

## NEWS RELEASE

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### **Sacramento Marriott Rancho Cordova Announces Patrick Prager as Executive Chef**

**Rancho Cordova, CA - August 10, 2014** – The Sacramento Marriott Rancho Cordova announces the appointment of Patrick Prager as executive chef. He will oversee the culinary direction for Formaggio Restaurant and Taverna, as well as the hotels catering and private events.



“When looking back at Patrick’s experience you see a trail of success attributed to his development under many recognizable and respected chefs. As proven at his last position at Sutros, Patrick’s culinary capabilities are phenomenal, and we are excited to see how Patrick will combine modern Californian influences with traditional Italian cuisine at Formaggio. Patrick truly has a knack for turning a simple dish into something inspirational. – Marco Filice, General Manager.

Patrick brings more than 15 years of experience to his new position at the Marriott. Since 1999 Patrick has built his reputation by working in some of the finer restaurants in the West Coast, mostly recently serving as Chef at, Sutro’s San Francisco.

#### **About the Sacramento Marriott Rancho Cordova**

The Sacramento Marriott Rancho Cordova Hotel is located minutes from Folsom attractions and the downtown Sacramento Convention Center. Visitors enjoy all of the charm of Rancho Cordova, downtown Sacramento, and are able to visit the nearby abundant outdoor recreation in the area. The hotel offers an elegant Four-Diamond Experience with 14,000 sq.ft. of flexible meeting space, oversized elegant guest rooms, Starbucks, and our award-winning restaurant, Formaggio Taverna and Patio.

For more information about the Sacramento Marriott Rancho Cordova visit:  
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#### **About the Formaggio Restaurant and Taverna**

Formaggio Taverna and Patio is Rancho Cordova's favorite retreat for spirited Italian food and drinks in a warm and welcoming taverna setting. Located inside the Sacramento Marriott Rancho Cordova, Formaggio is the perfect place to see and be seen, whether it's dining in the 128-seat dining room, or lounging around by the pool sipping a glass of Pinot Grigio. The vibrant dining room boasts a bustling handcrafted wood bar with an Italian marble top—setting the tone for a vibrant happy hour scene. Enjoy the Sacramento sunshine on our poolside patio which has plenty of plush lounge seating for all of your friends.

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