



75th VENICE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL OF LA BIENNALE DI VENEZIA

***Shape of Fantasy*: Hotel Danieli, a Luxury Collection Hotel and JW Marriott Venice Resort & Spa pay tribute to cinema with an exclusive event in collaboration with Variety**

Rome, July 25th 2018 – Hotel Danieli, a Luxury Collection Hotel, Venice and JW Marriott Venice Resort & Spa along with the legendary global media company Variety present ***Shape of Fantasy***, an exclusive event at Restaurant Terrazza Danieli on August 28th that pays homage to cinema on the eve of the opening of the 75th Venice International Film Festival organized by La Biennale di Venezia.

Hotel Danieli, a Luxury Collection Hotel, Venice and JW Marriott Venice Resort & Spa, landmarks of luxury hospitality in the Lagoon, dedicate this special event to Venice, its history and its unparalleled beauty. The party is also a tribute to the Mexican movie director and screenwriter Guillermo del Toro, Academy Award-winning in 2007 with *Pan's Labyrinth* and in 2018 with *The Shape of Water* as well as President of the Jury in the 2018 edition of the Venice Film Festival, where last year he won the *Leone d'Oro*.

The event on the eve of the opening of the Festival celebrates the talent of Guillermo del Toro, honouring his eclecticism and his movies always suspended between dream and mystery, themes which are also very relevant for Venice itself.

The two Academy Award-winning movies will inspire special menus created by Executive Chef Alberto Fol for Hotel Danieli and the Michelin Starred Chef Federico Belluco together with Executive Chef Dario Parascandolo for JW Marriott Venice. Moreover, Hotel Danieli's Head Barman Roberto Naccari and JW Marriott Venice's Emanuele Cremon will present unique signatures cocktails.

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