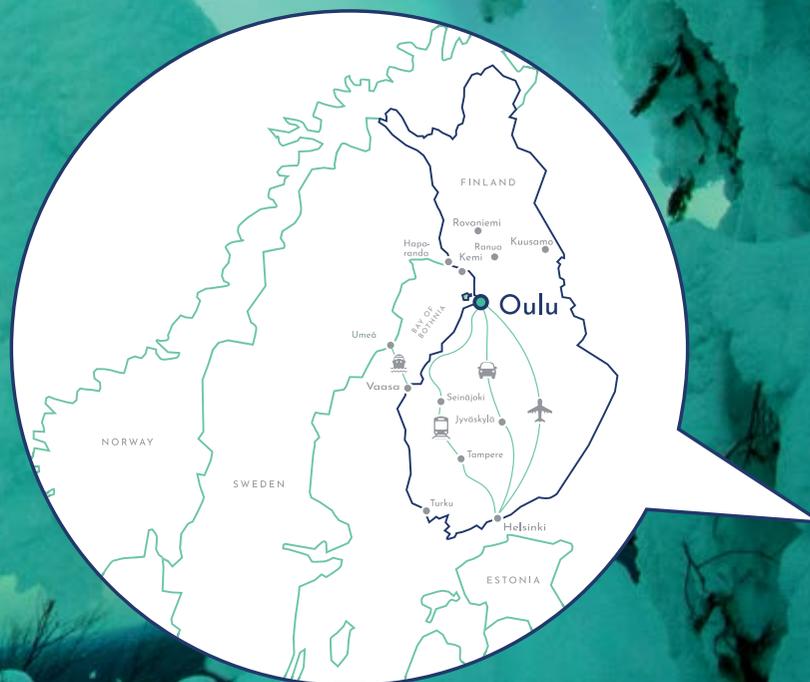
Musk’s path-breaking efforts are reflective of his vision to make this world (and perhaps other planets) better for mankind. To that extent, he has been working tirelessly, donating huge sums of money to various social causes.

Through various charitable initiatives, Musk has demonstrated his commitment to making the world a

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better place, addressing critical issues and supporting causes that align with his vision for the future.

CLEAN ENERGY & CLIMATE CHANGE

One of Musk's most significant charitable endeavours revolves around clean energy and climate change initiatives. As the CEO of Tesla, Musk has been a driving force behind the widespread adoption of electric vehicles. In a bid to combat climate change, he has made Tesla's patents open-source, encouraging other automakers to embrace sustainable technology.

Musk's dedication to clean energy solutions extends beyond electric cars; he has also pioneered advancements in solar energy through Tesla's Solar City subsidiary, making solar power more accessible to households and businesses worldwide. These initiatives not only reduce carbon emissions but also pave the way for a more sustainable future.

EMPOWERING FUTURE INNOVATORS

Elon Musk is a strong advocate for education and believes in nurturing the next generation of innovators. He has made significant donations to educational institutions, supporting programs that enhance learning opportunities in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) fields.

For instance, Musk donated \$15 million to the Musk Foundation, funding educational initiatives to provide solar power systems to schools in need.

By investing in education, Musk aims to empower young minds, ensuring they have the knowledge and skills to drive technological advancements and solve complex global challenges.

RESPONDING TO GLOBAL CRISES

In times of crisis, Musk has demonstrated his willingness to lend a helping hand. During the COVID-19 pandemic, when there was a shortage of ventilators, Musk directed Tesla's resources towards manufacturing and donating ventilators to hospitals in need.

Additionally, he facilitated the delivery of personal protective equipment (PPE) to healthcare facilities, aiding frontline workers in their battle against the virus. Musk's swift response showcased his commitment to supporting communities and healthcare professionals during challenging times.

ADVANCING THE FUTURE OF HUMANITY

Elon Musk's ambitious venture, SpaceX, is not just focused on space exploration; it also has a broader humanitarian goal. Musk envisions making humanity a multi-planetary species, ensuring the survival of the human race beyond Earth.



By reducing the cost of space travel and making it more accessible, SpaceX has opened up new possibilities for scientific research, colonization, and resource utilization on other planets.

Musk's dedication to space exploration not only fuels scientific advancements but also inspires future generations to dream big and reach for the stars.

Elon Musk's charitable initiatives reflect his commitment to creating a better world. Through his contributions to clean energy, education, humanitarian aid, and space exploration, Musk is shaping a future where technological innovation and compassion go hand in hand.

As he continues to push the boundaries of what is possible, Musk serves as a beacon of inspiration, reminding us all of the positive impact one visionary individual can make on the world.



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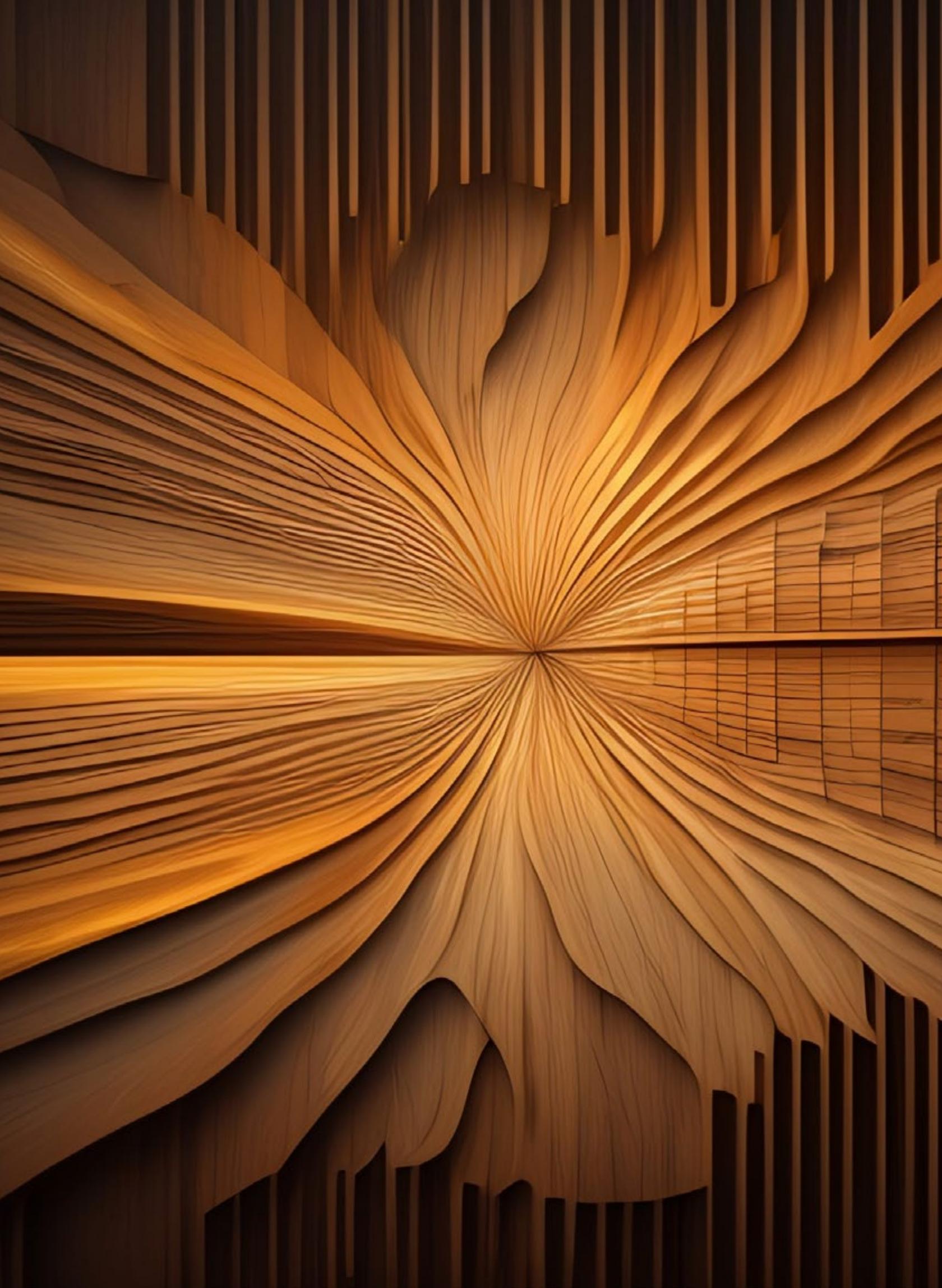
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A TREASURE TROVE OF UNMATCHED HOSPITALITY

Rooms with gorgeous views of Cubbon Park and UB City combine with impeccable service at JW Marriott Hotel Bengaluru

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Endowed with a welcoming climate, a lively and entrepreneurial youth culture, and a thriving cosmopolitan atmosphere, Bengaluru, the epicentre of the IT industry, has witnessed a remarkable increase in the number of travellers in recent years. For business travellers seeking accommodations in Bengaluru, the JW Marriott Hotel Bengaluru stands as the ultimate choice, seamlessly merging business convenience with unparalleled luxury.

Situated at the heart of this vibrant city, this esteemed hotel is more than just a place to lodge; it is a destination in itself, offering a realm of exquisite experiences, a diverse range of comfortable lodging options, and an enticing selection of dining experiences to ensure your satisfaction throughout your stay.

A HOTEL WITH A VIEW

Imagine waking up to the serene beauty of Cubbon Park - a sprawling 300-acre oasis, right outside your window. At JW Marriott Bengaluru, this dream becomes a reality. The hotel boasts 281 rooms and suites with panoramic views of Cubbon Park, creating a tranquil and picturesque backdrop

for your stay. You can choose from the hotel's wide variety of rooms that come in various configurations. From comfortable guestrooms to executive suites with lounge access, the hotel offers plush accommodation armed with modern-day amenities, customised bath products, complimentary Wi-Fi services and evening cocktails served under canopies.

A CULINARY JOURNEY THROUGH SIX PIT STOPS

Indulge your senses in a sensory journey through the hotel's six lifestyle dining experiences. From the internationally inspired delights at JW Kitchen to the exquisite Italian creations at ALBA, the hotel offers a diverse culinary palette to satisfy every palate.





The Merak Brewhouse



Ballroom - Banquet

Spice Terrace and The Merak Brewhouse invite you to savour regional Indian specialities and award-winning brews by the poolside. Here you can savour tempting appetizers to be washed down with chilled beer and enjoy lovingly prepared Indian fare with microbrews after a hectic day.

Bengaluru Baking Company tantalizes your taste buds with a fusion of traditional and modern culinary styles. UNO Izakaya adds a touch of Japanese flair to your dining experience with its upscale take on a Japanese Izakaya bar (an informal eating joint serving alcohol and snacks).

AWAKEN YOUR SOUL

At the JW Marriott Bengaluru, relaxation and well-being are given utmost priority. The hotel's in-house Spa by JW offers a range of rejuvenating treatments inspired by Indian, Western, and Asian therapies, ensuring that you leave feeling refreshed and revitalized. With a dedicated Wellness Floor, the hotel prioritises maintaining your mental and physical balance during your stay.

MEETINGS AND EVENTS REDEFINED

Whether you're hosting a corporate meeting or a grand celebration of your marriage anniversary, the JW Marriott Bengaluru's 24,000 square feet of unparalleled meeting and banquet spaces provide the perfect setting. The latest technology and impeccable service combine effortlessly to ensure your event is a resounding success. The hotel's attention to detail is reflected in the wide range of services offered to business guests. These include copy and fax



Lobby Lounge



Outdoor Wedding Venue

services, printout services, secretarial services, overnight pickup and delivery and much more.

FITNESS AND RECREATION

All work and no play makes one dull and the hotel imbibes this mantra through its fitness and recreation facilities. Maintain your fitness routine with the state-of-the-art techno fitness centre and an outdoor temperature-controlled swimming pool. After an invigorating workout, relax in the sauna, steam room, Jacuzzi, or the cross-fit studio at the spa.

THE JW TREATMENT

At JW Marriott Bengaluru, you can immerse yourself in the renowned Marriott hospitality that has earned global acclaim. The hotel's devoted team is unwaveringly committed to delivering an extraordinary experience, with personalized service and unwavering attention to detail that not only distinguishes it from the rest but also makes your stay truly special.

A SERENE GETAWAY TO PARADISE

Regal and intimate, Fairmont Jaipur is more than just a luxury destination; it's an escape to an other-worldly realm

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Fairmont Jaipur

Steeped in the culture of Rajputana and taking inspiration from the architectural marvels of the region, Fairmont Jaipur is nothing short of a blissful escape to paradise located amidst the serene embrace of nature. Born out of a desire to showcase Rajasthani culture at its best, Fairmont Jaipur offers a chance to travellers to immerse themselves into the vibrancy of Rajasthan along with the hotel's famed hospitality.

ESCAPE TO PARADISE

Nestled amidst the serene environs of the Aravalli hills just outside the Pink City, the retreat is more than just a getaway; it's a soul-soothing experience. Picture yourself waking up to the melodic symphony of birds, the gentle rustle of leaves, and the refreshing scent of blooming flowers. This is your sanctuary, where you can truly reconnect with yourself.

AN ARCHITECTURAL MARVEL

The hotel's architecture is a harmonious blend of Rajput, Kachhwaha of Amber, and Mughal influences. This hotel stands as a testament to the rich cultural tapestry of Rajasthan, offering opulent rooms and suites that seamlessly fuse traditional Rajasthani designs with contemporary amenities.

Adorned with exquisite frescos in hues of blue, gold, and crimson, the walls of Fairmont Jaipur are a canvas of artistic brilliance. These stunning frescos, meticulously crafted by local artisans, serve as a tribute to the exceptional craftsmanship of India. Each element, from the regal four-poster beds to the intricately camel bone inlaid furnishings, has been carefully curated to echo Mughal opulence.

As a guest, you can experience the allure of your private hammam, luxuriate in walk-in bathrooms featuring distinctive pink city stone bathtubs, and recline on Mughal-inspired low-



Fairmont Jaipur — Terrace Suite

seated daybeds. As you peer through subtle arched windows, be captivated by the panoramic vistas of the majestic Aravalli hills.

A LUXURIOUS EXPERIENCE

The hotel takes the business of leisure very seriously. Step into the Fairmont Gold Lounge and experience a realm of unparalleled luxury. Immerse yourself in a range of personalised services that can cater to your every need, ensuring a stay that is nothing short of extraordinary. The splendour of the lounge service extends to a truly private terrace, where you can revel in refreshments while engaging in intimate conversations with your companions. Here, amidst the serenity, you'll find the perfect backdrop for memorable moments.

