



HOTEL FORT CANNING  
SINGAPORE



Hotel Fort Canning is a magnificent conservation hotel tucked within 18 hectares of lush greenery of Fort Canning Park. The award-winning boutique hotel is luxurious and trendy, and it combines the romance of a grand colonial edifice with lush green parklands in the heart of the city.

#### Heritage building

The iconic building was originally built in 1926, as the Administration Building of the British Far East Command HQ. The General-Officer-Commanding, Lieutenant-General Percival, had an office in this building. The building was occupied by the Japanese Military during the Occupation (1942-1945). After the war, the British Military took it back and used it as part of the British Military Administration. After independence in 1965, the building was taken over by the Singapore Armed Forces, and in 1970, the building was used by the Singapore Command & Staff College (SCSC). In 1976, the SCSC moved out of the building, and it remained unoccupied until 1995, where it housed Fort Canning Country Club.

In November 2002, the present owners took over the premises and launched a premium members-only town club called The Legends Fort Canning Park. The brand expansion of the company led to the conceptualization of a revolutionary luxury hospitality service. In July 2011, Hotel Fort Canning was introduced, along with the stunning Glass House. The conservation building was styled by award-winning DP Architects to incorporate the finest hospitality amenities.

#### Embracing the Environment, History and the Art

- Interior of Hotel Fort Canning designed to reflect elements of nature; such as in the choice of motifs and colours.
- Dishes at The Salon feature fresh local ingredients from the Spice Garden atop Fort Canning Park.
- Swimming pool water treated with minerals; an ecologically safe process using NASA technology for sanitation, to ensure that water is chlorine and chemical free.
- The hotel carries out numerous conservation initiatives such as environmentally-friendly work practices
- Singapore's only hotel to carry out a "Plant-A-Tree" program

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- Singapore's only hotel to showcase an Archaeological Pit with actual 14th (*featuring some items from the royal households of the Majapahit kings who ruled Temasek - old name for Singapore*) and 19th (*heralding the arrival of Sir Stamford Raffles and the British, and the Chinese of the late Qing Dynasty*) Century artefacts unearthed by Dr John N Miksic (Resident Archaeologist at Fort Canning Park and Associate Professor of the NUS Southeast Asian Studies Programme). Showcased in four pits, the artefacts trace the history of the inhabitants of the Park, and highlight the ancient glory of this once "Forbidden Hill" and exclusive address of many of Singapore's ancient rulers and colonial leaders.
- Lobby art gallery exhibits art pieces to aid appreciation and to facilitate sales

### Awards

2015	BCA Green Mark Gold Plus Award Best Wedding Solemnisation Venue for Hotels (5 Star & Above), <i>Her World</i> Brides Venue Awards
2014	Luxury Historical Hotel Award - World Luxury Hotel Awards Best Boutique Hotel (Top 3) - <i>AsiaOne</i> People's Choice Awards <i>AsiaRooms.com</i> Hotel Awards - Top 10 Most Cultural Hotel (SEA) Best Wedding Solemnisation/Reception Venue for Hotels (5 Star & Above), <i>Her World</i> Brides Venue Awards TripAdvisor's Certificate of Excellence EXSA Service Excellence Awards - 5 Silver Awardees
2013	Excellence Service Award by TripAdvisor Traveller
2012	Top 20 Trendiest Hotel in Singapore by TripAdvisor Traveller's Choice Award Excellence Service Award by TripAdvisor Traveller
2011	Winner of the URA (Urban Redevelopment Authority of Singapore) Architectural Heritage Award Top Signature Boutique Hotel / Resort by Hospitality Asia Platinum Awards

### **Amenities crafted for Dining**

*(The Salon, Tisettanta Lounge)*

Presenting all the amenities of a 5-star luxury hotel inclusive of outstanding food & beverage outlets, The Salon offers a tantalizing collection of Western, Asian-inspired and signature favourites where diners are feted with an elegant and sophisticated ambience. Located at the hotel lobby together with Tisettanta Lounge, it offers an outstanding myriad of local and fusion signature dishes, freshly-prepared brick-oven pizza and an equally impressive cocktail and wine list.

Savour Singapore favourites at The Salon such as "Fried Mee Siam with Boston Lobster" (*wok fried rice vermicelli with Boston lobster, chives and beancurd*), "Laksa Spaghetti" (*our chef's re-interpretation of a classic local dish. Sautéed spaghetti with silver sprouts, fresh shrimps and deep fried hard-boiled egg, topped with caviar*), "Singapore Hokkien Mee" (*braised yellow noodles and thick rice noodles with eggs, prawns, squid, streaky pork belly with chives and bean sprouts*), "HFC Curry Chicken" (*an all-time Asian*

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*favourite dish, tender chicken pieces and potatoes are cooked in a spicy coconut gravy and served with rice, achar and papadums), “Mixed Seafood Pie Tie” (pan seared bay shrimps and scallops stuffed in ‘pie tee’ shell), and “Bubor Cha Cha” (sweet coconut milk soup with taro, sweet potatoes & jelly).*

**Amenities created for Wellness**

*(Three Pools, TechnoGym, Chinois Spa)*

Hotel Fort Canning offers an extensive range of three swimming pools; a free-form pool, a lap pool, and a children’s pool. As an outfit dedicated to conserving the environment, we invest in the most advanced ionization technology to treat our pools for healthy natural pure water, so that our guests enjoy pools that are chlorine and chemical free. The ecologically safe process uses NASA technology for sanitation, and with ionizer that eliminates allergies, odours and irritation.

