

Hotel d'Inghilterra Roma – Starhotels Collezione unveils Terrazza Romana: a new rooftop tribute to Roman elegance just moments from the Spanish Steps

The iconic five-star Roman palazzo debuts its newly restored rooftop, Terrazza Romana, launching the summer season with panoramic views of the eternal city



26th of June, Rome - The iconic *Hotel d'Inghilterra Roma – Starhotels Collezione* unveils *Terrazza Romana*, a stunning new rooftop cocktail bar that crowns the hotel's extensive restoration. Perched high above the Eternal City, this elegant new venue promises to be the perfect spot to enjoy the summer, with panoramic views and an unforgettable Roman *aperitivo* experience.

Recently re-opened in September 2024 after an extensive restoration, it has been favoured by the international jet-set since its conversion into a hotel in the mid-19th century. Its superb location, **just a few steps from the iconic Spanish Steps and the glamorous Via Condotti,** and its innate elegance made it the preferred home, when in Rome, for legendary cultural and literary figures, including Mark Twain, Henry James, Elizabeth Taylor, and Gregory Peck.

The opening of Terrazza Romana adds a new layer to this legacy, inviting guests to experience the city from above with signature cocktails, exquisite canapés, and immersive design.

Created as a visual and sensory experience, the terrace displays **panoramic views of landmarks such as Villa Medici, San Carlo al Corso, the Quirinale, and the Vittoriano.** The space reflects a harmonious blend of Roman heritage and contemporary Italian craftsmanship; showcasing wrought iron furnishings, teak sofas and armchairs, and a warm **colour palette** of terracotta,





mustard, burgundy and cream, **evoking the Roman sunsets**. Artisan-glazed tiles, travertine flooring edged in grey peperino stone, and terracotta planters from Rieti surround a landscaped herb garden filled with olive trees, lemon plants, and traditional Mediterranean flora. Natural fabrics and custom-tiled tables complete the inviting setting, while a **secluded "lovers' seat"** offers a **romantic retreat with breathtaking city views**.

Open daily from 6:00 pm to 11:00 pm, Terrazza Romana offers a curated selection of drinks, from bespoke cocktails created by the **Head Barman Angelo Di Giorgi**, to timeless favourites such as spritzes, martinis, and muddled classics. **Mocktails** and **alcohol-free options** are thoughtfully included, alongside sparkling wines, both traditional and non-alcoholic, for a celebratory touch. For those lingering into the night, a refined selection of **Italian liquors**, **amari and gin** provides an elegant after-dinner experience. The drink menu is complemented by a tailored assortment of **canapés by Executive Chef Andrea Sangiuliano**, who brings seasonal ingredients and culinary finesse to every bite.

To complete the culinary experience, the hotel is also home to **Café Romano**, where Chef Sangiuliano presents a contemporary take on traditional Roman and Italian dishes. With summer's arrival, the restaurant's patio on Via Borgognona, a quiet pedestrian street lined with elegant boutiques, offers an inviting space for anything, from a coffee break to an al fresco dinner. The adjacent Cafè Romano Lounge Bar, known for its expertly crafted martinis, retains its timeless allure with antique mirrors, restored wood paneling, and an intimate atmosphere that continues to attract guests from Rome's cultured circles.

The debut of Terrazza Romana marks a new chapter in the Hotel d'Inghilterra's storied legacy—one defined by elegance, innovation, and a deep devotion to offering guests an authentic and elevated Roman experience.

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Few locations in Rome can boast a history as prestigious as that of the Hotel d'Inghilterra Roma - Starhotels Collezione, since the 19th century a favorite of the international élite and the Roman nobility for its magnificent location, just a few steps from the iconic Spanish Steps and the glamorous Via Condotti, and its innate elegance. The hotel has recently reopened, after an extensive restyling that enhances its historical charm, celebrating its legendary history.

Since its opening in the 19th century, the hotel has been the favored destination for the many travelers of the era, particularly artists and intellectuals embarking on the Grand Tour. Over the years, the hotel's refined atmosphere has continued to attract writers and international celebrities, such as Oscar Wilde, Mark Twain, Ernest Hemingway, Hans Christian Andersen, Henry James, Elizabeth Taylor, Gregory Peck and Audrey Hepburn.

Now fully restored with the expertise of master craftsmen, the rooms and suites are elegantly furnished, each with its own distinct character and design. The offerings are further enhanced by the Café Romano, a refined and cosmopolitan space where guests can indulge in Mediterranean cuisine and sample carefully selected wines, as well as the Café Romano Lounge Bar, the intimate English Bar of the hotel, with its seducing allure and exceptional location.

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