GASTRONOMIC DELIGHTS

A range of gastronomic delights await gourmands at Fairmont Jaipur where one can sample both the earthiness of local flavours and the sophistication of international cuisine. Step into Zoya, an all-day dining haven where flavours from around the globe harmonise with a touch of Rajasthani grandeur. The menu boasts a tantalising array of international cuisines, complemented by a dedicated Rajasthani section that pays homage to royal traditions.

Indulge in the local essence of Fairmont's renowned afternoon tea tradition at the Anjum Lobby Lounge. Here, the ritual of tea takes on a delightful local twist, inviting you to savour aromatic select blends and delightful treats in an ambiance that exudes warmth and elegance. For aficionados of the finer things in life, Cigar Diwan awaits with an unparalleled selection of India's finest Cubans.

EXPLORE THE LOCALITY

The magnificence of Fairmont Jaipur is not merely limited to leisure; adventure and sports are also equally important. The concierge of the hotel offers a wide range of experiences that posit Rajasthan as the main attraction. It has a number of itineraries planned for you - hot air balloon rides, Aravalli hill climbs, elephant rides, afternoon picnics, walking tours



Fairmont Jaipur — Chaupar Pool

in nearby villages, guided tours of the city's most popular attractions, just to name a few. Tinger, the kids' club, is an area dedicated to entertaining children and is filled with colourful goodies and traditional board games.

The hotel's spa, Ruhab, is a haven dedicated to nurturing your inner harmony and enhancing your sense of well-being. Immerse yourself in the lavish embrace of this place where every detail has been meticulously curated to provide you with the ultimate pampering experience.

ATTENTION TO DETAILS

The hotel maintains high cleanliness standards, ensuring clean and well-maintained rooms. It offers high-speed internet access, 24/7 reception, and concierge services for guest inquiries and travel arrangements. Guests can enjoy in-room dining with a diverse menu for breakfast or late-night snacks, providing convenience during their stay. Needless to say, at Fairmont Jaipur, the hotel's dedication to crafting unforgettable moments goes beyond mere accommodation, activities, and dining.

It's the genuine warmth and flawless hospitality of the staff, the awe-inspiring views of hills stretching across the horizon, and the meticulous attention given to every nuance that combine to make your stay more than just a visit. It becomes a tapestry of cherished stories and enduring experiences.



Storii Shanti Morada, Saligao, Goa

WEAVING MAGICAL STORIES

Curated experiences steeped in local cultures make a stay at Storii by ITC Hotels a memorable one

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Storii by ITC Hotels is a collection of enchanting boutique resort properties that promise a bespoke experience, transforming each stay into a narrative of its own. These distinctive havens redefine the art of unwinding, ensuring that whether you seek a romantic retreat amidst lush forests, a rejuvenating wellness weekend, or simply a joyous gathering with friends and family, Storii has the perfect setting to delight your senses.

Storii by ITC Hotels is on a mission to span the length and breadth of India, introducing a novel approach to relaxation—one that harmonizes leisure with tailor-made offerings, ensuring that no two stays are alike.

STORII SHANTI MORADA, GOA

In the heart of Saligao, Goa, lies Storii Shanti Morada—an 18th-century villa brimming with stories eager to be shared. Step into heritage hallways that merge Portuguese and Indian cultures, creating an old-world charm. The property, adorned with a Neo-Gothic church and surrounded by open paddy fields, invites guests into 20 intimate rooms opening onto a crystal-blue pool—an immersive sanctuary.

Enhance your experience with a private picnic in the Mandala Gardens, where the vibrant flora hosts countless bird species. Explore the Neo-Gothic Mae De Deus Church, a marvel of breathtaking architecture surrounded by palm



Storii Amoha Retreat Outdoor

trees. Dive into a culinary adventure with a Masterclass by the Executive Chef, a bucket-list experience involving local markets, produce selection, and hands-on cooking with the chef and culinary brigade.

STORII AMOHA RETREAT, DHARAMSHALA

Nestled in the scenic Dhauladhar hills, Storii Amoha Retreat is a haven for mountain aficionados. Surrounded by sparkling water bodies, the Kangra Valley's beauty, and formidable hills, this retreat centres on a majestic 100-year-old Banyan tree, symbolizing longevity, life, and protection. Embrace 'farm to fork' cuisine, hike nature trails, and find spiritual solace at the Dalai Lama Temple Complex, just an hour away.

Elevate your stay with the 'Close To Nature Breakfast'—a personalised picnic with scrumptious meals and panoramic views. Engage your creative side with a painting session by the Banyan tree or participate in gardening, where planting a sapling becomes a cherished memory captured in a Storii frame.

STORII MOIRA RIVIERA, GOA

Experience the susegad (literary meaning relaxing) life at Storii Moira Riviera, Goa. This chic property celebrates the convergence of Goan and Mediterranean architecture, offering panoramic views of Moira village and the



Storii Shanti Morada, Goa

backwaters of Moira River. Wake up to bird songs, revel in the tranquillity, explore North Goa's by-lanes, and relish the simplicity of golden sunsets.

Stay in one of the 15 premium villas overlooking verdant forests, equipped with private dip-pools and sweeping horizon views. Enjoy a leisurely day by the pool, stroll through charming Moira village, savour local delicacies, or embark on boat rides along the Moira River.

EXQUISITE OFFERINGS ACROSS STORII PROPERTIES

Storii by ITC Hotels goes the extra mile to elevate your getaway with unique offerings. From round-the-clock breakfast (Storii ATM) to a geography-inspired welcome drink (Storii in a bottle), from an assortment of local delicacies served in a brass tiffin box (Storii in a box) to engaging high-tea or evening cocktails at Ketli and Kahaani, Storii ensures unforgettable memories. Immerse yourself in the regional culture with Tales and Trails, ITC Hotels' heart-warming endeavour to introduce guests to nearby villages and immersive experiences.

The bespoke experiences, the scenic locales and the legendary ITC hospitality characterised by an attention to details together make Storii worth the exploration for a magical trip filled with fond memories and warm feelings.



Storii By ITC Hotels, Moira Riviera, Goa

WHERE LUXURY MEETS TRADITION

Experience Timeless Elegance at The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore: Where Luxury Meets Tradition

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If Bangalore is the capital of innovation and entrepreneurship, its crowning jewel for the new-age jetsetters is surely The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore. Prepare to be enchanted as you step into the world of this luxurious property - a sanctuary where unmatched grandeur and sophistication await discerning travellers.

Nestled in the heart of the vibrant city, this iconic hotel beckons with regal charm seamlessly intertwined with contemporary luxury, setting the bar higher for the world of hospitality. With a staggering 277 of the city's most opulent rooms adorned with over 1,200 carefully curated art pieces, and an enchanting jaali-themed décor inspired by the

majestic traditions of Indian architecture, The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore exudes an aura of timeless elegance accentuated by royal touches. Its central location also epitomizes the perfect fusion of comfort, style, and convenience.

INDULGE IN UNPARALLELED LUXURY

Indulgence knows no bounds at the lavish 17,000-sq.-ft. wellness floor, a veritable paradise boasting a spa suite, heated vitality pools, relaxation rooms, a salon, and a temperature-controlled outdoor pool.

The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore's spa is nothing short of a rejuvenation sanctuary, where both business and leisure travellers can escape the urban hustle and find serenity and relaxation. Expert masseuses elevate the experience with the signature Jaali Embrace massage - a four-hand bespoke spa experience using ancient healing techniques with modern-day luxury, which is the epitome of the hotel's commitment to providing unparalleled pampering that caters to both body and soul.

A CULINARY SYMPHONY AWAITS

Gourmands rejoice as The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore brings you an array of tantalizing cuisines across 7 award-winning dining destinations.

Riwaz transports you to the heartland of North-Western India, where spices and flavours dance in harmony to create a sensory delight. Meanwhile, The Lantern, with its authentic Cantonese cuisine, invites you on a culinary journey across the vast and diverse landscape of China. Adding a contemporary twist to the culinary landscape is IZU, the hotel's newest addition, showcasing the artistry of the Master Chef, who skilfully blends Japanese and Peruvian flavours into delicious culinary delights.

The Market, a global all-day dining restaurant, offers a Sunday brunch that's nothing short of a gastronomic adventure. The diverse spread of international cuisines ensures there's something to please every palate. As the sun sets, BANG, the hotel's rooftop bar, provide the perfect watering hole to unwind, offering the best panoramic views paired with expertly crafted cocktails.



The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore



The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore—Panorama Suite Bedroom

CREATING EXTRAORDINARY MEMORIES

The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore specializes in curating special events that transform ordinary moments into extraordinary memories to be cherished forever. Whether you're planning a fairy-tale wedding or a high-stakes corporate gala, the hotel's luxurious venues offer everything you need. Their dedicated wedding and events team's attention to detail goes beyond the venue.

The grand Ballroom exudes opulence and sets the stage for the most extravagant affairs, while the charming lawns provide a picturesque setting for outdoor celebrations. Each space stands as a testament to the hotel's commitment to creating dreamlike experiences.

ENRICHING EXPERIENCES FOR KIDS

For families seeking a luxurious escape with their little ones, The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore offers the Ritz Kids programme. This initiative is designed to engage and entertain young travellers, providing them with a memorable stay. Ritz Kids invites children to embark on a journey of discovery through a range of activities, starting from interactive storytelling sessions to creative arts and crafts, ensuring that young guests have as enriching an experience as their parents. The dedicated staff ensures that children are not just looked after but also inspired and encouraged to explore their imaginations.

AN ARTISTIC JOURNEY

No discussion on The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore would be complete without the hotel's astounding support to art. It offers an immersive Art Walk experience that allows guests to appreciate the hotel's extensive art collection.

This guided tour takes guests on a captivating journey through the hotel's corridors and public spaces, providing insights into the curated art pieces that adorn the property. It's a delightful opportunity for art enthusiasts to explore the rich tapestry of Indian and contemporary art while staying at this luxurious haven.



The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore—The Market

SHOWCASING CULTURAL RICHES

As the sun bids adieu, experience the captivating Mashaal-lighting ceremony, accompanied by the mesmerizing Yakshagana, a traditional theatre dance form, immersing guests in Karnataka's cultural heritage. The lighting ceremony is a symbol of the hotel's dedication to providing not only opulent accommodations but also a rich cultural experience that pays homage to the region's traditions.

A DESTINATION FOR EVERYONE

The hotel's commitment to providing exceptional experiences extends to guests of all ages, making it an ideal destination for families and solo travellers alike. As part of the Marriott Group and the Marriott Bonvoy program, it enables you to enjoy reward points and get incentivised for your stay.

Whether you're indulging in the spa, savouring exquisite cuisine, or immersing yourself in the culture and art of the region, The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore is a sanctuary of cherished memories and a true embodiment of elegance and opulence.

A SANCTUARY OF PERFECTION

Vibrancy and luxury go hand in hand at the legendary Renaissance Bengaluru Race Course Hotel

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In the heart of Bangalore's bustling Central Business District, where the vibrant energy of this entrepreneurial city meets the tranquillity and beauty of green spaces, lies the Renaissance Bengaluru Race Course Hotel.

Nestled a mere 500 meters from the legendary Bangalore Turf Club, this elegant haven redefines hospitality, catering to the adventurous spirit of travellers, the discerning tastes of gourmands, and the desire for relaxation and rejuvenation of tired souls.

OPULENT ACCOMMODATIONS

With 276 tastefully-appointed rooms and suites, each adorned with premium amenities and plush bedding, guests are treated to a luxurious retreat at Renaissance Bengaluru. Wake up to panoramic views of the city skyline or the picturesque Bengaluru Turf Club race course.

For a truly exclusive experience, indulge in rooms with private terraces or balconies, offering an intimate connection with the vibrant soul of Bangalore. Executive Lounge access ensures all-day indulgence with complimentary teas, coffees, and canapés.

CULINARY DELIGHTS

The hotel offers a range of dining destinations to cater to every discerning taste bud. Here are a few options to choose from:

Lush : An all-day dining haven, Lush offers a culinary journey that tantalizes the taste buds. The menu, curated by master chefs, blends locally sourced ingredients and indigenous delights, promising a burst of flavours. Sunday brunches are a spectacle of global delicacies and specially crafted beverages, set amidst live music and engaging activities for the little ones.

R Bar : This equestrian-themed resto-bar combines eclectic flavours with stylish décor, offering classic drinks and



Large Room With Race Course View



Terrace Room - Breakfast SetUp With Guest

innovative concoctions like the Bloody Rasam (a quirky take on Bloody Mary). Craft beers, fine wines, and appetizing fare complete the experience, making R Bar the perfect destination to unwind after a day's exploration.

Cinnamon : Indulge your sweet tooth at Cinnamon, a gourmet snack bar that entices guests with freshly baked bread, homemade gelato waff-wiches, and hand-rolled chocolates. Iconic beverages and delectable pastries, including the flavoursome Mandya Mutton puff, pay homage to Bangalore's rich culinary heritage.



Lush All Day Dining - Live Kitchen

Marriott On Wheels : The exceptional flavours of city come to life thanks to Marriott on Wheels – a food delivery service from a list of select restaurants in the city that abide by international safety standards.

REJUVENATION AND RECREATION

Swimming Pool : Escape the city's hustle and bustle at the rooftop pool, enveloped in tranquillity. Dive in, relax, and rejuvenate amidst plush pool chairs and breathtaking views of the city, accompanied by the cool breeze that whispers of relaxation.

Fitness Centre : Stay active at one of Bangalore's largest fitness centres, boasting state-of-the-art equipment and refreshing views of lush greenery. From cardio machines to free weights, the Fitness Centre ensures you never miss a workout, providing the perfect balance between health and leisure.

Shea Spa : Indulge in the ultimate pampering experience at the on-site Shea Spa, where skilled therapists offer a range of curated treatments. From couples' massages to salon services like manicures and pedicures, the spa promises a blissful escape, leaving you refreshed and revitalized.

MEETINGS & CONFERENCES

With 11 meeting rooms, and 15,551 square feet of event space, Renaissance Bengaluru offers the perfect space to hold your business events and conduct your nuptials.

With customised catering services, interesting break out spaces and a host of attractive wedding packages, social events are elevated to a whole new level at Renaissance Bengaluru.



Hotel Lawns - Wedding Setup



Lush - Alfresco Cabanas

In short, The Renaissance Bengaluru Race Course Hotel indeed transcends the ordinary, offering a harmonious blend of luxury, gastronomy, and wellness. It's not just a hotel; it's a sanctuary where every moment is crafted to perfection.

