

## 大连城堡酒店/WATG

The Dalian Castle Hotel by WATG

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大连城堡酒店依偎于大连市莲花山山脉之中, 观景视野开阔, 可俯瞰著名的星海湾和黄海的壮丽景致, 酒店独特的城堡建筑外观格外引人注目。2014年11月, 该酒店正式对外营业, 它是全球知名企业——喜达屋酒店与度假村国际集团旗下的系列豪华精选酒店之一。

大连是一座很受大众追捧的中国东部滨海旅游城市, 这里风景迷人, 如诗如画, 享有“浪漫之都”的美誉, 城市建筑风格迥异, 贸易业与商业尤为发达。作为全新的地标性建筑, 城堡酒店与繁华的都市景观完美地融为一体。在酒店设计的初始阶段, 首席建筑设计师托马斯·佛与项目负责人格雷戈里·维勒加斯, 凭借着创造性思维将该酒店的风格定位为豪华宫殿式建筑, 而WATG其他参与该项目的建筑设计师则赋予其更为具象的童话城堡宫殿设计理念, 让住客们都能充分体验童话般纯真却又极尽奢华的酒店氛围。在蔚蓝的天空、苍翠的山坡以及浩瀚的大海等自然美景的映衬中, 整个酒店的建筑轮廓分外醒目, 宏伟大气, 令人神往。每每住客们抵达山顶的酒店下客区, 无不对眼前这座壮观的童话宫殿式建筑赞叹不已。

酒店大堂气派而富丽, 且自然光照十分充足, 酒店内除292间标准客房外, 还设有67套酒店式公寓和60套高端公寓, 规模宏大却不失精致典雅; 而诸如世界顶级餐厅、玻璃外墙暖房、树篱迷宫游乐园、传统英式庭园、景观瞭望塔、凯撒水疗中心、休闲遮阳篷、静水池边的别致小教堂等形式多样的酒店游乐设施, 都给予住客们别样愉悦的住店体验。此外, 这座集奢华与浪漫于一体的城堡酒店也是举办婚礼和各式庆典活动的理想场所, 令人惊叹的皇家套房、新婚套房、蜜月套房以及其他各式海景客房、山景客房、城市景观客房等系列客房一应俱全, 满足各类住客的不同需求。精妙的建筑设计、完备的功能设施与独特的城堡体验, 住客们游走其间, 目不暇接。酒店内的各式游乐设施更是为住客们带来无尽的乐趣, 昼夜不停的游乐活动让这座城堡酒店变身成为名副其实的童话乐园。

独特而鲜明的建筑细节使得大连城堡酒店成为当之无愧的地标性建筑, 令人流连忘返, 得到当地和外来游客的一致好评。开业仅数月, 该酒店便获得“中国北方明珠”的高度赞誉。



