

# THE FREQUENT TRAVELLER

A JOURNEY IN STYLE



## HOTEL ES PRINCEP PALMA | MODERN LUXURY AND MALLORCAN LIFESTYLE

*Palma de Mallorca has become a sought-after, independent destination in recent years. A diverse cultural offer, extensive shopping opportunities, an exciting food scene, and the state-of-the-art convention center, Palau de Congressos, which opened last year, make the cosmopolitan island capital ideal for weekend trips, as well as city and business travelers alike. It is fitting that Palma now boasts 28 individual boutique hotels. Hotel Es Princep is one of the finest and newest. It was opened in February 2018. Our author Heike Neuchâtel was on site and was able to convince himself.*

### **Top location between the old town and the sea**

Separated only by the Paseo Marítimo from the sea, is the five-star house Es Princep, the Mallorcan hoteliers family (two other houses in Port Andratx) belongs, slightly elevated above the historic city wall on the edge of the old town of Palma. Although the building was rebuilt, it blends harmoniously into its surroundings with its modern, timeless exterior. The central yet quiet location offers easy access to the beach, attractions such as the famous La Seu Cathedral, the old town, the new convention center or the airport, which is only eight kilometers away.



## Hotel Es Princep Palma: Airy lobby

The spacious, open-plan lobby exudes an elegant, casual and light atmosphere. Reception, a comfortable lounge area with emerald-green armchairs, a small library with books and numerous magazines, the Mura restaurant and a beautiful glass patio with natural light inconceivably merge into each other. Light plays a special role and is perfectly staged in all areas. Floor-to-ceiling windows throughout the house ensure light-flooded rooms. The use of stone, wood and leather is a tribute to the traditional villas of Mallorca.



## Stylish suites and rooms

With a modern design language and clean lines, 68 elegant rooms and suites designed by Palma's architect's office Duch-Pizá present themselves. Large, comfortable box-spring beds with fine Egyptian cotton bed linen by Casa Bassols from Barcelona, small, round metal tables in the same color as the copper-colored lamps, with armchairs by Capdell from Valencia. Amenities such as turndown service, Nespresso machine, kettles, or a pillow menu are standard, as are fast Wi-Fi and Bluetooth connectivity to the speakers in the room. The corner suites 312 and 412 offer particularly spectacular views. The bathrooms have underfloor heating, cuddly towels, high-quality cosmetics with the seductive fragrance Santal 33 by Le Labo New York and lots of glass are open and transparent, which looks very stylish, but not everyone likes it. Here, more privacy would be desirable.



Spread over four floors, the hotel boasts a luxurious Cocô Spa Oasis with hot tub, salt cave, hammam, sauna and an 18-meter heated basement swimming pool.



## Cocktail with a view in the hotel Es Princep Palma

However, the highlight is Almaq, the 800-square-meter spectacular rooftop bar, seating and lounge area and a refreshing pool, one of the city's largest hotel terraces, offering sweeping panoramic views of the sea, the harbor and the bay of Palma. Here sipping his cocktail at sunset is an experience that is second to none.

Two restaurants fulfill all culinary wishes. In the Mura, the snack bar, you can fortify yourself during the day with delicious, small dishes, tapas and snacks and enjoy the excellent breakfast buffet in the morning with many delicious and healthy options. Eggs are ordered from the menu. In addition a charming, attentive service.

## Gourmet cuisine on archaeological grounds

The top-class restaurant Bala Roja is one of the

newest highlights of the gourmet scene of Palma. Only those who have a reservation, for the curtain opens behind the entrance to the gourmet temple is located. Star chef Andreu Genestra, born on the island, shows his cooking skills, which reflect his love for regional Mallorcan cuisine. Authentic and creative at the same time are his imaginative dishes. You sit on comfortable armchairs made of burlap and leather. After all, one dines over an old Moorish leather production site. Not only gourmets, archaeological enthusiasts will get their money's worth. The gourmet restaurant stands on historically valuable grounds. Through a glass floor you look down on the finds of a former tannery from the 13th century,

## At a glance

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