

DIMORA PALANCA

FLORENCE

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A Luxurious boutique style hotel situated in the heart of the city

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Magnificent Ceiling Art is found at the Dimora Palanca

Dimora Palanca

A breathtaking ceiling captured my eye as I entered this elegant intimate boutique style hotel, formerly a private villa built in 1863 to a family who loved to entertain their guests showcasing the opulence they enjoyed on a daily basis. This boutique style hotel oozes its magnificence in the form of art, "The Director" taking a personal interest in all the decoration details even down to the raw linen that encapsulates your body after a long day of sightseeing around the city of Florence.

I was shown to the old orangery where I would relax in my private suite along with my assistant where it overlooked the quiet, stunning gardens where we would enjoy a pre-dinner cocktail before an exquisite dinner in the Mimosa Restaurant.

The hotel is a small boutique hotel that consists of 18 rooms, these cool modern rooms are decorated in luxury furnishings and fine art for the Dimora Palanca clientele to enjoy throughout their stay.

They offer two options by separating these rooms into the main villa or the converted old orangery. However, the same luxury is offered in both: the preference is defined by your own personal presence



Luxurious furnishings finished with the opulence of crisp raw linen to encase your tired body wrapping you in sheer heavenly delight as you lay your head down under the Tuscan sky



The secret garden - opulence quietly expelled within the hotel walls set alongside a bustling city awaiting your exploration.



The Mimesi Restaurant

Below your feet lies a beautiful restaurant which offers the clientele of Dimora Palanca and outside guests the opportunity to taste the cuisine of head chef Giovanni Cerrioni, is this the future in award winning culinary cuisine. His passion and dedication to produce delicious creations focusing highly on the sustainability factor but with the future aspect of culinary cuisine shown in art form.

Chef Giovanni Cerrioni is one of Italy's rare diamonds as a young inspirational gentleman to have such passion for the culinary palette, Giovanni as the head chef has been given full control of the restaurant by the owners of the hotel to offer its clientele a revolutionary gastronomic experience. The infusion to your palette is that of the eruption of magma to a volcano, an experience that changes the palette forever leaving his landscape markings from the infusion he has created.



Giovanni Cerrioni - Italy's rare diamond "Head Chef Mimesi Restaurant -

The restaurant has a fine wine collection that the sommelier had perfected to accompany the five course meal Giovanni and his team were to offer my palate, one I would always remember. The sommelier poured the wine pairing to compliment Giovanni's first course as he explained why with simple perfection. The wine selection continued to flow showcasing itself against this revolution of culinary cuisine igniting my palette, the infusion overflowing in abundance.



The wine collection at Mimesi restaurant



Photo :- Susanne Nilsson

Photo by my wonderful press associate who enjoyed our dining experience- Susanne Nilsson Editor in Chief "First Class Magazine" Sweden

Long has it been since I enjoyed such a wonderful dining experience with fellow members of the press, everyone having their own perceptions and how they would express this gastronomic experience. Piers from GoldenPhotos.com had his eye firmly on the kitchen as he indiscreetly captured the dishes as they made their grand entrance to our tables.



Homemade Bread and Grissini

As we all retired from the restaurant thanking our host Sharon "Creative Director - Arthouse Pr Company for the opportunity to showcase this hotel to our readers the experience first hand we retired to our rooms for a busy day ahead exploring the city.

As I headed up the staircase I found a small room to my right in which I could relax with a brandy unwinding down, before I took to laying my head underneath the Tuscan sky. The room again captures its own concept in celebrating Florence's inherent connection to fine art which is flawless in design.



The Chess Room

After a wonderful breakfast together in the bistro which although is small and intimate is just what is required for the modern luxury and unimposing setting required before I headed to explore the culture and history the city had to offer my insightful and curious mind.

The Bistro

Awaking from my beautiful sleep as I slowly drew back the bed covers placing my feet into the slippers provided reaching out for the dressing gown with such hesitation as I could have simply stayed in bed all day as luxury totally enthralled my body to sheer and utter satisfaction.

I headed to the marbled bathroom where everything I needed was all at hand, the water now cascading from the shower awakening me with notes of ginger and lime from the products now ready to join the group for breakfast in the bistro.



Intimate - a room with a view directly out to the secret garden, flawlessly designed as art captures your freshly awoken eye with a delightful breakfast and fresh Italian coffee.

Exploring Florence

Stepping out of the hotel you will find much to explore in this beautiful city, The hotel is situated in one of the most prestigious areas of the city with many of Florence's major landmarks simply a short distance away, a slow paced 20 minute walk I found myself in a beautiful square where the stunning cathedral Santa Maria del Fiore took prominence.

Florence boasts an array of culture, history, restaurants, galleries, museums and art studios.

The Dimora Palanca are highly experienced and also dedicated to organizing any excursion experiences their clientele require so that they can fully enjoy the wonderful surroundings that Florence has to offer in the knowledge that they have seen the very best of Florence whether it be the vibrant Florentine Culture, Cuisine or simply the Heritage.



The 19th Century Style Villas



The Cathedral Santa Marie Del Fiore

For any further information please contact the hotel direct <https://www.dimorapalanca.com/en/en>

Direct flights can be found to Florence I flew direct with <https://www.wizzair.com>

Florence Tourist Board <https://www.en.comune.fl.it>

Accommodation bookings can also be made at <https://www.booking.com>

Please ensure you have your green card to enable you access to hotel, restaurants, bars, museums etc.

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