



## **ORIX Hotel Management and Hilton Open Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda Today, September 6, 2024**

TOKYO, Japan – September 6, 2024 – ORIX Hotel Management Corporation (“ORIX Hotel Management”) announced that ORIX Hotel Management and Hilton opened Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda today, September 6, 2024. This marks the first Canopy by Hilton brand in Japan and Hilton's fourth<sup>\*1</sup> hotel in Osaka.



Hotel Exterior

Hilton’s lifestyle brand, Canopy by Hilton, operates more than 40 hotels worldwide, delivers elevated hotel experiences that immerse guests in the best of the locale, sophisticated design, bespoke food & beverage and crafted touchpoints with high-end and welcoming stay.

Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda is located on the 1st floor and from the 10th to the 25th floors of the North Tower of the urban mixed-use development, GRAND GREEN OSAKA, which opened on the same day. Located approximately a 7-minute walk from JR Osaka Station, it offers easy access to popular tourist destinations such as Dotonbori and Namba, as well as the business district of Umeda, making it a convenient location for both tourists and business travelers.

Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda offers 308 guest rooms, three dining outlets, including the all-day dining restaurant CC:CARBON COPY, the bar & lounge !JaJa!Bar, and the café Bean there, UMEDA. Additionally, it provides an array of facilities and services for guests to enjoy including a 24-hour fitness center and the Canopy Bikes rental service to support sustainable travel.

<sup>\*1</sup> Hilton Osaka, Conrad Osaka, DoubleTree by Hilton Osaka Castle, Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda

Regarding the opening of Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda, ORIX Hotel Management's\*<sup>2</sup> Takaaki Nitanei commented:

“We are very pleased to open Japan's first Canopy by Hilton, Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda, together with the opening of GRAND GREEN OSAKA today. For ORIX Group, this marks the third Hilton hotel following the openings of Hilton Okinawa Chatan Resort in July 2014 and DoubleTree by Hilton Okinawa Chatan Resort in June 2018. We hope that many domestic and international guests will enjoy the rich culture of Osaka through their stay at Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda, further energizing the Osaka and Kansai areas.”

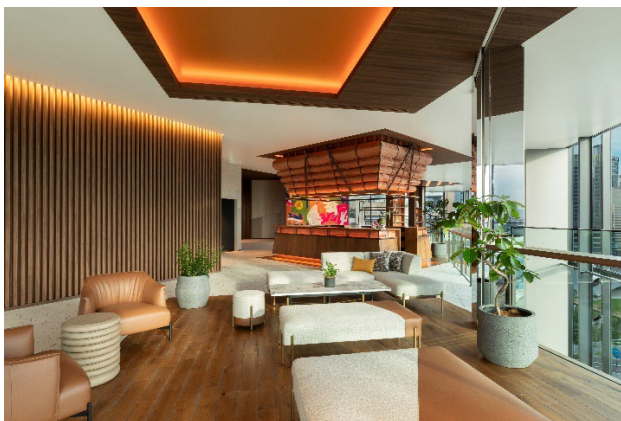
Joseph Khairallah, Area Vice President, Head of Japan, Korea, and Micronesia, Hilton added:

“We are delighted to open the Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda, the brand's first hotel in Japan. As the first global hotel operator to enter the Osaka market with the opening of the Hilton Osaka in 1986, Hilton has been leading the hospitality industry in the city ever since”, said Joseph Khairallah, area vice president, head of Japan, Korea & Micronesia, Hilton. “With the 2025 Expo just around the corner, Osaka is attracting global attention and is anticipating many visitors from within Japan and from overseas. We look forward to welcoming both domestic and international travelers to experience the vibrant hospitality unique to the Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda.”

Andrew Ling, Senior Director, Lifestyle Brands and Strategic Planning & Innovation APAC, Hilton stated:

“We are thrilled to introduce our first Canopy by Hilton in Osaka, a dynamic city renowned for its rich cultural tapestry and energetic atmosphere,” said Andrew Ling, senior director Lifestyle Brand Management APAC, Hilton. “Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda redefines the modern hotel experience with its stylish design, vibrant energy, and innovative food and drink offerings. As a dynamic hub for both relaxation and nightlife, it offers a bold and engaging space for travelers and locals to experience Osaka's pulsating culture and creative spirit.”