Whether you're exploring the vibrant city or seeking a tranquil retreat, this exceptional hotel promises an experience that lingers on, inviting you to return to the heart of this fabulous place.

A NEW LEVEL OF LUXURY LIVING

Mindful luxury meets cutting-edge contemporary sophistication at JW Marriott Mumbai Sahar

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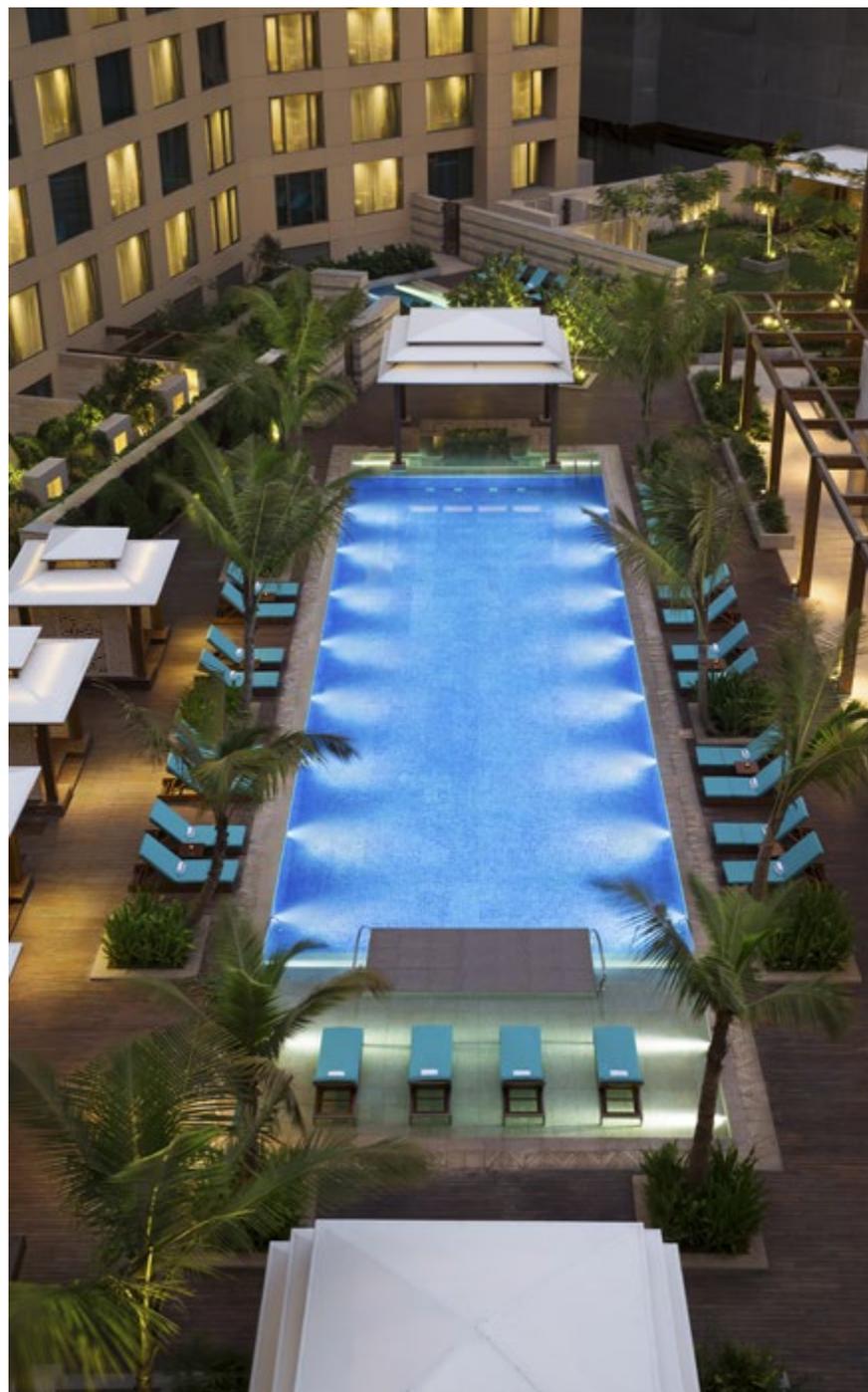
Located at the heart of Mumbai, just minutes away from the domestic and international airports, JW Marriott Mumbai Sahar stands the epitome of contemporary sophistication and elegance, beckoning both business and leisure travellers with its impeccable services, a host of exciting stay packages and a range of delectable dining options.

With a commitment to providing unparalleled luxury and creating memorable moments, this exquisite hotel invites guests into a world of opulence and well-being. Whether you are looking for a fun-filled family adventure or a quick business trip, this is an all-in-one bleisure paradise that will leave you asking for more.

ROOMS THAT CRY LUXURY

Boasting 588 lavishly appointed rooms and suites, JW Marriott Mumbai Sahar offers a sanctuary of comfort and indulgence. Each meticulously designed room features soothing neutral colour palettes, lattice-work sliding doors, plush wooden flooring, and a cosy workspace, thereby ensuring a serene atmosphere for both work and relaxation. For those seeking out-of-the-world exclusive hospitality can try out the Concierge Rooms and Suites that offer spacious accommodations, opulent furnishings, and exclusive access to the picturesque Executive Lounge.

The hotel's emphasis on multi-generational travel is evident in its signature rituals and spaces that bring friends, colleagues, and family together. The Executive and Crew lounges, designed for togetherness and equipped with cutting-edge technologies, offer breathtaking sunset views of the Maximum City and a delectable array of culinary delights that you can enjoy while soaking in the sights and sounds.



Pool — JW Marriott Mumbai Sahar

BASK IN THE GLOW OF WELLNESS

In the pursuit of balance and mindfulness, JW Marriott Mumbai Sahar offers a tropical poolside oasis where guests can unwind, bask in the sun, and rejuvenate. The crystal-clear azure blue pool, lined with cosy cabanas, provides the perfect setting for enjoying moments of peace. Additionally, the thoughtfully designed Fitness Center, filled with state-of-the-art circuit machines and weights, allows travellers to maintain their fitness regimen, ensuring they stay on track with their health and fitness goals despite a gruelling work schedule.

For a truly rejuvenating experience, head over to Spa by JW, which offers a haven of tranquillity, through its range of pampering services. Indulge in signature body treatments that leave you feeling nourished and revitalized, providing the perfect escape after a demanding day.

At JW Marriott Mumbai Sahar, every detail is crafted to bring you closer to nature. The JW Serene Space, known as "Home Sweet Hammock," offers a tranquil oasis amidst lush surroundings, allowing guests to reconnect with their surroundings and find solace. The in-house herb garden, the JW Garden, supports sustainable sourcing of ingredients for a multisensory dining experience.

EAT TO YOUR HEART'S CONTENT

The culinary offerings at JW Marriott Mumbai Sahar are a decadent blend of the vibrant local culture and rich gastronomic traditions of Mumbai. Romano's, the esteemed Italian speciality restaurant of the hotel, will transport diners to the sun-kissed shores of the Mediterranean with its rustic, authentic Italian fare.

JW Café, a melting pot of global cuisines, takes guests on a journey around the world with its diverse menu featuring Continental, Asian, and classic Indian dishes. It is here that every Sunday, you can enjoy their famous Sunday Brunch, which features a lavish buffet spread, live music and some of the finest beverages. AUTM - JW Lounge, a charming lounge bar, offers fine teas sourced from around the globe during the day and transforms into a lively bar with signature cocktails and carefully crafted liquor concoctions at night.

A VENUE FOR EVERY OCCASION

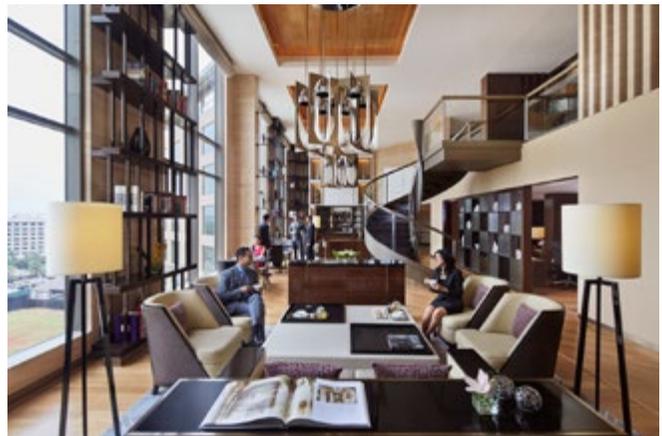
Whether you're commemorating a significant milestone, orchestrating a grand wedding affair, or convening for a corporate event, JW Marriott Mumbai Sahar provides meticulously customised spaces that harmonize individual preferences and event requirements. The venues, both indoors and outdoors, offer a seamless fusion of aesthetics, genuine hospitality, and top-tier audio-visual facilities, ensuring that every event hosted is exceptional and unforgettable.

GREEN GOODNESS

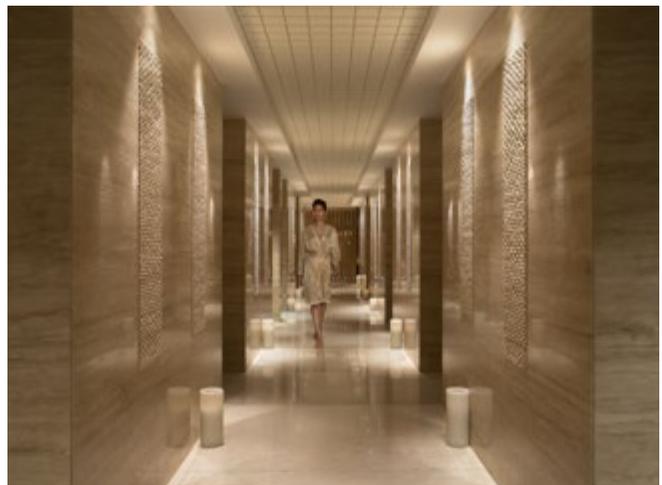
Sustainability lies at the heart of JW Marriott Mumbai Sahar's endeavours. The hotel has introduced Electric Vehicle (EV)



JW Cafe



Executive Lounge



Spa By JW

charging stations within its premises, encouraging guests to embrace eco-conscious practices. The H2OPE initiative signifies the hotel's commitment to a greener tomorrow by eliminating single-use plastic bottles and introducing reusable glass water bottles filled with treated and ozonized water.

At JW Marriott Mumbai Sahar, you can truly experience a holistic experience, steeped in mindful practices and luxury vibes that take your ordinary business trip to a whole new level of elevated living.

A BLISSFUL BACKWATER EXPERIENCE

Refined elegance matches in equal measure with unmatched hospitality at the enchanting Crowne Plaza Kochi

TT BUREAU

In the heart of God's own country, where emerald landscapes stretch as far as the eye can see and the air is perfumed with the fragrance of blooming flowers, lies a haven of unparalleled luxury and enchantment: Crowne Plaza Kochi. This majestic oasis, cradled by the ethereal embrace of Vembanad Lake, beckons travellers into a realm where curated experiences weave a tapestry of blissful memories.

ELEGANT ACCOMMODATION

Step into a realm of unparalleled comfort at any one of the hotel's 269 spacious rooms and suites. The rooms offer ergonomic workstations, 40-inch LED TVs, iHOME to connect any multimedia and a host of other complimentary amenities that are sure to make your stay truly memorable.

BUSINESS WITH PLEASURE

Crowne Plaza Kochi believes in the art of pampering. Their services exceed expectation, offering you a fully equipped business centre, 24-hour in-room dining, and rejuvenating spa and salon treatments.

GASTRONOMIC DELIGHTS

The hotel invites you to undertake a delightful gastronomic journey that blends fresh local produce, regional flavours and international culinary practices at our award winning restaurants. You can savour delectable cuisine at Aroma, the 24-hour deli, or indulge in a diverse buffet at Mosaic.

For a unique experience, head to SkyGrill, the rooftop fusion tapas lounge, or explore Asian cuisine at Zoka, the Progressive Pan Asian restaurant.



Hotel Exterior View



Luxurious Rooms

THE ULTIMATE EVENT VENUE

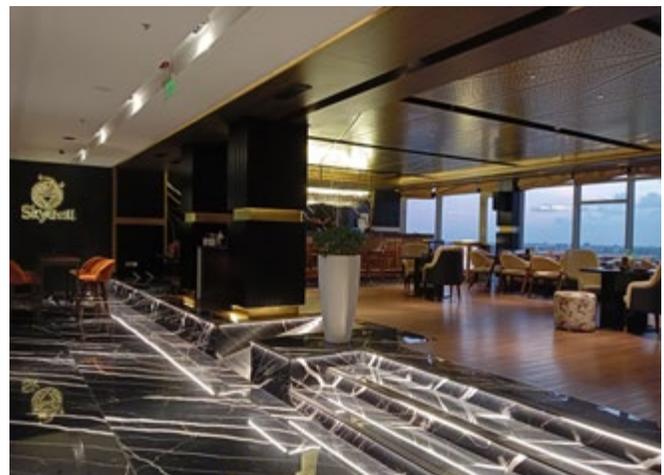
From corporate meetings to social gatherings, the hotel serves as a premier event destination as well. The fully equipped meeting rooms featuring state-of-the-art audio-visual technology are perfect for hosting business summits and conferences. The grand 15,000-square-foot Backwater Pavilion, set against a tranquil waterfront backdrop, can accommodate up to 2,000 guests at a time.

EXPLORE KOCHI

Whether you are in for a short business trip for or a more leisurely holiday, you cannot miss iconic destinations like the 17th-century Portuguese fort, the Museum of Kerala featuring over 200 paintings, local beaches like those of Cherai and Marari, and the Jewish Synagogue in the old town.

FABULOUS OFFERS

Both business and leisure travellers can enjoy a plethora of benefits while using the IHG One Rewards programme. It is the loyalty program of InterContinental Hotels Group that unlocks a world of benefits. Earn reward points that can be easily be redeemed for hotel reward nights, transferred to airlines, and more. Begin your unforgettable journey through the enchanting backwaters of Kerala with the signature hospitality of Crowne Plaza Kochi. Immerse yourself in the timeless beauty of this magical land and explore it at your own pace.



Fine Dining Restaurants



Sumptuous Food

A SYMPHONY OF ELEGANCE AND TRANQUILLITY

Novotel Visakhapatnam Varun Beach, a harmonious blend of comfort and leisurely vibes, is perfect for sunbathers

TT BUREAU

Visakhapatnam – one of the largest cities of Andhra Pradesh – is famous for its gorgeous beaches, verdant mountains and languid vibes. In this picturesque setting, nestled along the pristine shores of the Bay of Bengal, lies Novotel Visakhapatnam Varun Beach - a true gem of a resort that showcases the best that this bustling beach town has to offer.

