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A weekend with Le Corbusier in Madrid staying in a very design minded hotel

This latest *Le Corbusier* exhibition is a must for architecture and planning aficionados and for those in love of design.

The perfect place to stay is Hotel Urban, based at the very heart of Spain's capital *Golden Triangle of Art*.

Many will know Le Corbusier only because of the chaise lounge, cubic sofas and other of his furniture classics that can cost up to 5 figures, but he was of course not just the father of modern architecture, but also an interior designer, urban planner, photographer, writer and an artist.

Le Corbusier: An Atlas of Modern Landscapes, an exhibition that opened this June in art gallery CaixaForum-Madrid is a must for architecture and planning aficionados.

The retrospective focuses on the different places, buildings and landscapes Le Corbusier visited and imagined throughout his life and career, and how he translated observation into artistic renderings and inspiration for his work. Paintings, sketches, photos, audio, films, models and five reconstructed interiors draw you into this universe.

Count art to go to sleep

Just ten minutes walking distance from the CaixaForum-Madrid art gallery, a postmodern industrial building that blends seamlessly in amongst Madrid's old town, you find **Hotel Urban**. A boutique hotel just right in the middle of Spain's capital *Golden*



Triangle of Art formed by the Prado Museum, the Thyssen-Bornemisza

and the Fundación Reina Sofia.

With a swimming pool under the blue sky by day, an exclusive space under the moonlight by night, a spectacular outdoor terrace connected to the heart of the city and an avant-garde architecture, **Hotel Urban** is a winner for its location.

Madrid's best views with *tapas*

The Urban Hotel **Europa Decó** restaurant and **Glass Bar** (Cocktails, Oyster-Bar & Tapas) are considered one of the biggest gastronomic attractions of the city.

In this summer's terrace of Hotel Urban, you can experience a new variety of Tequila cocktails. These trendsetting cocktails range from refreshing Margaritas to surprising combinations such as Casera, Mezcal Aloe Vera and grapefruit, the Blue Margarita with Peaches Liqueur, lemon, blue curacao and agave worm salt or the Minerva made of Tequila, Aloe Vera, strawberry, tomato and spicy salt. In total 27 new cocktails and as it is read in the menu, a new world to discover. Whilst some *tapas* not to be missed are *salmorejo*, *piquillos crujientes*, premium Spanish ham, mini gourmet hamburgers and hot dogs, salmon *Mi-cuit*, makis, naguiris, the oysters and home made sweet delicacies.

If after seeing *Le Corbusier: An Atlas of Modern Landscapes* you are craving for more art, get the **Urban's Art & Stay package** which gives free access for two people to over 50 museums and discounts for shows, leisure areas of the city, shops, top bars and restaurants of the capital.

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A lover of hotels, art and culture, Jordi Clos is Derby Hotels Collection CEO and Joaquim Clos, Managing Director. The Clos family's style and identity can be seen in every corner of their hotels and apartments.

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