



# EXPECT THE UNEXPECTED.





**AS WE ARE BRINGING** 

### THE LEGENDARY EXPERIENCES FROM IBIZA TO THE SHORES OF AL MARJAN ISLAND.







Since its birth in 2011 in Ibiza, The Unexpected Hotels & Residences has been characterized as a pioneering luxury brand providing the most exclusive and unrivaled experiences and services including the perfect combination of music and entertainment for guests and visitors. Composed of two hotels and the world-renowned club: Ushuaïa Ibiza-, will at end of 2024 season welcome The Unexpected Ibiza Hotel. The property offers avant-garde design, cutting-edge technology, VIP services, and a diverse gastronomic experience, and world-class music entertainment.

Now, Almal Real Estate Development will bring the iconic The Unexpected Hotels & Residences concept to Al Marjan Island, through its recently launched collection: The Unexpected Hotels & Residences, to elevate the region's hospitality landscape with immersive wellness, musical, dining and entertainment experiences



# WHERE THE STORY UNFOLDS.





Welcome to The Unexpected Hotels & Residences, where each moment surpasses the last.

At The Unexpected, you'll find yourself enveloped in an atmosphere where luxury fills every corner and the unexpected is always present. Our hotels and residences are the stages upon which you'll continuously discover experiences designed for those seeking far more than just a stay. From the moment you step into The Unexpected, you dive into a world of contemporary elegance, accompanied by breathtaking views.

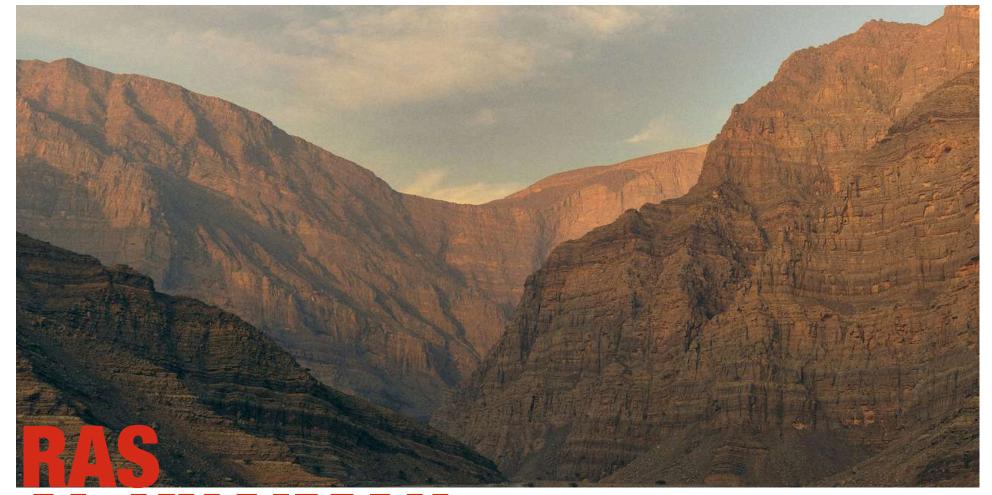
Here, the term "gourmet," often used to refer to fine dining, falls short. Because the culinary delights you'll enjoy here are simply out of this world. With the radiant sun illuminating your day, there's a special charm filled with opportunities to explore the unpredictable. As the sun sets, life at The Unexpected intensifies. The pace picks up to match your smile, setting the stage for the eagerly awaited dinner.

You'll find yourself in a private, intimate environment where, more than ever, you can truly be yourself. Your Instagram will overflow with fresh and unprecedented architecture. Your Instagram will be full of The Unexpected. And full of likes. At The Unexpected, every detail, from the decor to the service, is thoughtfully designed to inspire and enchant you. We aim to go beyond being "a luxury hotel." We strive to be unforgettable, unparalleled, unexpected. At The Unexpected Hotels & Residences, you rest, but you also celebrate living more. Because more happens here than anywhere else. You're about to experience the unexpected. You're at The Unexpected Hotels & Residences.

### BRAND STORYTELLING







## AL KHAIMAH.

With a history dating back over seven millennia, the northernmost Emirate in the UAE is now a top destination in the Middle East.

