

The Duchess Waterfront- Luxury Boutique Hotel: Barcelona, Spain

Summary

Overlooking Barcelona's swanky marina, this small luxury hotel is ideal for exploring this cosmopolitan city. The Gothic Quarter and La Rambla are just behind the boutique hotel and Barcelona's sweeping beach is only a short walk away. The luxury guest rooms are a successful fusion of classic and contemporary styles, many with harbour views. The rooftop pool and terrace are the perfect vantage point from which to enjoy the cityscape. The ideal boutique hotel for a luxury break in Barcelona, or as part of a longer holiday or honeymoon in Spain.

Details

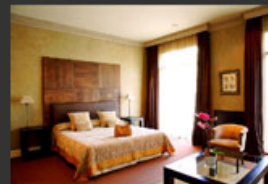
Barcelona has become a destination city which needs no introduction. It is a cosmopolitan fusion of the Arabic, Spanish and French cultures which have influenced it over the centuries. In later years it has forged a reputation for its avant garde architecture, with Gaudi's weird and wonderful creations sprinkled among classical palaces, and gothic lanes. The palm lined harbour, where the hotel is located, and beachfront is Barcelona's crowning glory, with fashionable bars and restaurants.

Most guest rooms have wonderful views over the harbour, but nowhere are is the panorama more impressive than on the roof terrace. Relax by the plunge pool, or stroll to the beach for the day. Escape the city for the day by taking the cable car up to the Montjuic area, a green oasis, or visit one of the parks where Gaudi's works can be seen. Walk round the corner from the hotel to La Rambla, Barcelona's iconic street, packed with performers and artists and hawkers. At the top you'll find some of the best designer shops.

For days away from the city, or to extend the holiday, head to the beaches of the Costa Brava to the north, or explore the green belt slightly inland, dotted with pretty villages, also home to the "Dali Triangle". You can even cross the border into the French Pyrenees.

By night Barcelona has a wealth of clubs and bars, as well as low-key restaurants. In short, something for everyone's taste. Or simply retire to the hotel's rooftop bar where you can enjoy live jazz on some evenings, with a cocktail or two of course!

For more images see www.c-boutiquehotels.com
To book this hotel call **08717 500070**



Facts & Figures

40 Guest Rooms:

- Classic Double – classically styled double rooms with small Juliette balconies
- Deluxe Double - larger double room with views over the harbour and small Juliette balconies
- Junior Suite – spacious rooms (42m²). Unique styling with extra large beds, living room area (open plan). Large windows with small Juliette balconies overlooking Gothic Quarter or Harbour. 2 bathrooms with Bulgari products.

All rooms have: ensuite bathrooms with bathtubs, many with walk in showers – LCD Sat TV - Air-Con/heating – Minibar - Safe – Telephone – Wifi in room - Hairdryers

Hotel facilities: Rooftop plunge pool - Terrace – Cocktail Bar (live jazz on Saturdays) - Restaurant (open every day for breakfast, Mon-Fri lunches, Thur-Sat dinners) – Massages in Room

Also available by prior arrangement (extra cost): Nearby Parking, Baby-sitting, Golf (30 mins)

Regional Highlights

- All the sights of Barcelona, including La Rambla, Gothic Quarter, Gaudi buildings and parks.
- Designer shopping
- Beach and watersports
- Days out to Costa Brava beaches to the north, and the green belt slightly inland (home to the "Dali Triangle" and pretty villages) or Tarragona and Stiges to the south.
- Cross the border into France to visit the Pyrenees
- Famous city nightlife for party goers
- Golf – 30 mins outside the city centre

Location

Nearest airports:	Barcelona (30 mins); Girona (1 hr)
Nearest direct flight from London:	Barcelona
Nearest train station:	Sants / Francia
Nearest town:	In Barcelona centre
Nearest restaurants:	Doorstep
Nearest shops:	Doorstep
Nearest beach:	10 mins walk

