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PARADISE FOUND

Rediscover the legacy of hospitality at Half Moon

HOW BAUHAUS CAME TO ASPEN A look at Herbert Bayer & Aspen Meadows THE FAMILY REUNION A Culinary celebration of diversity & hospitality A LIVING NATIONAL TREASURE Inside the American Ballet Theater

THE EXCLUSIVE IN-ROOM PUBLICATION FOR SALAMANDER HOTELS & RESORTS

OFFERING ADVERTISERS A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY TO REACH A SPECIAL GROUP OF AFFLUENT TRAVELERS

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ABOUT SALAMANDER HOTELS & RESORTS

Salamander Hotels & Resorts is an independent, luxury brand that creates exceptional and authentic experiences. Salamander's inclusive, welcoming style has become a defining approach to hospitality and the company features a unique collection of iconic properties in storied destinations, including Middleburg, VA, Washington, DC, Charleston, Aspen, Tampa Bay, Jamaica and Anguilla.

Sheila Johnson, founder and CEO of this growing portfolio, leads Salamander with an exacting vision of excellence rooted in her core values. A business trailblazer, before entering hospitality she co-founded Black Entertainment Television (BET) and is currently Vice Chairman of Monumental Sports & Entertainment, which owns the NBA's Washington Wizards, the NHL's Washington Capitals, and the WNBA's Washington Mystics. A committed philanthropist, she has also become a voice for the hospitality industry, serving on both the Executive Committee for the American Hotel & Lodging Association and the Forbes Travel Guide Strategy Committee.

Salamander Magazine advertisers also enjoy exclusive opportunities to partner in Salamander's special event series, which features the Middleburg Film Festival and The Family Reunion – a celebration of diversity within the hospitality community.



THE SALAMANDER NAME

comes from the story of Bruce Sundlun, an American war hero, politician and previous owner of the property where the Salamander Resort & Spa now stands. As a bomber pilot in World War II, Sundlun's plane was shot down over Nazi-occupied Belgium. For months, he evaded capture and eventually worked with the French Resistance. They gave him the code name "Salamander" after the amphibian that can mythically walk through fire and come out alive.

When Ms. Johnson heard the meaning of "salamander" she fell in love with it and what it meant. In addition to finding Sundlun's story inspiring, Ms. Johnson discovered that for centuries the salamander has symbolized strength, courage and fortitude -- traits with which she has identified throughout her personal and business life. Sundlun granted permission for the name "Salamander Farm" to be restored to the estate and Ms. Johnson continues to expand the use of "Salamander" in her businesses.

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SALAMANDER DESTINATIONS



SALAMANDER RESORT & SPA MIDDLEBURG, VIRGINIA

- 168 luxurious rooms and suites set on 340 acres in the Blue Ridge Mountains foothills
- Forbes Five-Star and AAA Five Diamond rated
- Virginia Piedmont-inspired dining, dedicated cooking studio, and full-service
 equestrian center
- Forbes Five-Star Salamander Spa with 14 treatment rooms



AURORA ANGUILLA RESORT & GOLF CLUB RENDEZVOUS BAY, ANGUILLA

- 178-suites set on the idyllic white beaches of Rendezvous Bay in Anguilla
- 300-acre property featuring a collection of world-class amenities, including seven restaurants and lounges and a 27,000-squarefoot spa
- Aurora International Golf Club with the stunning 18-hole Championship Golf Course and a new Avalon Links short course.



HALF MOON MONTEGO BAY, JAMAICA

- 210 elegantly appointed rooms and suites, and 27 villas along two miles of beachfront.
- The highest-rated resort in Jamaica, Forbes Four-Star Rating
- Half Moon Golf Course, named as Golf World's Top 100 Best Golf Resorts in the World
- Renowned Half Moon Golf Course and Fern Tree, a Salamander Spa, inspired by the island's lush and tropical gardens



ASPEN MEADOWS RESORT ASPEN, CO

- 98 spacious guest suites inspired by classic Bauhaus design and décor
- Secluded sanctuary set on 40 acres with picturesque mountain views
- Original home of the Aspen Institute, where guests have access to ongoing special programming



HOTEL BENNETT CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA

- 179 luxurious guestrooms and suites.
- Rooftop pool with cabanas and bar, a luxury spa, and a French patisserie.
- Gabrielle restaurant with stunning views of Charleston's famed park.
- Exclusive King's Club for guests who desire the most personalized Charleston experience.