Home to pristine beaches, exclusive outlets, and world-class amenities, Ras Al Khaimah is swiftly emerging as a global luxury beachfront destination



## THE UNEXPECTED AWAITS.



## THE UNEXPECTED LOCATION.

Nestled in the heart of the captivating shores of Al Marjan Island in Ras Al Khaimah, amidst the pristine beauty of the Arabian Gulf and the first-ever casino in the UAE, The Unexpected Al Marjan Island Hotel & Residences is a destination where every sunset paints a new story and every moment is infused with possibility. But we're not just a destination; we're an experience waiting to be explored.

Welcome to the unexpected.



30 MINS. to RAK International Airport

40 MINS. to Sharjah International Airport

**50 MINS.** to Dubai International Airport





RESORTS

The highly anticipated debut of Wynn Resorts on Al Marjan Island, Ras Al Khaimah, marks a significant addition to the UAE's hospitality scene. This multi-billion dollar beachfront property, standing at 305 meters tall, promises stunning views of the Arabian Gulf. Boasting 1,500 rooms, suites, and villas, the resort will offer luxurious interiors inspired by its oceanic surroundings. Guests can indulge in upscale shopping, top-notch events facilities, an exclusive spa, 24 dining and lounge options, and a plethora of entertainment choices.



**INTRODUCING** 

## THE UNEXPECTED AL MARJAN ISLAND HOTEL & RESIDENCES.



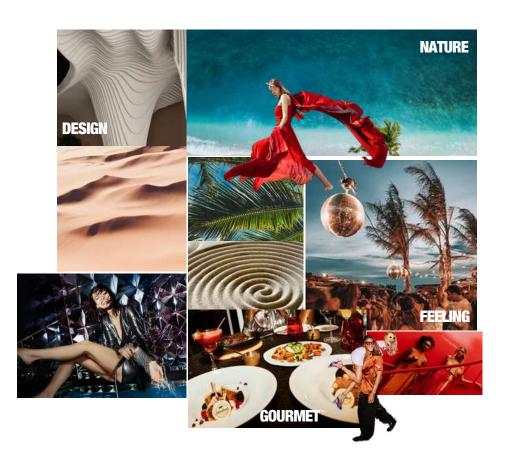


#### **GENESIS OF THE DESIGN**

## FROM IBIZA TO UAE.

#### **DESIGN NARRATIVE**

### THE BIG PICTURE



#### **Concept**

Perched gracefully on the shores of Al Marjan Island, the Unexpected Hotel and Residence embodies a striking architectural vision. Its design seamlessly integrates with the ocean waves, creating a captivating synergy with its natural surroundings. Each element of the structure harmonizes with the gentle rhythm of the sea, inviting guests to indulge in the tranquility of coastal living.

#### **Cymatics as an Artistic Phenomenon**

In a mesmerizing fusion of artistry and scientific ingenuity, our designers seamlessly integrated the concept of cymatics into the design process. Drawing inspiration from the captivating patterns formed by sound wave vibrations on various mediums like sand and water, our architectural and interior designs reflect these mesmerizing formations. Both the exteriors and interiors of the building are adorned with these marvels, infusing the space with a sense of natural wonder. This innovative approach not only captivates the eye but also fosters a profound connection to the surrounding environment, echoing the rhythmic harmony of the sea.

#### **Architecture as a Canvas**

Influenced by the tranquil allure of the coastline by day and the vibrant pulse of nightlife, our design harmonizes with these dual atmospheres. We employ light-colored materials to establish a clean and inviting ambiance during the day, seamlessly blending with the natural surroundings. However, as the sun dips below the horizon, our space undergoes a stunning transformation. Dynamic lighting, including an LED archway central to the design, illuminates the surroundings, infusing the area with an enchanting glow. Moreover, a roof canopy adorned with backlit hanging fabrics, resembling the gentle undulations of ocean waves, casts a mesmerizing play of light and shadow. Leveraging level changes strategically, we guide attention towards our immersive events while framing the breathtaking ocean views, ensuring an unforgettable experience for all who visit

#### **DESIGN NARRATIVE**

### THE BIG PICTURE

#### **Follow the Wave**

The design seamlessly incorporates the rhythm of ocean waves into the structure by extending the natural contours of the coastline into the landscape features. This ensures a harmonious flow from the exterior to the interior, with the landscape acting as a connecting thread throughout the property. Additionally, the strategic placement of vegetation and terrain elements helps enhance the aesthetic appeal and mitigate external noise, fostering a serene atmosphere within the premises.

