Introducing Rome's Palazzo Dama & D.O.M. Hotels: Timeless Elegance Through a Harmonious Blend of Authentic Charm & Modern Luxury

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Rome is home to countless hotels, but few offer the opportunity to stay within truly monumental buildings that tell a story of the city's past.

Palazzo Dama, a former noble residence, and D.O.M. Hotel, a meticulously restored 17th-century monastery, redefine hospitality by seamlessly blending historic elegance with modern sophistication.



The sister properties offer more than just a stay—they provide an immersive journey through Rome's timeless charm. With a refined design, world-class service, and exceptional dining—featuring the Nikkei flavours of PACIFICO at Palazzo Dama and the reimagined Roman fine dining at Verve in D.O.M. Hotel—each experience is curated for the discerning traveller.

Palazzo Dama – A hidden urban oasis to complement a noble retreat

Nestled near the vibrant centre of the Eternal City, Palazzo Dama offers an extraordinary five-star escape where historic grandeur meets modern luxury. This boutique hotel invites guests to immerse themselves in its rich past while enjoying refined elegance, impeccable service, and world-class dining.

A Legacy of Aristocratic Grandeur

Palazzo Dama is housed within the historic residence of the Malaspina family, who continue to own the property. Once a gathering place for diplomats, aristocrats, and cultural icons, the palace pays tribute to its past through its name—honouring Marchesa Anna Maria Malaspina, an 18th-century noblewoman known for her wit and sophistication.

Refined Accommodations

Spanning three floors, the hotel's 29 thoughtfully designed rooms and suites exude tranquillity and elegance. Adorned in serene shades of blue, green and grey, each space offers a curated blend of comfort, art, and photography, complemented by exquisite marble bathrooms and luxurious amenities.

The **Dama Suite** at Palazzo Dama embodies the pinnacle of luxury, with spacious and elegantly designed interiors. Decorated in soothing hues of blue, it boasts bespoke furnishings, exquisite marble finishes, and carefully curated artwork that reflects the hotel's aristocratic heritage. The suite's generous layout, bathed in natural light, includes a plush king-size bed, a lavish living area, and a

stunning en-suite bathroom with a deep soaking tub and premium amenities, uniquely distinguished as the only room in the hotel featuring both a bath and a shower.

The Dama Suite at Palazzo Dama

Culinary Excellence: Pacifico Restaurant & Pisco Bar

At Palazzo Dama, dining is elevated to an art form. **Pacifico**, the hotel's signature Nikkei restaurant, presents a fusion of Japanese and Peruvian bold flavours in an elegant setting, with guests able to dine indoors or poolside amidst lush greenery. The **Pisco Bar**, featuring chandeliers from New York's iconic Plaza Hotel, serves expertly crafted cocktails in a stylish yet intimate atmosphere—its signature Pisco Sour is a must-try.

With its refined spaces, Palazzo Dama is an exceptional venue for social and corporate events. The elegant **Bow Window Room**, overlooking the garden and pool, provides a sophisticated backdrop for everything from intimate dinners and celebrations, weddings, and business retreats.

A Hidden Oasis of Wellness

Palazzo Dama's SPA offers a sanctuary of relaxation, featuring massages, restorative treatments, and wellness programs tailored by expert consultants, including a personal trainer, available upon request for an additional fee. Guests can also maintain their fitness routine with state-of-the-art Technogym equipment and personal training services. The private garden and luxurious outdoor pool create a serene refuge, offering an escape from the city's liveliness. This rare gem presents an exceptional luxury, where guests can relax in an oasis of calm right in the heart of one of the world's most lively capitals.

Immersive Cultural Experiences

For those looking to explore Rome in a truly memorable way, Palazzo Dama curates bespoke experiences, including guided tours celebrating Italian cinema and historical landmarks. Guests can even discover the city's timeless beauty aboard a classic Fiat 500, adding a touch of nostalgia to their Roman adventure. Culinary enthusiasts can also discover authentic flavours with cooking classes and food tours, immersing themselves in Italy's rich gastronomic heritage, all while tasting local delicacies and learning about traditional Roman cuisine.

Palazzo Dama is more than just a stay—it's an invitation to experience Rome through the lens of history, elegance, and modern indulgence.



D.O.M. Hotel – A step back in time to complement history with modernity Tucked away on the historic Via Giulia, D.O.M. Hotel is a refined sanctuary that seamlessly blends centuries of history with modern sophistication. Housed in a meticulously restored 17th-century monastery, this boutique hotel offers an intimate retreat in the heart of Rome, where the city's rich past and vibrant present converge.

A Legacy Carved in Stone

Originally a noble palace before becoming a monastery, the building's transformation into a luxury hotel preserves its deep historical roots. The name "D.O.M." derives from the Latin phrase Deo Optimo Maximo—"To God, Most Good, Most Great"—a tribute to the spiritual and architectural heritage of its surroundings. Over four centuries, renowned Italian architects have shaped the property, ensuring its timeless charm endures.

Elegant and Intimate Accommodations

With just 18 meticulously designed rooms, D.O.M. Hotel offers a private and bespoke experience. Each room overlooks the picturesque Via Giulia and embraces a sophisticated palette of white, dove, and tobacco tones, maintaining a harmonious connection to the building's original features. Venetianinspired mirrors, elaborate headboards, and curated artwork by renowned photographers such as Slim Aarons and Kourtney Roy add a contemporary yet nostalgic elegance to the space.



The D.O.M. Suite is directly overlooking the charming Via Giulia, presenting an exclusive 50m2 apartment encompassing two floors. The bathroom and wardrobe are located on the lower floor, along with a private terrace (25 sq mt) offering views of the rooftops of the Regola neighborhood and the antique wooden bell tower of the church of Santa Lucia del Gonfalone. Rich textures, warm tobacco and dove tones, and original architectural details create an ambience of understated luxury. The suite features a spacious bedroom with a plush king-size bed, a stylish living area adorned with curated artwork, and a lavish marble bathroom with a walk-in shower and premium amenities.

The D.O.M. Suite at D.O.M Hotel

A Culinary Experience at Verve

D.O.M. Hotel is home to Verve, an intimate restaurant redefining Italian fine dining. Chefs Adriano Magnoli and Antonella Mascolo craft exquisite dishes and artisanal pastries, fusing locally sourced ingredients with innovative culinary techniques. At Verve, guests can savour Rome's culinary heritage through a fresh, modern lens.

Verve Restaurant at D.O.M. Hotel

The Hidden Gem: A Rooftop Retreat

One of D.O.M. Hotel's most captivating features is its romantic rooftop terrace—overlooking the rooftops and bell towers of Rome's historic centre, as well as the tranquil Gianicolo hills. The terrace is a serene escape decorated with elegant white iron chairs and taupe-toned sofas, evoking the glamour of La Dolce Vita. An aromatic herb garden infuses the air with Mediterranean scents, while during the summer months, guests can indulge in seasonal Italian dishes, perfectly paired with breathtaking views.

Immersive Cultural Experiences

For those looking to explore Rome in a truly memorable way, D.O.M. Hotel curates tailored experiences, including a lively ride across the Tiber River on a speedboat, allowing guests to glimpse the city's iconic landmarks from a distinctive perspective. For those passionate about culinary delights, a Trastevere Food & Wine Tour offers a guided walk through this charming neighborhood, savouring local flavours and traditions. History lovers can immerse themselves in the past with a private Colosseum & Roman Forum Tour for two, led by an expert guide who brings the ancient ruins to life. Endless experiences await in the eternal city.