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The Temple House Celebrated its Eighth Anniversary with Eight Renowned Mixologists

The Chengdu House Put on a Whimsical Cocktail Night with a Summer Neon Party



(Chengdu, August 2023) – The Temple House, a modern House known as “The House of Contrast” for its contemporary design yet historic location, marked its eighth anniversary on 8 August with a remarkable Summer Neon Party. For the special celebration, The Temple House invited its cherished House friends to enjoy a delightful evening, bringing together eight nationally and internationally renowned mixologists.

"We are immensely proud to reach our 8th anniversary, and to share this milestone with our valued friends," says Simon McHendry, General Manager of The Temple House. "The concept of the celebration encapsulates our commitment to embracing tradition, fostering innovation, and leading the way in sustainable luxury hospitality. We look forward to welcoming everyone to our House, where they can enjoy an authentic Chengdu experience, and build more unforgettable memories with us!"

For this celebration, the House had eight renowned mixologists to shake and stir. Besides its very own **William Zhang**, Head Bartender of JING at The Temple House, other mixologists were **Millie Tang**, who was listed among this year's Drinks International Bar World 100 Most Influential, as well as **Eddy Yang**, winner of the 2018 DMBA Founders Award and a well-known mixologist in China. Joining them were **Jackwing Yao**, founder of SPIN Bar in Guangzhou, **William Wu**, founder and Head Bartender of La Saloon in Chongqing, and **Fraser**, co-founder and CEO of The Rambler Gin, as well as two mixologists from The House Collective; **Harry Zhang**, Bar Manager of Union at The Opposite House Beijing and **Matthew Hall**, Bar Manager at The Middle House Shanghai. The eight mixologists have ingeniously crafted a series of whimsical cocktails inspired by Neon colors, perfectly complementing the festive ambiance of the anniversary celebration.

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The Temple House's eighth-anniversary celebration also showcased an array of captivating installations, each one thoughtfully designed, conveying the theme of the number "8". These artful creations, meticulously crafted from a variety of materials, came together to form a visually striking scene on the lawn. Each "8" signified one of the core elements that define the House's identity, including Historical Sense, Sustainability, Wellness, Art, Creativity, Timelessness, Trends and Mode.

Historical Sense is a tribute to the heritage buildings that the House has embraced and preserved throughout the years. **Sustainability** reflects its unwavering commitment to environmentally conscious practices, honoring its dedication to protecting both the natural world and local communities. **Wellness** showcases its dedication to nurturing health and wellbeing, and **Art** represents its profound admiration for art in all its forms, as it adorns the House's spaces and elevates the aesthetic experience for all who visit.

Creativity signifies passion for innovation, showcasing ceaseless pursuit of fresh and captivating ways to enthrall both the guests and community. **Timelessness** and **Trends** harmoniously blend in the House, celebrating the enduring allure of timeless traditions that blend seamlessly with modern comforts, ensuring a captivating

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ambiance that is both rooted in heritage and ahead of the curve. **Mode** exemplifies its ability to stay at the forefront of the latest buzz, ensuring guests' experiences remain vibrant, exciting, and ever-evolving.

On this radiant night, House friends dazzled in neon outfits while accompanied by vibrant beats and stunning cocktails, to celebrate the 8th anniversary of The Temple House!



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Historical Sense



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Wellness



Art

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Creativity



Timelessness



Trends



Mode

About The Temple House

The Temple House is one of four Houses in The House Collective and is located in the heart of Chengdu within the Taikoo Li, a bustling open plan shopping area. The 100-room House and its 42 serviced residences form an integral part of the city government's conservation project to preserve the surrounding heritage buildings next to the thousand-year-old Daci Temple. Elegant bamboo trees frame the House's entrance, which is set in a beautifully restored hundred-year-old Chinese courtyard built in the Qing Dynasty. Mi Xun houses the award-winning spa, which includes a pool and fitness centre, as well as Michelin-starred teahouse serving vegan Sichuan cuisine. The Temple House also offers a dynamic collection of outlets including The Temple Café – the all-day dining restaurant, Tivano – a Michelin guide recommended Italian restaurant, and Jing Bar – a lively bar featuring live DJs.

About The House Collective

The House Collective by Swire Hotels is a group of refined, highly individual properties that defy comparison. Each uniquely imagined, The Opposite House in Beijing, The Upper House in Hong Kong, The Temple House in Chengdu and The Middle House in Shanghai were designed for seasoned travellers who seek a different, intimate and personalised experience in luxury travel. Each House is a sophisticated, singular piece of design, created by talented architects and designers, that reflect the unique qualities of their surroundings.

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