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Moira Fitzpatrick presents two historic properties on the Costa Brava

Dear Colleague,

Barcelona remains a popular destination for couples and family holidays, as well as pre- and post-cruise vacations. We are excited to be working with two restored, historic luxury properties – a beautiful 9th century monastery and a traditional castle built in 1301. Both are located about an hour's drive east of Barcelona – so we hope you will consider these new properties for future European travel plans.

CASTELL D'EMPORDA www.castelldemporda.com This impressive hilltop castle is surrounded by 30 acres of gardens dotted with olive and oak trees, overlooking an undulating quilt of cultivated fields, halfway between the French border and Barcelona. This remodeled medieval castle, formerly owned by a crusader and a captain of Christopher Columbus, presents a contemporary flair and features a stunning roof terrace, inviting pool, expansive gardens, divine 17th century chapel, a spectacular view and great location between the Pyrennes and Costa Brava, just 30 km from Girona.



Special Package

Love & Dragons Escape includes one night in a Tower Room with breakfast, cocktail on the terrace at sunset, a 3-course dinner, discounted room rate, free WIFI – starting from €212 – per double room

Rooms/Suites: The hotel's 38 rooms, including authentic castle rooms in the main building, garden rooms and suites with contemporary interiors and most with private balconies, tower rooms that offer views stretching from the Pyrennes to the Mediterranean, and the Suite Pere Margarit – an 80 sqm. (860 sq ft) chamber once the master bedroom of the castle containing objects that originally belonged to the Margarit family. All rooms are equipped with AC and central heating, flat-screen TV, CD/DVD player, telephone and minibar.

Restaurants & Bars: The hotel's Drac restaurant and terrace features fine dining comprised of traditional dishes using select local ingredients from suppliers, plus fruits, vegetables and herbs from the castle grounds – cooked over an open fire of oak, like the Catalans have done for generations. The hotel restaurant/bar Tres Margarit offers more casual fare together with stunning views. The castle's original wine cellar, is now a beautifully decorated bar serving the best of regional wines, aperitifs, beer, exotic cocktails and exclusive whiskeys.

Events, Meetings & Weddings: The hotel offers four meeting and event rooms –The Napoleon Room contains a re-enactment of the battle of Waterloo played out by some 3,000 miniature figurines that took the hotel owner Albert Diks 20 years to compose; the Cove Room features the castle's original arched stone ceiling; and the Drac Terrace offers splendid views and accommodates up to 250 people – particularly suitable for weddings. **According to Britain's Daily Telegraph, Hotel Castell d'Empordà has been chosen as one of the 15 best hotels for weddings in Europe.**

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Moira Fitzpatrick's Special Offers at Castell d'Empordà

- **Travel Agents receive 15% commission when booking through Moira Fitzpatrick**
- **Minimum Stay 2 Nights – Book two nights and receive 25% off the room rate – starting from €230–available year round**
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Activities & Nearby Attractions: The enchanting landscape of Catalonia with its rolling hills and medieval villages offers outstanding walks, hikes, bike routes, 9 golf courses and fine beaches just 20 min away. Nearby cities of

Girona, Figueres, Cadaques, Pubol offer monuments and museums, including the Casa Museu Salvador Dali, Casa Museu Castell Gala and the famous and bizarre Teatro Museu Dali.



SANT PERE DEL BOSCH HOTEL www.castelldemporda.com <http://www.santperedelboschotel.com/> is set high above the Mediterranean on Spain's Costa Brava; this luxury castle-like hotel has its origins as a 9th century Benedictine monastery. Nestled in a natural reserve, adjacent to the Sant Pere del Bosc Shrine, the hotel resides among beautiful gardens some 6 km from the historical centre of Lloret de Mar and its five fabulous beaches, and less than one hour's drive from Barcelona. This 19-room Hotel & Spa, recognized on Conde Nast Traveler Gold List 2014, was designed as an exclusive getaway where guests can relax and feel completely cared for during their wellness experience.



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Special Package

The Romantic Package for Two includes 2 night's accommodation with breakfast in bed the first day and buffet breakfast the second day; one romantic dinner with local wine pairing; 55-min massage; access to spa, welcome bottle of Cava; private concierge services – prices for this package start at €325 per person.

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Dining & Lounges: The hotel restaurant L'India has been awarded with the prestigious 'Hotel Gastronòmic' designation for its natural, fresh and modern interpretation of traditional recipes. The restaurant features two menus – the Gastronomic Menu offers starters, three appetizers, two main courses and desserts; the Chef's Menu includes starters, one appetizer, one main course and desserts. The Wine List features local Catalan wines plus others, carefully selected with perfect pairing in mind. The hotel also offers a bar/lounge plus poolside bar and terrace.

Wellness & Relaxation: The hotel Spa includes an indoor pool with water circuit, jet massage outlets, a waterfall, hammam with thermal contrast shower, vichy room, dry room and beauty parlor with hair stylist, foot spa plus facial and body treatments. The Spa, with more than 50 distinct treatments, also offers yoga and an extensive portfolio of treatments based on the traditional Ayurvedic medicine.



Meetings/Special Events: The hotel offers various rooms suitable for business meetings and special events. With a maximum capacity of 40 people, the rooms all have natural light and a separate but adjacent tea-room for coffee breaks and relaxation.

Activities/Services: The hotel offers a salt-water swimming pool, miniature golf, scuba diving rentals, horseback riding, hiking, in addition to a complete list of services from in-room massages to babysitting to transfers, as well as rentals, team-building events, and bookings for tours, activities and events.

Nearby Attractions: Local sightseeing includes scenic drives, picturesque medieval towns and mellow seaside fishing villages. Nearby are the sculpted gardens at the "Jardi Botanic Marimurtra", where live music concerts take place every summer, Lloret de Mar Beach and Water World. Within an hour's drive, guests can

enjoy scuba diving, a choice of 7 different golf courses, three 3-Michelin star restaurants, outlet shopping (Gucci, Versace, Loewe, Herrera), and all the attractions of Barcelona or Girona, which is 30 minutes from the hotel.



Salvador Dali: One of most famous artists of the 20th century, Salvador Dalí changed the world with his fabulous surrealist imagery and flamboyant personality. The Dali Triangle, a term used to describe the location of the three Dali museums in Catalonia, offers a great day trip from Lloret de Mar – the furthest point on the Triangle is the **Salvador Dali House-Museum** in Cadaques, about 1.5 hour's drive away. The crooked house that Dali built here was his only permanent home for most of his life from 1930-1982. The **Dali Museum** in Figueres is the largest surrealist work of art in the world and the largest and most diverse collection of works by Salvador Dalí. The Gala Dali Castle House-Museum, just half-an-hour's drive away, is a castle ruin Dali restored in his flamboyant and original style as a small but palatial residence for the love of his life Gala, even installing a throne room.

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Very best wishes,

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