

## Philippe D. Clarinval to become new General Manager of Grand Hotel Les Trois Rois in Basel

## Press release

Basel, April 13, 2022 – The former General Manager of the Carlton Hotel St. Moritz will take over the management of the Grand Hotel Les Trois Rois in Basel as of July 1st, 2022.

With the addition of Philippe Clarinval, this renowned five-star hotel – which is a member of Swiss Deluxe Hotels and the Leading Hotels of the World organisation – gains a successful and experienced hotelier with an academic background. Philippe Clarinval: "I'm fully aware of the responsibilities of managing such a venerable hotel, and I am also very much looking forward to getting to know the historic and charming city of Basel even better with its unique location in the triborder area. But I also want to share my passion for this outstanding hotel with my future colleagues and create new, one-of-a-kind experiences for our guests."

Mr Clarinval managed the Carlton Hotel St. Moritz until 2021. Under his tenure it was awarded the prestigious Forbes 5-Star rating, among other accolades. Prior to that, he spent seven years in charge of The Omnia in Zermatt, another luxury hotel that became one of the most prestigious 5-star boutique hotels in Switzerland under his leadership. The 46-year-old native of central Switzerland previously gained international experience in Asia and the USA.

Rudolph Schiesser, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Grand Hotel Les Trois Rois SA: "We are confident that Philippe Clarinval is the right person to make our fantastic hotel even better."

Built in 1844, the Grand Hotel Les Trois Rois is one of the oldest city hotels in Europe. Located in the heart of Basel, directly on the Rhine, the hotel was meticulously and lovingly renovated by the Straumann family between 2004 and 2006 and is now one of the world's leading luxury hotels.

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