#### **Creating Iconic Moments**

At The Unexpected Al Marjan Island Hotel and Residence, every visit promises a journey of discovery. With curated moments that evolve harmoniously with the seasons, we invite guests to embrace the thrill of the unknown, ensuring that each visit is a singular, unforgettable experience.

#### **The Unexpected Al Marjan Island Hotel and Residence**

redefines luxury living by seamlessly blending natural beauty with contemporary design. Through thoughtful planning and innovative concepts, we create a space where every moment is filled with wonder and delight, inviting quests to embark on a journey of discovery and indulgence.

#### **CYMATICS SAND PATTERNS**













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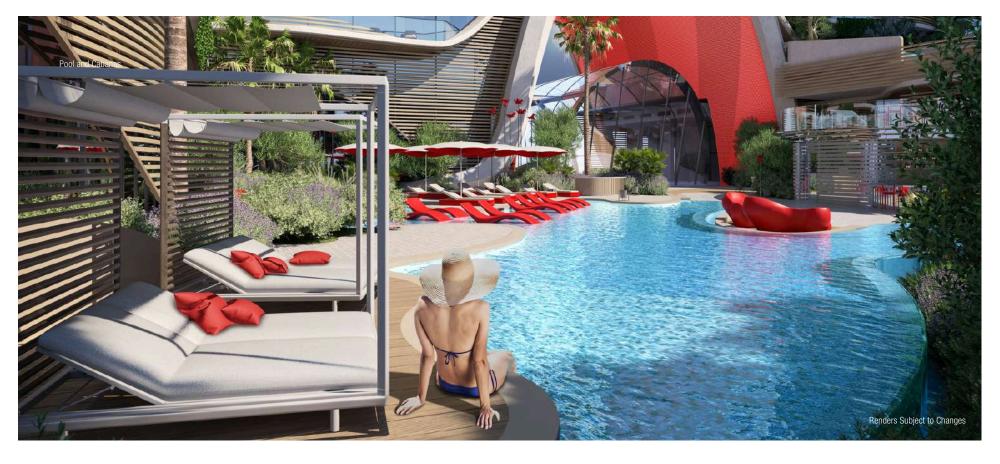












## ABOUT.

With 422 opulent rooms and suites, The Unexpected Al Marjan Island Hotel & Residences is more than just accommodation opulent rooms and suites, The Unexpected Al Marjan Island Hotel & Residences is more than just accommodation – it's an experience.

It embodies the allure of an iconic Ibiza experience transported to the shores of the UAE. The Unexpected Al Marjan Island Hotel & Residences invites guests to embark on a journey from the desert sands to the azure sea, igniting their senses with sophisticated experiences inspired by Ibiza.



422

five-star hotel rooms & residential units, all fully managed by the famed The Unexpected Hotels & Residences

8

exquisite pools with the most unexpected views and facilities

**PLUS — A REMARKABLE VARIETY OF** 

## UNEXPECTED DINING EXPERIENCES







Luxurious Accommodations



Fine Dining Restaurants



Range of Premium Event Spaces



Beach Club



Infinity Rooftop Pool



Direct Beach Access



Fitness Facilities



Spa and Wellness Center



Unexpected Retail







#### **GROUND FLOOR AMENITIES**

Beach Club with Outdoor Terrace
The Unexpected Pool Area
The Unexpected Retail
Lobby Bar
Meeting and Conference Facilities
All Day Dining with Outdoor Terrace
Oyster Terrace with Elevated Deck
Two-level Outdoor Bar with Upper Deck
Variety of Outdoor Loungers and Cabanas

#### **FIRST FLOOR VIP AMENITIES**

5 Exclusively Unexpected Suites 5 Private Pools with Viewing Deck Ultra exclusive VIP Pool Deck Plaza

#### **PROOFTOP AMENITIES**

Rooftop Restaurant & Bar Terrace VIP Garden Platform Unexpected Pool Decks Floating Plunge Pool Health Club Spa Facilities



