

## The 202-room hotel opens in the heart of Old Dubai, United Arab Emirates

**CHICAGO (April 22, 2019)** – [Hyatt Hotels Corporation](#) (NYSE: H) announced today the official opening of [Hyatt Place Dubai/Wasl District](#), marking the third property under Hyatt’s select service brand portfolio in the United Arab Emirates. The hotel joins Hyatt Place Dubai/Ai Rigga and Hyatt Place Dubai/Baniyas Square in increasing the number of contemporary yet affordable hospitality offerings in the city. The opening of the property brings Hyatt hotels in the UAE to 10 properties.

The Hyatt Place brand is rooted in the provision of stylish, comfortable and seamless experiences for guests, accommodating guests’ needs through purposeful service and an overall uncomplicated stay. Located in the heart of Deira in Old Dubai, the property places guests in close proximity to key landmarks such as the heritage and diving village, the Creek, the famed spice and gold souks as well as numerous retail, dining and entertainment outlets. Furthermore, connectivity is yet another strong suit offered by the location, as Hyatt Place Dubai/Wasl District is close to key metro, dhow cruise and taxi stations.

“We look forward to hosting guests both local and international alike as we introduce them to the modern comforts of a Hyatt Place property,” shares Fathi Khogaly, cluster general manager. “The hotel will provide travellers with a unique stay through the design, amenities and warm hospitality offered by the entire team.”

“The decision to introduce a third Hyatt Place property stems from its seamless integration into the city’s contemporary appeal, prioritizing consistent development,” said Kurt Straub, vice president of operations, Middle East, Africa and South West Asia, Hyatt. “We’re seeing an increased guest demand for our select service portfolio and as such are meeting these demands across the UAE and KSA. We plan to continue to expand our brand presence across the Middle East, as part of our pipeline of development for the region.”

Hyatt Place Dubai/Wasl District offers:

- **202 stylish guestrooms**, including 10 suites, with separate spaces to sleep, work and play, as well as a Cozy Corner sofa-sleeper
- **Free Wi-Fi** and remote printing available throughout the rooms and suites
- **Gallery Kitchen Breakfast** serving a selection of classic breakfast items, fresh fruits, local and regional specialties
- **Gallery Café** offering healthy options of multi-cuisine specialties for lunch and dinner, as well as an array of dining options for families
- **24/7 Gallery Market** featuring a range of convenient and delicious “grab ‘n go” options to curb hunger pangs any time of the day
- **Coffee to Beverages Bar** providing guests with the ideal space to socialize with friends and other guests, over a freshly prepared beverage. The venue also offers light bites and a range specialty coffees
- **Meeting spaces amassing over 300 square meters**, designed for clients hosting stylish and flexible small-scale business meetings, conferences or celebrating special occasions. Guests can also opt to incorporate caterings and hosts, easing the planning. Those looking for alternative spaces can make use of the outdoor venue for a break-out sessions and dinners.
- **24-Hour Gym** offering state of the art equipment
- **Rooftop temperature-controlled swimming pool**

For more information about the hotel, please visit [www.hyattplacedubaiwasldistrict.com](http://www.hyattplacedubaiwasldistrict.com)

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