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**VISTA | PALAZZO | LAGO DI COMO
HAS ACHIEVED
GBAC STAR™ FACILITY ACCREDITATION
Reopening on May 8th 2021**



Como, April 2021 – **Vista | Palazzo | Lago di Como**, the first and only 5 star Luxury Hotel in the heart of the city of Como, part of the group Lario Hotels, has achieved the **GBAC STAR™ facility accreditation, from the Global Biorisk Advisory Council® (GBAC)**.

This remarkable and world renown accreditation ensures the strictest health and safety protocols, and Vista Palazzo, Lago di Como is one of the few hotels to achieve this – only 12 over the 33.000 facilities in Italy.

Under the guidance of GBAC, a division of ISSA, the worldwide cleaning industry association, VISTA Palazzo, Lago di Como has implemented the most stringent protocols for cleaning, disinfection and prevention of infectious disease, like SARS-CoV-2, in its facility

As part of the accreditation process, GBAC STAR™ helps organizations establish protocols and procedures, offers expert-led training and assesses a facility's readiness for biorisk situations. The program verifies that VISTA Palazzo, Lago di Como implements best practices to prepare for, respond to and recover from outbreaks and pandemics.

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“GBAC STAR accreditation empowers facility owners and managers to assure workers, customers and key stakeholders that they have proven systems in place to maintain clean and healthy environments,” said GBAC Executive Director Patricia Olinger. “By taking this important step to pursue GBAC STAR VISTA Palazzo, Lago di Como has received third-party validation that it follows strict protocols for biorisk situations, thereby demonstrating its preparedness and commitment to operating safely.”

“The care for others and for the world is what makes Lario Hotels a naturally sustainable company. Our family has always strived to assure workers, customers and stakeholders the highest standards in terms of safety and respect of work, of the territory and of the environment. This accreditation confirms it and makes us particularly proud.” – affirms **Bianca Passera, Executive Chairman of Lario Hotels.**

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ABOUT VISTA LAGO DI COMO

VISTA Palazzo, Lago di Como is the first Five Star Luxury Hotel from the group Lario Hotels, as well as the first hotel to offer a Five Star Luxury experience in the city center of Como.

Affiliated to Small Luxury Hotels of the World and part of Fine Hotels + Resorts by American Express Platinu, the hotel is result of an attentive renovation of a 19th century venetian style Palazzo, situated in the lively Piazza Cavour, the main square of Como, facing the lake.

Launched in June 2018, it offers 18 stunning suites, enriched by décor and details from the best of Italian craftsmanship. Inside, Ristorante Sottovoce – recommended by the main guides, from Michelin to Gambero Rosso, from L'Espresso to Identità Golose – is one first rooftop restaurants in the city, led by Chef Stefano Mattara.

The hotel also boasts a spectacular Infinity Bar, with two terraces offering breathtaking views.

The hotel offers high quality and customizable services: from the Outdoor Butler, the Personal Chef, the Personal Trainer and the Personal Shopper, to massages and beauty treatments in the room, as well as a wide array of exclusive experiences on the territory, like visiting the lake on board of a charming Riva motorboat or admiring the lake from a hydrofoil.

ABOUT LARIO HOTELS

One of the protagonists of Lake Como's hospitality, Lario Hotels is led by the Passera family, with its long history in the hotel and restaurant fields, and more and 100 years of experience in hospitality.

Excellent services, innovation and sustainability are the main values of the company.

The four boutique hotels, situated on Lake Como in historical buildings and near cultural landmarks, differ in style and offer an unforgettable hospitality experience.

Vista | Palazzo | Lago di Como, the first Five Star property from the group, offering 18 stunning suites and situated in the heart of the city; **Terminus**, with 50 rooms and a lakefront location; **Posta Design Hotel**, with 14 rooms and situated in the historical city centre and **Villa Flori**, with 53 rooms and a pied dans l'eau location between Como and Cernobbio. Before the end of the year, a new Vista property will be opening in the heart of Verona, a new boutique hotel format, whose philosophy is entirely centered on Italian fine living. It's a big step forward in the evolution of the Group.

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