Unexpected Dining Experiences



The Unexpected Entertainment



The Unexpected Fashion Retail



Cutting-edge meeting spaces with VIP services

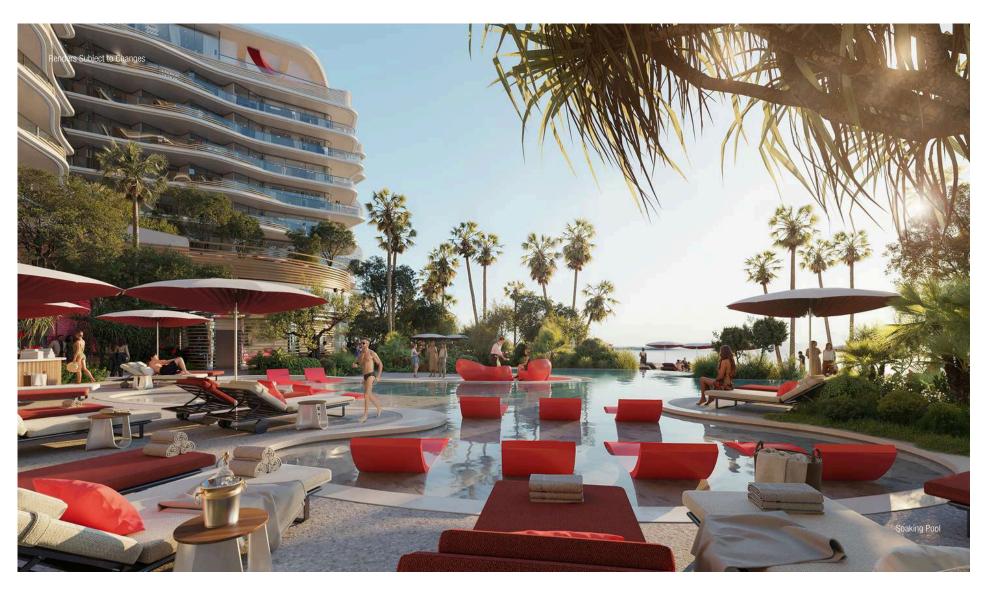


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### THE UNEXPECTED EXPERIENCES.



