

# Gran Melià Palazzo Cordusio

HOSPITALITY

Milan, Italy

## CLIENT

Generali Real Estate  
Melia Hotels International

## PROJECT

5 Star Hotel  
G + 5 + 1 Basement floor  
Architecture, Interior Architecture, Facade Technical Lighting, Terraces,  
Relations with the Superintendency

## BUILT UP AREA

9.000 sqm

## DATE

2018 - 2023

**Palazzo delle Assicurazioni Generali** is one of the historic buildings overlooking **Piazza Cordusio**, located in the heart of Milan, a few steps from the Duomo. Made of stone with elegant relief decorations **between 1897 and 1902**, the building has five floors and is characterized in the final part where a high octagonal dome rises. On the facade stand out the high relief with the lion of San Marco and the niche with the mosaic of the allegorical representation of Providence.

The requalification of the historic Palazzo Cordusio provides for the reconversion of part of its surfaces into a **new iconic 5-star Hotel**. The project, carried out by Studio Marco Piva respecting the **building history** and its **artistic and cultural heritage**, yet giving it a new, up-to-date identity. One of the aims is to give the main facade a new artistic value, emphasizing it by **light effects** that enhance the central entrance of the new hotel and both the building's sides. The reception is located on the top floor, in the most significant architectural part of the building, with the majestic Dome, symbol of Piazza Cordusio.



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