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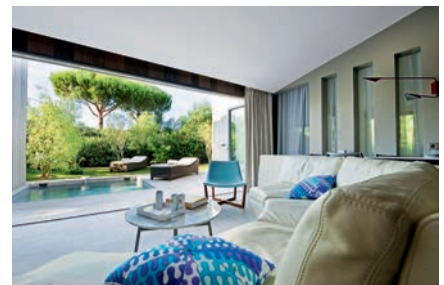


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HOTEL SEZZ SAINT-TROPEZ AN INTIMATE RETREAT

Created in July 2010, Hotel Sezz lies secluded in a wooded park just minutes from the beaches, on the famous 'Presqu'île'. Upon arrival, guests immediately feel like they've stepped into a glamorously relaxed holiday dream. Here is the equivalent of Saint Barts' legendary atmosphere, barefoot and free. A formal reception is nowhere in sight. Instead, a personal assistant welcomes each guest, getting them better acquainted with the hotel's modus operandi and remains available throughout their stay. The complex of low buildings includes 37 guestrooms, suites and villas, grouped around the central pool area where socialites lounge on furniture designed by Christophe Pillet. This is the place to relax, listening to the wind brushing through the tall surrounding trees. The main building is a place of further indulgence, with its Dom Perignon champagne bar, the restaurant Colette

and the Spa Sezz by Payot. Ground to floor glass walls and oversized windows are used generously throughout the resort, resulting in light-filled rooms where indoor-outdoor blend seamlessly. Interiors reflect the 1950's color code with a mix of white, light grey, dark brown, light blue and saffron. The extravagant mustard hues of the carpets and the red tones of the light fixtures and linens highlight the subdued palette of local materials. Christophe Pillet has designed all of the furniture and objects for various Italian and American furniture brands. To further enhance the Mediterranean ambience created by architecture and design, landscape designer Christophe Ponceau has created lush gardens with olive, palm and pine trees, mimosas as well as fig and lemon trees. The vegetation serves as a contrast to the buildings, breathing life into the curvaceous, graceful design. Guests may choose to bicycle to picnic



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on the beach des Canebières, a mere 200 meters away, drive to the village for some shopping (chauffeur-driven ride provided) or lounge by the pool. Should they be as keen about Polo as the owner-conceptor Shahé Kalaidjian, an avid Polo player, games and training lessons are available at the nearby Polo Club de Saint-Tropez-Gassin.