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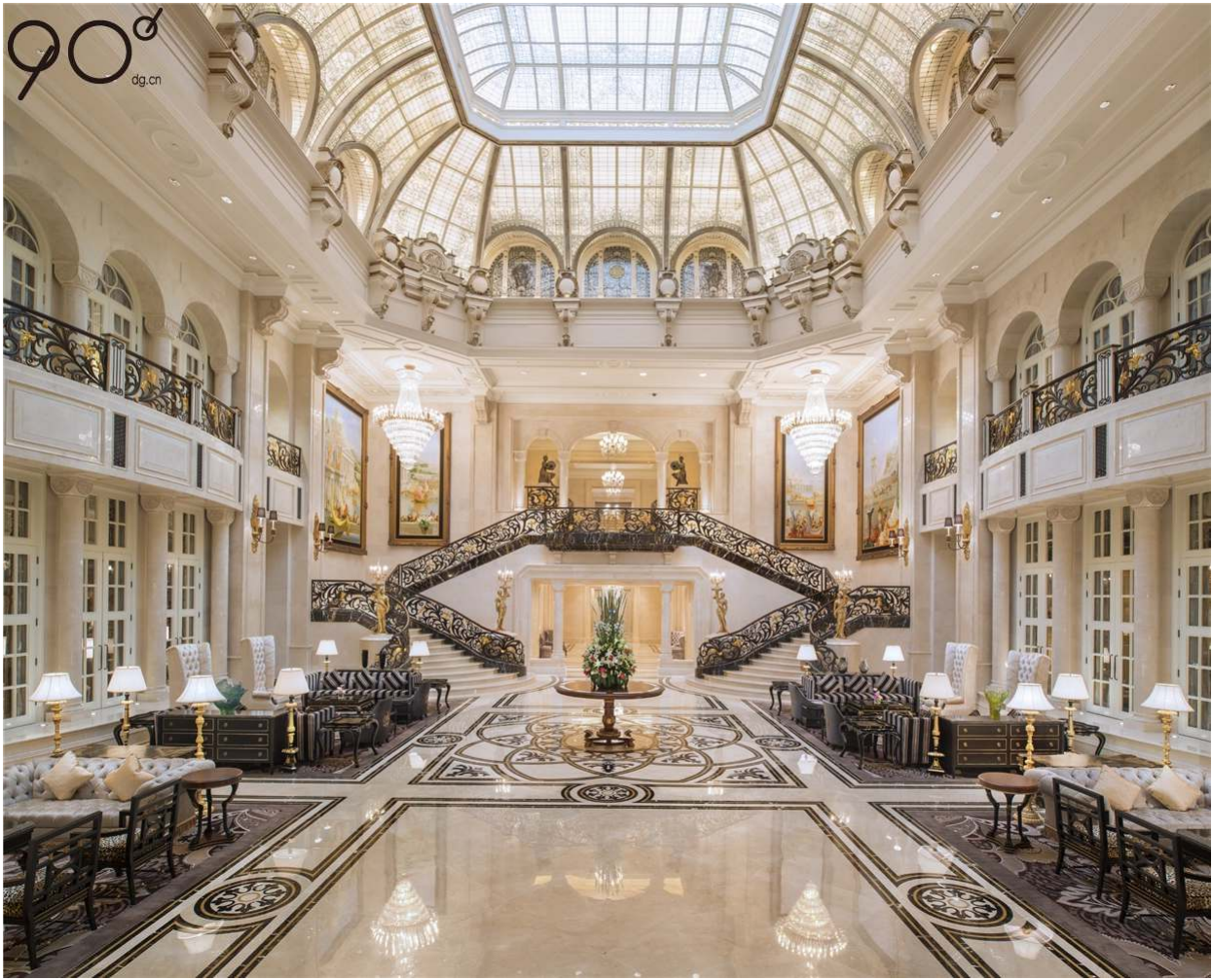


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Overlooking Xinghai Bay and the Yellow Sea in Northeast China, a new sparkling hotel jewel opened its portals November 2014. Nestled in between the fabled mountain scenery, Starwood Hotels & Resorts Worldwide manages the hotel as part of their Luxury Collection Hotels.

Dalian is a favorite coastal tourist destination often described as the city of romance and with a reputation for its picturesque scenery with diverse architecture, trade and commerce. Therefore, the new landmark blends in perfectly. Tom Fo, lead designer of the project, and project manager Greg Villegas are the creative minds behind the palatial building. From the beginning, the WATG architects had the destination and a fairytale guest experience in mind. The architecture of the building offers a majestic silhouette against the backdrop of blue skies and mountainside. Surrounded by natural beauty and enticing views of the sea below, glimpses of the castle above are revealed through the splendidly manicured landscape. At the top of the drive upon arrival, guests experience an unforgettable kinglike fairytale story.

The naturally illuminated grand lobby of this 292-room luxury hotel with additional 67 serviced apartments and 60 high-end condominiums creates a uniquely majestic ambience. World-class restaurants, a glass canopy conservatory, hedge mazes, English-style gardens, lookout towers, a Kaiser Spa, a gazebos and a charming chapel encircled by a reflecting pool are features intended to create for each guest a unique experience. The castle is an ideal location for weddings and anniversaries offering breathtaking royal suites double as bridal or honeymoon suites and other guestrooms with spectacular ocean, mountain, or city views. Intuitively designed, functionality and flow of the castle allows guests the ease to move from one luxurious setting to the next. Rich with amenities, the Dalian Castle offers activities from sunrise to sunset and into the night.

Unique and distinctive architectural details make the Dalian Castle a memorable and iconic structure to locals and tourists alike. Only a few months after its grand opening, Dalian Castle received a meaningful designation "Pearl of Northern China".

