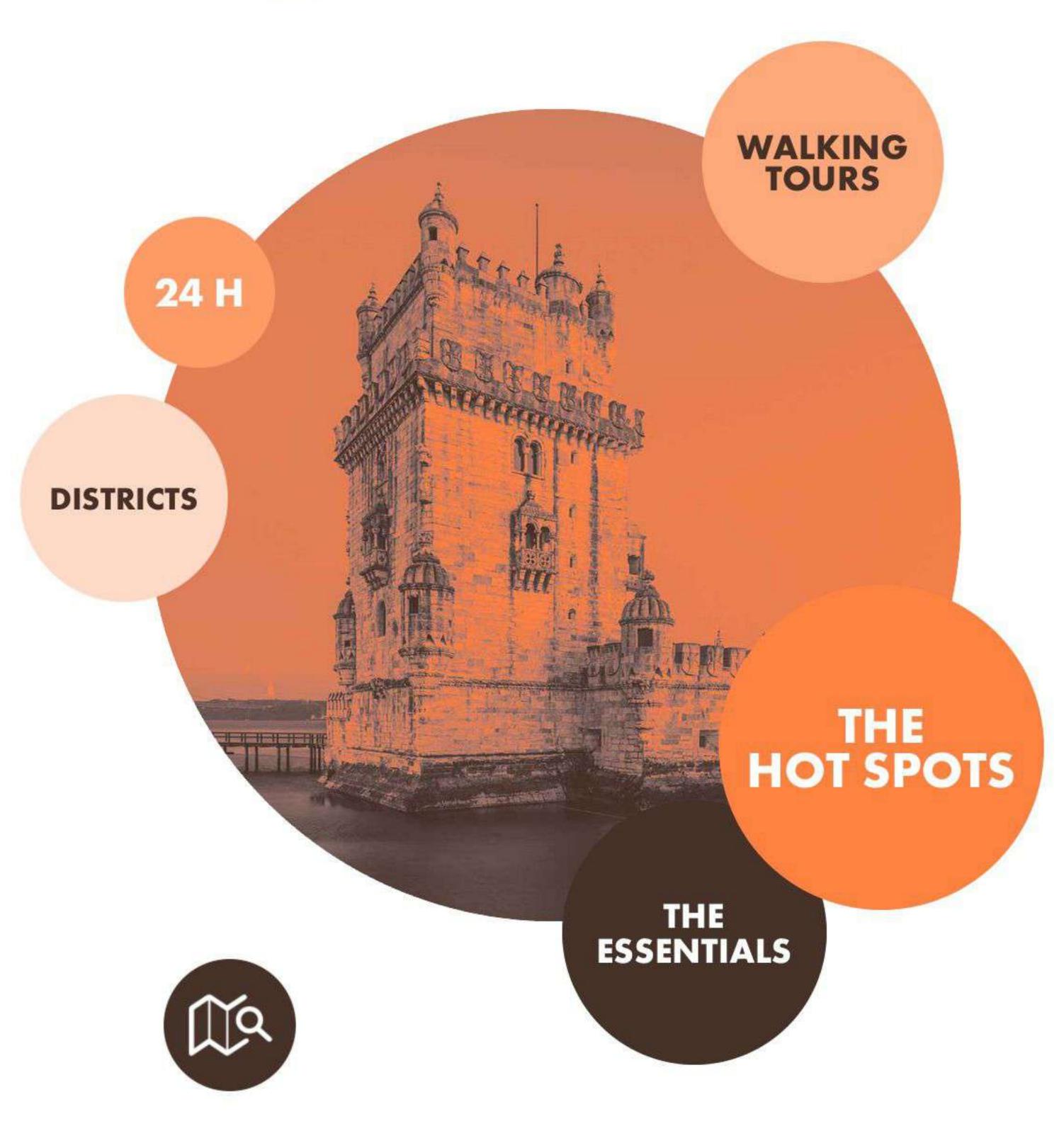


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FROM A TO Z

BY DISTRICT

FOUR SEASONS HOTEL RITZ LISBON

PALACE, GRAND LUXURY

7791.47 km

HALL CHIADO

NEO-HOSPITALITY

7791.24 km



INSPIRA SANTA MARTA HOTEL

ECOLOGICAL, ETHICAL

7790.81 km

LUXURY SUITES LIBERDADE

LUXURY APARTMENTS

7790.87 km

MEMMO ALFAMA

HIP, DESIGNER

7790.12 km

MONTE BELVEDERE BOUTIQUE HOTEL

BOHEMIAN, STYLISH

7791.57 km

OLISSIPPO LAPA PALACE

PALACE AND GARDENS

7792.94 km

PALACETE CHAFARIZ D'EL REI

EXTRAVAGANT, ORIGINAL

7790.04 km

PALÁCIO DO GOVERNADOR

HISTORIC, NEO-LUXURY

7797.55 km

HALL CHIADO

Rua do Alecrim 45, Chiado

Metro Baixa-Chiado
11 rooms and suites
€60 to €138
Tel: 910 061 500
www.hallchiado.pt
7791.24 km







NEO-HOSPITALITY

Lisbon is the inspiration for a young generation of designers who dream up creative, alternative new ideas for accommodation that spurn the idea of the traditional hotel. In the case of Hall Chiado, you are sent your entry code by email, so you can choose whether or not to check in at reception and meet Marta Jacinto Gruner and Leonor Rosa Guerra. This is the story of two thirtysomething friends, both architects and mothers, who decided to create a second job that enabled them to be free at 5pm when school finishes. The result is a multipurpose establishment that is home to both Salto Alto, their architectural firm, and to their guests. They toured banks to secure a loan and bought the ground and first floors of a Pombaline-style building in the centre of the Chiado, between Praça Luís de Camões and Cais do Sodré, and in 2012 they launched Hall Chiado (nine rooms, two family suites with kitchenette; quiet rooms facing the courtyard, noisy rooms facing the street) with an emphasis on local identity. They like to joke, "Everything is Portuguese except the power points and the toilets." So they installed cork flooring, antique accessories, room numbers cross-stitched in an embroidery hoop, and furniture designed by both women. The result is an abundance of character and a massive success. Soon Sonia Ribeira joined them and then there were three. Stickers posted on the wall in the lobby reveal their recommendations for breakfast and their favourite restaurants. A telephone is available if you need to call the owners after 5pm – any other time just pop your head round the studio door for a chat.