



KAMPALA SERENA  
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## GENERAL INFORMATION

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### /// KAMPALA SERENA HOTEL ///

The Kampala Serena Hotel is located in the heart of Uganda's Capital. The stunning five star city hotel with a modern conference Centre is surrounded by 17 acres of glorious gardens while offering generous room choices.

A show case of the "Lost Art of Africa", Uganda's true culture and history, this sublime hotel offers the ultimate blend of personalized service, social style and business reliability, unprecedented luxury and unsurpassed dining options.

The Extensive public area, showcase the essence of contemporary Ugandan designs while imparting the serenity and professional elegance of a fine five-star international hotel.

### /// ACCOMMODATION ///

The Kampala Serena Hotel has appointed 108 deluxe rooms, 32 Executive rooms, 8 Executive suites, 3 Businessman suites and 1 Royal Suite. Each of the hotel's 152 rooms displays an entirely individualistic character in terms of color, cultural artifacts and design.

All rooms and suites have a private balcony and offer all the comfort you would expect of a world class five star hotel. All rooms are air-conditioned and are equipped with satellite television, data ports, a large writing desk, in-room safe, direct dial international telephone and tea/coffee making facilities. The bathrooms are marble finished and equipped with hairdryers. We offer a 24 hour room service and laundry services.

### /// THE ROYAL SUITE ///

The Royal Suite is a hallmark of comfort overlooking the skyline of Kampala and hosts Royalties, Heads of State, celebrities, newlyweds and guests that appreciate comfort, quality, discretion and security.

### /// THE BUSINESSMAN SUITE ///

The hotel offers three Businessman suites. These suites offer the perfect accommodation for the well-seasoned Business traveler and have a full garden view and balcony. The suite consists of a bedroom and bathroom and a living room combined with a fully equipped bureau and guest bathroom.

### /// THE EXECUTIVE SUITE ///

The eight Executive suites, offer the ideal accommodation for the corporate traveler who stays longer than average and in need of a space and a comfortable bedroom. A private balcony on the garden side offers a relaxed environment.

### /// DINING OPTIONS ///

#### PEARL OF AFRICA RESTAURANT

The ideal venue for impressive business entertaining, the soft lights and glittering ambience of this unique restaurant lend themselves just as well to a broad range of sparkling social gatherings, as they do to the concept of a stylishly romantic dinner for two. 'The Pearl of Africa'... the very best of national, regional and international cuisine and a treasure of a fine dining experience, just waiting to be discovered.

#### THE LAKES RESTAURANT

This international all-day restaurant offers both indoor (fully air conditioned) and outdoor dining options, the latter on its broad marble terrace with views across the lush grounds of the hotel, towards Kampala's seven hills. The Lakes' makes the ideal venue for a relaxed business luncheon, an impressive corporate themed buffet dinner, fun Sunday family brunch gathering or a relaxed meeting of friends.

#### EXPLORER BISTRO

The walled gardens, the sound of trickling water, the deck overlooking the lush gardens all enhanced by the climatic conditions, contribute to the unique experience of the Bistro. The cuisine is Italian and the menu encompasses a great selection of dishes, pasta night which are acceptable at any time of the day.

#### BAMBARA LOUNGE

The Bambara lounge is a quiet outlet for the hotel residents and their guests to meet for business, high tea, relaxation or just to read a book.

The lounge with its unique African design gives you an African art gallery feel creating a unique environment. The larger than life wood carvings from around Africa give the resident the mystical feel and look that Africa is visited for. The climate of Uganda allows for outdoor seating. The lounge gives the guests the possibility to enjoy the mild and comfortable weathers of Uganda on the terrace.

#### THE POOLSIDE

A generous expanse of glittering blue, spanned by Japanese bridges and punctuated by terracotta-colored umbrellas and St Tropez-styled sun loungers, the Pool deck is a window to another world: it's called Paradise. Poolside is not, however, just a recreational area par excellence, it is also a world-class restaurant offering international favorites ranging from light snacks to juicy burgers and sumptuous Chef's salads.



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## THE MIST BAR

The Mist Bar operates between midday and midnight seven days a week and is a popular rendezvous for the hotel residents, socialites and other discerning local residents who gather every evening to reflect over the day while sipping either pre and after dinner cocktails. With over thirty listed international cocktails, the bar remains unchallenged as a premier cocktail bar in Kampala city and beyond. The house special/signature cocktail is called 'Yellow Mist'. It is a refreshing blend of 60ml Uganda Waragi Spirit, 30ml Crème De Banana Liqueur and 120ml Fresh Pineapple Juice. The ingredients are mixed together in a cocktail shaker and served over the rocks in a Collins glass.

## /// FACILITIES ///

### HAZINA SHOP

The Hazina shop offers newsstand services, boutique items, jewelry, ceramics, souvenirs and much more.

### CONCIERGE

Restaurant reservation, Car rentals, Baby-sitting referral, Emergency services, Luggage storage, Airport shuttle et al.

### MAISHA SPA

Maisha Fitness Centre & Spa with large swimming pool, gymnasium, and steam rooms, sauna, aerobics studio, massage and treatment rooms.

## KAMPALA SERENA INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE CENTRE

Adjacent to the hotel, is the two storied complex of the imposing Kampala Serena Conference Center. Facilities range from an internationally profiled auditorium with plenary hall, a gallery and meeting rooms. The city centre, main business area, international organizations and embassies are all located nearby. The airport is situated in Entebbe one hour drive by car or 12minutes by helicopter service to the hotel.

## MEETING SERVICES

The hotel offers a wide variety of business facilities including professional event management services, a cyber café, comprehensive reprographics and printing services, professional secretarial, word processing and translation services. Local, regional, national and international courier services, Forex and retail services, Travel Desk and Limousine Service.

## BANQUETING & CONFERENCES

Our modern banquet rooms are the perfect venue for meetings, seminars, cocktail parties, weddings, dinners and other business functions for up to four hundred people. We have several convenient sizes and all are air conditioned and have daylight (except Katonga and Victoria Halls). We can provide all possible technical equipment for meetings, ranging from basic pens, paper and flipcharts

to PA systems or conference sound systems with multiple microphones and LCD beamers. We are happy to advise you on your program, choice of food and drinks and any technical details.

Our Chef and his team can prepare a wide variety of served menus, buffets, lunches or dinners, snacks and coffee/tea breaks. If you cannot make your choice from our readily available menu proposals, we will gladly work out a tailor made solution or menu for you. Various conference packages are available to suit your needs. They consist of the meeting room and setup, equipment, morning and afternoon breaks, pens and notepads, mineral water and a lunch.

We are happy to tailor arrangements for small groups and special demands. The meeting rooms have telephone and Internet connection. Secretarial services, photocopying and fax are available, as well as spacious areas for meeting breaks. We can also arrange decorations, music, lighting and entertainment.

Special indoor and outdoor venues are available for high level meetings, cocktails and dinners.

## OUTSIDE CATERING SERVICES

The Banquets department has a well facilitated outside catering division that can provide and satisfy all your private catering requirements at your home, office or any venue both within Kampala and countryside. Special menu will be designed to meet your specific home/event taste.



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