

WELCOME TO THE **PARIS** INSIDER COLLECTION

Truly memorable meetings and events with authentic local flavour – that is the inspiration behind the InterContinental Insider Collection.

Our network of hotels and resorts is global; our knowledge and expertise local, giving planners guaranteed choice, range and depth to add to any meeting or conference. With each hotel offering its own bespoke selection of services, and every experience designed around you, the InterContinental Insider Collection delivers unique events firmly rooted in their location with a rare, but tangible sense of place.

The options are limitless, the local knowledge rich, the service professional and faultless, the delegate experience enriching and rewarding every time.

Sample for yourself some of our wonderful Paris experiences.

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INSIDER LOCATIONS

Choose an InterContinental venue for your event and a world of possibilities opens up. As locals, your hotel team hold the key to a side of your locality tourists never see. What and who they know gives you an exclusive mix of authentic venues and experiences to play with.

INSIDER SPEAKERS

Bring your event to life with an inspirational speaker – someone who can really strike a chord with your delegates and enrich their experience beyond measure. Fascinating and engaging, motivating Insider Speakers range from celebrities and cultural experts to sporting heroes. Whatever their passion, they all have a local connection and you will discover that their unique insights and local know-how make your event one to remember.

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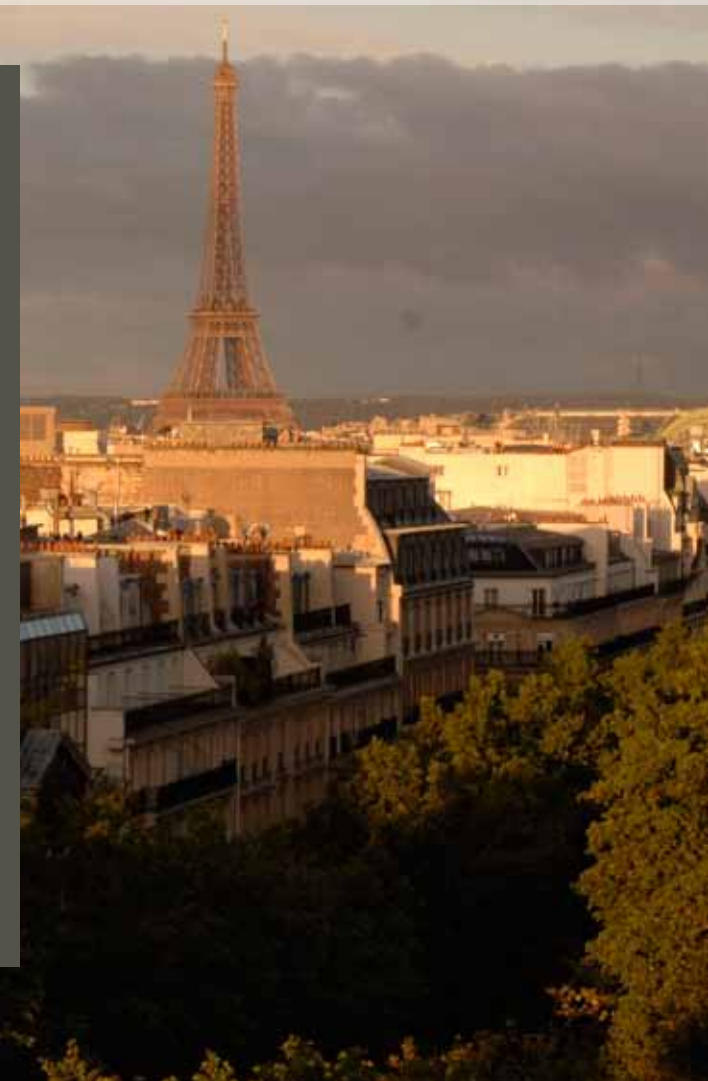
There's nothing quite like immersing yourself in the community to gain an added depth and understanding to your experience in a new destination. Insider Community has been designed to benefit local people and create truly memorable and meaningful experiences for your delegates too.

INSIDER INTERACTIONS

This team-building experience will help your delegates connect with each other as never before. Using the unique character, heritage or geography of your destination to inspire interaction, each experience, whether based on or off-site offers an original way to engage delegates and motivate them to build effective working relationships.

