



**THE DYLAN**  
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## The Dylan

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## The Hotel

The Dylan Amsterdam ([dylanamsterdam.com/nl/](https://dylanamsterdam.com/nl/)) is situated in the heart of the “9-streets” on the Keizersgracht. Hidden behind the historical gate along the canals, The Dylan Amsterdam offers an exclusive access to the hidden treasures of the past and present of Amsterdam. The hotel is known for her contemporary design, personal service and beloved destination for people who appreciate the quality.



## Location

The hotel is situated in the trendy and popular '9-streets', close to the most popular sights of Amsterdam such as the Anne Frank House, the Flower Market, the Van Gogh museum, Rijksmuseum, Stedelijk museum and the Museum of the Canals. In the neighborhood of the hotel, there are galleries, boutiques, bars and restaurants located. It is the perfect location to get away in Amsterdam.

## History

The site where The Dylan Amsterdam is located, is rich in history. It starts in 1613, when construction workers began excavating the fifth canal, the Keizersgracht. Five years later a theatre was founded in the building, named the Duytsche Academie. In 1632 the Dutch architect Jacob van Campen was appointed to build a stone theatre. In this theatre plays were staged like *Gijsbreght van Aemstel*. On the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the theatre, in the year 1737, it was Antonio Vivaldi himself who conducted the theatre's orchestra. Many famous people visited the theatre, including the Prince of Orange, the Russian Tsar and the Elector of Brandenburg.

In 1772 the building caught fire during a performance and completely burned down. Only the present Van Campen's doorway was spared and reminds us today of the location's rich history. The following quote has been written on the gate:

'De wereld is een speeltoneel, elk speelt zijn rol en krijgt zijn deel'

This is the quote of Joost van den Vondel, back then, one of the most well known Dutch poets. He wrote this quote for the opening of the theatre.

In 1773 the site was sold to one of the Regents of the Roman Catholic Church and managed the Old & Poor People's office. This foundation owned the property until 1998. The building was completely renovated and reopened as luxury boutique hotel in 1999. In 2004 the name of the hotel changed to The Dylan Amsterdam.



## Rooms & suites

The Dylan Amsterdam consists of 40 rooms and suites which are all individually designed in various styles. The hotel offers 9 different rooms types which vary from Luxury Single Rooms till Luxury Suites with a garden or canal view. All rooms and suites are categorized into a specific style. The styles that The Dylan Amsterdam is offering, are Amber, Loft, Loxura and Serendipity.

### Amber

The Amber rooms and suites are the newest of the hotel and are designed by Studio Linse ([studiolinse.com](http://studiolinse.com)). The specific style can be booked as Double Room, Duplex Room and as Suite with a beautiful view. The name Amber is inspired by the eponymous colour of the gem stone which represents energy, cheerfulness and optimism, and is appreciated by its colour and beauty since the Stone Age. The Amber rooms with view on the courtyard feature a residential atmosphere and combine the perfect balance between antique and modern.





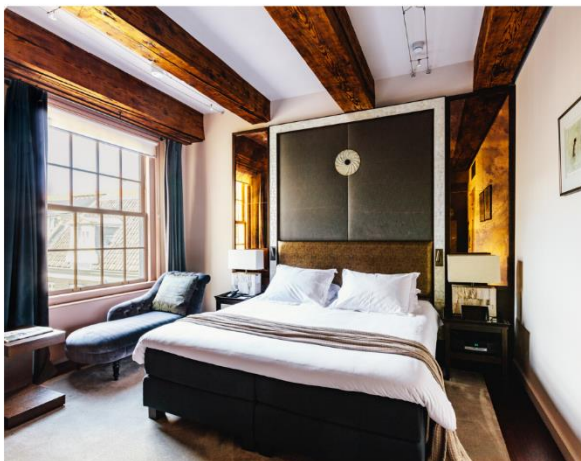
## Loft

Authentic Amsterdam can be discovered in one of our Loft rooms. When you climb up the stairs of these rooms, you will be surrounded with white walls, beige accents, design furniture and authentic wooden beams. The unique details of the building create an authentic atmosphere in these rooms. The Loft rooms can be booked as Double rooms or Suite with garden view.



## Loxura

The Style of Loxura rooms is inspired by the copper-coloured Loxura butterfly. The natural colours of the butterfly can be found in the interior. One of the characteristic feature of these rooms, is the wooden drinks cabinet which is specially designed for The Dylan Amsterdam. The sophisticated furniture and fabrics create an elegant and warm ambiance. The rooms are located around the courtyard and have a warm and intimate appearance. The Loxura rooms are design by FG Stijl ([fgstijl.com](http://fgstijl.com)).