This lavish 5-star beachfront hotel invites discerning travellers to indulge in a world of elegance and serenity, where every moment is a symphony of luxury. Plush rooms equipped with contemporary conveniences, dining destinations serving the best of Indian and international cuisines, and an unmatched hospitality beckon travellers year-round.

THE CYNOSURE OF THE CITYSCAPE

The property is conveniently located near the city railway station, the iconic Rushikonda Beach, Vizag Port, and all the major hospitals. The famous Submarine Museum is within walking distance. Its central location allows easy access from industrial and business areas, making it a strategic choice. Situated within a complex featuring an INOX multiplex, night club, and mall, Novotel Visakhapatnam Varun Beach stands out as one of the few hotels in the city that is close to the beach.

A COASTAL OASIS OF REFINED ELEGANCE

Novotel Visakhapatnam Varun Beach is an architectural marvel, which seamlessly blending contemporary design with the



Lobby



Red Bowl – Pan Asian Restaurant



Harbour Vue

natural beauty of the coastline. Each room offers panoramic views of the boundless ocean, allowing guests to lose themselves in the mesmerizing vistas of azure waters meeting endless skies. Choose from a selection of Superior and Premier Rooms that come with high-speed internet, 43' UHD TV sets, in-room safe and a comfortable work stations so that you can catch up with your work even while you are vacationing.

A CULINARY JOURNEY BY THE SEA

Indulge in a delectable Indian and Western buffet breakfast at The Square, an al-fresco dining experience that tantalizes taste buds. Overlooking the bay, this restaurant offers an extensive variety of local and international cuisine. Indulge in a sumptuous morning buffet breakfast or sample the best of regional and continental fare for dinner. Zaffran, the fine-dining haven, promises an unparalleled gastronomic experience with succulent kebabs and biryani, all enjoyed amidst the enigmatic view of the Bay of Bengal.

Red Bowl, another extraordinary dining destination, transports diners on a delectable voyage through eclectic fusion cuisine. Its inviting ambiance, adorned with beguiling cane lanterns, creates a warm cocoon, inviting guests to surrender to indulgence.

Whether you crave a sensory pilgrimage through the vibrant cuisines of Asia or simply seek relaxation, Red Bowl exceeds every expectation, promising an unforgettable dining sojourn. Sugarr offers an enviable selection of baked goodies, tea, coffee, desserts and sandwiches for those moments when you are feeling a little peckish.

A VENUE FOR MEMORIES

Beyond its enchanting seafront location, Novotel Visakhapatnam Varun Beach caters to leisure travellers, business aficionados, and couples seeking an idyllic wedding destination.

With its central location, it offers easy access to the city's bustling railway station, Rushikonda Beach, and major hospitals. This luxurious haven promises fantastic celebrations and unforgettable experiences, where every detail is meticulously curated against the backdrop of the azure sea.



Room



Well - Equipped Gym

LEISURE LAND

The hotel makes sure that you never miss out on your workout while vacationing. As such, the fully equipped fitness centre comes with the latest cardio and strength-training machines, a Jacuzzi to relax the sore muscles and a helpful team of fitness trainers guiding you with your postures. The hotel also offers indoor and overflowing pools for its patrons.

TIMELESS ELEGANCE AND PURE BLISS

Novotel Visakhapatnam Varun Beach transcends the definition of a hotel. It's a retreat where every detail is designed to cocoon you in luxury, where every moment is an experience to savour.

This 5-star seafront paradise invites you to embark on a journey of indulgence and tranquillity, promising that your sojourn here will be etched in your memory as a chapter of timeless elegance and pure bliss.

AN OASIS OF SPLENDID COMFORT

For jet-setters traveling in and out of Mumbai, Radisson Blu Mumbai International Airport is the perfect destination to recharge

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Radisson Blu Mumbai International Airport Hotel Lobby

For the new-age traveller seeking an oasis of luxury and convenience, the Radisson Blu Mumbai International Airport is nothing short of a beacon of heart-warming hospitality. Strategically located at a stone's throw distance from the bustling Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport, Mumbai, this upscale establishment combines comfort and convenience that checks all the boxes for high fliers.

Nestled in the thriving corporate districts of the Bandra Kurla Complex (BKC) and MIDC, it effortlessly caters to both business and leisure travellers.

WORK-FRIENDLY ACCOMMODATION

From the moment you step into the Radisson Blu, a warm embrace of hospitality envelops you. The hotel boasts 203 modern and lavishly appointed rooms and suites, meticulously designed to cater to the tastes of the discerning contemporary traveller.

Spanning an impressive 340 square feet, these rooms are the largest in the Mumbai Metropolitan area, ensuring ample space for relaxation and productivity. Complimentary Wi-Fi facilities, ergonomically designed workstations, and universal power adapters keep business travellers seamlessly connected and productive throughout their stay. From workcations to business trips – Radisson Blu ensures that your hotel room doubles up as your office as well.

COMPREHENSIVE MICE FACILITIES

A business hotel's true test lies in the MICE facilities it offers and even in this area, Radisson Blu does not disappoint. This splendid hotel offers comprehensive corporate and MICE facilities within its vicinity. The carefully designed venue includes a sprawling lawn area, providing an idyllic backdrop for outdoor meetings, team-building activities, or a refreshing break during conferences. A sophisticated



Nest - Meeting Room



Superior Room



Mansion

banquet hall is well-equipped to host an array of corporate events, from prestigious conferences to glamorous gala dinners and memorable award ceremonies.

Beyond business, the hotel is a sought-after choice for conducting nuptials, where a dedicated team creates magical moments in a setting exuding luxury and romance. Whatever may be the occasion, this hotel seamlessly blends sophistication and versatility to ensure an unforgettable experience for all attendees.

RELAX, REJUVENATE, REPEAT

The hotel goes the extra mile to enrich guests' experiences through an array of pampering services and facilities. From a state-of-the-art fitness centre to a tranquil and revitalizing spa, guests have the perfect opportunity to unwind and recharge after a day of exploration or business engagements. The crowning jewel is the panoramic rooftop infinity pool, offering breath-taking city views—an ideal backdrop for relaxation and contemplation. This is the perfect spot to enjoy a drink or two while enjoying the vista of the sprawling city.

CULINARY DELIGHTS

Culinary enthusiasts are in for a treat at the Radisson Blu Mumbai International Airport, with an array of dining options catering to diverse palates. Fiona, the hotel's all-day dining restaurant, entices guests with a Super Breakfast buffet each morning, followed by an array of Indian and international specialties throughout the day.

Roasters, the specialty coffee and crepe lounge, beckons with an assortment of delectable sweet and savoury options. For those who prefer the comfort of their room, 24-hour room service ensures that guests can savour gourmet delights in the privacy of their own space.

The property also hosts the best of Sunday Brunches in Mumbai. "The Brunch Club," launched by Radisson Blu Mumbai International Airport, is a unique offering that not only showcases the culinary delights of the property but also delivers a holistic entertainment experience to all visitors.

This platform, which started recently, has become a leading destination for spending lazy Sundays. It offers a novel coffee experience, a platform for creators across music and art, pop-ups by local brands, including India's first local wine brand led by a woman. The Sunday Brunch Club has something for everyone - from a salad bar to a dessert spread and a variety of Indian, continental, and Asian options.

EXPLORING MUMBAI'S TREASURES

The hotel's strategic location further enhances the guest experience by providing convenient access to Mumbai's top attractions.

From the sun-kissed shores of Juhu Beach to the thrilling adventures of Essel World theme park, guests can immerse themselves in the vibrant tapestry of Mumbai's cultural offerings. Iconic landmarks such as the Gateway of India, the Film City and the recently opened Nita Ambani Cultural Centre await exploration, ensuring that no adventure is too far away.

A HAVEN OF EXCELLENCE

The Radisson Blu Mumbai International Airport indeed encapsulates the epitome of comfort, convenience, and unmatched service. With its contemporary accommodations, an extensive array of amenities, and an enviable location, the hotel caters to the myriad needs of modern travellers, whether they are on a business journey or seeking a leisurely escape.

Whether guests are embarking on a business journey or seeking a leisurely escape, the hotel stands as an epitome of excellence, ready to fulfil every need and desire.

AN INTIMATE ESCAPE

For those seeking to escape urban madness, Radisson Blu Resort & Spa, Alibaug offers the perfect idyllic setting

TT BUREAU

Adorned by a dazzling coastline, dotted with swaying palms & beautiful villas, Alibaug offers you the liberating feeling of being away from the chaos of the city. The full beauty of this beach town comes to life at Radisson Blu Resort and Spa – a serene resort getaway that welcomes guests seeking a few days of peace and quiet.

Located on the banks of the Vaishvi Lake with the Sahayadri Mountains at the background, the hotel offers the perfect idyllic setting to calm your frayed nerves and welcome you with its gorgeous embrace.

A TOUCH OF THAI BALINESE INFLUENCE

The resort seamlessly blends enchanting Sri Lankan-inspired architecture with breathtaking rustic features. This luxurious 16-acre retreat boasts 156 exquisite accommodations. These opulent abodes, characterized by a rich colour palette and equipped with every modern convenience, epitomize stylish living at its best. Each room comes with free Wi-Fi facilities and the best in room facilities that you can expect at some of the best five star resorts. Mirror-casting TV sets so that you can keep an eye on your little ones as you pamper yourself with a massage or a stroll across the property.

For luxury, one should opt for the Presidential Suite, which comes with all modern creature comforts and some amazing views of the Sahayadri Mountains.

DINE AND BE MERRY

Gourmet enthusiasts are in for a treat at the resort's dining venues. Aparanta, the all-day dining restaurant, offers a



Piano Lounge

lavish buffet spread, featuring International favourites and Indian delicacies, spanning Oriental to Mediterranean cuisines.

Meanwhile, the award-winning Kokum and Spice specialty restaurant tempts with the freshest seafood and authentic coastal fare, infused with secret ingredients and forgotten recipes from the kitchens of Raigad, Ratnagiri, Karwar, Mangalore, and Goa. Conclude your evening with a fine single malt whiskey and cigar at the Lounge Bar or savour a grand finale at the Piano Bar.

MIND, BODY & SOUL

Discover indulgence at the hotel — Immerse yourself in a world of wellness as you pamper your body and mind with a diverse array of treatments and therapies.

Additionally, the hotel offers a modern, well-equipped gymnasium, ensuring you never miss a workout session during your stay. For those seeking aquatic vigour, the hotel's Olympic-sized outdoor pool awaits, inviting you to revel in an energetic swim under the open sky.



Swimming Pool



Aparanta



Top Suite

RADISSON MEANS BUSINESS

The Radisson Blu Resort & Spa, Alibaug offers an expansive event space, spanning a combined 25,000 square feet, which includes both indoors and outdoors, ideal for professional events, weddings, and social gatherings.

The meeting rooms come equipped with advanced temperature and light control systems, and other exclusive features, such as cutting-edge audio-visual technology, printing services.

Explore the hotel's enticing range of meeting packages and exceptional wedding offerings designed to elevate your events. A dedicated team is available 24x7 to assist you with every detail of your event, from crafting customized menus to arranging accommodations for your guests.

NEARBY ATTRACTIONS

The resort is perfectly positioned to offer you a treasure trove of experiences – be it seeking blessings at the Kankeshwar Temple or admiring the ruins of the Kolaba Fort. The city's coastal climate is a magnet for birds, which travel to the tropics every year in search of a warmer climate. You can admire your winged friends with colourful plumage either at the Karnala Bird Sanctuary or the Phansad Wildlife Sanctuary. If soaking up the sun is what you seek, the shimmering beaches of Varsoli, Alibaug and Nagaon are the perfect destinations for an afternoon on relaxation and rejuvenation. In short, Radisson Blu Resort & Spa is undoubtedly your go-to destination for a relaxing vacation to enjoy the small pleasures of life.



The Great Kabab Factory

THE EPITOME OF ELEGANCE

The recently renovated Radisson Blu Hotel GRT Chennai has set the bar high for hotels catering to business travellers

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Nestled just moments away from the bustling Chennai International Airport, the Radisson Blu Hotel GRT Chennai stands as a modern business hotel that seamlessly combines traditional elegance with contemporary vibes. This lavish retreat offers not just a stay, but a wholesome experience in itself, blending hospitality with the vibrant spirit of Chennai.

From complimentary airport transfers that ensure a smooth arrival to its strategic location in the heart of the city's commercial enclave to a complimentary Wi-Fi facility that helps you stay connected to your business, this hotel leaves no stone unturned to make your stay a memorable one.

Travellers to the city would find its proximity to the highway a plus as it offers easy access to tourist attractions, such as Mahabalipuram, Dakshinachitra, and Kanchipuram.

STRATEGIC LOCATION

The hotel's prime location places it close to major IT parks, including the Guindy Industrial Hub and Olympia Tech Park, as well as industrial hubs like Mahindra World City and Oragadam. Renowned companies such as Shell, Caterpillar, and Accenture find their home nearby, making it an ideal choice for corporate travellers.

The Radisson Blu Hotel GRT Chennai ensures a seamless stay with an array of services, including Wi-Fi, a 24/7 concierge service, a business centre with spacious meeting rooms, and conference venues catering to the discerning needs of modern travellers.

LUXURIOUS LIVING SPACES

At the heart of this elegant hotel lies a collection of 105 meticulously designed rooms that redefine luxury. These



Executive Suite

living spaces are not mere accommodations but artistic expressions, inspired by India's rich heritage and infused with elements of fine art, architecture, and historical Tamil imagery. The rooms, adorned with evocative historical photographs of Chennai, exude a sense of nostalgia and charm.

Whether you choose the Premium Rooms, Business Class Rooms, or the Presidential Penthouse Suite, each option promises an experience of unparalleled sophistication and comfort.

While every room has its charm, the hotel strongly recommends upgrading to a spacious suite that gives exclusive access to a separate living room and lounge access. Alternatively, you can also book yourself into a Business Class Room that offers free reflexology sessions and picture-perfect balcony views.

GRANDEUR FOR SPECIAL OCCASIONS

For grand events, including corporate meetings and social gatherings, the Radisson Blu Hotel GRT Chennai offers magnificent venues spread over 17,000 square feet.

The Royal Ballroom, with a capacity of up to 800 guests, is versatile enough for corporate meetings and elegant weddings.

