

## **Business News – New Appointment**

### **Mirko Gardelliano returns to the Breidenbacher Hof as Director of Food & Beverage**

Düsseldorf, September 3, 2025 – The Breidenbacher Hof is delighted to welcome back a familiar face: Since July 15, 2025, Mirko Gardelliano has rejoined the iconic luxury hotel as Director of Food & Beverage. In his new role, he is responsible for the hotel's entire culinary direction, overseeing the restaurant *The Duchy*, as well as In-Room Dining, the Lobby Lounge, and the hotel bar.

From 2008 to 2010, Gardelliano already left his mark on the Breidenbacher Hof as Bar Manager of the former Capella Bar & Cigar Lounge, which received multiple awards as "Bar of the Year." Now, he returns with a wealth of international experience from leading hospitality establishments. His career has taken him to renowned destinations such as the Mandarin Oriental Bangkok and the Water Library Hospitality Group in Thailand, where he most recently served as Director of Operations.

*"With Mirko Gardelliano, we are gaining not only an internationally experienced professional, but also a creative mind who already knows and understands our hotel exceptionally well. His passion for outstanding hospitality, combined with his expertise in F&B management, makes him the ideal candidate for this key position."*

– Cyrus Heydarian, Managing Director, Breidenbacher Hof

In addition to overseeing the operational and strategic management of the F&B division, Gardelliano will focus on further developing culinary concepts, fostering young talent, and ensuring the highest quality standards. A particular priority for him is the authentic culture of hospitality.

*"For me, the guest is always at the center – every visit to the Breidenbacher Hof should not only impress with culinary excellence but also with warmth and unique experiences that create lasting memories."*

– Mirko Gardelliano, Director of Food & Beverage

With his return, the Breidenbacher Hof reinforces its commitment to combining culinary excellence and exceptional service across all outlets, while consistently setting new standards.



About BREIDENBACHER HOF:

Located directly on the famous Königsallee in the historic center of Düsseldorf, the Breidenbacher Hof combines modernity and lifestyle with a rich tradition and history. The legendary hotel offers its guests a holistic sense of well-being. Through the first-class, personalized service of its team and a carefully curated, versatile offering, every stay at the Breidenbacher Hof becomes a truly unique experience. The property, owned by a Kuwaiti family, is part of the exclusive Small Luxury Hotels of the World association and a proud member of the Selektion Deutscher Luxushotels. Cyrus Heydarian serves as Managing Partner of the operating company and leads the hotel with great dedication.

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