



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

When will The Silo Hotel open?

We are taking bookings for The Silo from March 1, 2017.

What is Zeitz MOCAA?

MOCAA stands for Museum of Contemporary Art Africa. Zeitz MOCAA will be a modern art museum to rival the likes of the Tate Modern in London, MoMA in New York and Museo Nacional del Prado in Madrid. Zeitz MOCAA is a not-for-profit partnership between the V&A Waterfront and Jochen Zeitz, whose collection forms the Museum's founding collection.

When will Zeitz MOCAA open?

The museum is set to open in late September 2017.

What is the relationship between The Silo Hotel and the Zeitz MOCAA?

The relationship is one of proximity only. The hotel and the museum are located within the historic grain silo building that was built in 1924. The Silo Hotel is in the grain elevator portion of the grain silo building occupying six floors above Zeitz MOCAA. The hotel and the museum nevertheless enjoy a close relationship and private tours of the museum can easily be arranged with the hotel concierge.

Who is the architect of the grain silo building in Cape Town?

The building has been designed by Thomas Heatherwick, Founder and Principal of the London-based Heatherwick Studio. Heatherwick Studio was tasked with the transformation of the elevator house and the adjacent storage annex of six rows of seven silos, while carefully retaining its cultural significance and creating a building that will be as synonymous with the Cape Town skyline as the Eiffel Tower is to Paris.

What facilities will The Silo Hotel have?

- The Granary Café
- The Willaston Bar
- Sky Terrace
- Rooftop Restaurant
- Rooftop Swimming Pool
- The Silo Spa
- Gym



- Airport Transfers
- 24-Hour Guest Services
- Laundry Service
- Complimentary WiFi
- Concierge Services
- Private Meeting Rooms
- Private Dining Rooms
- Secure Underground Parking

What is the V&A Waterfront?

The V&A Waterfront is the best place to stay in Cape Town and Africa's largest tourist attraction, with more than 24 million visitors a year. Set on the edge of a natural, historic working harbor with the iconic Table Mountain as its backdrop, it offers local and international visitors a cosmopolitan mix of experiences.

The V&A Waterfront offers shops, restaurants, bars, hotels, cafes, galleries, exhibitions and entertainment. As well, of course, as access to Robben Island. The prime positioning of the V&A Waterfront boasts sweeping views of the ocean, city bowl and mountain peaks. Up to 100,000 people visit every day during peak season.

When is the best time of year to visit Cape Town?

Cape Town enjoys a Mediterranean type climate. Summer runs from October until April when daytime temperatures are usually in the 70s. The hottest months are December, January and February when temperatures soar into the high 80s and low 90s. June, July and August are the winter months which bring much milder temperatures and some winter rainfall.

Cape Town is fast becoming a year-round destination with many reasons to visit throughout the year including major sporting events, festivals, international conferences and conventions and, of course, the perennial geographic beauty of Table Mountain and the Cape Winelands.