## Serendipity

The 16 rooms and suites are dedicated to modern design and historic details. Luxurious fabrics and the generous lay-out contribute to a balance of temporary design which remains true to its heritage and charm of the rooms. All rooms and suites in this style are created by the design of Remy Meijers ([remymeijers.nl](http://remymeijers.nl)), a well-known Dutch interior designer. The Serendipity-style is offered as Double rooms, Duplex rooms, as well as Junior Suites and Luxury Suites. The Suites have a spectacular view on the Keizersgracht.

The natural warm shades of brown and grey create a balance between authenticity of the building and temporary design. The welcoming peace and the comfort of the rooms are reflected in the name of the room, which points out the enchanting serenity that can be discovered in the heart of one of the most



## Restaurants

### Restaurant Vinkeles

Restaurant Vinkeles ([vinkeles.com/nl/](https://vinkeles.com/nl/)) is part of The Dylan Amsterdam. Awarded with a Michelin star since November 2009 and a second star since 2023, the delicate French cuisine offers an excellent mixture between classic and contemporary styles. The restaurant is located in a 18<sup>th</sup> century bakery, surrounded by old wooden ovens which have served in the past for baking bread for the Old & Poor People's office. Nowadays the restaurant offers an elegant setting with view on the intimate courtyard. Executive Chef Jurgen van der Zalm only use ingredients of premium quality for the seasonal 'Chef's Signature Menu'. Accompanied by perfectly matched wines and personal care of Maître-Sommelier Natasja Noorlander and her team, the restaurant is described by our guests as "surprising, temporary and elegant".

Instagram of Jurgen van der Zalm:

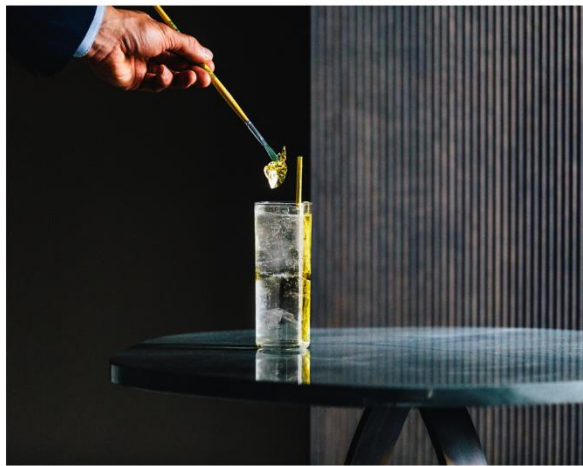
[instagram.com/chef\\_jurgenvanderzalm/](https://www.instagram.com/chef_jurgenvanderzalm/)





## Bar Brasserie OCCO

Bar Brasserie OCCO ([occo.nl](http://occo.nl)) is a distinct cosmopolitan eatery with menus highlighting handcrafted cocktails and creative cuisine drawn from Dutch influences and local producers. A perfect, more casual alternative for Restaurant Vinkeles. Open throughout the day for breakfast, lunch, High Wine and dinner and for cocktails with a small bite. Extra highlights where OCCO is known for, includes ramen, caesar salad with prawns and the steak tartare. Designed by Studio Linse, the atmosphere is characterized by refined and lively through design elements such as velvet sofas, round marble tabletops and bold ceilings with black beams. The half round bar serves as a central point and is tastefully lit by a copper lamp as eye-catcher. The contemporary decor is enriched by historical details, such as an antique liquor cabinet with homemade liquors and herbal infused spirits.



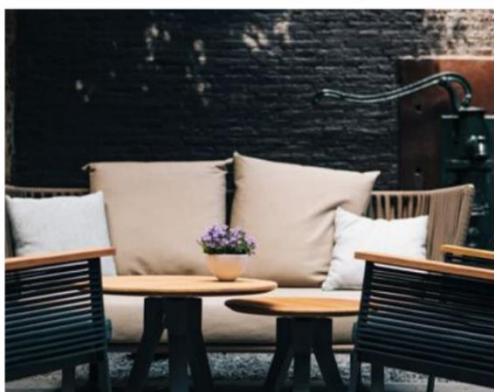


High Wine in Bar Brasserie OCCO is our own interpretation of the high tea & is very popular with our guests. The High Wine is a tasting of four wines with matching bites in amuse style. The High Wine can also be gifted as a present in a beautiful gift box of the Dylan Amsterdam.



## The secluded garden

The secluded garden is a hidden gem in The Dylan Amsterdam and is an oasis of peace in the heart of the city. The courtyard is opened for lunch, High Wine, a drink or dinner during the summer and will be served by Bar Brasserie OCCO. Furthermore, the courtyard is also available for events for up to 175 and is a beloved wedding location.



