

**BLINK DESIGN GROUP WELCOMES FÊTED DESIGNER,
LEONARD LEE, AS CREATIVE DIRECTOR – INTERIOR DESIGN**
*Award-winning Leonard Lee joins BLINK after
16 years with Wilson Associates*

Bangkok, June 14, 2016 ----- BLINK Design Group CEO, Michael Sagild, has announced the appointment of award-winning hospitality designer, Leonard Lee, to the position of Creative Director – Interior Design, with immediate effect.

Based in the Singapore office, Lee has more than 20 years of experience in designing exceptional hotel interiors, the past 16 of them as SVP/Principal at established design firm, Wilson Associates Singapore. During his tenure there, he created stunning designs for some of the world's most elite hotel companies, including Ritz-Carlton, Conrad, Sofitel, Hyatt, Shangri La and Kempinski.

His talent has been recognized through the design industry's most prestigious awards, including the much-coveted "Wave of the Future Award" for up-and-coming young designers (previous winners include famous designers and architects Philippe Starck and Frank Gehry), the Golden Nugget Award for "Best International Commercial & Special Use Project", the "World Luxury Hotel Award", and various IHMRS Gold Key Awards

Lee, who reports to Clint Nagata, Founder and Chief Creative Director, says he is "delighted" to be joining the energetic, forward-thinking team at BLINK and is excited about bringing another layer of creativity and design expertise to the Group's interior design practice. "A great space is designed to serve the people in it, and my goal has always been to evoke an emotional connection with the people who use these spaces," he states.

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Says Sagild: "We are delighted to welcome Leonard to BLINK, where his outstanding talent will make a valuable contribution as we continue to expand and create unforgettable, inspiring spaces for our clients and their guests."

Note to Editors:

BLINK Design Group (BLINK) believes that every client's story deserves an unforgettable place. Inspired by singular instinct and collective expertise, BLINK creates distinctive, successful hotels and resorts for its clients that result in transformational experiences for guests. BLINK's work is always authentic and welcoming, centered on the uniqueness of each specific location. Founded by Clint Nagata in 2006 and operating out of Bangkok, New Delhi, Shanghai, and Singapore, the company provides integrated services (master planning, building design, and interior design) to luxury hotels, resorts, restaurants, clubs, spas, and residences, for leading global brands in the world's most desired destinations.

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