Our state-of-the-art TechnoGym features extensive state-of-the-art equipment in a sprawling venue with large panoramic view of the park. Fitness classes are available, and are conducted by fitness instructors in a specially designed room within the gym.

Relax and rejuvenate at Chinois Spa. The luxury spa offers comprehensive health and wellness services.

**Amenities designed for Celebrations**

*(Pools, Sun Deck, Jasmine Room, Living Room, Legends Ballrooms, Lavender Ballrooms, Garden Terrace, Palm Terrace, Fountain Terrace)*

Full banquet facilities and services are available for any events, from intimate receptions to rather more grand occasions, from traditional ballroom weddings to sophisticated garden ceremonies in an outdoor setting. Indoor venue with floor-to-ceiling windows to offer panoramic view of the tree-tops, a lovely sun deck with tranquil views of the swimming pools, intimate garden with magical fairy lights, enchanting fountain over-looking a private patio, Hotel Fort Canning offers stunning surroundings for all celebrations.

<b>Ballroom:</b>	<b>Area:</b>	<b>Seating Capacity (Banquet):</b>
Legends 1	192sqm	110
Legends 2	180sqm	100
Legends 3	264sqm	180
Legends Ballroom	636sqm	460
Lavender 1	135sqm	70
Lavender 2	105sqm	70
Lavender 3	120sqm	70
Lavender Ballroom	360sqm	230
Jasmine 1	72sqm	40
Jasmine 2	72sqm	40
Jasmine Room	144sqm	80
The Living Room	72sqm	40

## Guest Rooms and Suites

All of our 86 guest rooms and suites are designed for a stunning view of either the century-old lush park or the vibrant city of Singapore.

### Luxurious amenities and special features

- Each room features an impressive ceiling height of well over 5M.
- Latest In-room Technology; Complimentary wireless internet, Zeppelin Mini - ipod docking system by Bowers & Wilkins, Samsung HD TV, interactive control panel (room temperature, mood lightings, and curtains).
- Designer furniture pieces from award-winning Italian designer Poltrona Frau, and fabrics from Jim Thompson
- Luxurious finishing; marble and teak parquet flooring, monsoon rain shower and large free-standing bath tub

<u>Room Category:</u>	<u>Area:</u>	<u>Number of Rooms:</u>
Deluxe Room	30 - 35sqm	52
Deluxe Garden Room	27 - 32.5sqm	6
Deluxe Pool	34.4 sqm	1
Premium Room	40sqm	18
Premium Luxe Room	40 - 50sqm	2
Junior Suite	55.1 sqm	1
Studio Suite	50sqm	4
Suite	94sqm	2

### Comprehensive hotel amenities

- Complimentary canapé and refreshment in lobby
- 24-hour front desk
- Air-conditioned public areas
- Multiple large conference rooms and ballrooms with banquet facilities
- Fitness facilities
- Full-service health and wellness pa
- 3 outdoor pools - mineral-filled
- Bar/lounge
- Business services
- Concierge desk
- Currency exchange
- Dry cleaning/laundry service
- Express check-in and check-out



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- Airport and city shuttle
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Multi-lingual staff
- Carpark with valet parking
- Porter/bellhop
- 24 hour security
- Smoke-free property
- Family-friendly services; baby cot, board games, TV shows, books

### **Fort Canning Park**

Located on a hill, Fort Canning Park is one of Singapore's most historic landmarks. It has witnessed Singapore's golden age, when Malay Kings ruled from its peak, and watched as the island transformed into a vibrant trading port in the 19<sup>th</sup> century. During World War II, the hill was instrumental in Singapore's war efforts with numerous military buildings located there. One of these buildings was the Fort Canning Bunker or Battle Box, where the decision to surrender Singapore to the Japanese was made by the British. Many artefacts from Singapore's colourful history have survived on the hill and are still visible today.

Today, Fort Canning Park's distinctive charm remains. Its ancient artefacts are a must-see for history buffs, and its lush greenery and expansive lawns offer a variety of arts, heritage and nature experiences. The outdoor lawns draw picnics, concerts, theatre productions and festivals, while weddings, parties and gatherings are a regular sight in the park's elegant settings.

*Source: National Parks Singapore.*

[http://www.nparks.gov.sg/cms/index.php?option=com\\_visitorsguide&task=parks&id=16&Itemid=73](http://www.nparks.gov.sg/cms/index.php?option=com_visitorsguide&task=parks&id=16&Itemid=73)

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