

# Le Chabichou

## Extension and renovation of Le Chabichou hotel, restaurant, and spa in Courchevel.

### CLIENT

Lavorel Hotel

### TEAM

Patriarche (Architecture, Interior architecture, MEP Engineering, EBQ, Cost, BIM)

Partners:

Mino, In Situ, ABAC, Equaterre 74, and Stebat

### KEYPOINTS

Mountain architecture.  
Interior design  
Complete refurbishment.  
Extension.

### AWARDS

3rd prize in the Hotel & Lodge Awards 2022 in the Charming Residence category.

Located in a magical setting, at the foot of the slopes in the 3 Vallées ski area, Le Chabichou has been completely refurbished by Patriarche. Over 8 months of works in 2019, his historic and well-known hotel underwent a complete overhaul. This was a notable year for the Chabichou, which was awarded its 5-star rating that year.

Patriarche carried out the complete renovation of the property as well as the interior design and décor. The building had had various extensions built over the years, a feature that had to be taken into account during the refurbishment work.

In response to the client's wishes, Patriarche responded to the challenge to maximise the floor space and to design high-quality, user-friendly spaces by developing a plot of land to the north of the building.

The materials for the extension were selected to respect the architectural style of Le Chabichou and to fit in with the existing building.

Typology  
**Restaurant, Hotel**

Surface area  
**5,702 m<sup>2</sup>**

Construction cost  
**16.7 M€**

Location  
**Courchevel, France**

Status  
**Delivery 2020**

Allocation method  
**Project management (MOE)**



## A warm atmosphere

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In keeping with the spirit of the hotel, Patriarche has created a warm and elegant ambience to offer a unique experience in all areas: reception, bedrooms, spa, restaurant, bar, children's area, staff accommodation and corridors. The Chabichou gourmet restaurant, a Courchevel institution for over 30 years, boasts an atmosphere that combines authenticity and modernity. The noblest volumes, above ground, are given over to the hotel suites, either through-plan or duplex, with surface areas ranging from 138m<sup>2</sup> to 218 m<sup>2</sup>.

Discreetly integrated into the natural slope, the exit to the new ski shop is set into the stone base. 19 parking spaces are located below street level. The car park is served by a car lift with access via a covered ramp.

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## The Bedrooms

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# Extension

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Given the context, the challenge of this project is to develop the maximum amount of floor space and to make it qualitative.

The noblest above-ground volumes, with views of the exterior, will be used for hotel suites. The concept offers through suites and duplexes ranging from 138 m<sup>2</sup> to 218 m<sup>2</sup>.





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