The hotel also boasts outdoor venues, including a rooftop setting, creating an enchanting atmosphere for nuptials under the open sky. Each space is equipped with state-of-the-art audiovisual equipment, ensuring a seamless and memorable event.

CULINARY DELIGHTS & WELLNESS SANCTUARIES

Indulge in a culinary odyssey at the hotel's restaurants and bars, each offering a unique gastronomic experience. From Anglo-Indian delicacies at Blu Boulangerie & Co. to an array of kebabs at The Great Kabab Factory, every meal is a celebration of Indian flavours and heritage. For an early breakfast, head over to the Ministry of Chutneys or savour delicious cocktails at Kari Theory after a day of hectic business meetings.

To complete the experience, the Bodhi Spa offers a sanctuary of serenity. Skilled masseurs await in private chambers, guiding guests through meditation and



Business Class Room with Balcony & Garden

relaxation techniques, culminating in a unique Turkish Hammam experience.

The hotel also ensures that even through all the business meetings and corporate get-togethers, your health does not take a backseat. The hotel's in-house gym, Sculpt Fitness Studio, offers a one-of-a-kind fitness experience with modern training equipment and a stunning view of the Chennai International Airport Runway. From cardio to strength training, it caters to various fitness needs and includes amenities, such as steam rooms and changing rooms.

LEADERSHIP IN LUXURY

Under the visionary leadership of Sr. General Manager, Mr. Subhashish Gupta, the Radisson Blu Hotel GRT Chennai continues to redefine elegance and luxury in the hospitality landscape. With its strategic location, world-class amenities, and exceptional event venues, this hotel stands as a testament to its commitment of providing unparalleled hospitality experiences.

From the meticulously designed rooms to the Bodhi Spa and Sculpt Fitness Studio, every aspect of this landmark Chennai hotel reflects a dedication to taking your mundane business travel a notch higher. The Radisson Blu Hotel GRT Chennai is nothing short of a destination where luxury meets legacy, creating timeless memories for every guest fortunate enough to experience its splendour.



Sculpt Fitness Studio

A DESTINATION OF UNPARALLELED LUXURY

From dreamy weddings to corporate meetings, Mementos by ITC Hotels Ekaaya Udaipur is a one-stop destination for all events, big and small.

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Pool View

If you want to embark on a magical journey to discover a world of opulence and charm, look no further than Mementos by ITC Hotels Ekaaya Udaipur. The property beckons you to indulge in an exquisite blend of bespoke experiences, set against the backdrop of awe-inspiring landscapes and architectural wonders that resonate with the character, design, and heritage of the land of the maharajas. From whirlwind business trips to more leisurely vacations with the family, this property is perfect for those who seek a bit of the old-world hospitality with modern-day comforts.

A SANCTUARY OF SERENITY

Tucked away in the embrace of Nathdwara and Eklingji temples dedicated to Krishna and Shiva respectively, Mementos is a mere 40-minute drive from Udaipur airport and a scenic 20 kilometres from the heart of the city.

Spanning an expansive 47 acres, this hillside resort redefines the art of relaxation and intimacy. Its classical elegance seamlessly melds with the regional charm and regal hospitality

that infuses every aspect of your stay – from service to cuisine, and even the rituals that grace this sanctuary of luxury.

LUXURIOUS ACCOMMODATION

The property boasts a cluster of 117 picture-perfect villas with each opening to breath-taking vistas of the panoramic Aravalli range. Mementos Udaipur ensures your getaway is nothing short of invigorating and intimate. Private pools and personal decks await, ready to cater to your every bespoke desire. The rooms, filled with a range of modern-day amenities and facilities, oozes understated refinement that is sure to satisfy even the most discerning of all travellers.

WEDDING VOWS AND CORPORATE AFFAIRS

Mementos Udaipur isn't just a place; it's a transformation of Udaipur's hospitality landscape. Ideal for leisure travellers and event enthusiasts alike, this luxury property offers a staggering 100,000 square feet of event space. From the magnificent pillar-less staterooms to sprawling lawns and spacious pre-

function areas, it is sure to become your preferred MICE and wedding destination. As per Sandipan Bose, General Manager, Mementos Udaipur, "The hotel's team of experts are committed to curate bespoke experiences to suit your occasion's needs with uber-luxury hospitality offerings, versatile venues and a range of ultra-modern amenities perfectly suited to meet the needs of discerning travellers."

CULINARY WONDERS AWAIT

Mementos Udaipur weaves the traditions of the region into every dish, showcasing culinary marvels that include the heritage cuisine of their signature restaurant, "Kebabs & Kurries." Award-winning northwest frontier cuisine, fine-tuned over years of dedicated research by celebrated chefs of ITC Hotels, awaits your discerning palate. Royal Vega, on the other hand, offers a symphony of flavours from the luxurious world of Indian vegetarian cuisine.

Inspired by the city of Udaipur, the Udai Pavilion stands as the all-day dining and a-la-carte restaurant, serving an array of Indian and international cuisines. To elevate your experience further, the Aravalli Lounge offers over 34 varieties of teas, with spectacular views of the majestic Aravalli hills. And, for those seeking a touch of luxury, the Rock Bar invites you to savour a range of exciting cocktails and more.

A COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY

The ITC promise of "responsible luxury" is woven into every fibre of Mementos Udaipur. From site development to construction and operations, sustainability is at its core. Rainwater harvesting, water recycling, sustainable materials, and energy-efficient systems are actively embraced, ensuring that while you luxuriate, you also contribute to the well-being of the planet earth.

DREAM WEDDINGS

Udaipur, the city of lakes nestled among the Aravalli Mountains, rich in Mewar heritage, is a dream destination for your nuptials. Mementos by ITC Hotels Ekaaya Udaipur has curated "Unseen Udaipur" - a rare, unexplored, and exclusive wedding experience. Overlooking lush lakes and valleys, it has quickly become the preferred choice for luxury destination weddings, even within just four months of its launch.

Picture yourself walking down the aisle with the hills as your witness, exchanging vows as the crimson sky paints a breath-taking backdrop. Imagine a traditional sangeet under a star-studded sky. At Mementos Udaipur, these dreams become unforgettable moments. The expansive Frangipani lawns offer mesmerizing views of hills and waterbodies, creating a perfect celebration venue for your guests. In short, Mementos by ITC Hotels Ekaaya Udaipur is a destination that promises memories that you are bound to cherish for years to come.



Aravali Suite Bedroom



Royal Vega



Mementos Suite Living Room



Udai Pavilion Alfresco

UNVEILING A MAJESTIC ESCAPE



Reception

From lavish rooms to gastronomic delights, Radisson Blu Udaipur ticks all the boxes when it comes to curating unforgettable travel experiences

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LUXURIOUS COMFORTS AND BESPOKE EXPERIENCES

The resort boasts 245 impeccably designed rooms and suites that offer a blend of modern convenience and regal elegance. Thoughtfully equipped with in-room coffee and tea facilities, as well as complimentary Wi-Fi, each room ensures a comfortable and connected stay. Upgrade to our Business Class Rooms for enchanting views of Fateh Sagar Lake or opt for one of our spacious suites with separate living and dining areas, perfect for indulging in opulent comfort.

Step into a world where the soothing ripples of Fateh Sagar Lake and the lush landscape become the canvas

for your dream wedding or tranquil retreat. The resort's proximity to city businesses, top attractions including the majestic City Palace, and the picturesque Saheliyon-ki-Bari ornamental gardens ensure that every moment of your stay is imbued with the rich heritage and allure of Udaipur.

CRAFTING UNFORGETTABLE CELEBRATIONS

For those seeking to exchange vows in an enchanting ambiance, our exquisite lakeside lawn provides an idyllic setting for outdoor ceremonies and receptions, while the grandeur of our pillarless ballroom, the largest in Rajasthan,



Main Porch

can host up to 800 guests. Elevate your event with the sprawling lawn area that seamlessly merges indoor and outdoor spaces for up to 1,500 guests, creating a celebration that will be etched in memory.

A GASTRONOMIC ODYSSEY

Embark on a culinary odyssey that tantalizes the senses at our diverse restaurants. Delight in the rich tapestry of flavors at Wok by the Lake, renowned for its Asian specialties that span Chinese, Thai, Burmese, and Indonesian cuisines. Aravali Roof Top Restaurant presents contemporary cuisine with an awe-inspiring view of Fateh Sagar Lake, creating an unforgettable dining experience. Neel Mahal Restaurant offers all-day dining with an à la carte menu and buffet, accompanied by serene views of the swimming pool and garden.

RELAXATION AND UNWINDING

Whether you're seeking relaxation or rejuvenation, our resort offers the perfect haven. Lounge by the inviting two-tier outdoor pool, sipping cocktails at H2O, or surrender to the tranquility of our spa. The Aangan Terrace Bar invites you to savor fine beverages and innovative street food-inspired snacks while soaking in views of Fateh Sagar Lake.

YOUR GATEWAY TO ELEGANCE

From the lavish interiors to the mesmerizing lakeside views, Radisson Blu Udaipur Palace Resort and Spa is more than a destination; it's a testament to luxury, heritage, and the enduring allure of Udaipur. Embrace the enchantment, celebrate love, and create memories that will last a lifetime.



Aangan Bar



Neel Mahal Restaurant



Poolview of Hotel



Andaz Delhi — F&B Wedding

A TOUCH OF DISTINCTION

Enhance your vacations and business trips with Andaz Delhi's exceptional services and world-renowned Hyatt hospitality

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Andaz Delhi is a one of its kind luxury and lifestyle hotel under the Hyatt umbrella, in India. Conveniently located in Aerocity, equidistant from Delhi's capital and the bustling business hub of Gurgaon, this hotel is also within easy reach of malls, cafes, and restaurants. With an unwavering commitment to quality service and the renowned Hyatt hospitality, Andaz Delhi epitomises the perfect business hotel, offering contemporary travellers a seamless and efficient stay.

A preferred choice for corporate travellers, Andaz Delhi, a one of its kind luxury and lifestyle hotel by Hyatt, artfully combines comfort, top-tier amenities, and convenience. Here, you can escape the city's hustle and bustle, focusing on work, rejuvenation, and relaxation. The hotel's streamlined check-in process ensures that guests can efficiently work and unwind in style.

Andaz Delhi - India's first luxury, lifestyle and business hotel by Hyatt boasts 401 guest rooms inspired by 401 reasons, including 45 suites, all thoughtfully designed with plush bedding, complimentary highspeed internet, 24/7 concierge service, pet friendly and more. Additionally, the runway room provides a delightful view, ensuring a comfortable recharge after a busy day.

Guests can elevate their experience by enrolling in the World of Hyatt Membership program. This provides access to state-of-the-art facilities tailored to modern corporate travellers. Members also enjoy additional world-class services, benefits, and bonus points on their bookings and stays at the hotel.

The hotel features over 37,000 square feet of innovative meeting space, including 8 event studio spaces. Going beyond traditional business environments, the Andaz Business Studios offer barrier-free areas, open kitchens, private conference rooms, and contemporary, aesthetically pleasing decor. These spaces are designed to inspire guests through Hyatt's exceptional services, making them ideal for productive meetings. With fully equipped audio-visual features, functional layouts, innovative design, multiple work areas, and premium Wi-Fi, Andaz Delhi provides tailored facilities to meet every corporate guest's requirement.

After a full day of work, guests can indulge in a culinary experience at AnnaMaya, the Modern Food Hall at Andaz Delhi. This restaurant serves dishes made from locally sourced and organically produced ingredients. Inspired by colours and flavours of the world, AnnaMaya encourages mindful eating and offers artisanal tastes. For quick and nutritious meals, guests can visit



Andaz Delhi — Corporate

Soul Pantry, a modern, health-conscious eatery at Andaz Delhi provides a serene environment for completing deadlines and holding strategy meetings over a soulful yet powerpacked lunch. This modern eatery is a testament to mindful and sustainable living, curating a menu that celebrates locally sourced seasonal ingredients and forgotten traditional grains.

India's first Gin Bar, Juniper Bar offers a wide selection of in-house gin infusions categories such as Floral & Fruity, Herbaceous or Earthy, Spicy, and Citrus. With its barrierfree design, the bar welcomes guests to enjoy casual meetings over a cocktail or relax after a busy workday.

Andaz Delhi, India's first luxury and lifestyle hotel by Hyatt, offers a comfortable and convenient stay that provides a respite after a hectic day. Guests can visit the fully equipped Andaz Fitness Centre for a re-energizing workout, followed by a revitalising spa session at the luxurious Andaz Spa which offers a unique apothecary approach, guided by Chakra energies. The spa focuses on physical well-being and provides a holistic wellness experience to align Chakra energies, leaving guests feeling refreshed and completely soothed from within. They are also welcome to take a refreshing dip in the pool surrounded by lush greenery in the Courtyard.

The hotel's commitment to sustainability sets it apart from others in the area. Andaz Delhi- India's first luxury, lifestyle and business hotel by Hyatt strives to minimise its environmental impact and promote eco-friendly practices. Various measures have been implemented to reduce waste, energy consumption, and water usage while maintaining the highest standards of comfort and luxury. The hotel has an onsite water plant that provides sparkling freshwater to its guests with a zero carbon footprint. It also has a fully automated wet garbage composting machine that converts wet kitchen waste into dry compost in just 24 hours, which is then used in the hotel's landscaping. Andaz Delhi has even received LEED Gold Level Certification for its environmentally conscious electricity usage.

From spacious, well-appointed rooms to top-notch amenities and exceptional Hyatt hospitality, every aspect of the hotel is tailored to meet the needs of modern corporate travellers. Whether you are in town for a conference, a meeting, or simply to explore the city, Andaz Delhi offers an unparalleled experience for all. Book your stay and discover what makes Andaz Delhi - India's first luxury, lifestyle and business hotel by Hyatt, the ultimate destination for travellers.



Andaz Delhi — Facade



Executive Master Bedroom

DISCOVER DECCAN HOSPITALITY

Oakwood Residence Kapil Hyderabad offers world-class serviced apartments for business travellers and families looking for longer stays in the city

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While Hyderabad is known for its heart-warming hospitality and remnants of the Nizam culture, the city's hospitality landscape has undergone a remarkable transformation in recent times, thanks for the boom in the IT sector. Today, 5-star hotels and serviced apartments dot the city space beckoning both leisure and business travellers with their impeccable services and a wide variety of lodging options.

Situated at the heart of the thriving Gachibowli IT Park, and nestled within the vibrant Financial District, Oakwood Residence Kapil Hyderabad invites you to experience a world of unparalleled luxury and service.