INSIDER BREAKS

With Insider Collection even your breaks are fulfilling experiences. From serving up a delicious lunch of provincial dishes for a taste of regional cuisine to spending some quality time with your Concierge team to get their best insider tips, a few minutes out of your busy schedule becomes a whole experience in itself.



SPEND PART OF YOUR MEETING AT THE MUSÉE D'ORSAY

The Musée d'Orsay, a listed historical monument in the heart of the capital, opens its doors exclusively to you. This remarkable setting is perfect for a private breakfast and guided tour, or for an extra special cocktail party or gala dinner.

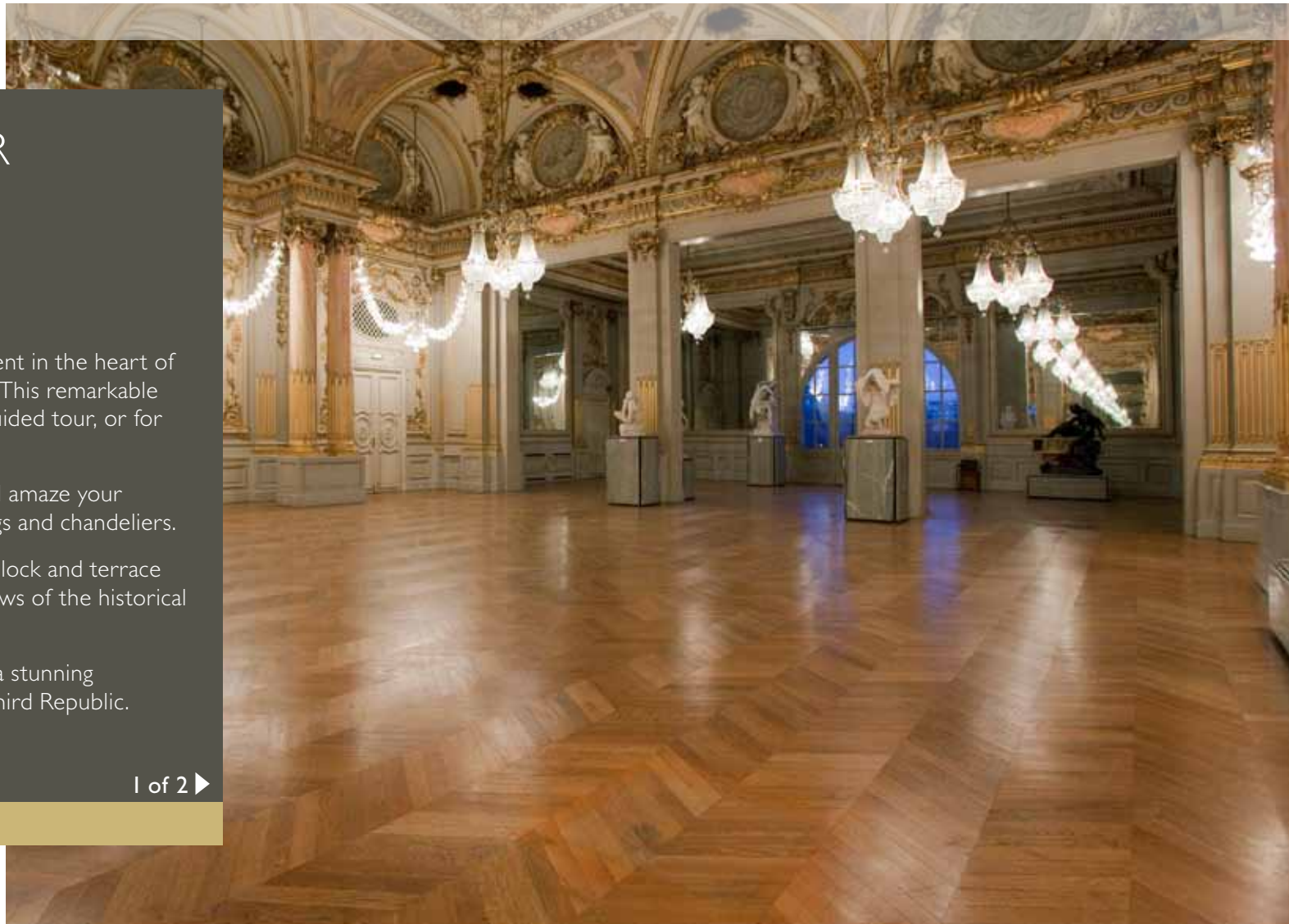
Le Restaurant located in the Orsay Station will amaze your delegates with its opulent 1900 décor, paintings and chandeliers.