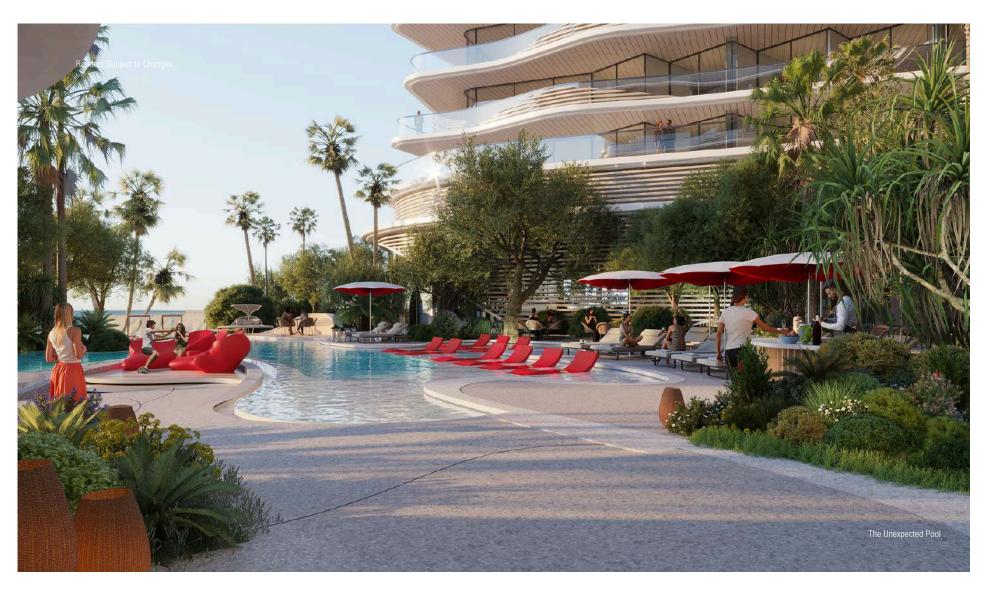


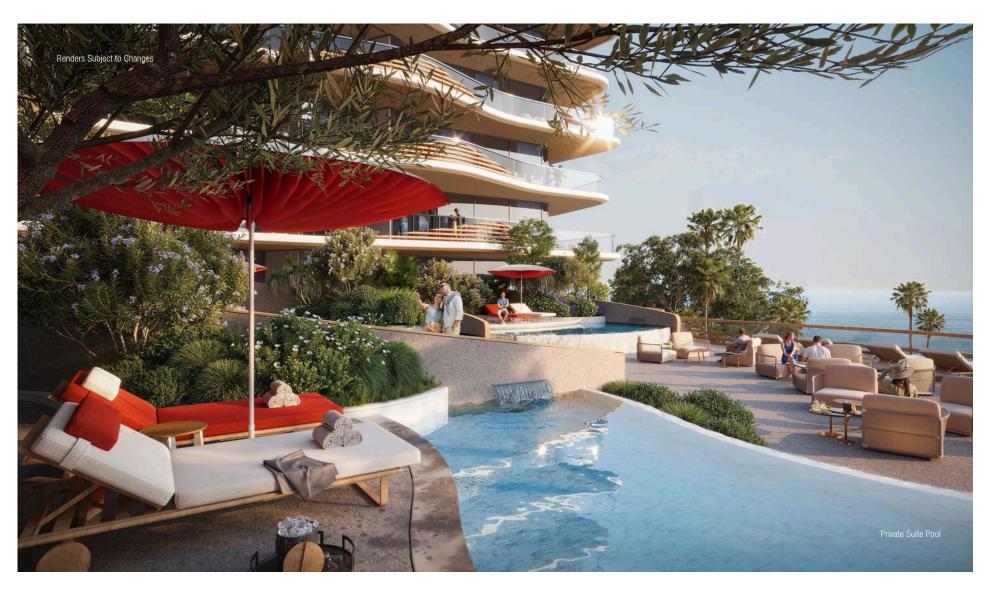
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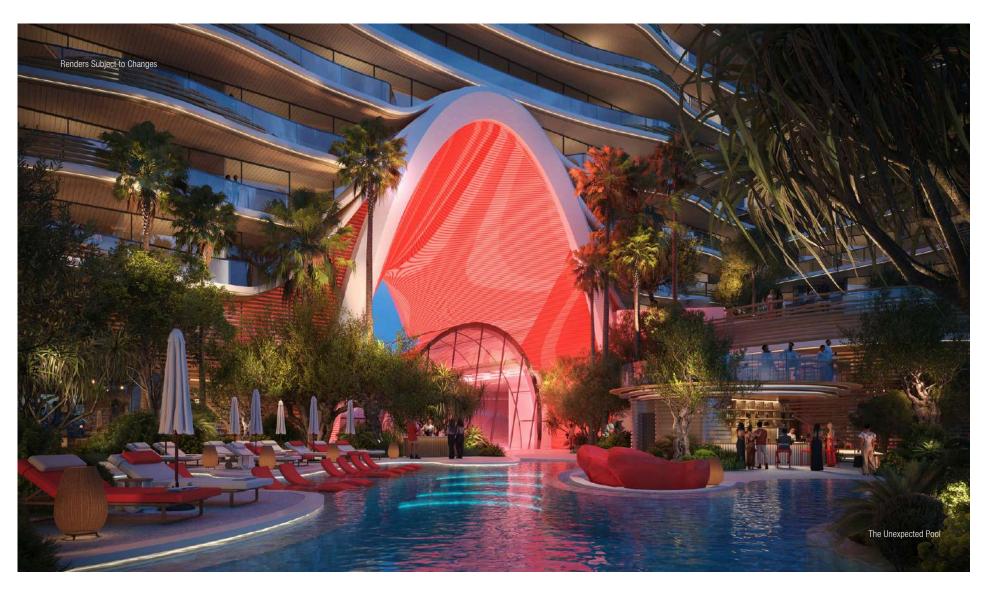