\*<sup>2</sup> Operating under a management agreement with Hilton through its subsidiary (UK Hotel Management LLC)



Hotel Reception



CC:CARBON COPY





!JaJa!Bar



Bean there, UMEDA (rendering)

The guest rooms at the hotel are designed with two primary themes: River Blue, representing the “water city” of Osaka, and Umekita Green, symbolizing the greenery of GRAND GREEN OSAKA. The canopy incorporates motifs inspired by Toyotomi Hideyoshi's horse insignia, *Sennari Byotan* (gourds) and the metasequoia tree found in UMEKITA PARK. Room types range from 32-square-meter standard rooms to 63-square-meter corner suites, two types of suites at 95 and 127 square meters, and pet-friendly rooms where guests can stay with their beloved dogs.

All rooms feature a mini-bar space designed to resemble a retro refrigerator, creating a playful atmosphere. The design and decor, such as the inclusion of Fukusuke dolls (a traditional Japanese lucky charm originating in Kansai), invite guests to feel the history and industrial growth of Osaka.



Corner Suite Room



Pet-friendly Room

The all-day dining restaurant CC:CARBON COPY offers a culinary journey with playful international cuisine crafted by the chefs, beautifully presented on Japanese small plates. Breakfast is served buffet-style, while lunch and dinner are available à la carte or as set menus.

At the bar & lounge !JaJa!Bar, which has an outdoor terrace offering views of the city, simple yet high-quality Osaka local foods and original cocktails are served. A smart ball game machine, popular in Osaka’s downtown, is placed, providing a fresh take on Osaka's culture. This space aims to be a gathering spot where people meet, and new ideas are born.

On the first floor, facing UMEKITA PARK, the café Bean there, UMEDA serves coffee brewed from special Osaka roasts, along with sandwiches. Both indoor seating and a pet-friendly terrace are available, and takeout is also an option.

Furthermore, at !JaJa!Bar, a Golden Hour is held daily from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., during which Hilton Honors members with Gold and Diamond status can enjoy special drinks and canapés made with local ingredients.

The hotel also offers three meeting facilities: a Hiroma (Ballroom) with a capacity of up to 100 guests, a Meeting Studio, and a Boardroom, equipped with the latest meeting interfaces, conference cameras, and sound systems. The Pre-function Room, which spans two floors, provides an airy, creative environment for meetings.

To celebrate the hotel's opening, Hilton Honors members who book directly through preferred Hilton channels will earn an additional 2,000 Bonus Points per night at Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda for stays through March 5, 2025.

For campaign details, visit <https://canopy-osaka.hiltonjapan.co.jp/plans/rooms/10392> (in Japanese)

For more details on Canopy by Hilton Osaka Umeda, visit <https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/osapypy-canopy-osaka-umeda/>

Official hotel images are available for download at <https://bit.ly/CanopybyHiltonOsakaUmeda>

#### **About ORIX Hotel Management Corporation**

ORIX Hotel Management is an operating company for ORIX Group, and operates 28 facilities in Japan, such as a wide variety of onsen resorts, hotels, and training accommodation facilities (excluding facilities outsourced to third parties for operation). Fourteen of these facilities fall under the ORIX HOTELS & RESORTS business brand, which is based on the brand concept of "a location to which customers wish to return," and are designed to provide visiting guests with experiences to match their various life stages. The company also supports the operations of aquariums and puffer fish restaurants.

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**About Canopy by Hilton**

[Canopy by Hilton](#) delivers elevated, boutique hotel experiences that immerse guests in the best of the locale. Inviting, sophisticated design, bespoke food & beverage and crafted touchpoints deliver a locally inspired, high-end and welcoming stay. The Canopy portfolio includes more than 40 open properties around the globe with more than 40 under development across 41 countries and territories. Experience Canopy by Hilton by booking at [canopybyhilton.com](https://canopybyhilton.com) or through the industry-leading [Hilton Honors app](#). [Hilton Honors](#) members who book directly through preferred Hilton channels have access to instant benefits. Learn more about Canopy by Hilton at [stories.hilton.com/canopybyhilton](https://stories.hilton.com/canopybyhilton), and follow the brand on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [X](#) and [Pinterest](#).

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