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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**PACIFICA HOTELS' HILTON GARDEN INN MARINA DEL REY RECIEVES PRESTIGIOUS HONOR FROM HILTON WORLDWIDE**

Irvine, CA (May 28, 2014) – [Hilton Garden Inn Marina del Rey](#), the recently renovated boutique-style hotel in Los Angeles' scenic Marina del Rey community, has been named "[Best Conversion](#)" property by Hilton Worldwide. It is the only hotel in the Americas to be honored for this esteemed accomplishment.

[Hilton Worldwide](#) made the announcement for its top annual development awards in the Americas on Friday, with the Hilton Garden Inn Marina del Rey among the recipients. Awards were presented to one hotel in each of the five categories across the company's portfolio of hotels, including: Developer of the Year, Best Conversion, Deal of the Year, Outstanding Achievement and Lifetime Achievement. Awards are based on criteria including the quality level of hotel development, the impact on community, and the most-efficient construction time.

The Hilton Garden Inn Marina del Rey was converted from the former Marina International Hotel with an extensive eight month long renovation and re-opened in June 2013.



Marina International Hotel 2006



Hilton Garden Inn Marina del Rey 2013

"We are honored to be recognized by Hilton Worldwide with such a significant award," said Pacifica Hotels President Matt Marquis. "This property is unique in many ways, and when designed, it served as a benchmark for an innovative development concept. To be acknowledged as a hotel that achieved superior conversion for this model, we are beyond thrilled. We extend the sincerest appreciation to Hilton Worldwide and will continue to strive to make the organization proud."

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The Hilton Garden Inn Marina del Rey is owned and operated by [Pacifica Hotels](#), California's largest independent hospitality company operating and managing hotels in prime coastal locations. The Hilton Garden Inn is located at 4200 Admiralty Way, Marina del Rey, California, 90292, and can be reached by calling 310-301-2000 or visiting the [website](#).

About Pacifica Hotels

Pacifica Hotels was formed in January of 1993 to consolidate the hospitality operations of Invest West Financial Corporation, which has been involved in the acquisition, development, refurbishing and operating of quality hotel properties and other commercial real estate properties for almost 30 years. Today, Pacifica Hotels is the largest owner and operator of boutique hotels on the Pacific coast. Pacifica's 24 independent and flag properties in key California cities from San Diego to San Francisco, as well as Hawaii and Florida, feature outstanding locations, AAA 3-diamond ratings, upgraded amenities and high standards of guest service. For complete hotel descriptions and reservations, visit www.pacificahotels.com.

About Hilton Garden Inn

Hilton Garden Inn is the award-winning, upscale, yet affordable hotel brand that continually strives to ensure today's busy travelers have everything they need to be most productive on the road — from our oh-so-comfortable Garden Sleep System® bed to complimentary wired and Wi-Fi Internet access in all guestrooms. So whether on the road for personal or business reasons, Hilton Garden Inn offers the amenities and services for travelers to sleep deep, stay fit, eat well and work smart while away from home. We even guarantee it with our Hilton Garden Inn Satisfaction Promise: At Hilton Garden Inn, we promise to do whatever it takes to ensure you're satisfied or you don't pay. You can count on us. Guaranteed™. For more information about our locations around the globe, visit www.hgi.com or call 1-877-STAY-HGI.

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