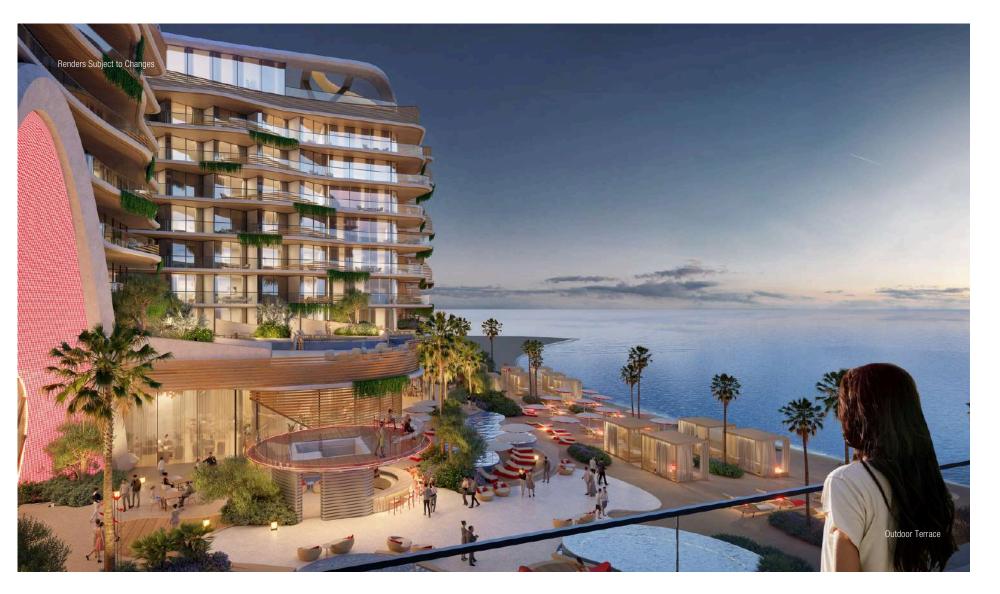
















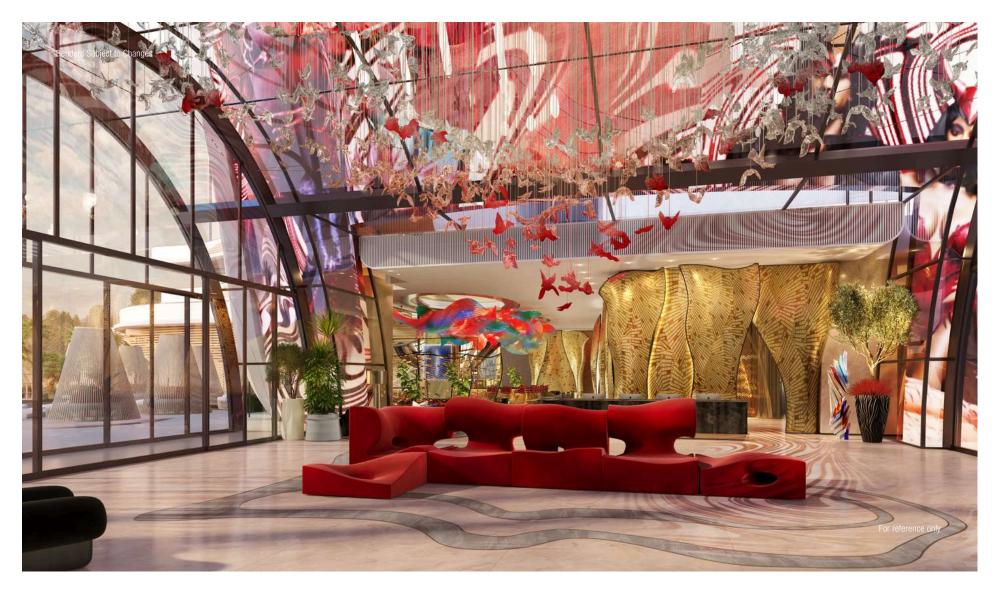




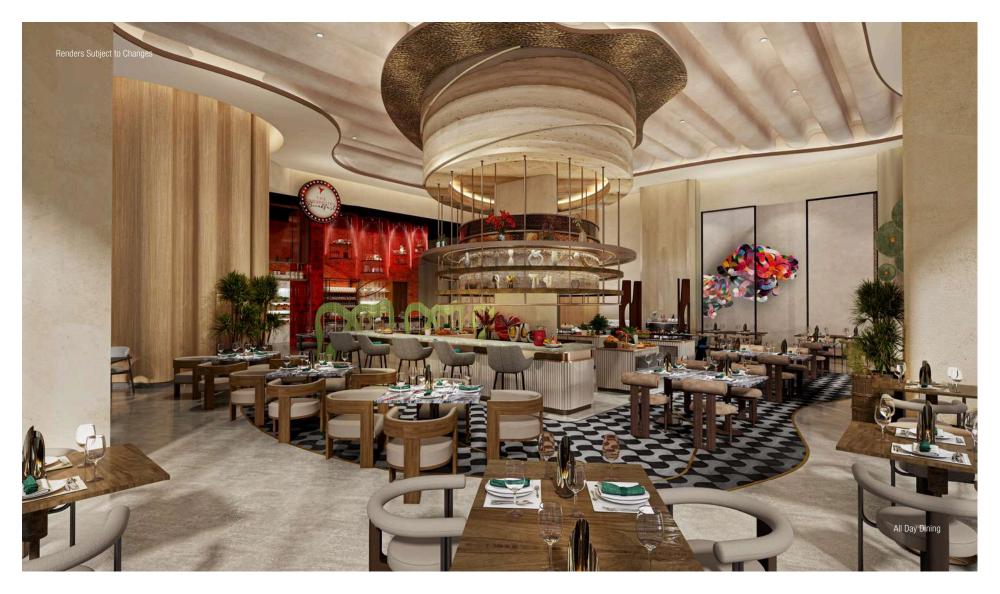


