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#### **KEY FACTS**

Situated in the tree-lined suburb of Sandhurst, within the heart of Johannesburg. The areas surrounding the Saxon are recognised as world class shopping destinations, including exclusive shopping malls, Hyde Park, Sandton City, Nelson Mandela Square, Rosebank, Melrose Arch and Montecasin, which can be reached in just a few minutes by the hotel's complimentary transfers

This enchanting hotel was originally a private home and has hosted many esteemed and honoured guests. It is also a highly respected patron of the arts with an inspired vision of the creative arts

It is the ultimate destination for luxurious accommodation in elegant Suites and Villas furnished in contemporary African style The Saxon hotel's extraordinary attention to detail, seamless planning and implementation makes it a soughtafter venue for hosting social and business occasions

Butlers are on hand at all times to assist guests, from packing/unpacking, providing information and personalised wake-up calls, to personal shopping, travel arrangements and an airport meet and greet service

#### LOCATION AND ACCESS

OR Tambo International Airport, Johannesburg: 45 min by car

Lanseria Airport: 40 min by car

Sandton business and shopping districts: 15 min by car

Flight time from the UK: 10 hr, 45 min

Flights from the UK (direct): Virgin Atlantic, British Airways, South African

(indirect): Ethiopian, Etihad, Qatar Airways, Emirates, Kenya Airways, KLM, Air France, Turkish, Iberia, Lufthansa

#### ACCOMMODATION

Luxury Suites: 80 sq.m, king size bed, separate bathroom with bath and walk-in shower, open plan layout with a lounge and dining area with business desk, garden, city skyline and pool terrace views

Villa Luxury Suites: 80 sq.m, king size bed, separate bathroom with bath, dual sink and walk-in stone clad shower, open plan layout with seating and dining area with business desk, dedicated butler service, private deck leading onto the gardens

Villa Presidential Suites: 200 sq.m, king size four-poster bed, separate bathroom with bath, dual sink and walk-in shower, in-suite seating and dining area with business desk, guest bathroom, separate lounge, dining room, fully equipped butler's kitchen and butler service, balcony with garden view 1 Presidential Suite: 200 sq.m, king size four-poster bed, separate bathroom with bath, dual sink and walk-in shower, in-suite seating and dining area with business desk, guest bathroom, separate lounge, dining room, fully equipped butler's kitchen and butler service, balcony with garden view

1 Nelson Mandela Platinum Suite: 400 sq.m, direct lift access, master bedroom with a king size four poster bed, separate bathroom with Jacuzzi bath, walk-in shower and steam room, fully equipped butler's kitchen and 24 hour butler service, guest bathroom, guest suite, separate lounge, dining room with business desk, garden and pool

#### terrace views

3 Saxon Luxury Villas: Villa 1 comprises seven 80 sq.m Villa Luxury Suites, king size bed, separate bathroom with bath, dual sink and walk-in stone clad shower, open plan layout with a lounge and dining area with seating for up to 18 guests, business desk, breakfast area and bar, 24-hour dedicated butler service and chef, private terrace and plunge pool, private lift from the parking area. Saxon Luxury Villa 2 and 3 each comprise eleven suites and a private spa suite. Each Villa has a main lounge, dining room, breakfast area and bar, private terrace and plunge pool, with a dedicated 24-hour butler service and chef

#### FACILITIES

Qunu Grill: offers the ultimate African grill experience, with an innovative menu of bold flavours, using only the finest South African cuts of meat, the freshest fish, handpicked seasonal ingredients and carefully selected produce from local artisans

Luke Dale Roberts x The Saxon: offers an unforgettable experiential dining experience with dishes combining passion, expertise and the latest global gourmet food trends. The restaurant offers tasting evenings of delectable plates paired with tea, South African and International wines

Terrace: offers the perfect al-fresco setting for relaxation; the all-day menu offers a varied selection of light meals and is ideal for a leisurely lunch or afternoon sun-downers

Eighteen05: named in honour of Johnnie Walker, the bar is a modern interpretation of a bygone era, expressed to perfection by its interior

Olive Bar: stylish, sophisticated bar offering the perfect setting for enjoying pre-dinner drinks, sun-downers

and cocktails

Cigar Lounge: an intimate and sophisticated after-dinner retreat offering an impressive collection of cigars, whiskeys and cognacs, as well as an extensive library

The Saxon Spa: a new 700 sq.m two-floor spa offering an oasis of wellness with a carefully curated programme of Saxon Signature Spa Journeys and luxurious treatments using the very best beauty and wellness brands including: La Prairie, QMS, Margaret Dabbs, Elemis and Harnn body oils.

Fitness Centre: well-equipped and expertly supervised gymnasium, with qualified personal trainers available on request

Six magnificent pools: an outdoor heated pool complete with underwater music, a Spa pool, three heated plunge pools and an impressive infinity pool Wine Cellars: The White and Red Wine Cellars exude a distinctive ambience and can be reserved for private functions or dinner parties

#### PRIVATE ROOMS

Convention Lounge: a spacious venue ideal for hosting large receptions, presentations and cocktail functions

Dining Library: ideal for small business meetings, presentations or standing cocktail functions with its private outside terrace and collection of books and art The tiered Auditorium: offers comfortable seating for up to 30 people

Conference Room and Executive Boardroom: fully equipped with the latest technology for first class presentations

#### DID YOU KNOW?

Sarapana, the extensive rooftop vegetable garden serves as a source of inspiration for The Saxon's chefs in creating innovative dishes, using the freshest fruit and seasonal herbs and vegetables.

The hotel supports wildlife conservation, and at our sister

property Shambala Private Game Reserve, they are actively involved in a comprehensive anti-rhino poaching programme.

The impressive art collection showcases an eclectic mix of established and emerging artists and includes art and artefacts from Africa, Europe and the East. The Saxon Hotel takes pride in displaying the work of South Africa's most promising emerging and established artists who have gained recognition on the local and international art scene.

The Saxon's gourmet High tea served in the Piano Lounge is an elegant ritual steeped in tradition, offering exclusive service of Yswara tea alongside Valrhona chocolate, French gold leaf and the finest clotted cream from the Cape.

The hotel's Signature Sound Therapy is equivalent to 8 hours sleep.

The grand reception features sweeping staircases and a

spectacular chandelier made of native ostrich eggs.

The restaurants change their menus monthly.

Complimentary wine is offered to guests staying in Executive Rooms.

The hotel is committed to a comprehensive green efficiency programme, which includes recycling practices, organic gardens and environmentally marketing collateral.

Central to the design of the new Saxon Spa is the healing properties of Himalayan salt, incorporated into the design as well as therapies. Each treatment room is ionised by a locally handcrafted Himalayan salt and recycled glass chandelier created by a local conservation and sustainability project. As well as making a striking centrepiece, the chandeliers will actively purify the air, stimulate circulation and increase energy levels. The sauna also has three walls constructed entirely from the precious mineral.



**Terrace View** 

Reception



Piano Lounge



Luke Dale Roberts x The Saxon





Fig Terrace

Saxon Spa





Hammam

Mandela Presidential Suite

Saxon Executive Luxury Room



Mandela Presidential Suite