#### 设计师简介

#### Designers' Profile:



设计师：托马斯·佛  
Designer: Thomas Fo



设计师：格雷戈里·M·维勒加斯  
Designer: Gregory M. Villegas

#### 托马斯·佛

托马斯·佛，WATG副总裁，早年毕业于圣莫尼卡南加州建筑学院，之后陆续入职加州多家建筑设计企业，负责相应的设计与管理工作。

1985年，托马斯入职WATG，一直在企业的大部分重要游乐及酒店建筑设计项目中担任关键职务，其中包括：拥有3 036间客房的威尼斯度假村酒店及娱乐场、拉斯维加斯大运河购物中心，以及拥有500间客房的大西洋城康纳赌场及度假酒店——这是一座集零售、餐饮、娱乐场所于一体的综合性酒店设施。

此外，托马斯还在全球各地的许多重量级主题酒店和度假村项目中主持设计工作，并曾担任若干迪士尼项目的高级项目设计师，其中包括：沃尔特迪士尼世界内的大佛罗里达海滨度假村、香港迪士尼乐园酒店、日本东京迪士尼乐园酒店等。托马斯的其余酒店项目作品还包括：威尼斯度假村酒店及娱乐场、拉斯维加斯赌场及度假酒店、中国海南海口度假酒店、中国澳门上葡京豪华酒店等等，其酒店设计足迹遍及世界各地。



**Thomas Fo**

Thomas Fo is vice president of WATG. After graduation from the Southern California Institute of Architecture in Santa Monica, Thomas Fo practiced with several California architectural firms in both design and management positions.

Since joining WATG in 1985, Thomas has worked in key roles on most of the firm's high profile gaming projects including: the 3,036-room Venetian Resort-Hotel-Casino and Grand Canal Shoppes in Las Vegas; and the Tropicana Casino and Resort in Atlantic City, a 500-room casino hotel with retail, dining and entertainment venues.

Thomas has led design efforts on numerous major themed hotels and resorts around the globe, and has served as senior project designer for several completed Disney projects including: Disney's Grand Floridian Beach Resort at Walt Disney World, Florida; The Disneyland Pairs Hotel; the Hong Kong Disneyland Hotel; Tokyo Disneyland Hotel, Japan and other world famous destinations such as The Venetian Resort-Hotel-Casino and the Tropicana Casino and Resort Renovation in Las Vegas, Haikou Hotel and Resort in Hainan, and the Lisboa Palace in Macau.

**格雷戈里·M·维勒加斯**

格雷戈里·M·维勒加斯，美国建筑师协会会员，WATG建筑施工及全面配套服务团队助理副总裁，在酒店、休闲和住宅等项目方面拥有30年的丰富从业经验及团队协作经验。

格雷戈里于1997年入职WATG，担任高级项目建筑设计师，在建筑和工程领域拥有丰富的从业经验，且在项目管理、协调等方面处事灵活、稳妥。

格雷戈里主要主持WATG建筑施工及全面配套服务团队的相关工作。从设计构思直至项目竣工，他一直负责众多大型国际性项目的整个运作过程管理，其中包括：弗吉尼亚沙罗曼达度假酒店、中国象山希尔顿度假酒店、中国海口度假酒店及会展中心、加州亨廷顿海滩凯悦酒店度假村及水疗中心、中国澳门上葡京豪华酒店等等。

格雷戈里十分擅长与客户、顾问、承包商和公共机构等保持良好的合作关系；在施工合同的执行审查与项目考察（包括实地考察），以及项目手册、招标要求和规范等方面也有着丰富的管理与协调经验。

**Gregory M. Villegas**

Gregory M. Villegas, AIA Member, Associate Vice President and Director of Construction & Full Services, brings to the team over 30 years of experience in hospitality, leisure and residential projects.

He joined WATG in 1997 and has extensive experience in the architectural and construction field with a specialization in project management, coordination, and as a Senior Project Architect.

Gregory leads the Full Services Studio of WATG as Director of Construction. He has been responsible for the management of a broad range of international projects, from conception through completion. He worked on remarkable projects such as Salamander Resort and Spa in Virginia; Hilton Xiangshan Resort Hotel in Xiangshan; Haikou Resort & Conference Center in Haikou, Hyatt Regency Huntington Beach Resort in California, and the Lisboa Palace in Macau - just to mention a few.

Gregory's expertise includes a rapport with clients, consultants, contractors and public agencies; managing the review and observation of the administration of construction contracts (including field observation); and project manuals, bidding requirements and specifications.

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