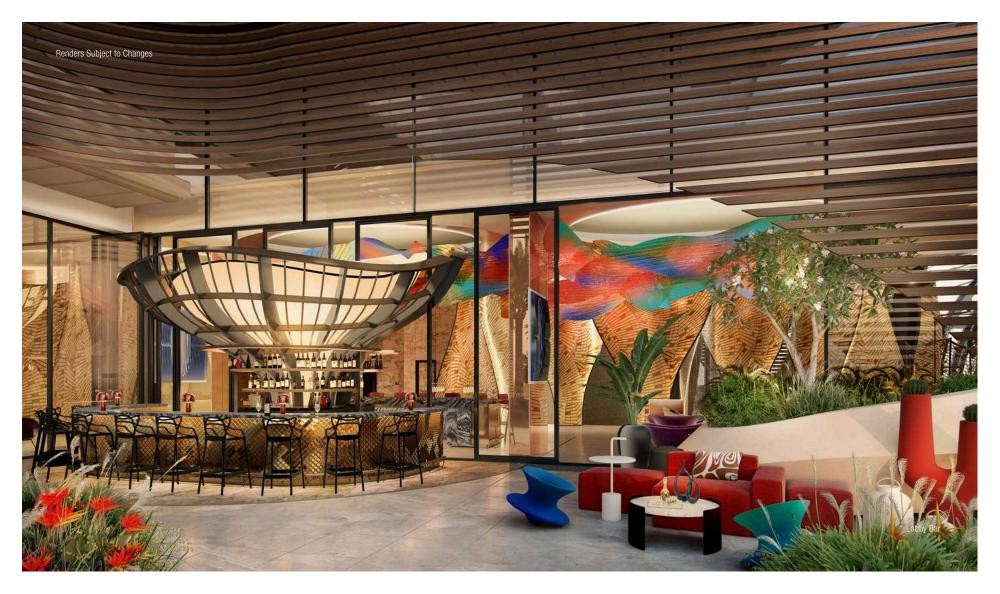
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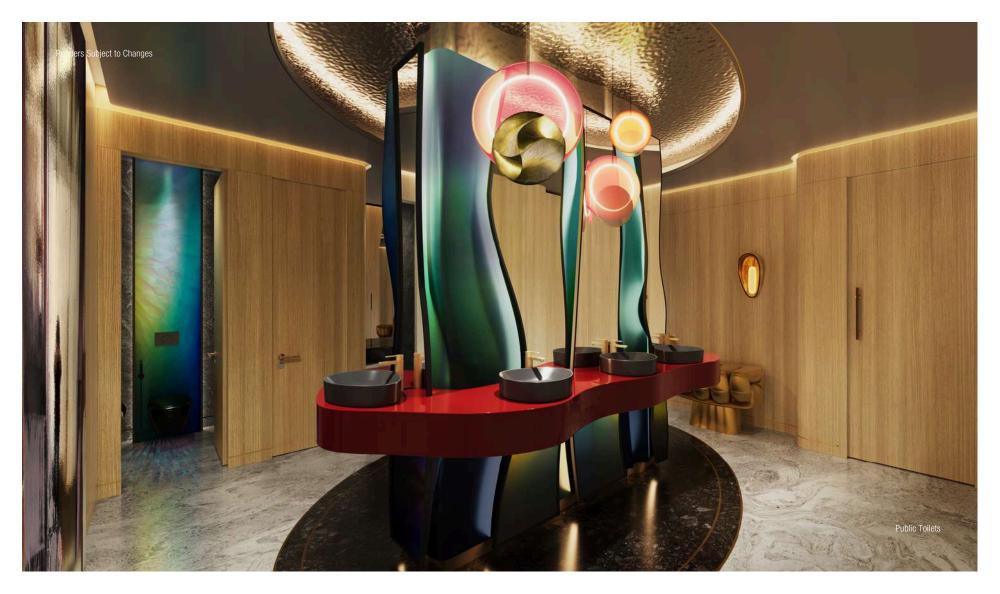






