

Press Release

**SJM's *The Adventures of ALICE @ Grand Lisboa Palace Resort Macau*  
Debuts as a Captivating Residency Show**

*A Whimsical Ballet Performance*

*Choreographed by Renowned Hong Kong Ballet Artistic Director Septime Webre  
Featuring Exceptional Talents from Macau and Greater Bay Area*

(Macau, 13 April 2025) SJM Resorts, S.A. (“SJM”) proudly presents its brand-new residency show *The Adventures of ALICE @ Grand Lisboa Palace Resort Macau*, a prelude to a series of upcoming residency shows debuting in Summer 2025, jointly created in collaboration with world-renowned Hong Kong Ballet (“HKB”) Artistic Director Septime Webre. Premiered today at the South Atrium on Level 1 of Grand Lisboa Palace Resort Macau, this reimaged ballet transforms the timeless tale into a mesmerising theatrical experience filled with creativity and flair.

Specially choreographed and directed by Webre, the production features a lively new score by celebrated composer Ng Cheuk-yin, striking costumes designed by Liz Vandal of Cirque du Soleil fame, ingenious stage effects, and intimate audience engagement. Performed by an ensemble of HKB dancers alongside talents from Macau and the Greater Bay Area, the show draws audiences into Alice’s magical dreamscape. Today, two opening-day performances welcomed members of Macau’s arts community, ballet professionals, and dance enthusiasts for a first look at this imaginative visual spectacle.

The production is inspired by Webre’s acclaimed ballet “ALICE (in wonderland),” which garnered praise and captivated audiences in Hong Kong, Beijing, Singapore, and the United States. Now, SJM unveils an inspired version specially for Macau, set against the fully immersive 360-degree stage in the 1st floor Atrium of Grand Lisboa Palace, enhanced with state-of-the-art lighting, surround sound, and projection effects. The performance invites audiences of all ages to step into a richly imagined fantasy world. The first run in the series includes two performances on each of the eight selected days, all open for the public to enjoy. After each show, Alice and her friends will greet guests for photo opportunities — creating unforgettable moments for all.

To support the launch of this residency production, SJM conducted multiple open auditions earlier this year to recruit passionate dancers from Macau and surrounding Greater Bay Area. The initiative not only provides professional training, performance experience, and skill development for aspiring artists, but also nurtures new talents for the region’s ballet scene, further contributing to the area’s cultural vitality. More residency shows are in the pipeline as part of SJM’s ongoing efforts to expand performance platforms and enrich Macau’s cultural landscape.

Ms. Daisy Ho, Managing Director of SJM, remarked: “SJM is committed to cultivating Macau’s arts and cultural ecosystem. This new residency venue offers a valuable stage for local performers while fostering exchanges with leading international production teams—raising the calibre of local talents and reinforcing Macau’s positioning as a ‘City of Performing Arts.’ Presented in an engaging, community-oriented format, this production brings art closer to the people. It adds a fresh dimension to family-friendly

entertainment in the city and enhances Macau's appeal as a World Centre of Tourism and Leisure.”

Embark on a magical adventure amidst the resort, where the mesmerising world is brought to life with Alice's Dream Wonderland at the Catwalk Garden on Level 1 retail area. Explore the maze and the picturesque outdoor Jardim Secreto with Alice's Enchanted Garden installations, open to public on the Level 3 of Grand Lisboa Palace. From now until 30 June, indulge in Alice-inspired pastries and beverages at the GLP Lobby Lounge. Whimsical characters like Alice and the Queen of Hearts will make special appearances throughout the resort and interact with guests with joyous parades. Guests can also craft treasured keepsakes at GLP Arte to create unforgettable memories.

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Alice's Dream Wonderland at Catwalk Garden on Level 1 retail area of Grand Lisboa Palace.







Alice's Enchanted Garden installations at the resort's Level 3 Jardim Secreto.