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## Meetings & events

At The Dylan Amsterdam, all meetings and events are special and unique. We offer your personal service, tailored-made proposals and individual solutions for every type of event. All event spaces are equipped with air conditioning, Wi-Fi en the opportunity to display a presentation through a projector or LCD screen.

### Ariana & Atrium

The Ariana & Atrium are two separate spaces which perfectly match with each other. In these spaces meetings, receptions and dinners can be organized for a maximum of 250 guests. The banquet hall Ariana is designed by FG Stijl, a interior designer of Amsterdam. Ariana is named after Ariana Nozeman ([https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ariana\\_Nozeman](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ariana_Nozeman)), the first Dutch women who made her debut on the stage of Shou (w) burg Van Campen. The Dylan Amsterdam is located at the same site as the theater where Ariana Nozeman performed in 1655.



## Regents

The Regents has high ceilings decorated with a painted family weapon in each corner, which reminds our guests of the Golden Age. The painting is a special detail which makes this space unique, besides it has a privileged view on the prestigious Keizersgracht and is suitable for a maximum of 50 guests for a meeting or diner.



## Barbou

Barbou gives guests the opportunity to enjoy Restaurant Vinkeles. The event space has an intimate atmosphere due to the original fireplace. Moreover, the Barbou is overlooking the courtyard with iconic Amsterdam architecture. Guests will be welcomed with a delicious amuse and champagne, after that they can enjoy a 5-course Vinkeles menu accompanied with matching wines. The dishes will be prepared by our Michelin-star Chef Jurgen van der Zalm and his team.





## Weddings

Once you have said 'yes', the next question is where to say 'I DO'. Weddings at The Dylan Amsterdam are personal and intimate, with a capacity for up to 80 guests for the ceremony and up to 250 for a toast, cocktail and (walking) dinner.



## I. Het team

What truly sets us apart, is our service. Service of high quality is something we not have to explain to our staff – at The Dylan Amsterdam this comes naturally. We invite you to visit us and let yourself be indulged by the sincere service and attention of the team.

René Bornmann is General Manager of The Dylan Amsterdam since 2015.

Renee Hotel is the Front Office Manager of The Dylan Amsterdam. She supervises the reception team and the concierges. Together with her team, they are responsible for the first and most important impression of our guests. Our Les Clefs d'Or Concierges helps guest to add something special to their stay. He know everything about the city and what is happening within the city. Furthermore, he also knows everybody and therefore is able to make every stay extra special.

To leave a great impression of our public areas and rooms, we have the lady of the house 'Alexandra de Brito'. She cares for leaving a great impression and creating a special feeling. To create this, the hotel also has a Head Engineer, Niels Bonnes. He is responsible for the maintenance of the hotel in general.

The hotel has two food and beverage outlets: Restaurant Vinkeles and Bar Brasserie OCCO. Sam Hilken, the F&B manager, is responsible for all the service staff and all the big events in The Dylan Amsterdam. Natasja Noorlander, maître-sommelier, takes care of accompanying every dish with a good glass of wine.

In the kitchen, Jegen van der Zalm is the Executive Chef. He started in 2008 and is already working for 14 years at The Dylan. Roel Ruijs, operational director, supervises all the food and beverage departments, reception and housekeeping.

On the following pages the team is presented.

## Meet The Team

Meet the team of The Dylan Amsterdam through the following link:

<https://www.dylanamsterdam.com/meet-the-team/>



René Bornmann

General Manager



Renee Holten

Front Office Manager



Alexandra de Brito

Housekeeping Manager



Roel Ruijs

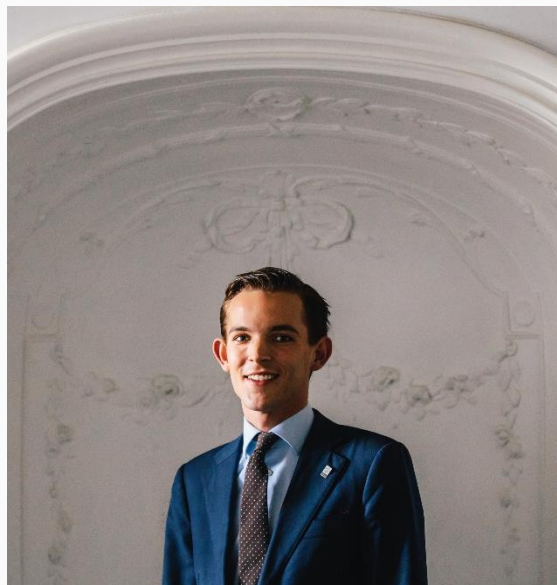
Director of Operations





Niels Bonnes

Chief Engineer



Sam Hilken

Food & Beverage Manager



Natasja Noorlander

Maitre Restaurant Vinkeles



Jurgen van der Zalm

Executive Chef Restaurant Vinkeles



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