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This should be the heyday of independent hotels, which by their very nature offer the distinctive experiences sought by so many travelers."

- The New York Times, 2019

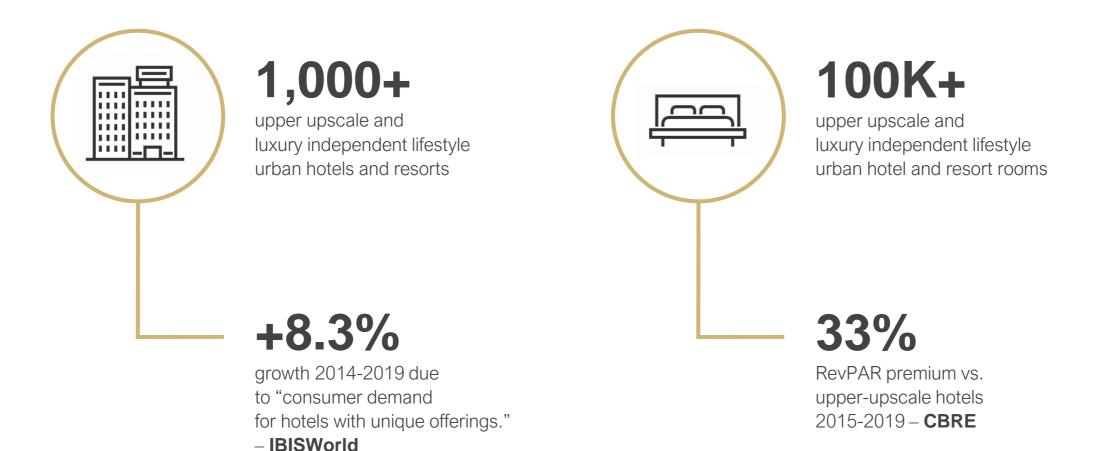
What is Curator?

- A first-of-its-kind owner-centric hotel platform serving independent lifestyle owners and operators.
- Curator reduces the operating costs for lifestyle hotels through buying power, market knowledge, and industry relationships. It also provides top-line growth opportunities by bringing together independent lifestyle hotels into a unique Collection.
- Curator was created by an independent hotel owner, for independent hotel owners and operators.
- Curator provides best-in-class operating agreements, services, and technology, which generate significant cost savings for the hotel.
- Curator's founding members manage and represent +120 independent lifestyle hotels and resorts worldwide, and we expect this to grow significantly.
- Founding members:





"Indie" Lifestyle Hotels: Growing Demand



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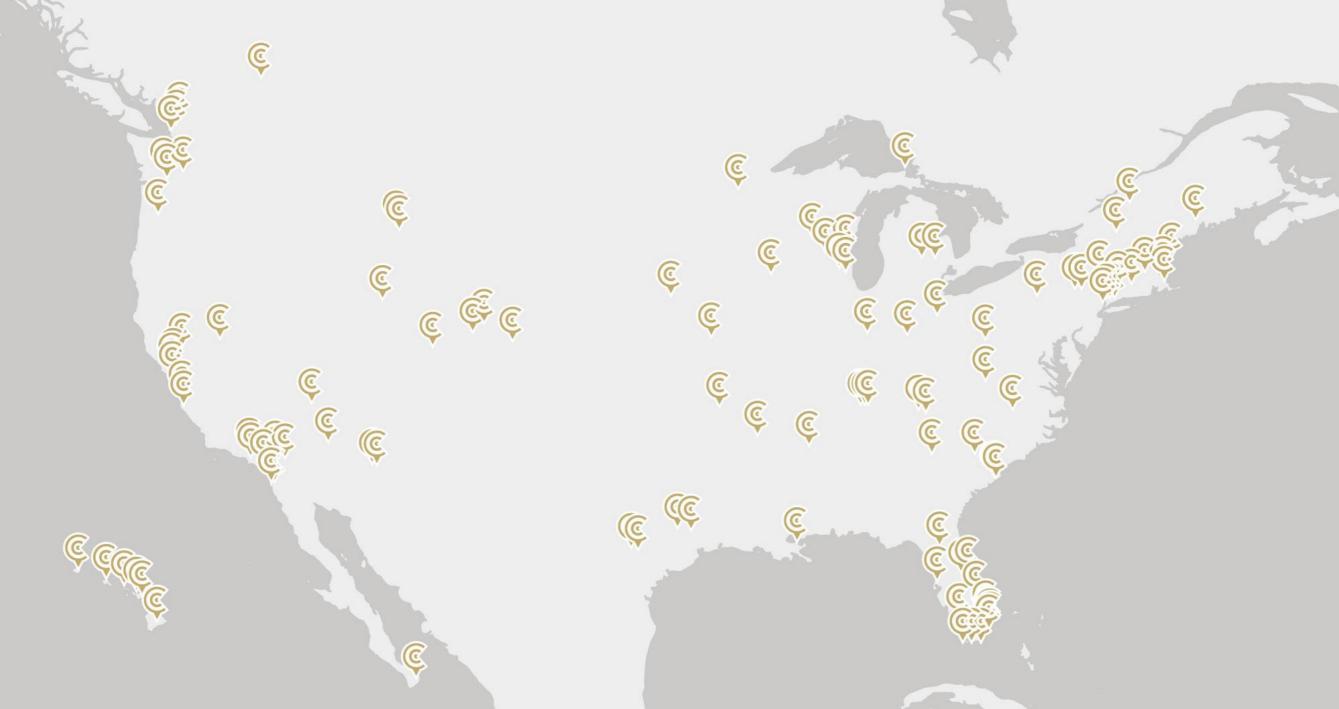
Jumpstarted for indie operators and owners by the largest indie lifestyle hotel and resort owner in the U.S.



