



RICH TRADITION AT A PREMIUM LOCATION

IN THE HEART OF THE CITY SINCE 1905



4

HOTELS

574

HOTEL ROOMS

30

HALLS FOR EVENTS

120+

PARKING SPACES IN THE CITY CENTRE



WELCOME

4 hotels in the heart of the city

P rime location in the heart of events, rich history and immaculate service - welcome to THE hotels of the city. For over a century, the hotels in the centre of Ljubljana have helped shape the history of the city. Home away from home for numerous celebrities, businessmen and urban explorers, and venue of choice for events that make history, they still remain an important hub for the life of the capital.

The Union Hotels group comprises four hotels - Grand Hotel Union, Grand Hotel Union Business, Hotel Lev and

Central Hotel - located in the very heart of Ljubljana. Altogether the group offers 574 elegantly furnished hotel rooms of the various categories and 30 conference halls and meeting rooms with modern technical equipment.

Whether our guests are royalty, film stars, politicians, business guests or families, the quality of our services is always on the highest level.

HISTORY



The grand opening of the **Grand Hotel Union** in 1905 was in fact grand - a 7-day ceremony. Designed by architect Josip Vancaš in Art Nouveau style it was the first modern hotel in Ljubljana, built in only 18 months under the supervision of Viljem Treo. When finished, the hotel, located on the border between the Baroque and the more modern Art Nouveau part of the city, was the highest building in Ljubljana and, due to its intricate 100-metre long façade, complex iron roof and lavish interior decoration, a great architectural achievement. In the 60s and 70s, the hotel was extended and Holiday Inn – today Grand Hotel Union Business was built.

In over a century, the hotel hosted many famous people, among them Orson Welles, Bill and Hilary Clinton, Dalai Lama and Queen Elizabeth II.

Just a stone's throw away, in the place of the popular Pri Levu restaurant, another luxury hotel grew by 1964. The modern building was conceived by Emil Medvešček and, to honour its predecessor, named **Hotel Lev** (Lion). The combination of supreme hospitality and exquisite cuisine quickly made the hotel popular among business as well as leisure guests around the world. So there is no wonder that the book of guests

features Agatha Christie, Louis Armstrong, Bob Dylan, Sting, Claudia Schiffer, Luciano Pavarotti, Ivo Pogorelich, 50 Cent, Valerij Gergijev and Zubin Mehta to name just a few.

The youngest in the group is **Central Hotel** - a smaller, cosy hotel, built in 1975.

Since 2012, the four hotels in the very centre of Ljubljana are united in a group under the name Union hotels.





Tradition of Excellence

A moment for yourself in the heart of the action.



ACCOMODATION

Grand Hotel Union, Grand Hotel Union Business, Hotel Lev and Central Hotel, four excellent hotels in the city centre offer 574 comfortable and pleasantly furnished rooms, where guests will be happy to return after a day of business obligations or sightseeing. Wake up in a pleasant atmosphere of one of the most comfortable rooms in Ljubljana and

start your day with a luxury self-service breakfast. Go for a swim in the indoor swimming pool, recover strength in the sauna, take care of your body in the fitness studio or indulge in a relaxation massage. Comfortable rooms, exquisite food, professional staff and mighty architecture await you in the centre of the city.



GRAND HOTEL UNION

HOTEL AND CONFERENCE CENTER

EXQUISITE SETTING FOR UNFORGETTABLE EXPERIENCE

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Grand hotel Union

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This breath-taking four-star hotel in an Art Nouveau style offers an exclusive location in the heart of the city centre. The Grand Hotel Union offers 173 standard and superior rooms, 9 suites and 12 hotel studios. The rooms are comfortable and stylishly furnished. The hotel offers the largest hotel conference centre in Ljubljana, a secured parking garage, large working areas in rooms, an indoor swimming pool, fitness centre and sauna. Top class culinary experiences can be enjoyed in two renowned restaurants, Smrekarjev hram and The Union Garden. Treat yourself to the finest coffee or tea in the legendary Union Café or hang out in the elegant Aperitif Bar.

- first class hotel in Ljubljana
- premier location in the city centre
- design inspired by Art Nouveau charm
- newly refurbished standard rooms
- offers 173 rooms, 3 unique suites, 6 standard suites and 12 hotel studios
- excellent complimentary buffet breakfast
- free wireless internet throughout all the hotel
- sauna, fitness studio, massage and indoor swimming pool
- business office
- secured parking garage

LOCATION, EXCELENCE, TRADITION







GRAND HOTEL UNION BUSINESS

WITH YOUR COMFORT AT HEART.
IN THE HEART OF THE CITY.

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The Grand hotel Union Business offers a central location with luxurious amenities and high quality services. The hotel's accommodation includes 127 hotel rooms and 6 suites in the standard and superior categories. All the rooms are equipped with free Wi-Fi, large working areas and wide LED screens. Superior rooms welcome guests with luxury cosmetics, massage chairs and exercise bicycles. Start your morning with a rich self-service breakfast. Go for a swim in the swimming pool, recover your strength in the sauna, take care of your body in the fitness studio or indulge in a relaxation massage.

