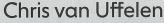
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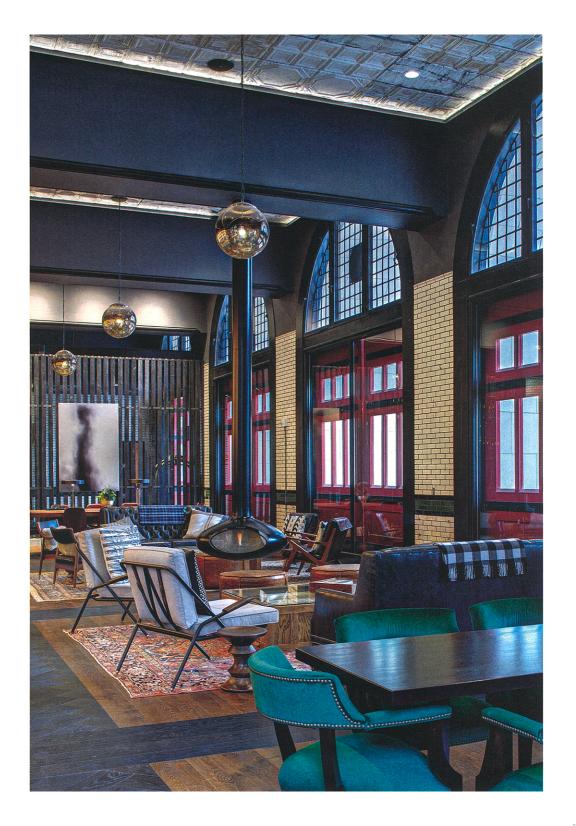
Hospitality Design in Repurposed Spaces





Detroit Foundation Hotel

43 Detroit, MI, USA



The Detroit Foundation Hotel embraces a "Detroit State of Mind" to welcome both visitors and locals with an authentic sense of place. The historically reaistered Detroit Fire Department Headquarters and adjacent Pontchartrain Wine Cellars were renovated to maintain the character of both buildings. The firehouse's decorative terracotta panels sporting firehouse themes and original fire-engine red doors have been restored to create a distinctive presence in the urban landscape. Due to 1.5 meters

On the outside, you can still find remnants of the old fire department. Busts of firefighters adorn decorative panels on the façade.



of height difference between the buildings, a variation of spaces throughout the hotel with 55 quest room types and numerous spatial surprises were implemented. Upon entering the hotel, quests are transported into a voluminous. story-and-a-half space that once housed the fire engines. Existing glazed bricks celebrate the past, while the new finishes, decorative lighting and interior architecture add modernity. The hotel's restaurant Apparatus Room is situated in the former fire engine hall and uses the building's origins to the fullest.