The property's 158 meticulously crafted, fully furnished apartments offer a haven of opulence, each exuding a distinctive

and refined ambiance suited to the taste of modern travellers. Designed to cater to the specific needs of business travellers and relocating families who value privacy and personalized service, their serviced apartments redefine the art of hospitality.

LOCATION BEYOND COMPARISON

Strategically located near major business centres, esteemed educational institutions, and the Rajiv Gandhi International Airport, Oakwood Residence Kapil Hyderabad is your gateway to convenience and connectivity. Whether you're here for business or leisure, you'll find yourself perfectly situated to explore the vibrant surroundings. The location is perfect for you to attend to your business activities or simply explore the city, soaking in the local sights and sounds.

AMENITIES THAT ENCHANT

Step into a world of indulgence and choice peppered with convenience at Oakwood Residence Kapil Hyderabad. The hotel's meticulously appointed residences offer a range of amenities, including a well-equipped fitness centre, an indoor swimming pool, a restaurant and bar, a café, and sprawling banquet facilities. Free Wi-Fi facility ensures you stay connected, while a complimentary breakfast sets the tone for a perfect day.

CONVENIENCE IN EVERY DETAIL

Every apartment at Oakwood Residence Kapil Hyderabad boasts a fully equipped kitchen, a full-size refrigerator, and a microwave, ensuring you have all the comforts of home. The well-appointed master bedrooms come with plush king-sized beds, 48-inch LCD/HD TVs, and spacious bathrooms complete with bathtubs and separate showers.



1-Bedroom Superior Living Area

Here, you can cook your own meals, work at your own sweet pace, and relax after a hectic day.

DISTINCTIVE STUDIO APARTMENTS

For business executives and independent travellers, the hotel's studio apartments offer a contemporary and functional retreat. Each comes equipped with a 48-inch flat-screen TV, a home entertainment system, and a modern kitchenette with a full-sized refrigerator. Convenience extends to each floor, with a dedicated laundromat.

The studio deluxe apartments are designed with business travellers in mind. Enjoy breath-taking city views from your private balcony and relax in a sumptuous king-sized bed.

SPACIOUS ONE-BEDROOM DELIGHTS

The hotel's one-bedroom deluxe and executive apartments offer ample space for couples and small families. Luxuriate in the comfort of well-appointed bedrooms and unwind in marble bathtubs. From private balconies to separate dining rooms, every aspect of these residences exudes elegance. One-bedroom superior apartments provide

modern conveniences and home comforts, with distinct living and dining areas, a well-appointed bedroom, and an attached bathroom. In short, no matter whether you are travelling solo or with our family, Oakwood Residence Kapil Hyderabad has something for everyone.

EXPLORE HYDERABAD'S TREASURES

While you revel in the lap of luxury, venture out to discover local attractions of this magical city. Explore the awe-inspiring architecture of Golkonda Fort, witness history at Charminar, or immerse yourself in the vast collection of artefacts at the Salar Jung Museum. For a romantic escape, visit Gandipet Lake and savour breathtaking sunsets.

CULINARY DELIGHTS

The serviced apartment offers a range of convenient dining options to take care of your palate. At Oakleaf, the hotel's



Banquet Board Room Set Up

24-hour buffet restaurant, savour a delectable spread for breakfast, lunch, dinner, and light bites. A special kids' menu is available for children. The bar, open daily from 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m., tempts you with happy-hour specials. Café 115 serving freshly baked delicacies open daily from 8:00am to 8:00pm.

ELEVATE YOUR BUSINESS

Oakwood Residence Kapil Hyderabad understands the importance of a seamless work experience and connectivity. That's why they offer well-equipped boardrooms, meeting spaces, and a multipurpose private dining area. Their comprehensive business services include secretarial support, printing, scanning, facsimile service, stage production setup, and artist management. Expect top-notch amenities such as LCD projectors, video conferencing, and stationery to cater to your business needs.

YOUR DREAM GETAWAY AWAITS

Be prepared to indulge in the epitome of luxury at Oakwood Residence Kapil Hyderabad. From comfort to convenience, your dream vacation in Hyderabad is just a reservation away!

UNFORGETTABLE EXPERIENCES

Wyndham Hotels and Resorts offers a golden opportunity to discover the hidden gems of incredible India

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In India, where the bustling cities are always under the spotlight of tourists, there exists an enigmatic beauty in the quieter corners — the smaller towns and cities. Here, Wyndham Hotels & Resorts emerges as the go-to destination, inviting leisure and business travellers to immerse themselves in a world of comfort and convenience.

Wyndham, the world's largest hotel franchisor, boasts a magnificent portfolio of over 50 properties, strategically scattered across this expansive land.

EXPLORE THE HEART OF SPIRITUAL INDIA

Ramada by Wyndham Katra Station Road is nestled in the heart of Katra, a revered pilgrimage centre in North India. With an open-air restaurant, spa, outdoor pool, and mesmerizing views of the sacred Ban Banga River, this hotel immerses you in the spiritual aura of the region.

CATCH A GLIMPSE OF SIKH HERITAGE

Witness the glory of Sikhism at the Golden Temple, while staying at Ramada by Wyndham Amritsar. Situated in the bustling city of Amritsar, this hotel offers not just a comfortable stay but also proximity to cultural landmarks, such as the Jallianwala Bagh and the Durjana Temple.

STEP INTO NAWABI ELEGANCE

Immerse yourself in the remnants of Mughal culture at Ramada Plaza by Wyndham Lucknow. With an outdoor infinity pool, spa, and café, this hotel offers more than just a stay. Explore landmarks like Rumi Darwaza and Chanda Shekra Azad Bird Sanctuary, creating memories that last a lifetime.

EXPERIENCE GUJARATI VIBRANCY

Discover the true essence of vibrant Gujarat at Ramada by Wyndham Ahmedabad – a property that truly blends age-old



Ramada Plaza by Wyndham Lucknow



Ramada By Wyndham Gandhidham Shinay

hospitality with cutting-edge modern amenities. Nestled in a vibrant hub of businesses in the city, this hotel is a gateway to all the major attractions in the city, such as Gandhi Ashram, Sabarmati Riverfront, and more.

EMBRACE SOUTHERN TRANQUILLITY

Lose yourself in the tranquillity of Kerala backwaters near Ramada by Wyndham Alleppey – a veritable paradise for travellers seeking downtime from the rigours of corporate life. Wake up to panoramic views overlooking Punnamada Lake and experience the epitome of relaxation. With an array of mouth-watering international cuisines and rejuvenating amenities, this hotel invites you to unwind and rediscover peace.

GET A TASTE OF COLONIAL HERITAGE

Experience the historical beauty of Dehradun while staying at Ramada by Wyndham Dehradun Chakrata Road. Visit Shiv Mandir, explore Dehradun Zoo, and enjoy a rooftop brewery experience. With easy access to the airport and railway station, delicious dining options, and comfy rooms, your stay would be nothing short of a magical one.

EMBARK ON A SPIRITUAL RETREAT

Embrace the divine aura of Dwarkadhish Temple and explore archaeological wonders on Dwarka Island at Hawthorn Suites by Wyndham Dwarka. With contemporary amenities like a spa and yoga centre, this resort is your sanctuary for spiritual rejuvenation.

THE GATEWAY TO THE HIMALAYAS

Located at the foothills of the Himalayas, Ramada Encore by Wyndham Siliguri Sevoke Road is a haven for nature enthusiasts. From exploring Mahananda Wildlife Sanctuary to experiencing cultural marvels like Kali Temple, your stay here will be an exploration of nature's wonders.



Ramada By Wyndham Dehradun Chakrata Road

EXPERIENCE VARANASI LIKE NEVER BEFORE

Experience the enchantment of Varanasi, a city of religious fervour, at Ramada Plaza by Wyndham JHV Varanasi. Witness lamps floating on the Ganges River at dusk, explore the Vishwanath Temple and enrich your cultural journey at Sarnath Museum. Your stay here will be nothing short of an immersion into spiritual traditions.

EXPLORE THE HEART OF INDIA

Surrounded by scenic beauty, Ramada Encore by Wyndham Indore Nipania offers a picturesque retreat. With rooms overlooking a scenic pond, immerse yourself in the tranquillity of nature. Explore the ISKCON Radha Govind Temple, experience the vibrant nightlife, and savour local delicacies at Sarafa Night Food Market.

Explore these magnificent destinations in India with Wyndham Rewards, the world's most generous rewards program, which gives over 105 million members the opportunity to redeem points at thousands of hotels, vacation club resorts and vacation rentals globally. To discover more, visit Wyndham Hotels & Resorts today and turn your travel dreams into a reality.





*Incredible
Destinations*

OULU: FINLAND'S WINTER WONDERLAND

Starry skies, snow-covered sceneries, the frozen sea, and with a bit of luck, even the northern lights – these are just a few of the wonders that await you in Oulu and Northern Finland. If you're dreaming of a magical winter getaway, look no further! Here are the TOP9 reasons to visit Oulu in the wintertime!

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WHERE THE SEA FREEZES IN WINTER... EXPLORE THE MAGICAL FROZEN SEA IN OULU!

Looking for a one-of-a-kind experience up north? Oulu has just the adventure for you – walking, skiing, snowshoeing, or even biking on the frozen sea in Nallikari! The Bothnian Bay begins to freeze around December and remains ice-covered until April or May. Numerous companies offer exciting frozen sea activities and programs! In March, there are also two different events taking place on the frozen sea: an arts & music festival Frozen People and a peculiar startup festival Polar Bear Pitching. You can also stay a night by the seaside at a new, high-quality Nallikarin Aalto apartment hotel, opening in February 2024!

UNTAMED WINTER WONDERLAND – NORTHERN LIGHTS AND SNOWY ACTIVITIES AT NATIONAL PARK SCENERY

Explore the northern wilderness with a trip to Syöte, the southernmost fell area in Finland, located just 2 hours from Oulu, and enjoy the peaceful, snow-covered scenery of Syöte National Park. For those seeking thrills and unforgettable experiences, Syöte offers a treasure trove of activities. Embark on a husky sledding expedition through the silent, snow-

laden woods. And for both cross-country and downhill skiing enthusiasts, there's the popular Iso-Syöte Ski Resort! Of course, the cherry on top of your northern adventure is the opportunity to witness the mesmerizing dance of the northern lights.

LET'S BREAK THE ICE! EXPERIENCE THE BUCKET-LIST ARCTIC ICEBREAKER CRUISE

The Icebreaker Sampo is one of the most well-known tourism attractions in Finland. The cruise on an icebreaker takes you to the frozen sea where the scenery is just one of a kind. You can also walk on ice and float in the icy sea water by the mighty vessel in a survival suit! Book your bucket-list adventure on this legendary vessel in Kemi, located only one hour away from Oulu. Make sure to include a visit to the iconic SnowCastle of Kemi on your itinerary – it's a whimsical castle entirely crafted from snow and a beloved destination for the whole family.

CITY OF WILD CREATIVITY: OULU IS THE EUROPEAN CAPITAL OF CULTURE 2026

In 2026, Oulu will proudly take its place as the European Capital of Culture. But you don't have to wait until then to witness the



Ice Fishing



Skiing With Skin-Based Skis Nallikari

city's vibrant cultural scene. From unique events like Frozen People and Polar Bear Pitching to the festive spirit of Christmas, Oulu is a city of wild creativity that promises entertainment and excitement year-round. Experience the joy of Christmas, join a festival and dance the night away on the frozen sea, and immerse yourself in the happiest country in the world!

ARCTIC FOOD – ENJOY THE PURE TASTES FROM LOCAL INGREDIENTS... AND, OF COURSE, BEER!

Treat your taste buds to the flavors of the Arctic by sampling local cuisine made from the freshest, locally sourced ingredients. Oulu's culinary scene is a delightful exploration of authentic Finnish flavors, with options ranging from hearty soups and reindeer dishes to the freshest seafood – and quite surprisingly: pizza! But that's not all – indulge your sweet tooth with local artisan chocolate, crafted with love and care by talented chocolatiers of ChocoSomnia. And for those who appreciate a good brew, don't miss the chance to savor local, organic beers of Hailuodon Panimo (Hailuoto Brewery) that perfectly complement the northern gastronomic experience.

AUTHENTIC FINNISH SAUNA AND REFRESHING WINTER DIPS: LEARN THE SECRET INGREDIENTS OF FINNISH HAPPINESS

Finland is the world's happiest country for six consecutive years, according to the UN research. One of the well-kept secrets behind this enduring happiness is, without a doubt, the Finnish sauna tradition. From floating saunas to smoke saunas, and even the unique option of enjoying a sauna in a local brewery's pub or in the comfort of your hotel room, Oulu offers an array of distinctive sauna experiences. After a relaxing sauna session, take a dip in the ice hole (yes it's a real thing!), an exhilarating experience that will invigorate both body and soul.

A WIDE RANGE OF ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS – STAY A NIGHT AT THE WORLD'S MOST ROMANTIC HOTEL ROOM!

Oulu offers a diverse selection of accommodation options to suit every traveler's preferences. Whether you prefer



Visit Oulu Winter

cozy cottages, luxurious hotels, glass igloos, or charming guesthouses, you'll find the perfect place to call home during your winter getaway. If you're looking for something very special, book a night at the Eagle Nest Suite at Hotel Iso-Syöte, chosen as one of the world's most romantic hotel rooms!

QUALITY-TIME WITH THE WHOLE FAMILY! WINTER FUN AND A VISIT TO SANTA CLAUS VILLAGE

Oulu is a family-friendly destination with plenty of activities to keep kids entertained – from outdoorsy adventures such as skiing, husky sledding and the enchanting Nallikari winter village, to engaging indoor experiences like the captivating Dinosauria exhibition featuring twenty moving dinosaur figures. And did you know that Santa Claus lives only a couple of hours away from Oulu...? Add a sprinkle of magic to your journey and embark on a day trip to Santa Claus Village while staying in Oulu!

12+ EXCITING DESTINATIONS TO DISCOVER NEARBY – ROAD TRIP FROM THE FROZEN SEA TO SNOWY FELS

Pohjola Route is a new way to discover Finland. Take a road trip on the Pohjola route in the Oulu region and get to know the shores and the fells, wetlands and forests, lakes, rivers, the Bothnian Bay and national park sceneries. Experience the authentic culture sculpted by local nature, history and people. You can travel the Pohjola Route by car, caravan, bicycle, or by utilizing public transportation.

