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Holiday Inn Express Hong Kong Kowloon CBD2 Received Outstanding Hospitality Design Award (Gold)

Holiday Inn Express Hong Kong Kowloon CBD2 (“CBD2 Hotel”) received the Gold Award of Outstanding Hospitality Design - Hong Kong Boutique Hotel (Lobby and Public Areas) in HOREDA Asia Hospitality and Retail Design Awards 2021. This is the first hotel project solely constructed by Glorious Sun Group and designed by the award-winning internationally renowned architect, Rocco YIM. CBD2 Hotel is managed and operated by InterContinental Hotels Group PLC. As the award winner, CBD2 Hotel proved that its architect and interior design have achieved the level of excellence.

Asia Hospitality and Retail Design Awards is presented by Informa Markets (Organsier of HOFEX, Restaurant & Bar Hong Kong & Retail Asia Conference & Expo) and PRC Magazine. The Awards recognise the most innovative, sustainable and user-friendly designs across multiple categories, ranging from hotels, resorts, restaurants, shopping malls, retail stores and more. The event is fully supported by various government organizations including the Hong Kong Tourism Board and InvestHK.

The Outstanding Hospitality Design Award divided into 6 sectors including Inner City, Boutique Hotels, Spas, Restaurants, Bars and Café. CBD2 Hotel recognised the Gold Award in Boutique Hotels sector after a selective procedure. And it is the only boutique hotel in Hong Kong received the award.

The lobby and the public area of CBD2 Hotel are designed by Richards Basmajian Interiors Limited. Their clients included multiple 5-star hotels and they are best-known names in the field. The hotel lobby opens directly from How Ming Street, Kwun Tong and makes a striking impression on the streetscape with its colorfully lit double height core wall forming a backdrop to the lobby seating area. While seemingly abstract, the concept for the backdrop comes from the idea of a nest, giving comfort, warmth and protection to the weary traveler, formed by a tangle or braches and twigs with bright flashes of colour reminiscent of iridescent peacock feathers. It is a theme that continues throughout the hotel in the circulation areas and lift car interiors and into the hotel rooms where the branches turn to green symbolising new growth.

“The well planned strategies from Dr. Charles Yeung, the Chairman of Glorious Sun Group have motivated the CBD2 Hotel Team to take the award home. It is my pleasure to work with Glorious Sun Group and different professional parties.” Hotel designers said.

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Captions: The core wall in the hotel lobby of CBD2 Hotel



Captions: Certificate of Outstanding Hospitality Design Award (Gold)

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