

10 Things you didn't know about Jumeirah Zabeel Saray...

- It took a team of 45 Turkish interior designers to complete the interior of the resort within 6 months. The vision was to celebrate a return to the golden age of the Ottoman Empire.
- The world's largest Bohemian crystal chandelier hangs in the central hall. A gift from Queen Victoria, it has 750 lamps and weighs 4.5 tonnes.
- Talise Ottoman Spa is the largest SPA in Dubai and one of the largest in the world, offering indoor thalassotherapy swimming pool, sauna's, steam bath, adventure shower, Jacuzzi, snow room and relaxation area... including 3 huge traditional Turkish hammams.
- Mission Impossible 4: Ghost Protocol was filmed in the Jumeirah Zabeel Saray prior to its opening in 2011. Look out for the stunning Indian Palace scenes towards the end of the movie!
- Within the resorts grand imperial suite lies the imperial bath tub which measures: 2.68m² and can fit approximately 20 people inside!
- The opulent ottoman surroundings of the Jumeirah Zabeel Saray include silk chandeliers, Swarovski Crystal chandeliers as well as Islamic stars and pointed arches in the design with with many features inspired by the Dolmabahce Saray and Topkapi Palace in Istanbul.
- The TUGHRA, a symbol of Ottoman power used by the Sultan as an imperial signature for government documents, and can be found on the face of the building.
- The resort is home to 38 elite Royal Residences which capture the spirit of the Ottoman Empire, elegantly combining high levels of service, opulence and privacy, these are home to many VIP's and favorite among celebrity guests.
- Jumeirah Zabeel Saray played host to Nicole Scherzinger as she filmed judges houses for X Factor UK!
- The luxurious Jumeirah Zabeel Saray has 3-times more gold-leaf than the Burj Al Arab & 30,000sqft of natural marble!

