

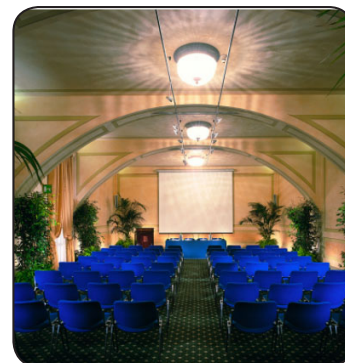
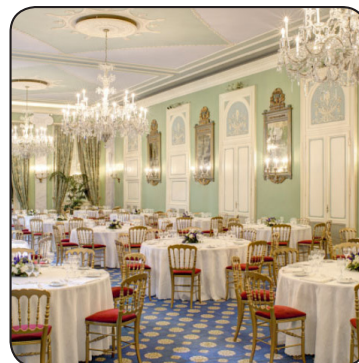


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Letter from the Publisher

**Kevin Panko**, Group Publisher and CEO

Beautiful Lake Como is surrounded by the Alps, and the villas along the shoreline are amazing feats of architecture. You can take a boat trip around the lake to learn about the history of the estates, which belong to the likes of the Heinz family, Versace, and, of course, George and Amal Clooney. If you don't have your own megamansion, Villa d'Este is the place to stay: It's a classic hotel with 25 acres of gardens that are absolutely immaculate, and it's so treasured in Italy that it was declared a World Heritage Site. A favorite feature is the hotel's pool, which sits on a platform in the lake and is a major place for Italians (and Hollywood heavyweights) to see and be seen.



**VILLA D'ESTE**  
LAGO DI COMO

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