



FOUR SEASONS

VIA GESU,
MILAN.
LOMBARDIA

With its discreet entrance on Via Gesù, the welcoming and impressive Lobby bar, superb professional and friendly staff and exquisite dining, the Four Seasons has to be the place to stay in Milan – the world's most renowned centre of fashion and design.



Four Seasons Hotel Milano comprises three buildings arranged around a cloistered courtyard within Milan's quadrilatero della moda – the fashion district edged by Via Montenapoleone, Via della Spiga, Via Sant'Andrea and Via Manzoni. A 15th century convent, the headquarters of General Radetzky during the Austrian occupation and the private residence of one of the city's most important families – Four Seasons Hotel Milano has a long and illustrious history. Over the years, it has become ingrained in the psyche of the Milanese people as a sanctuary of refined elegance and impeccable service.

When the Four Seasons began converting the 18th century Palazzo d'Adda into a hotel in 1987, workmen uncovered a column and capital, which led to the discovery of the complete 15th century cloister of the convent of Santa Maria del Gesù. Six years of restoration followed, with architect Carlo Meda and interior designer Pamela Babey modifying their original designs to incorporate and highlight the remains. In the lobby, white walls set off preserved portions of frescoes and exposed brickwork. Vaulted ceilings add elegance to the spacious rooms. Eighteenth century stone carvings and stucco ceilings remain from the former palazzo. At the centre of the hotel, the granite colonnade that surrounds the main courtyard is now glassed-in, allowing year-round appreciation of the Italianate garden. The landscaping in the garden features boxwoods and laurels in a geometric design, limited to shades of green in line with 15th century drawings of convent gardens as contemplative spaces.

The overall effect is one of refined and classic elegance, of tradition and innovation – a place to unwind in style and enjoy the excellent service of the wonderful staff for whom nothing is too much effort. The Hotel's 118 rooms and suites include the eclectic Brioni Designer Suite and highly decorative Visconti Suite. Rooms offer views over the quiet inner courtyards, Via Gesù and the Milanese rooftops or private neighbouring gardens.

Dining at Four Seasons cannot be too highly recommended. With Executive Chef Sergio Mei at the helm guests can savour creative yet authentic Italian cuisine where only the very best ingredients have been sourced. La Veranda Restaurant is an enchanting venue for relaxed dining after an aperitivo in the unpretentious Lobby Bar where one will



often see notable figures meeting after work in this time honoured institution.

With all the delights of Milan on one's doorstep, the Four Seasons is the perfect venue to start or finish a holiday in Italy as well as being the ideal location for a long weekend. Elegant and stylish accommodation, exceptional cuisine and an outstanding level of service – the Four Seasons is a must for anyone visiting Milan!



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Information

Service:

- Room only or Bed & Breakfast
- Daily newspaper
- Twice daily housekeeping service
- Mini bar
- Free WI-FI internet access
- CD\Dvds selection
- IPOD docking system
- Full concierge service

Accommodation:

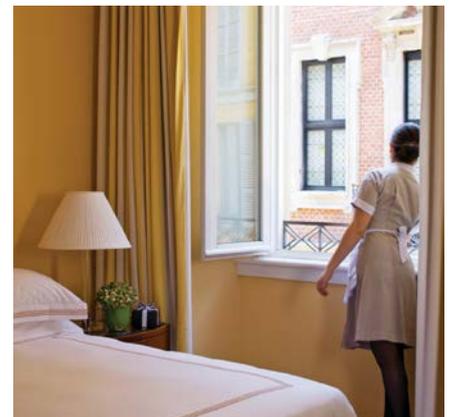
- 67 Guest rooms
- 51 Suites

General:

- Fitness Room
- SPA
- La Veranda Restaurant
- Il Foyer
- Sunday Brunch & Chocolate Room
- Function & Banqueting rooms

Local Interest:

- Boutiques of Via della Spiga & Via Montenapoleone right on your doorstep & much more
- Milan Duomo
- La Scala
- Lake Como 45mins
- Three Golf courses nearby



Airports:

- Milan Malpensa 1hr
- Milan Linate 30 mins