Le Café des Hauteurs, with its world-famous clock and terrace overlooking the Seine, offers breath-taking views of the historical monuments on the Right Bank.

La Salle des Fêtes, once the ballroom, houses a stunning collection of paintings and sculptures of the Third Republic.

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DEVELOP YOUR CONFERENCE THEME THROUGH FILM

Why not add to your conference content by including some short films on the theme of your event?

The Cinémathèque Française will be pleased to help you find the most appropriate content, enabling you to not only enrich your meeting, but also to convey your message through the medium of short films. They have a huge archive with a large collection of short films from all over the world. Private access to the temporary or permanent exhibitions can also be arranged.

The Cinémathèque Française, located in the new 'Bercy Garden' area, with its modern architecture designed by the architect Frank Gehry, will add a delightful dimension to your meeting.

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CONNECT TO LOCAL CULTURE AND HISTORY

Staying at the InterContinental Paris Le Grand is in itself a perfect opportunity to experience the authentic spirit of Paris.

Your delegates will also have a unique opportunity to gain a deeper understanding of Parisian history and culture thanks to a series of exclusive lectures by the renowned historian Corinne Magne, a graduate of the Louvre School.

Corinne Magne offers a choice of three main themes relative to your stay in Paris:

1. A 100 years of Haute Couture
2. The creation of the Grands Magasins
3. The history of the Second Empire

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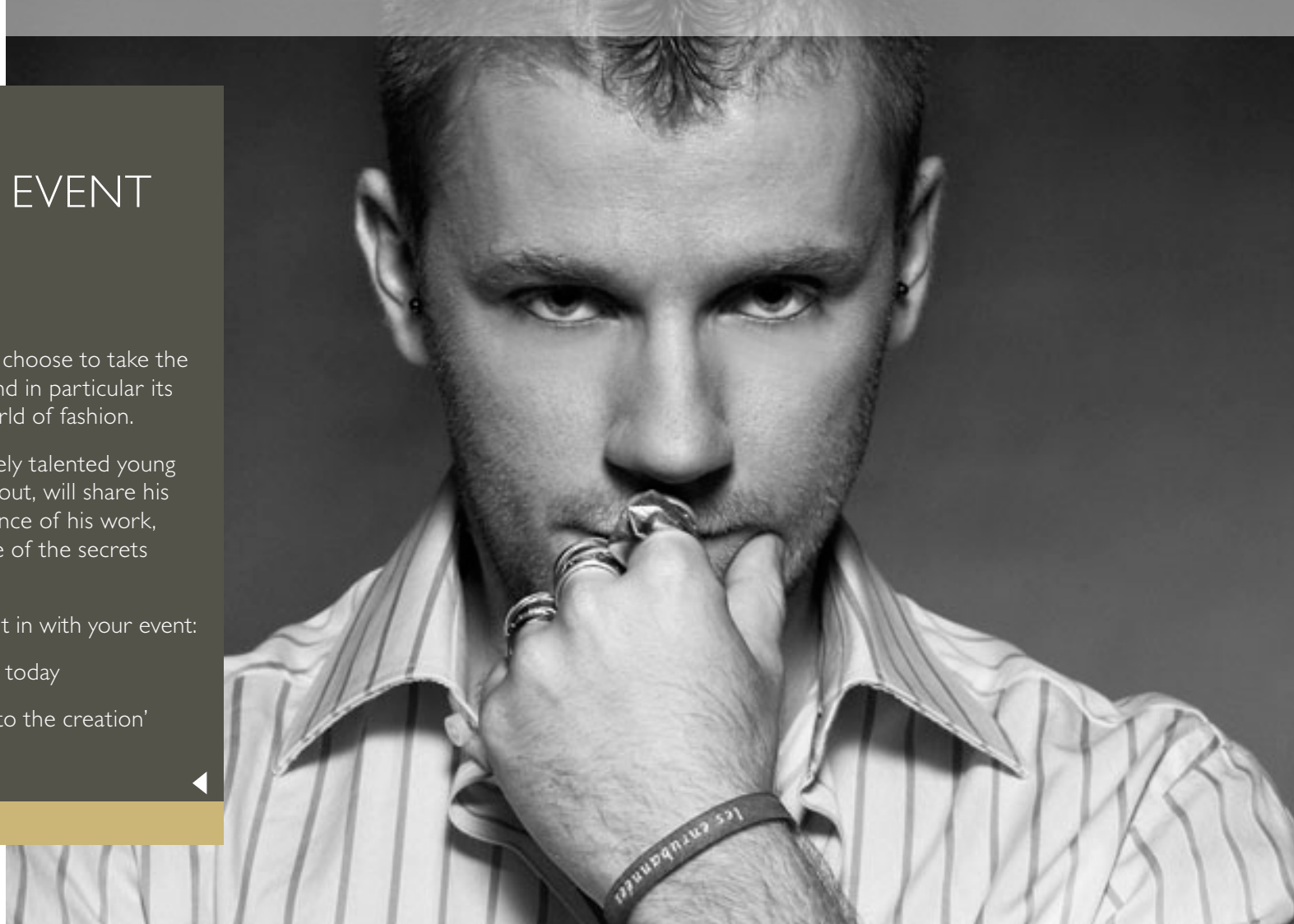
During your event in Paris, your delegates can choose to take the time to learn more about the French capital and in particular its renowned expertise and savoir-faire in the world of fashion.

