## GRAND HOTEL ET DES PALMES PALERMO

The *Grand Hotel et Des Palmes*, *urban hotel of the* 19th *century*, *still recalls its mysterious appeal*, *an iconic place* located in the heart of *Palermo*.

Built in 1856 to be the private residence of the Ingham - Whitaker family, a famous English family.

In 1874 became a *luxurious hote*l with a renovation made by the famous architect Ernesto Basile, becoming an iconic Liberty and Art Nouveau palace, *one of the most important place for the elite of "fin de siècle"*.

In 1881, in search of inspiration to complete his last opera, Richard Wagner, famous composer and exponent of the European Romanticism, stayed for almost a year with his wife Cosima Liszt in a suite named in his honor, the Presidential Suite Wagner.

Icon of culture and history, the Grand Hotel et Des Palmes 5 stars luxury has reopened its doors in June 2021 after 2 years of renovations and given it back to the city to its original splendour.

The total refurbishment of the building has brought back to light the original vision of the famous sicilian architect Ernesto Basile with the aim of respecting and at the same time to preserve its original memory.

101 rooms and suites, sophisticated and elegant, with stunning details where tradition dialogues with the desire of modernity. Some rooms also provide a terrace overlooking the city. Among them the Presidential Suite Wagner, a majestic suite with decors and the original piano dating back to the 19th century that Richard Wagner received from Franz Liszt and that was used to complete the Parsifal.

A Neobistrot, and a Mixology Bar that combine the strong sicilian tradition with new contemporary gastronomic concepts located in the sumptuous Salone degli Specchi.

A Sushi Restaurant on the Roof Garden Restaurant located on the 5<sup>th</sup> floor to experience an international cousine.

A Gym located on the 6<sup>th</sup> floor provided with the most advanced equipments.

The Grand Hotel et Des Palmes will also offer the international formula of the Condhotel with refined furniture and top-quality materials. These apartments are thought for long stay travellers or for those who want to feel like staying home when on holiday.

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