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**THOMAS VIDAL APPOINTED GENERAL MANAGER OF ANDAZ TOKYO
TORANOMON HILLS**



TOKYO (August 1, 2025) – Andaz Tokyo Toranomon Hills is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Thomas Vidal as the new General Manager, effective August 1, 2025. Mr. Vidal brings with him over 16 years of distinguished leadership experience in the hospitality industry across Asia, including more than a decade in Japan, where he has developed a deep understanding of the local market and culture.

A seasoned hotelier and fluent Japanese speaker, Mr. Vidal has consistently demonstrated a commitment to operational excellence, team empowerment, and guest-centric service. His appointment marks a significant milestone for Andaz Tokyo as the hotel continues to strengthen its position as a leading luxury lifestyle destination in the heart of the capital.

Prior to joining Hyatt, Mr. Vidal held several senior leadership roles within globally renowned hospitality brands, most recently serving as Hotel Manager at W Osaka, a 337-room lifestyle luxury hotel. Under his leadership, the property achieved numerous accolades in 2024 including 1 MICHELIN Key and the Green Key Sustainability Certification. His previous appointments include Cluster General Manager for Courtyard by Marriott

Nagoya and Four Points by Sheraton Nagoya, as well as General Manager roles for Courtyard by Marriott Nagoya, Moxy Osaka Shin Umeda and Mercure Okinawa Naha. In each of these roles, Mr. Vidal led successful pre-openings and operational turnarounds, earning accolades for guest satisfaction, owner relations, and associate engagement.

Mr. Vidal holds a Master of Science in Management (MBA) from ESSEC Business School Paris, one of Europe's leading business institutions. He has also completed a series of advanced leadership programs, including Marriott International's Luxury University, Basecamp Senior Leadership Training, and Accor's IHMP General Management Program.

Commenting on his appointment, Mr. Vidal stated:

"It is a great honor to join the Hyatt family and lead the exceptional team at Andaz Tokyo Toranomom Hills. I am deeply inspired by the Andaz brand's commitment to authentic, unscripted hospitality and look forward to building on the hotel's legacy of excellence. Together with our dedicated associates, I aim to create meaningful and memorable experiences for every guest, while fostering a culture of trust, creativity, and collaboration."

Located in the prestigious Toranomom Hills complex, Andaz Tokyo is celebrated for its bold design, panoramic views of the Tokyo skyline, and immersive cultural experiences. Mr. Vidal's appointment signals a renewed focus on innovation, sustainability, and personalized service as the hotel enters its next chapter of growth and distinction.

Career History

2009	Operations and Food & Beverage Leadership roles in Accor Asia Pacific
2018	Joins Mercure Okinawa Naha as General Manager
2020	Joins Moxy Osaka Shin-Umeda as General Manager (Pre-opening & Opening)
2021	Joins Courtyard by Marriott Nagoya as General Manager (Pre-opening & Opening)
2023	Promoted to Cluster General Manager for Courtyard by Marriott Nagoya and Four Points by Sheraton Nagoya
2024	Joins W Osaka as Hotel Manager (acting as General Manager)
Aug. 2025	Joins Andaz Tokyo Toranomom Hills as General Manager

About Andaz Tokyo Toranomom Hills

Andaz Tokyo Toranomom Hills, Tokyo's premiere luxury lifestyle hotel is located in the Toranomom area, one of Tokyo's oldest districts and now a key central place located between the Imperial Palace and Tokyo Tower. Housed on top floors of the 52-story Toranomom Hills, all of the hotel's 164 rooms, including eight suites, enjoy breathtaking views of the city. The hotel features an array of restaurants and bars, including The Tavern - Grill & Lounge and Rooftop Bar, unique events and wedding venues, its signature AO Spa and a fully equipped gym. The space is designed by Tony Chi & Associates and SIMPLICITY, reflecting a modern view on Japanese style and culture. Andaz Tokyo Toranomom Hills also showcases a series of local, cultural events through the Andaz Salon program and is dedicated to creating a stage where creative minds can come together, explore, learn and share.

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About Andaz

Global in scale while local in perspective, the Andaz brand empowers self-expression and stimulates guests' curiosity through imaginative travel for a distinctively local experience. Through thoughtful, unscripted service tailored for travelers, Andaz hotels enable guests to go beyond the familiar to discover and define their personal essence while immersing themselves in the spirit of the eclectic culture around them. Currently, there are 29 Andaz hotels open: Andaz 5th Avenue in New York, Andaz Doha, Andaz San Diego, Andaz West Hollywood, Andaz Napa, Andaz Scottsdale Resort & Bungalows, Andaz Savannah, Andaz Maui at Wailea Resort, Andaz Munich Schwabinger Tor, Andaz Ottawa ByWard Market, Andaz Mexico City Condesa, Andaz Costa Rica Resort at Peninsula Papagayo, Andaz London Liverpool Street, Andaz Amsterdam Prinsengracht, Andaz Prague, Andaz Singapore, Andaz Bali, Andaz Pattaya Jomtien Beach, Andaz Delhi, Andaz Xintiandi in Shanghai, Andaz Shenzhen Bay, Andaz Tokyo Toranomon Hills, Andaz Seoul Gangnam, Andaz Capital Gate Abu Dhabi, Andaz Dubai The Palm, Andaz Xiamen, Andaz Vienna Am Belvedere, Andaz Nanjing Hexi and Andaz Macau For more information, please visit andaz.com. Follow @Andaz on [Facebook](#), [X](#) and [Instagram](#), and tag photos with #WhenInAndaz.