

Daryn White Joins The Heathman Hotel as New General Manager

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For more than eight decades, The Heathman Hotel, has been an integral part of the city's skyline. Located in the heart of downtown Portland's cultural and financial district, The Heathman's charm, history and accessibility make it a favorite choice of business, celebrity and leisure travelers alike.

The Heathman Hotel hired Daryn White as General Manager in October. White, former General Manager at Hotel Monaco in Salt Lake City, will apply her unique expertise and vision to help strengthen and grow this iconic hotel.

As General Manager, White will oversee all property operations, sales and executive functions as well as focus on the opening of the much anticipated restaurant, Headwaters, in the reimagined dining room and the soon to launch Russian Tea in the tea court. Chef Vitaly Paley will be the third James Beard Best Chef Northwest winner to take the helm of the Portland institution, a long running dining destination in the Pacific Northwest.

White started her career in hospitality at Hotel Monaco in Portland as the Front Office Supervisor. She then took on the role of City Marketing Manager and was quickly promoted to Assistant General Manager maintaining a consistent top 5 ranking for overall guest satisfaction throughout Kimpton properties and a #2 ranked TripAdvisor hotel in Portland.

As the General Manager of the Hotel Monaco in Salt Lake City, Utah, she raised the property's TripAdvisor ranking 8 spots over 12 months.

White's vision is one of revitalization. "The Heathman Hotel is the historic gem in downtown Portland that's waiting to be brought back to life. By bringing new vitality through a vibrant caring culture and passion for the perfect guest experience to its employees, the Heathman Hotel staff will in turn create heartfelt connections during each guest interaction. These lasting memories will be what takes the Heathman Hotel to top five in TripAdvisor by 2018," according to White.

About The Heathman Hotel:

Built in 1927 and located in the heart of Portland, Ore.'s, cultural district, this 150-room luxury hotel maintains strong partnerships with local arts and culture organizations and is Portland's premier arts hotel. A luxury boutique property, The Heathman Hotel is a member of Historic Hotels of America. For reservations, or to learn more visit the website at www.heathmanhotel.com or on Facebook, Instagram or Twitter.

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