Eymeric François, the well-known and extremely talented young fashion designer everyone in Paris is talking about, will share his expertise with your group, explaining the essence of his work, the inspiration for his ideas and revealing some of the secrets of his trade.

You can choose from two different themes to fit in with your event:

1. How to be a young fashion designer in Paris today
2. Creativity and the designer: 'From the idea to the creation'

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HELP SAVE THE WORLD'S MOST PRECIOUS ART

In collaboration with UNESCO, the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, your group is invited to support the vital restoration of priceless works of art.

Since its creation in 1956, UNESCO has built up an impressive collection of art, with works from Picasso, Miro, Calder, Giacometti, and many others: a total of over 500 works of art in all.

Your donation will be used to maintain this exceptional heritage and will allow your delegates the wonderful privilege of a private visit to the collection in the amazing UNESCO building on the Boulevard des Invalides.

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BECOME A WINE EXPERT

Wine is France's pride and joy and your delegates can enjoy getting to know more about it in this fun and interactive group event organized by Oenodyssée.

With this original and innovative team building experience, there are four choices open to you:

1. 'Challenge du Vigneron' – a wine-tasting and olfactory experience in the hotel.
2. The Five Senses Challenge: an aromatic tasting experience exploring various wine-tasting methods.
3. The Wine Casino: learn to make cocktails with a difference and how to combine great food with the best wine, in a Casino setting complete with gambling tables.

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DISCOVER, CREATE – TIME FOR FASHION

Try something different with this fantastic Eymeric François workshop on fashion accessories.

Delegates will enjoy learning to make their own fashion accessories, such as zipped bags, from the king of fashion himself.

This workshop begins with a ten-minute talk by Eymeric on his trade and is followed by a practical lesson on how to create your own unique design.

A choice of two venues are open to you:

1. In Eymeric's own workshop (15 people maximum)
2. In the hotel (30 people maximum)

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A TRUE TASTE OF PARIS – THE MACARON

For this break, delegates can create a macaroon to their own individual taste.

With the help of our talented pastry chef, they can enjoy some time out of the meeting, learning how to make delicious mouthwatering macaroons.

In this workshop, with all the necessary ingredients at their disposal, delegates can have fun choosing their macaroon shell and the filling, mixing colour and content and then sitting down to enjoy their very own creation!

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DISCOVER THE SECRET OF THE MILLE-FEUILLE

In this break with a difference, delegates can learn the closely guarded secret of the Café de la Paix Mille-feuille. Discover just why our guests from all over the world choose to take this very special delicacy back home with them.

Exclusively for you, our pastry chef will delight your delegates by showing them how to create the many-layered wonder that is the Mille-feuille! This is a truly delicious pastry experience and a moment your delegates will savour!

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