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Shanghai Disney Resort Announces Appointment of New President and General Manager

Shanghai, January 24, 2025 – Today Disney Experiences announced Andrew Bolstein will be named President and General Manager of Shanghai Disney Resort.

Andrew was part of the Shanghai Disney Resort opening leadership team, working hand-in-hand with Cast and Imagineers at each phase of the resort’s planning, development and operational phases. Andrew has worked for Disney for over 30 years, a career that started at Walt Disney World and includes leadership roles in Hong Kong and Tokyo, and nearly 13 years in Shanghai leading to his most recent role as Senior Vice President, Operations. Andrew’s depth of operational knowledge, passion for the Cast and surrounding community, and strong relationships with key government, business and industry partners will be tremendous assets as Shanghai Disney Resort prepares for its 10th anniversary in 2026. In Andrew’s new role, he will represent both The Walt Disney Company and the Shanghai Shendi Group shareholders to manage the day-to-day operation of the Shanghai Disney Resort Management Company.

Disney Experiences today also announced that Joe Schott, current President and General Manager of Shanghai Disney Resort has been appointed President of Disney Signature Experiences. After almost seven highly successful years managing Shanghai Disney Resort, Joe is returning to Florida where he began his Disney career spanning more than four decades. During Joe’s Shanghai Disney Resort tenure, the resort experienced significant growth and expansion, including the December 2023 opening in Shanghai Disneyland of the world’s first Zootopia-themed land, and the start of construction on the resort’s third themed hotel. The resort also recently announced a new Marvel-themed attraction which is currently under development.

Both appointments are effective in March 2025.

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