HERE'S A QUICK OVERVIEW OF OULU, FINLAND:

- The population: about 212,000 residents
- University city, known for high technology (the home of Nokia, Aura and 6G Flagship research)
- The European Capital of Culture in 2026
- Home to unique, creative events like the Air Guitar World Championship and Polar Bear Pitching
- Located amidst stunning natural beauty: two national parks nearby!

Pack your winter gear and get ready for an unforgettable adventure in Oulu!



Kandla Special Economic Zone

A GREEN OASIS OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

India's Largest Multi-Product SEZ – the Kandla SEZ – has become a beacon of sustainability and inclusive development

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In the vibrant landscape of India's ever-growing economic prowess, the Kandla Special Economic Zone (KASEZ) stands tall as a testament to the strategic planning, visionary governance, and unwavering commitment of the Government of India.

Established in 1965, KASEZ, situated on the Gulf of Kutch in Gujarat, has emerged as Asia's first Export Processing Zone (EPZ). In recent years, it has also become India's largest multi-product Special Economic Zone (SEZ). The zone has not only played a pivotal role in the country's export-led growth but has also become a beacon of sustainable industry practices and social responsibility.

A BRIEF HISTORY OF SEZs

India's engagement with Special Economic Zones, previously known as Export Processing Zones (EPZs), dates

back to 1965. Gujarat was the first state in Asia to establish an SEZ in Kandla. Currently, Gujarat boasts 21 operational SEZs, accounting for 8% of India's total 272 SEZs. These zones cover various sectors such as apparel, IT/ITeS, pharma, chemicals, engineering, textiles, automobile, and non-conventional industries, playing a significant role in the state's industrial landscape.

A LEGACY OF INNOVATION AND LEADERSHIP

KASEZ, one of the seven operational SEZs in India overseen by the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India, was inaugurated by the visionary Prime Minister, late Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri, on March 7, 1965. Its strategic location, nestled on the west coast in the business-friendly state of Gujarat, provides it with proximity to the modern ports of Deendayal Port at Kandla and Adani Port at Mundra. This geographical advantage has



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In our pursuit of economic growth, we embrace the promotion of exports from KASEZ and Gujarat SEZs, coupled with enticing foreign-investment incentives. This underscores our steadfast dedication to attracting global investments and top-tier talent, fostering a vibrant business landscape in Gujarat. By doing so, we create unique investment avenues, paving the way to diversify both our state and nation's economy.

**Dinesh Singh, Zonal Development
Commissioner, KASEZ**

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transformed KASEZ into a major engine of export-led growth in the industrially vital Kutch region of Gujarat.

EMPOWERING GROWTH THROUGH “MAKE IN INDIA”

In the wake of India's rapid economic development, initiatives like “Make in India,” spearheaded by Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi have reshaped the country's manufacturing landscape. KASEZ plays a pivotal role in realizing this vision, contributing significantly to the nation's export figures. In the fiscal year 2022-23 alone, Gujarat's SEZs contributed INR 3,507,980 million in physical exports, making up 27.41% of the total. Kandla SEZ alone contributed INR 146,980 million in that period and INR 36,380 million till August 2023. Additionally, these SEZs represented 34.05% of total investments as of December 31, 2022.

WHERE SUSTAINABILITY MEETS SUCCESS

What sets KASEZ apart is not just its economic prowess but also environmental consciousness. In a pioneering move, KASEZ earned the distinction of being India's first Green Industrial City, achieving the highest 'Platinum' rating under the IGBC Green Cities Rating for Existing Cities (in the category of Industrial Cities). This accolade reflects its commitment to ecological preservation, citizen welfare, innovative practices, and sustainable infrastructure management.

A COMPASSIONATE RESPONSE DURING CRISIS

KASEZ has proved its mettle not only as an economic powerhouse but also as a compassionate entity during the challenging times of the COVID-19 pandemic. Displaying remarkable social responsibility, Kandla SEZ Authority installed an Oxygen Generating Plant and actively participated in supplying oxygen cylinders, medicines, sanitizers, masks, and other essentials to support the community and the healthcare system during the crisis.

A GREEN HAVEN FOR BUSINESS AND NATURE

To ensure that it remains a hub of business activities while championing environmental conservation, KASEZ transformed a vast expanse of its land into a green belt. Through innovative techniques like the Miyawaki method, over 5 lakh trees were planted, creating a harmonious blend of industry and nature. This green oasis not only enhances the work environment for stakeholders but also signifies KASEZ's commitment to reducing its carbon footprint.



Kandla Special Economic Zone

FUTURE PLANS

KASEZ has recently unveiled an ambitious plan for the development of 36.92 hectares of the SEZ (roughly 100 acres) with state-of-the-art technology, concentrating on manufacturing sectors that promise significant employment opportunities and local economic growth.

According to Dinesh Singh, Zonal Development Commissioner, the proposed development encompasses several key features, including creation of greenfield industrial plots ranging from 2,400 square meters to 6,300 square meters, all connected by 18 to 24-meter wide RCC roads with amenities like medians, cycle lanes, and multi-utility zones.

Emphasizing environmental sustainability, a 26,700-square metre green belt has also been proposed. The campus is secure, enclosed from all sides with a single entry-and exit point. Furthermore, the plots have been meticulously designed to be Vastu-compliant, ensuring a rectangular shape with east and west orientations.

This initiative not only promotes exports from KASEZ and other SEZs in Gujarat but also showcases a steadfast commitment to attracting foreign investment and global talent to the state. In the words of Dinesh Singh, Zonal Development Commissioner, KASEZ, “The promotion of exports from KASEZ and other Gujarat SEZs and foreign investment incentive regimes reflects a clear commitment of the government to attract foreign investment and world class talent to state of Gujarat promoting a competitive business environment and offering distinct investment opportunities to diversify the state and nation's economy.”

SETTING SAIL IN STYLE

Resorts World Cruises has emerged as Southeast Asia's epitome of luxury cruising

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In the heart of Southeast Asia – where vibrant cultures combine with hospitality of ever-smiling people, where the azure waters of the ocean beckon travellers much like the beauty of historical monuments – a new era of cruising has dawned.

Resorts World Cruises, a dynamic lifestyle cruise brand has emerged as a beacon of luxury and personalized experiences, redefining the very essence of cruising. As part of the globally renowned Resorts World family that boasts 46 properties in 8 countries and 4 continents, Resorts World Cruises brings forth an amalgamation of opulence, cultural richness, and innovative offerings, promising voyages like no other.

A NEW BEGINNING

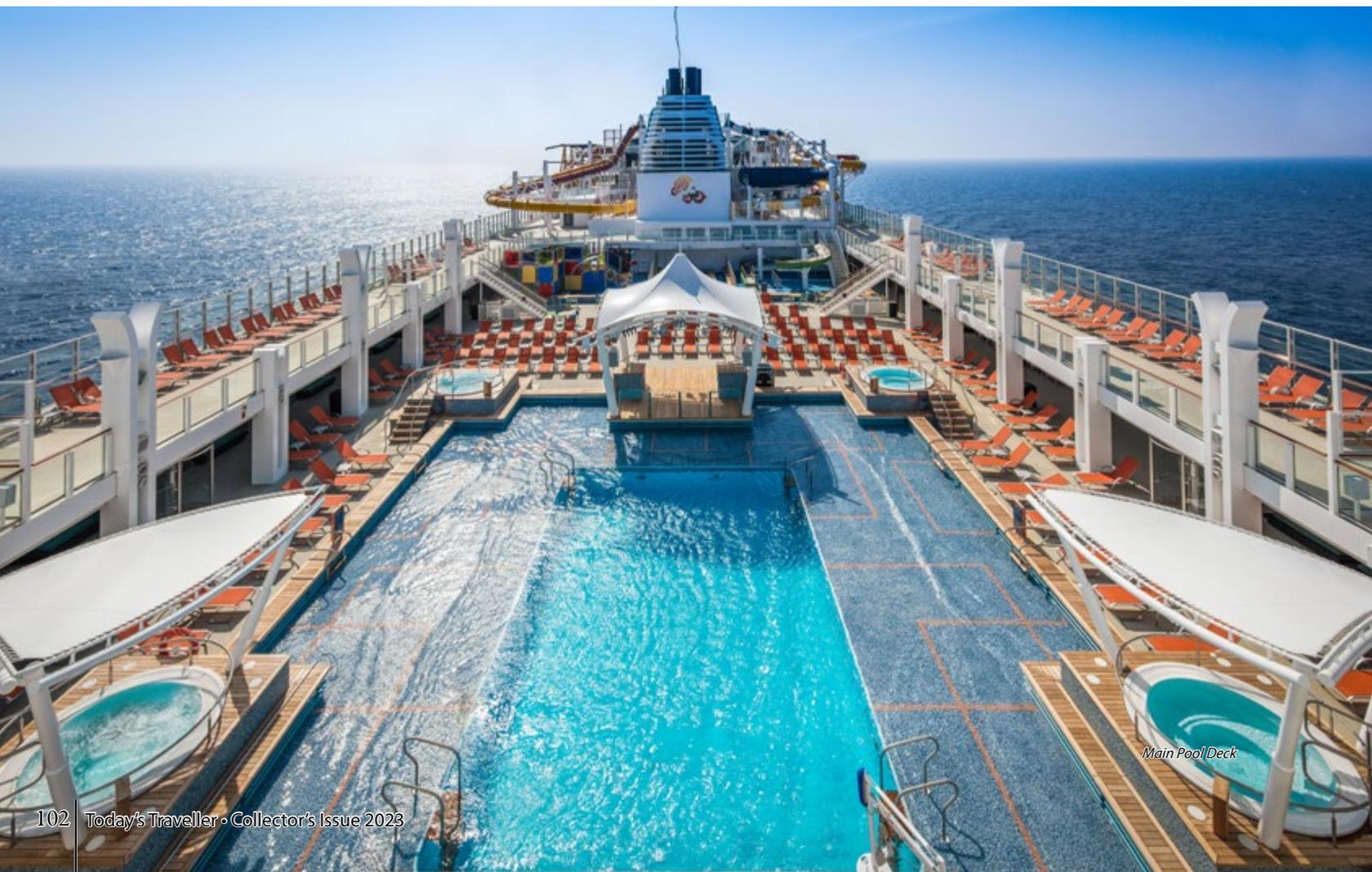
Resorts World Cruises embarked on its maiden voyage on June 15, 2022, in Singapore and Kuala Lumpur, gracing the seas

with the luxurious Genting Dream—a ship that encapsulates grandeur and indulgence. This was followed by the launch of Resorts World One in Hong Kong on March 10, 2023, marking a new chapter in the realm of Asian luxury cruising.

At the heart of Resorts World Cruises' allure is "The Palace," an exclusive ship-within-a-ship concept that defines unparalleled luxury. This private enclave boasts world-class accommodations, including lavish suites, a dedicated restaurant, sundeck, gym, and spa, all attended by 24-hour European-style butler service. The Palace embodies the epitome of indulgence, offering an all-inclusive experience that elevates cruising to a new echelon of sophistication.

A FEAST FOR THE SENSES

One of the highlights of Resorts World Cruises is its culinary extravaganza. With a diverse array of dining options,



Main Pool Deck



Bar 360



Lido

including Indian, Asian, and international cuisines, the on-board gastronomy is a delightful odyssey for the taste buds.

From the inclusive buffet restaurant, The Lido, featuring an array of international and Indian delicacies, to the specialty restaurants like Dream Dining Room and Dream Dining, Resorts World Cruises ensures that every meal is a culinary masterpiece.

For the discerning Indian palate, the availability of Indian vegetarian and Jain food options adds a special touch, making the dining experience both exquisite and culturally authentic.

And for those seeking an evening filled with rhythm and melody, the Bollywood Music Night at Zouk provides the perfect ambiance to dance the night away under the stars.

ENTERTAINMENT EXTRAVAGANZA

Resorts World Cruises understands the importance of immersive entertainment even at the high seas. The introduction of the Good Vibes Festival at Sea transforms the cruise into a hub of creativity, with special performances, workshops, and wellness activities. Guests of all ages can indulge in a myriad of experiences, from art to music and everything in between, ensuring that every moment on board is memorable.

In addition to the festival, Resorts World Cruises offers world-class live productions at the Zodiac Theatre, where cutting-edge technology and artistic finesse come together to create mesmerizing shows. With a seating capacity of 999, this opulent venue hosts performances that are nothing short of spectacular.

MORE THAN JUST A CRUISE: TAILORED EXPERIENCES

Resorts World Cruises goes beyond the conventional cruise experience. With state-of-the-art facilities for Meetings, Incentives, Conferences, and Exhibitions (MICE), the cruise line caters to corporate events and special interest groups.

The ships are equipped to host grand Indian weddings, providing diverse venues for each occasion, making these moments even more memorable against the backdrop of the open sea.



Zipline

SAFETY FIRST: A BREATH OF FRESH AIR

Amidst all the opulence and grandeur, Resorts World Cruises places the safety and well-being of its guests at the forefront. Both Genting Dream and Resorts World One are designed to ensure a constant flow of 100% external fresh air, filtering and supplying it to cabins and public areas. This meticulous attention to ventilation safeguards a healthy environment throughout the vessel, emphasizing Resorts World Cruises' commitment to the safety and health of its passengers.

In the realm of Asian luxury cruising, Resorts World Cruises stands tall, offering an unparalleled experience where every moment is crafted with care and extravagance.

As you set sail with Resorts World Cruises, prepare to embark on a journey where the waters are as mesmerizing as the experiences on board—a journey that transcends the ordinary, redefining the very essence of luxury cruising in the heart of Asia.



Karma Lakelands

A SYMPHONY OF LUXURY AND SUSTAINABILITY

Embracing sustainable practices and steeped in splendour, Karma Lakelands is an enchanting getaway for travellers

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Nestled amidst the verdant embrace of nature in the millennium city of Gurugram, Karma Lakelands stands as an enchanting dreamscape, offering a harmonious blend of opulence, sustainability, and rejuvenation. Spread over 235 acres, this eco-friendly resort is a sanctuary where the soul finds solace, the heart finds peace, and every moment resonates with the symphony of nature. Perfect for conducting your nuptials, organising your business events, or simply escaping the madness that is Gurugram, this resort sure to check all the boxes when it comes to enjoying a few days of well-deserved break.

A TRANQUIL ABODE IN NATURE'S EMBRACE

Situated in Sector 80, near the National Highway-8, the resort is far from the maddening crowd of the city but

nonetheless well-connected to the nearby cities of Delhi-NCR through road networks to warrant a quick trip during the weekend.