INNISBROOK RESORT TAMPA BAY, FLORIDA

- 300 spacious guest rooms and suites
- Four championship golf courses, including the renowned Copperhead, and host to the annual PGA TOUR Valspar Championship
- 18,000 square-foot spa, salon and fitness center
- The resort includes 11 clay tennis courts, six swimming pools and 60 acres of lakes for fishing



SALAMANDER WASHINGTON DC WASHINGTON, D.C.

- 373 elegant rooms and suites located along the capital's vibrant Southwest waterfront and minutes from the nation's most cherished monuments
- Acclaimed Salamander Spa with stunning indoor pool and sun-lit fitness facility
- Recognized as the District's preeminent meeting and event location

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EDITORIAL OVERVIEW

Readers of Salamander Magazine expect the best. They stay at Salamander properties because they appreciate and want to create authentic, memorable experiences.

Salamander Magazine reflects the interests and passions of this highly affluent and sophisticated demographic with compelling content that supports the ideals of the Salamander brand image.

IN EACH ISSUE

Each issue inspires travelers with an emphasis on authentic and unique experiences, fine dining and wine, exceptional golf, world-class spa, sophisticated style and shopping, family, and relevant information for both the leisure and business traveler, including:

- Profiles & Features
- Travel
- Food & Drink
- Arts & Culture
- Outdoor Lifestyle: Equestrian Sports / Golf / Tennis
- Nature / Health & Wellness / Spa
- Fashion & Style
- Luxury Goods

CIRCULATION & DISTRIBUTION

Salamander Magazine is distributed in every suite and guest room at all Salamander properties — approximately 1,500 rooms.

SALAMANDER RESORT & SPA: MIDDLEBURG, VA

SALAMANDER WASHINGTON, DC: WASHINGTON, D.C

HOTEL BENNETT: CHARLESTON, SC

HALF MOON: MONTEGO BAY, JAMAICA

AURORA ANGUILLA RESORT & GOLF CLUB: RENDEZOUS BAY, ANGUILLA

ASPEN MEADOWS RESORT: ASPEN, CO

INNISBROOK RESORT: TAMPA BAY, FL

- 30,000 Printed Copies
- 135,000 Readers Per Issue

This is an exceptional opportunity to reach and influence an exclusive, elite and affluent audience, 365 days per year.

ADDITIONAL DISTRIBUTION:

- Direct mail to top guests
- Hotel outlets (spas, golf club houses)
- Through corporate partners
- Select retail outlets & advertising partners

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OUR READERS

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Salamander is America's largest Black-owned luxury hotel company and attracts an incredibly diverse guest base to its collection of properties.

The majority of Salamander guests and magazine readers are wealthy travelers who live and work in the largest urban centers in the U.S. These mid-30s to mid-50s households are highly educated—being 2.5x more likely to have completed graduate school—and appreciate fine homes and autos, destination travel, entertainment, and high-end leisure activities.

Whether it's the elite equestrian rider, the golf enthusiast or the spa retreat guest, our readers are those who enjoy Salamander's style of approachable luxury. Our readers have busy lives and are serious and savvy investors, buyers of luxury automobiles, gourmet food enthusiasts and wine afficionados.

AVG NET WORTH \$2MIL+

AVG HOME VALUE \$500K+

78% MARRIED
68% COLLEGE GRADUATE

SHOPPING INTERESTS

Trader Joe's

Nordstrom

Ann Taylor

Crate & Barrel

Independent Jewelry Stores

MEDIA INTERESTS Bloomberg Television

The New York Times

Travel + Leisure

Bon Appetit & Sunset

Architectural Digest

LEISURE INTERESTS Live Theater & Opera

Art Galleries

Business Clubs

Charitable Organizations

Golf & Outdoor Activities

"PRINT IS A NATURAL PLACE TO BELONG FOR LUXURY BRANDS – THEY SHARE SIMILAR VALUES. IN A WORLD OF FAKE NEWS AND SUPERFICIAL IMAGES, WHERE TIME IS LACKING, PRINT PUBLICATIONS STAND FOR SUBSTANCE AND MEANING."

PRINT GETS BRANDS NOTICED: "THE MASS CONSUMPTION OF DIGITAL CONTENT HAS ELEVATED THE PRINTED MAGAZINE TO A COLLECTIBLE PREMIUM PRODUCT WHICH CUTS THROUGH THE DIGITAL."

- VÉRONIQUE LOUISE, MOËT HENNESSY'S GLOBAL BRANDING AND MEDIA DIRECTOR

- RYAN BATTLES, CONTENT & BRAND DIRECTOR, DIALOGUE AGENCY

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