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Barry White visits from Langham Hotels International for Chuan Spa Auckland launch

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Mr Barry White, Director of Spa Operations for Langham Hotels International is visiting New Zealand to oversee the launch of Chuan Spa. Mr White was appointed to the role to manage the global operations quality of Chuan Spa.

As Langham Hotels International expands its Chuan Spas in line with the group's hotel development plans, Mr White will be responsible for ensuring consistency of all spa facilities within the portfolio to exacting brand standards.

Bob van den Oord, Vice President of Sales and Marketing says: "Barry has demonstrated a consistent and innovative eye to the vision of Chuan Spa as we engage our consumers on their journey to wellness. He is able to bring ideas and creative touches which are in line or even ahead of spa trends."



Barry was most recently Chuan Spa Director at Langham Place, Mongkok, Hong Kong which was nominated for several awards including Best Hong Kong Spa in the South China Morning Post Style Awards and Travel Weekly Asia Awards and winning Best Male Spa Treatments in 2006 at the Asia Spa Baccarat Awards.

Prior to his work at Langham Place, Mongkok, Hong Kong, Barry's career included positions in Central London and Australia.

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Notes :

Chuan Spa is the signature spa facility of Langham Hotels International featuring a range of specially-created pampering spa treatments based on the principles of Traditional Chinese Medicine (TCM).

“Chuan” in Chinese means flowing water. As the source of life, water represents the re-birth and re-balancing of one’s whole being. Chuan is amongst the very first hotel spas to incorporate principles of Traditional Chinese Medicine into its signature treatments and operational details from ambience, décor, unique TCM breathing ritual, tea, and private-label products.

The Langham Auckland is a five-star 410 room property with seven different room and suite categories. It is one of only two New Zealand properties that belong to ‘Leading Hotels of the World’, an association representing the world’s finest five-star hotels.

Chuan Spa is a member of the Best Spas of New Zealand tourism network.
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IMAGE: Barry White, Director of Spa Operations, Langham Hotels International (LHI)

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