At Karma Lakelands, guests are spoilt for choice when it comes to accommodation. From the blissful Karma Cottages, where mornings are greeted by melodious birdsongs, to the elegant Karma Villas that offer panoramic views of the lush golf course, every stay promises an immersive experience. The newly introduced Karma Koves provide a unique retreat, allowing guests to unwind, embracing the slow living that is often missed in the chaos of city life. The Garden Suites and the Terrace Suites are a veritable haven of comfort equipped with the best of the best modern-day amenities, allowing guests to enjoy nature in private gardens and terraces.

CULINARY DELIGHTS AMIDST NATURE

The resort takes pride in its culinary offerings sourced from the 30-acre organic farmlands. On Course, overlooking an award-winning golf course, tantalizes taste buds with a variety of Continental, Mandarin, and American dishes. For pizza enthusiasts, Pizza Bay, an alfresco diner adorned with magical lights, offers delectable pizzas and live grills. Lake 360, situated on a lake deck, provides a picturesque setting for memorable moments, complemented by frosty concoctions and scrumptious bites. AK's Cocktail Bar offers specially crafted beers and brews while Under the Neem gives an innovative twist to the concept of farm-to-table.

A PLETHORA OF ENGAGING ACTIVITIES

Karma Lakelands caters to diverse interests and age groups. Whether you're an avid golfer looking to perfect your swing on the meticulously manicured 9-hole golf course or a nature enthusiast eager to explore the pristine waters through Karma Kayaking, there's something for everyone. Guided meditation, yoga sessions, and bird-watching expeditions immerse guests in the blissfulness of nature, promoting mindfulness and positivity. Additionally, guests can participate in interactive pizza-making sessions, creating their culinary masterpieces under the guidance of skilled chefs.

A BEACON OF SUSTAINABILITY

Beyond its luxurious offerings, Karma Lakelands stands as a testament to sustainable living. The resort has eliminated single-use plastics within its boundaries, using them to construct eco-bricks for essential structures. It also recycles water and borrows it from neighbouring communities to nurture the vast golf course and the 2 lakh trees within its premises. Farming practices like vermicomposting and bio-composting enrich the soil, while a strict no-honking policy maintains serenity. The resort embodies cleanliness and patriotism, with staff and guests joining in the daily rendition of the national anthem.



Pizza Bay



Golf View Villa

A HEARTFELT HOSPITALITY EXPERIENCE

What truly sets Karma Lakelands apart is its heartfelt hospitality. Guests are not merely visitors; they become cherished members of the Karma family. Every query is met with a warm smile, ensuring their stay is not only comfortable but also unforgettable. As guests depart, their hearts filled with memories and spirits rejuvenated, they carry with them more than just experiences; they carry the essence of Karma – a feeling, a state of mind that lingers, inviting them back with open arms.

Karma Lakelands is not just a destination; it is an immersive journey where paradise transcends the physical realm and becomes a profound, enduring feeling. So, come, immerse yourself in the symphony of sumptuousness, sustainability, and rejuvenation, and let Karma Lakelands weave its magic on you, leaving you longing for the day you can return to its embrace.



Kingfisher Villa

GIFT GUIDE: LUXURY GIFTS FOR THE FESTIVE SEASON

When the ordinary simply won't do, and you're seeking something truly exceptional to express your affection, love or appreciation for someone special, our curated selection of luxury gifts have you covered. After all, the festive season is a time of celebration, reflection, and, most importantly, gifting

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We are back to the golden age of glamour, where the purr of a vintage car's engine and the pop of an expensive bottle of world-class champagne signify a time of opulent celebration and heartfelt appreciation.

Imagine the allure of a classic roadster, its gleaming chrome and sumptuous leather interiors invoking a bygone era of elegance as a lifestyle if not a lifetime experience, or the exquisite pleasure of savouring a glass of rare vintage champagne, each bubble telling a story of prestige and perfection.

We bring these experiences into our luxury collection, combining the timeless grace of custom-crafted luggage and the glittering sophistication of fine jewellery with the contemporary charm of the latest and most exclusive



*The Le Voyage
Recommencé Collection*



Famous Bentley Blower reborn as Blower Jr - The First Edition

gadgets. Welcome to the epitome of luxury gifting, where every choice is a testament to a season of splendour.

CLASSIC MEETS CONTEMPORARY: THE REVIVAL OF RETRO LUXURY AUTOMOBILES

Retro-inspired cars are making a big comeback, although they never did go out of fashion. While the 2023 Ford Bronco, Ford has a price tag of \$33,890 and the 2022 Mercedes-Benz G-Class. has a price tag of \$140,950 - the coolest vintage recreation is the Bentley Blower Jr - a road-legal, 85 per cent scale recreation of the famous Bentley Blower.

The first 99 examples of Blower Jr will be First Edition Models. These will feature First Edition badging on the hood, door sill plate and dash as well as an engraved and numbered '1 of 99' plaque.

All First Edition models will be finished in Blower Green, with matching painted chassis and wheels, and a Union flag hand-painted on both sides of the body as per the original, while the seats and interior are upholstered in the Dark Green Lustrana Hide used by Mulliner for the Blower Continuation Series.

The side panel and radiator carry the period-correct racing number, while the steering wheel is rope-bound. Production is expected to begin in the second quarter of 2024, starting with the 99 First Edition models.

QUICK FACTS

- 85 per cent scale recreation of 1929 4½-litre Supercharged Bentley created by The Little Car Company
- 'Blower Jr' will be fully road-legal in the UK, EU and USA
- Inspired by Team Car No. 2, the most famous, valuable and iconic Bentley in the world
- 99 First Edition cars colour-matched to Team Car No. 2, complete with Union flags and unique details

(Price: The Blower Jr First Edition which will launch in 2024, is likely to be priced at £90,000 excluding VAT and shipping.)

CHAMPAGNE: THE CLASSIC LUXURY GIFT FOR CELEBRATORY MOMENTS

Champagne, the very word evokes images of celebration, sophistication, and the effervescent joy of life's most memorable moments. As a luxury gift, it is unparalleled in its ability to convey the significance of an occasion or the depth of one's sentiments. It isn't just a present; it's a statement, a gesture steeped in tradition and the height of refined taste.



Laurent Perrier Grand Siècle Iteration No.25



FPM Milano x Gucci Luggage Collection - Spinner 68

This remarkable champagne is a tribute to two and a half centuries of dedication to perfection. Crafted from the finest Chardonnay and Pinot Noir grapes, Iteration No. 25 is a blend of exceptional vintages, resulting in a wine that defines elegance and complexity. With its radiant salmon-pink hue and delicate effervescence, this champagne captivates the senses from the very first pour.

The aromas of wild strawberries, redcurrant jam, and notes of candied fruits promise a sensory journey like no other. On the palate, the Grand Siècle Iteration No. 25 reveals layers of flavours, including red fruits, toasted almonds, and a subtle mineral character. At INR 37,500/-, its exceptional depth and long-lasting finish make it a true masterpiece, worthy of the most celebrated occasions.

TRAVEL IN STYLE - BESPOKE LUGGAGE

Monogrammed Leather Suitcases: A few gifts spell luxury as a personalized leather suitcase. Classic colours like rich mahogany or deep navy, with the recipient's initials delicately monogrammed are great buys. Brands like Gucci, Louis Vuitton and Goyard are renowned for offering personalized leather suitcases in classic hues.

Names like Roam and Leatherology are famous for customised carry-ons and checked bags tailored using top-quality materials, ensuring both style and longevity. Customers can craft their own unique wearable art pieces using personalized leather, design, monograms, and hand-painted initials. The Collections extend to a wide range of leather goods, such as wallets, passport holders, and toiletry cases.

FPM Milano and Gucci have teamed up to add a touch of luxury to your travels with a new luggage line. This

collection, named "Gucci Porter," celebrates the humble beginnings of Guccio Gucci, who once worked as a porter in London's famous Savoy Hotel. The collaboration introduces three revamped versions of FPM's classic aluminium trolley and vanity case, all with that special Gucci flair.

These silver suitcases and vanity cases come with Gucci's distinctive GG Supreme canvas on the handles, a chic detachable luggage tag, and a nylon-lined interior for a sleek look inside and out.

Top off your travel gear with the standout piece of the collection, the FPM Milano Spinner 68 suitcase with stylish studs. It's available for \$1,535, which includes duties and handling but doesn't cover taxes and shipping costs.

Artisan-crafted Travel Sets: These sets often include a matching suitcase, carry-on, and duffel bag. They are not just about utility but also about making a style statement wherever one travels. Tumi Nordstrom, Rimowa, Paravel Aviator, and Antler Clifton are notable names in luxury travel sets, known for their style statements, handcrafted designs, leather details, and high-quality materials.

While their aesthetic appeal is evident, many of these brands also prioritize sustainability by using recycled and upcycled fabrics in their designs. These sets stand out with their handcrafted exteriors, elegant leather details, and luxe accents.

EXCLUSIVE AROMAS: DISCOVER LIMITED EDITION PERFUMES

Limited Edition Scents: Some of the world's most renowned perfumers release limited edition fragrances during the festive season. These scents, often presented in handcrafted bottles, are perfect for those who appreciate

the finer nuances of fragrances. Luxury brands like Chanel, Dior, and Guerlain often unveil festive limited-edition fragrances in artistically crafted bottles.

Bespoke Perfumery Experience: Gift an experience where the recipient can work with expert perfumers to create their signature scent. Jo Malone and Le Labo offer experiences where recipients can craft their personalized scent.

GUERLAIN & BEGÜM KHAN: A LIMITED EDITION 2023 COLLECTION

Guerlain pairs up with Turkish designer Begüm Khan for a holiday special, revealing the Imagine Guerlain collection, each bottle numbered for exclusivity. Inspired by Guerlain's love for animal symbols, Begüm Khan has designed a signature piece for the season: a golden bee set on a sunlit flower, bringing a touch of imperial elegance to the iconic Bee Bottle. Filled with a rich, amber-hued perfume, it's a scent that captures the festive spirit.

This magnificent creation is available solely through Guerlain's official channels. Indulge in the magic with the 2023 Millésime showcasing 125 ML Bee Bottle & 30mL Spray, priced at \$1,000.00.

SPARKLE AND SHINE: LUXURY JEWELRY GIFTS

Statement Necklaces: Think diamonds, sapphires, and other precious stones intricately set in a design that's both timeless and contemporary. Brands like Tiffany & Co., Bvlgari, and Cartier offer exquisite necklaces with precious stones.

Custom-made Rings: Go the extra mile by commissioning a bespoke ring, considering the recipient's taste and style. Harry Winston and Chopard are notable for their bespoke ring designs tailored to individual tastes.

Cartier's New Treasure: The Le Voyage Recommencé Collection

Discover the simple elegance and journey-inspired designs of Cartier's new High Jewelry line, "Le Voyage Recommencé," straight from their Paris workshops. This collection offers a range of extraordinary pieces, each capturing the spirit of Cartier's classic style.

Bailong Brooch Take a closer look at the Bailong Brooch. Cartier's craftsmanship brings a dragon to life, complete with flowing energy from head to tail, perched atop a striking 30.11-carat tourmaline. In its claw, it proudly holds a bright yellow diamond.

This brooch is estimated between USD 170,000 and USD 280,000, promising to be more than just a luxury item—it's a wearable story of Cartier's journey through design.

ELITE TECH TOYS AND LUXE COMFORTS: EXCLUSIVE GIZMOS AND AMENITIES

High-end Headphones: Brands like Bang & Olufsen, Sennheiser, and Sony offer headphones with exceptional sound quality, active noise cancellation, and a design that oozes luxury.



Guerlain & Begüm Khan — A Limited Edition 2023 Collection

Smart Home Devices: Think voice-controlled curtains, lighting, and security systems. These devices are all about convenience paired with luxury. Luxury home tech brands like Samsung entertainment, Govee smart plugs for Wi-Fi lighting, Terra Kaife for the best Barista coffee, Americano to a cappuccino, and Gardyn for stunning in-home gardens offer voice-controlled amenities for a lavish lifestyle.

Exclusive Tech Gadgets: From the latest iPhone in a custom finish to DJI for high-end drones for photography enthusiasts, the world of luxury tech offers a plethora of options.

SKY-HIGH PHOTOGRAPHY: AFFORDABLE DRONES FOR STUNNING SHOTS

Easy Aerial Shots with Drones For those who dream of capturing the world from above, drones are your wings. They give you angles and shots that once needed costly and complex equipment like cranes. Now, these user-friendly gadgets are must-haves for online creators. **DJI Air 2S: Top Pick for Photos and Videos:** The DJI Air 2S stands out as the best drone for aspiring photographers and videographers. It's a great deal, mixing DJI's trusted obstacle avoidance with a high-quality 5.4K camera and long battery life, all for around USD 1000.

A PERFECT GIFT TO REMEMBER

The festive season is about making memories, and what better way than gifting something that's cherished for years to come? This curated list aims to help you find the perfect luxury gift- be it the allure of a custom scent, the brilliance of a diamond necklace, or the sophistication of a bespoke travel set. The warmth of the memory will last for years.



Anya Taylor-Joy, stuns in iconic Out of the Blue masterpieces. Photo Credit: Tiffany & Co.

A SAGA OF TRANSFORMATION

An illustrious narrative began in 1837 with the founding of Tiffany & Co - a saga of transformation that forged a luxury titan celebrated for its exceptional jewels, a spirit of innovation, and masterful craftsmanship. A journey of 185 years of iconic heritage—a chronicle of milestones that define a legacy.

Charles Lewis Tiffany embarked on a journey of splendour, laying the foundation of a House that would come to dazzle the world. Behind each piece of finely crafted jewellery, the House's icons, there are sparkling

stories - from the legendary sparkle of the Tiffany Diamond to the pioneering inception of the first Blue Book and the storied Blue Box—symbols of luxury that transcend time.

BETWEEN LEGACY AND MODERNITY -THE NEWEST MASTERPIECES

This modern take on classic Hollywood glamour, stars actress and House Ambassador Anya Taylor-Joy, who stuns in iconic Schlumberger by Tiffany & Co: Out of the Blue masterpieces.



The Tiffany & Co. Timeline 2021 — Tiffany introduces the gemstone tsavorite and names it in honour of Tsavo National Park near the border of Kenya and Tanzania, where it was discovered.



The Tiffany & Co. Timeline 2023 — The reimagined setting for the legendary Tiffany Diamond is revealed to celebrate the grand reopening of The Landmark. The design draws inspiration from Jean Schlumberger's iconic Bird on a Rock brooch.



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