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Curator Collection Founding Member Locations

Initial Scale Expected to be 120+ Properties Across 80+ Markets Worldwide



Best of Both Hotel Worlds

Spirit of Independence

- 1. Complete flexibility to join or leave with no long-term commitment
- 2. No restrictive rules give you the power to do whatever you want, how and when you want
- 3. No inspections or checklists allow quality assurance to come from customer ratings
- 4. A leverageable collection that appeals and connects with independent-minded guests
- 5. Freedom of choice as a core ethos and shared principle

Power of Scale

- 1. Products curated to fit independent lifestyle hotels and resorts
- 2. Services curated to enhance individualistic experiences for guests
- 3. Vendors to partner with the most creative lodging minds
- 4. Master service agreements with ideal vendors to significantly boost profit/value
- 5. Non-proprietary technology for a competitive, flexible advantage in a complex market

Curator's Shared Attributes

Viva La Expérience

The fault is in the stars. They don't rate what makes a whole hotel uniquely great, they checklist what makes it predictably average. We exceed a baseline of quality to find places that offer a truly unique experience. We go farther by following our own stars.

Independence Rules

Staying free of corporate ownership, formulas, and systems keeps us unique and better. Our hotels stay true to what makes each of us individual. Independent is always better. Join our steadfast rebel alliance.

Variety Is Value

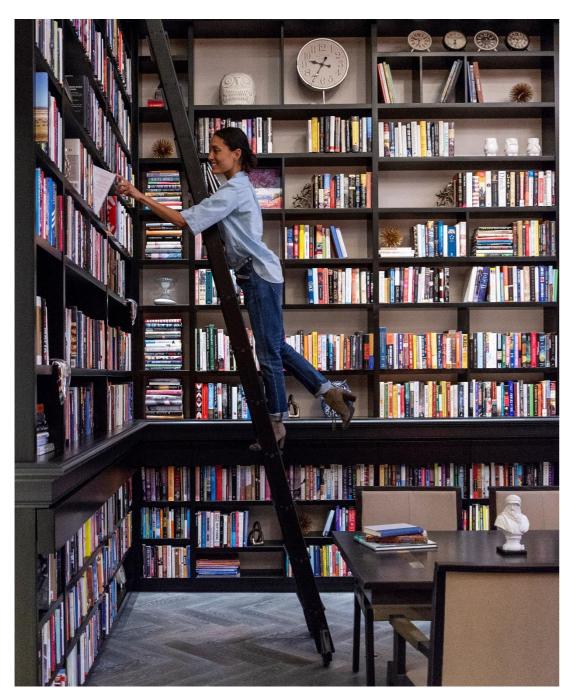
Variety is the spice of hospitality. We sidestep programmed, inflexible boundaries to replace sameness with discovery. The fun is in the find. Never a dull stay when you handpick your hotels. We're like a fitting room where guests try hotels on for size.







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Heathman Hotel



Hotel Theodore Seattle



Skamania Lodge Treehouses

Authentic, Artisanal, Small Batch, Craft, Organic, Handpicked Members



Hotel Zeppelin San Francisco



Little Palm Island Resort & Spa



Hotel Zephyr San Francisco

How Curator Drives Savings

Connected Leadership:

Pebblebrook's 18 strong, diverse operator relationships and knowledge means a unique competitive advantage to connect and leverage the collective power of independent owners, brands and operators.

Favorable Agreements:

Curator is negotiating MSAs with vendors to reduce operating costs by 100-250 bps or more⁽¹⁾, increasing operating profit without big fees. Savings grow as Curator grows.

Shared Reports, Insights and Tools:

Aggregating member data, competitive intelligence, and contract management to help guide and focus key operational activities and focus cost-saving efforts.



San Diego Mission Bay Resort

Pebblebrook's Independent Lifestyle Management Companies



Established Curator Initiatives

Helping owners and operators focus more time and resources on customers and revenues and less time on contracts and vendors

We estimate that a 175-key hotel or resort can achieve a net benefit, after Curator fees, of over \$150K annually, resulting in ~\$2.5M of additional asset value.



Identified significant economies of scale utilizing broad competitive market knowledge



Executed advantageous portfolio-level agreements



Deployed proprietary in-house reports and tools



Improved data accuracy for more effective benchmarking



Curated and implemented technology solutions as well as better and less expensive products and services

Corporate Governance

Curator's Board of Directors is led by Jon Bortz, Chairman and CEO of Pebblebrook Hotel Trust, who serves as Chairman of Curator. The Board of Directors delegates the management and operations of Curator to officers, initially staffed by Pebblebrook, who are focused on providing benefits to the Members of Curator. This includes the management and control of the day-to-day business and affairs of Curator.

Curator is guided by a Board of Advisors comprised of the CEOs of the founding members of Curator. The Board of Advisors advises the Board of Directors on strategic issues, including opportunities and challenges facing Curator, as well as strategies for its future growth and the products and services it should add to its Member offerings.

The management team of Curator is led by Jennifer Barnwell, who serves as President of Curator, and Austin Segal, who serves as Vice President.



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Escape Consolidation & Control Avoid Brand Dilution Remain Independent Compete Like a Big Brand Drive Savings at Scale Lure the Lifestyle Guest Stay You.

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