

## Celebrate Spring with Classic Afternoon Tea: Chantecaille Rose de Mai

Singapore, 10 March 2020 – This spring, InterContinental Singapore has partnered with Chantecaille to create a luxurious dining experience that celebrates the beauty brand's love for flowers. For this limited-edition collaboration, Chef Eric Neo of InterContinental Singapore worked closely with Chantecaille to curate a custom menu inspired by and crafted around the precious Rose De Mai. The Classic Afternoon Tea: Chantecaille Rose de Mai showcases the beauty brand's signature rose with an opulent tea experience and exclusive menu. This seasonal collaboration launches on 1 April 2020 in The Lobby Lounge and features delicacies inspired by the world's rarest rose and savories that highlight Chantecaille's commitment to environmental sustainability and wildlife conservation.



## Classic Afternoon Tea: Chantecaille Rose de Mai

"InterContinental Singapore is committed to creating innovative culinary experiences for our guests. With food and fashion collaborations on the rise, we saw an opportunity to partner with a sustainable beauty brand for the first time, to bring out the best of our pastry craftsmanship and highlight our own commitment to sustainability", Chef Eric Neo, Executive Chef of InterContinental Singapore.

Highlights from the presentation include a strawberry, orange blossom mousse tart topped with delicate floral chocolate; sakura mousse with peach jelly; and a delightful dome-shaped rose tea, cardamom cremeux, vanilla sponge on lemon shortbread. Accompanying the charming selection of sweets are savory treats that are equally inviting, such as prawn mousse pita with pomegranate; salmon thyme quiche and feta cheese cranberry roll, peach rose jam with dried fruits and nuts.

The experience features a dessert station where guests may enjoy unlimited servings of ice cream, baked crumble and bread pudding. Guests may opt to complement the culinary presentation with a flute of Taittinger Brut Champagne, perfect for an indulgent afternoon. Each afternoon tea guest will also receive a complimentary Chantecaille gift bag featuring the brand's signature skincare range, available while stocks last.



## Chantecaille and the Rose de Mai

"As a young girl growing up in France, my mother and I spent hours caring for the roses in our garden and I woke up to the scent of roses every morning. It's always been my favorite flower, and as an adult, the Rose de Mai has been an inspiration. This flower is wonderfully gentle, ideal for sensitive skin, and healthy for us—it is rich in Vitamin C, helps with inflammation and irritation, revives and refreshes skin, calms the mind and is one of the most extraordinary anti-aging secrets in the world. The Rose de Mai breed dates back to the 17th century and has the most divine, crinkly, delicate petals." Founder and CEO Sylvie Chantecaille

For over 20 years, Chantecaille has established a luxurious standard in the world of plant-powered botanical skincare and color cosmetics. From the healing, hand-harvested Rose de Mai, to the coveted Bio Lifting Serum+ and the revolutionary algae-infused Future Skin foundation, the company has a 'naturally beautiful' ethos that has always been ahead of its time.

Chantecaille has always hand-selected the purest, most effective botanicals from around the world to enrich innovative skincare formulas. Two decades ago, Olivia and Sylvie discovered a blooming field of Rose de Mai in Grasse, France, which a local farmer hand-harvested and distilled into artesian well water. This rose was found to possess unprecedented anti-inflammatory and anti-aging benefits. Chantecaille's signature Rose de Mai Collection harnesses the properties of this highly potent and rare rose and combines it with plant stem cells to boost its efficacy.

Each product in the Rose de Mai range is powered by this rare rose that only blooms for only three weeks during the month of May in Grasse, France. Rich in vitamin C, it possesses powerful antioxidant properties, helps calm the complexion, and supremely moisturizes the skin.

## **Details**

The Lobby Lounge
1 April 2020 to 30 June 2020

S\$88\* for two guests inclusive of a fine selection of loose-leaf teas and coffee.

S\$118\* for two guests, inclusive of two flutes of Taittinger Brut Champagne, a fine selection of loose-leaf teas and coffee.

High-resolution images can be downloaded <u>here</u>.

\*All prices stated are in Singapore dollars.
\*Prices are subject to 10% service charge and prevailing government taxes.



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## Sweet

Rose Macaron Sakura Mousse, Peach Jelly Rose Praline

Rose Tea, Cardamom Cremeux, Vanilla Sponge, Lemon Shortbread Maple Rosella Lamington, Hibiscus Butter Cream Strawberry, Orange Blossom Tart Rose Tea Blueberry and English Scones with Homemade Rose Jam, Strawberry Jam and Clotted Cream

# Savoury

Salmon Confit, Caramelised Onions, Raisins, Yuzu Mayo Feta Cheese Cranberry Roll with Peach Rose Jam, Dried Fruits and Nuts Prawn Mousse Pita with Pomegranate Saffron Mashed Potatoes with Mushroom Duxelles Baked Scallops with Cocktail Sauce, Caviar Salmon Thyme Quiche

| Classic Afternoon Tea: Chantecaille Rose de Mai                    |                                                                                                          |
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| Date and Time                                                      | Price                                                                                                    |
| 1 April to 30 June 2020                                            | <b>\$118</b> for two, inclusive of two flutes of Taittinger Brut Champagne and choice of fine loose-leaf |
| Monday to Thursday<br>2:00pm to 5:00pm                             | tea or coffee, and unlimited ice cream.                                                                  |
|                                                                    | \$88 for two, inclusive of a choice of fine loose-                                                       |
| Friday to Sunday, and Public Holiday  1st seating 1:00pm to 3:00pm | leaf tea or coffee, and unlimited ice cream.                                                             |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> seating 3:30pm to 5:30pm                           | Prices are subject to 10% service charge and prevailing government taxes.                                |

| Complimentary Chantecaille gift bag with each set of Classic Afternoon Tea: Chantecaille Rose de Mai                                                 |                                                                                                                                                               |
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| \$118 tea set                                                                                                                                        | \$88 tea set                                                                                                                                                  |
| Chantecaille Anti-Pollution Mattifying Cream 8ml Chantecaille Bio Lifting Cream+ 5ml Chantecaille Rose de Mai Face Oil 4ml \$50 Chantecaille Voucher | Chantecaille Jasmine & Lily Healing Mask 8ml Chantecaille Magnolia, Jasmine, Lily Emulsion 8ml Chantecaille Rose Makeup Remover 8ml \$20 Chantecaille Voucher |



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## **About Chantecaille:**

Chantecaille has been at the forefront of luxury skincare and cosmetics built on a uniquely high concentration of natural ingredients since the company was founded by Sylvie Chantecaille in 1998. The line stands out for the extensive research and technological innovation invested in each cruelty-free groundbreaking botanical-infused formula. Also integral to the brand's mission is a deep commitment to philanthropy and conservation, which has become the company's platform for activism and change. Sylvie shares her passion with daughter Olivia, the brand's creative director; husband Olivier, Chairman; daughter Alexandra, Vice President of Sales; and son Philippe, Director of Media Production.