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WORKING EXPERIENCES

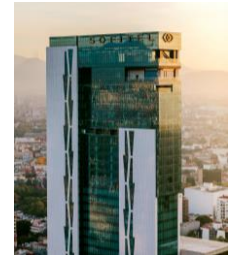
June 2018 to date **SOFITEL MEXICO CITY REFORMA** Mexico City – **Mexico**

Position: **General Manager (Pre-opening / Opening)**

Website: www.sofitel.com

Job description: Pre-opening and opening of the first French luxury hotel in the heart of Mexico City – Opening date, November 13th 2019

- 275 rooms
- 40 floors
- 330 employees



Jan 2016 to May 2018 **ACCORHOTELS CUBA** La Havana – **Cuba**

Position: **Country Vice-President**

Website: www.accorhotels.com

Job description: Country Vice-President in charge of 3 hotels:

- Mercure Sevilla La Habana - 178 rooms
- Mercure Playa de Oro - Varadero - 280 rooms
- Pullman Cayo Coco - 570 rooms
- Signing the management contract to open the So/



Jan 2008 to Dec 2015 **SOFITEL MALABO** Malabo – **Equatorial Guinea**

Position: **Cluster General Manager**

Website: www.sofitel.com

Job description: General Manager in charge of the 2 Sofitel in Equatorial Guinea



Sofitel Malabo Sipopo Le Golf (97% satisfaction on Tripadvisor)
 Sofitel Malabo President Palace (85% satisfaction on Tripadvisor)

On January 13th, 2016, I have been awarded by the President of Equatorial Guinea as Officer of The Legion of Honour (Oficial de la Orden de la Independencia) for my outstanding participation during 8 years to the development of the country.

www.chauvet.info/V2/honour.html



Feb 2011 to Jan 2014 **SOFITEL MALABO SIPOPO LE GOLF** Sipopo – **Equatorial Guinea**

Position: **General Manager (Pre-opening / Opening)**

Website: www.sofitel.com

Job description: 200 rooms – 220 employees – 18 holes golf course – Owned by the Government of Equatorial Guinea.



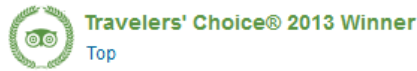
Contract agreement has been signed in December 2010. We had 6 months to succeed the opening and welcome the XVIIth African Union Summit (June 29th & 30th, 2011).

Since the opening we welcomed several international conferences





The hotel has been awarded **Best African Luxury Golf Resort** by the World Luxury Hotel Awards in 2013.



The hotel has been awarded 11th best hotel in all Africa for 2013.



Employees' satisfaction survey

December 2014 – 92% |
 December 2013 – 92% | happy to work in the hotel
 December 2012 – 95% |
 December 2011 – 90% |

On February 2011, I have been awarded by Sofitel as the best General Manager in one of the 3 values of Sofitel: "Spirit of Openness"

June 2008 to Feb 2011

SOFITEL MALABO PRESIDENT PALACE

Malabo – **Equatorial Guinea**

Position: **General Manager**

Website: www.sofitel.com

Job description: 100 rooms – 140 employees – Owned by the Government of Equatorial Guinea



100% business & politic hotel
 Since June 2008, we have welcomed 1 King, 1 princess and 21 Presidents and more than 50 Ministers.



Dec 2006 to May 2008

CORINTHIA ATLANTIC HOTEL

Banjul – **The Gambia**

Position: **General Manager**

Website: www.corinthiahotels.com

Job description: 204 rooms – 250 employees – Hotel + Air catering



Several objectives have been achieved:
 - The "F&B extra" incomes have been increased by 50% after changing the cash policy with cashless policy.
 - The general expenses have been decreased by 20%
 - The general state of the hotel and the quality of the service has been upgraded.



On the 09th of October 2007, Corinthia Atlantic Hotel has been officially awarded **Gambia's leading hotel** by the World Travel Awards.

Feb 2002 to Nov 2006

KARAFUU HOTEL BEACH RESORT 5*

Zanzibar - **Tanzania**

Position: **General Manager**

Website: www.karafuuzanzibar.com

Job description: When I took over the management of the hotel, the image, the margin and the quality of the hotel were very poor.



On the 20th of September 2006, after 4 years of management, Karafuu Hotel has been officially awarded **Africa's leading resort & Tanzania's leading hotel** by the World Travel Awards.



Aug 1997 to July 2001

TANGANYIKA WILDLIFE SAFARI

Arusha - **Tanzania**

Position: **Director and Operations Manager**

Website: www.tanganyika.com



Over a 4 years period we dealt with more than 15 000 customers.

EDUCATION

2019	-	49 years	Hotel real estate investments & asset management - Cornell University
2016	-	46 years	To develop managerial leadership part-2*
2015	-	45 years	To develop managerial leadership part-1*
2013	-	43 years	Self-knowledge*
2012	-	42 years	Business Master*
2011	-	41 years	Fit for Business
2010	-	40 years	The income statement advanced – Budget preparation and monitoring*
2010	-	40 years	Luxury immersion (Louis Vuitton, Hermes, Fouquet's hotel ...)
2009	-	39 years	Yield Management*
2008	-	38 years	Crisis management*
1992	-	22 years	European M.B.A. in Marketing
1991	-	21 years	High level marketing diploma
1990	-	20 years	Polytechnic diploma
1988	-	18 years	Scientific high school leaving certificate

* Accor Academy

<u>Foreign languages</u>	French (mother tongue) - English (fluent) – Spanish (fluent) – Swahili (basic)
<u>Computer</u>	Perfect knowledge of Microsoft Office Internet site realisation (Dreamweaver MX, Flash MX, Paint Shop Pro...)

HOBBIES

Trekking, scuba-diving, free diving, inline skating, surf, squash, golf.

For more details on each part of my CV, please visit my web site:

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"Some days you win. Others, you learn"