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## Lebanon's Chicest New Beach Destination

### — *Between The Sky & The Sea*

An emphasis on simplicity and an ode to the local Lebanese culture were the guiding principles behind both the design and hospitality concepts. Sitting on its own peninsula, hugged by the wild wonder of a protected natural reserve and overlooking the Mediterranean sea, Blue Beachfront Bar & Restaurant was created as a unique hub where the sophisticated nomad meets the unexpected, spearheading a new trend of holistic beach culture — a lifestyle commune where restaurant meets a bar becomes Zen retreat.

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Designed by the Lebanese designer Mr. Richard Abi Saab is internationally renowned as one of contemporary interior architect and designer most inventive leaders. Situated on a gently weatherworn stone patio with classic architectural accents. Simultaneously evoking Lebanese glamour and contemporary modernism, the structure consists of a 274-sqm main floor with a lower level, and 2,500 sqm of surrounding serpentine like terraces connected with a bridge that seats 200 person and nestled right at the edge of the water, high above the beach overlooking the Mediterranean Sea. Through it's natural given situation the property has access to a private beach where wooden shelters provide shade.







Mr. Abi Saab developed the holistic design treatment for Blue, by placing an emphasis on the essential and the celebration of traditional craftsmanship that fosters an environment of effortless ease. He infused the site with traditional materials from the city, curating every detail from tableware to furniture, devoutly following classic construction techniques to create an environment that blends into the earthy tones of the land.

