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*Meeting and exceeding the expectations of
distinguished international business
travelers and local patrons alike, its
timeless elegance defines the standard of
what a world-class luxury hotel should be*

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Development - From Conception to Realization

Management & Ownership

Regent Taipei is owned and managed by Formosa International Hotels Corporation, a Taiwanese owned corporation.

History

In 1973, Taiwanese financier S.R. Pan, founder of Formosa International Hotels Corporation, foresaw the need for a luxury hotel in a city destined to become a financial and economic powerhouse in Asia. His dream was realized in 1984 when Y.H. Chen, chairman of the Taipei-based Tuntex Group, joined forces with him. That same year, an agreement was signed with Regent International Hotels to manage the NT\$4 billion dollar project.

In 1986, Tuntex Construction Company, a division of Tuntex Group, was contracted to build The Regent Taipei, with the assistance of Regent International Hotels.

The hotel opened in 1990 and rapidly attained its premier status. Originally titled “The Regent Taipei”, the name was expanded to “Grand Formosa Regent Taipei” in February 1993. This new title recognized both its stature as a member of the prestigious Regent Group, and continued to reflect the long-term development plans of the owner, Formosa International Hotels Corporation, in the area of hotel development and management.

With the merger of the Four Seasons and Regent Hotel groups in 1992, the Grand Formosa Regent Taipei became a member of the largest group of luxury hotels and resorts in the world.

In 2000, Grand Formosa Regent Taipei renewed its ten year marketing and consulting with Four Seasons, ensuring a continuation of its superior standards. Those who depend on the Four Seasons brand name will find that Grand Formosa Regent Taipei more than lives up to the name for fine service and facilities.

In April 2000, the Pan family acquired the Tuntex Group shares to become the main shareholder.

In June 2010, Formosa International Hotels Corporation acquired the Regent luxury hotel business and its development rights from Carlson.

“Grand Formosa Regent Taipei” changed its name back to “The Regent Taipei” in 2011.

Design Concepts

Architecture

Regent International Hotels and Formosa International Hotels Corporation formed the hotel’s concepts of layout and space and then worked with Taiwan’s best-known

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architectural design group, C. Y. Lee and Partners (李祖原建築師事務所), to complete the design. C.Y. Lee and Partners has been responsible for many of the buildings which dominate Taipei's skyline today; symbols of the architectural progress that has been made in Taiwan.

Interior Design

The Hong Kong-based hotel design specialists, Chhada Siembieda and Associates, were commissioned to develop the concept for the design of The Regent Taipei. They used a formula which placed traditional forms in an ultra-modern architectural setting. The emphasis in the public area of the hotel is on pure form, fine finishes and a sophisticated design. By contrast, the design of guestrooms reflects that of a finely furnished home.

Guestrooms & Suites - Pampering the Traveler

The Regent Taipei proves itself as the finest Hotel in Taiwan by providing the largest and best-equipped guestrooms on the island.

The 538 deluxe guestrooms, including 60 suites, are the most spacious in Taipei. Standard guestrooms measure 45 square meters, a full 12 square meters larger than the average Taipei international Hotel room. Marble bathrooms feature deep-soaking tubs, separate shower stalls and enclosed water closets. Wellspring Bed concept features oversized pillows, crisp cotton linens, and a pressure relieving mattress for the ultimate in sound, restful sleep.

Each guestroom has an executive desk and dual voltage outlet. Three telephones, conveniently located at the bedside, in the bathroom and on the desk, each have 2 IDD (International Direct Dial) lines offering independent access to personal computers and facsimile machines. Rooms are also equipped to provide wireless internet service. Guests enjoy the best of a luxury hotel with the convenience of state of the art technology.

Services & Facilities

Service Plus

A one-step communication service allowing guests to access all in-room services at the touch of a single button. Multi-lingual operators provide prompt solutions to guest needs.

Butlers

The Regent Taipei provides 24-hour butler service to meet guests' needs quickly and efficiently at any hour.

Wellspring Spa (20F)

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This penthouse urban spa center is a sanctuary fusing tranquil, mystical Oriental designs with a full line of resort class spa treatments by former Four Seasons Bali Spa Designer. It's a journey of total transformation of mind, body, and soul.

Tai Pan Residence & Club (18/19F)

For a small premium above the normal room rate, business travelers can enjoy a range of facilities and services offered in the elegant privacy of the Tai Pan Club. A buffet breakfast, as well as all-day beverages and canapés are complimentary, as are the pressing of 3 garments per day, use of computer rooms and 2-hour daily use of a meeting room. Guests also enjoy express check in and VIP check out.

Business Express (2F)

The Business Express offers the latest office and business equipment such as computers with internet access, printers, copiers, facsimiles and a business reference library.

The Regent Galleria (B1/B2)

The Regent Galleria houses some of the world's finest haute-couture boutiques, including Chanel, Cartier, Christian Dior and Hermes.

Health Club & Sauna (B3)

Designed to offer travelers the ultimate in relaxation and revitalization. Recreation facilities include:

- An exercise room featuring
- A variety of fitness classes: aerobics, yoga, spinning and body-shaping
- Massages: acupuncture, reflexology, and Swedish
- Jacuzzi & sauna for rest and relaxation
- A heated roof-top swimming pool open year-round

Banquet Facilities

The Regent Ballroom and 9 superbly appointed function rooms are suitable for any occasion, from conferences to cocktail receptions, for 8 to 1,000 people. Each event is coordinated with the Banqueting Manager to ensure that all details suit individual preferences and requirements.

Dining for Business & Pleasure

Each of the hotel's 8 in-house restaurants has its unique specialties and atmosphere. All aim to provide the finest in dining with unrivaled service.

Mihan Honke (B3)

Three traditional cuisines - shabu shabu, robatayaki, and yakiniku - in one five-star Japanese char-grill restaurant with an atmosphere reminiscent of the clean and uncomplicated streets of Japan. A fascinating experience for all the senses awaits you at Mihan.

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The Brasserie (1F)

The Brasserie offers delightful all-day buffet dining, featuring an international variety prepared in an open kitchen, for Breakfast, Lunch, Afternoon Tea and Dinner.

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The first Grand Café in Taipei featuring an open-top atrium design, offers creative fusion of Asian and Western cuisine from healthy dim sum to decadent desserts. The restaurant, stylish, contemporary and hip, is open all day and night.

Robin's Grill (2F)

Our American-style Steak House offers a distinguished yet simple menu of grilled Black Angus Beef, lamb chops, chicken, the freshest seafood and a salad & dessert bar second to none.

Robin's Teppan (2F) This Western-style Teppanyaki offers a delightful new culinary experience by combining the finest quality of western ingredients with the French style of teppan-cooking.

The Gallery (2F)

Enjoy refreshments and a delightful view of the Gallery. Overlooking the Grand Cafe, *azie*, the Gallery serves light meals and beverages throughout the day, including cakes and pastries during Afternoon Tea.

Silks House (3F)

Highlighting the best of Chinese culture, this fine-dining restaurant offers Cantonese cuisine in an atmosphere inspired by the arts of traditional calligraphy and chic, contemporary design.

Silks Club (21F)

A Club Restaurant offering fine Shanghainese cuisine.

Special Note: The Silks Club is a private club located on the top floor of the hotel, consisting of a lounge and two restaurants for the exclusive use of Hotel guests and club members.