

**COMO Hotels and Resorts appoints
Peter Nilsson as Managing Director for Maldives properties**



Maldives - November 2024 COMO Hotels and Resorts has appointed Peter Nilsson as Managing Director for the Maldives, where he will oversee COMO Cocoa Island and COMO Maalifushi. Nilsson brings an extensive background and a commitment to excellence, ensuring exceptional guest experiences and operational cohesion across the Group's properties in Maldives.

Nilsson, a Swedish hotelier with an affable view on life, is no stranger to Maldives. With over 30 years of experience in luxury hospitality, he had managed luxury hotels and resorts across Asia, Indian Ocean and the Pacific with notable brands such as Ritz-Carlton, Soneva, Six Senses, Conrad and Anantara. Prior to joining COMO, Nilsson served as Chief Executive Officer at Banwa Private Island, an exclusive estate in Palawan, Philippines.

Located on two secluded islands in the Maldives, COMO Cocoa Island and COMO Maalifushi each offer guests immersive experiences, anchored by COMO Shambhala's award-winning holistic wellness offerings. COMO Cocoa Island in South Malé Atoll is an intimate island with 33 overwater villas and a deep respect for its natural surroundings. COMO Maalifushi, the only resort in Thaa Atoll, with 59 overwater and beach accommodations, along with a vibrant range of experiences, such as diving, surfing and fly fishing.

With his wealth of expertise, Nilsson is tasked with driving operational excellence, strategic growth, resource optimisation, and team engagement, while ensuring an exceptional guest experience and enhancing operational cohesion.

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About the COMO Group and COMO Hotels and Resorts

The COMO Group, headquartered in Singapore, represents Christina Ong's unique vision of contemporary living. The Group encompasses the hospitality collection, COMO Hotels and Resorts, which offers personalised luxury travel experiences through individualised service, a commitment to holistic wellness, and award-winning cuisine. Each hotel is developed in response to the destination it inhabits. The Group also includes the international luxury fashion retailer Club 21, the award-winning wellness concept COMO Shambhala, COMO Lifestyle including COMO Dempsey in Singapore and the philanthropic COMO Foundation.

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About COMO Cocoa Island

COMO Cocoa Island is an intimate resort located in South Malé Atoll featuring 33 overwater villas, including the iconic Dhoni Villas inspired by traditional Maldivian fishing boats. The villas are beautifully appointed with high ceilings, airy interiors, and floor-to-ceiling windows opening to spacious decks. The resort's main restaurant offers International cuisine with Mediterranean influences, and bar with sunset views. Its COMO Shambhala Retreat offers holistic wellness services, a hydrotherapy pool, a Pilates studio with Cadillac-Reformer, gym, and an oceanfront facing yoga pavilion. Surrounded by a vibrant turquoise lagoon rich with marine life, guests can enjoy activities like diving, snorkelling, and fishing.

About COMO Maalifushi

COMO Maalifushi is the first and only resort to open in the unspoilt Thaa Atoll, in the archipelago's southern reaches well regarded for its diving and surf breaks. Combining traditional and modern architecture, its 33 overwater and 26 beach accommodations features private terraces, pools, and breath-taking views of the Indian Ocean. The resort provides diverse dining options, including Japanese, International and Maldivian cuisine. COMO Shambhala offers rejuvenating treatments and yoga classes. Activities range from diving and swimming with whale sharks to surfing and private island picnics. Children are kept engaged with a dedicated children's play area at Play by COMO.