Renders Subject to Changes

Standard King Bedroom Ensuite











# **THIS PROJECT**

# IS BROUGHT TO YOU BY:



#### Real Estate Developer

ALMAL REAL ESTATE DEVELOPMENT

Almal Real Estate Development is a Dubai-based development company specializing in real estate, investments, hospitality, capital and construction management services.



#### **Hospitality Operator**

PALLADIUM HOTEL GROUP

Palladium Hotel Group is a Spanish hotel chain known for its luxurious resorts and hotels worldwide, offering stylish accommodations and exceptional hospitality experiences.

#### **Master Developer**

Al Marjan

Marjan is the leading master developer for freehold land in the Emirate of Ras Al Khaimah, offering ample development and investment opportunities with 100% foreign ownership and tax benefits.

#### Main Architect

Design & ARchitecture bureau I DAR

Our scope entails a thorough provision of Design and Engineering consultancy services spanning all stages of the project lifecycle, encompassing both the Precontract and Post Contract phases. This includes but is not limited to conceptualization, planning, design development, procurement, Project and construction management, quality assurance, and project closeout.

#### **CBRE**

With more than 130,000 professionals (including Turner & Townsend employees) in over 100 countries, CBRE is the global leader in commercial real estate services and investment.

#### Kristina Zanic

We're a dynamic team passionate about creating remarkable environments. Specializing in interior design and art curation, we serve hospitality, dining, wellness, commercial, and residential spaces worldwide. With 300+ projects across 20 countries, our services include concept development, design, FF&E selection, art curation, and site supervision for renovations and new builds.

#### Desert INK

Desert INK, a UAE-based landscape architecture firm since 2015, pioneers sustainable design. From rooftop pools to urban parks like "The Block" in Dubai Design District, our portfolio reflects innovative solutions that delight



#### Hassan Al Riyami

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#### International Engineering Center

Founded in August 1980 in the United Arab Emirates, International Engineering Center is a leading engineering consultancy firm offering full services from concept design to project supervision. With branches across the Emirates and highly qualified staff, we cater to all project needs from design to completion.





CBRE

# **Project Name**

The Unexpected Al Marjan Island Hotel & The Unexpected Al Marjan Island Residences



### **Brand Name**

The Unexpected Hotels & Residences



# **Hospitality Management Group**

Palladium Gestion, S.L.U



## **Real Estate Developer**

Owner and Real Estate Developer