- ♦ premier location in the city centre
- ♦ contemporary elegance
- ♦ newly renovated Standard and Superior rooms
- ♦ offers 127 rooms and 6 suites
- ♦ excellent complimentary buffet breakfast
- ♦ free wireless internet throughout all the hotel
- ♦ sauna, fitness studio, massage and indoor swimming pool
- ♦ secured parking garage with 120 parking spaces







HOTEL LEV

HOTEL AND CONFERENCE CENTER

SUPREME COMFORT WITH A MAGNIFICENT VIEW

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Hotel Lev is the right choice for anyone, who wants a personal touch, homeliness, a high level of service, and delicious cuisine in the centre of Ljubljana. This was the case ever since 1964 when the Hotel Lev was opened. Today it offers 157 classic and modern hotel rooms and 16 suites; together with all the amenities a modern guest looks for – complimentary wi-fi, secured parking, a business centre, a fitness centre, the award-winning restaurant Pri Levu with its amazing aquarium, aperitif bar, and much more. Tivoli park, with numerous walking, running and cycling trails, is just across the street. In recent years, the Hotel Lev's services have convinced many notable celebrities. So, why not join them and in addition enjoy the amazing city views yourself.

- ♦ premier city centre location
- ♦ few minutes walk from the largest and greenest city Tivoli park
- ♦ Standard and Superior rooms available
- ♦ offers 157 rooms and 16 suites
- ♦ rich breakfast buffet
- ♦ free wireless internet throughout all the hotel
- ♦ fitness studio in house
- ♦ hotel business centre
- ♦ saunas and swimming pool in Grand Hotel Union Business
- ♦ secured parking garage

LOCATION, EXCELENCE, TRADITION







CENTRAL HOTEL

CENTRAL LOCATION, HOMEY ATMOSPHERE, FRIENDLY RATES

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Central hotel

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Central Hotel is a smaller three-star hotel offering an excellent location and full comfort. Geared up exceptionally well for the tourist market, the reception is stocked with the latest useful information about the city and the surrounding area. The comfortable rooms feature everything you need for a good stay. Guests can relax in the hotel's Finnish sauna or visit the Wellness centre in the Grand Hotel Union. Franky's bar on the ground floor of the hotel welcomes you with delicious coffee and a wide selection of desserts and snacks. In the summertime you can sit and relax in a pleasant garden.

- ♦ walking distance to the old city centre
- ♦ offers 71 rooms and 3 suites
- ♦ rich breakfast buffet
- ♦ free wireless internet throughout all the hotel
- ♦ Finnish sauna in house
- ♦ fitness studio and swimming pool in Grand Hotel Union Business
- ♦ parking garage in close vicinity with extra charge
- ♦ parking space for one Bus available at no extra charge





Exquisite tastes and delicious treats for every taste



CULINARY DELIGHTS

Grand Hotel Union offers best culinary adventures in three renowned restaurants: Smrekarjev hram, Union garden and Union cellar. Stop for an excellent coffee or tea in the legendary Union Café. Treat yourself with exquisite offer in a la carte restaurant Pri Levu. Have a daily dessert and a snack in Franky's Bar, located on the ground floor of the Central Hotel. Enjoy our rich culinary selection in the city centre.



SMREKARJEV HRAM

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Spoil your taste buds in the Smrekarjev hram restaurant, Ljubljana Quality Selection award winner in the category “Fine Dining Restaurants”. Modern international cuisine is spiced up with a Slovene touch. A top team of chefs are responsible for an ultimate culinary treat entwined with a range of quality wines. Try a la carte menu with seasonal specialities made from daily fresh ingredients.

Restaurant awards: 2014, 2013 and 2012 Gault&Millau 1 haube (14 points), 2012 and 2008 Ljubljana Quality Selection – top restaurant.

pri levu

HOTEL LEV

The head chef will prepare top class specialities with love and precision. He develops his culinary story using simple fresh ingredients, combining them to create a unique gourmet experience. In the pleasant surroundings of a tropical aquarium, you will be served delicious Mediterranean dishes as well as a choice of business menus. The unique culinary delight will be accompanied with a variety of quality wines and beautifully presented desserts, made in the hotel confectionery.

The a la carte restaurant Pri Levu has received the Ljubljana Quality Selection award in the “Fine Dining Restaurants” category for its high standard offer, quality services and cleanliness.



KAVARNA
UNION

GRAND HOTEL UNION

If you'd like to enjoy your morning coffee in a genuine café atmosphere and read the daily newspaper in peace and quiet, you should definitely stop in the Grand Union Café. Our staff will be happy to serve you warm or hot drinks and sweeten your mood with unique confectionery based on hundred-year-old recipes. In the evening, we warmly invite you to enjoy a drink of your choice in the cosy atmosphere of this classical café and watch one of the theatre, cabaret or variety shows, or enjoy at a concert.

UNIONSKI
VRT

GRAND HOTEL UNION

Every summer the Union Garden with the entire culinary offer of the Grand Hotel Union is revived. The branches of centuries-old chestnut trees shelter you from the sun so you can enjoy delicious lunches or dinners of the international as well as traditional Slovene cuisine. Try out our daily menus or order a la carte from summer specialities. Travel through time with traditional stews known as »Unionske rožce«. For those with a sweet tooth we prepare unique confectionery based on traditional ancient recipes. Open during the summer months.



Small city with big charm



LJUBLJANA

DISTANCES FROM LJUBLJANA

- Salzburg 285 km
- Munich 405 km
- Viena 381 km
- Budapest 462 km
- Zagreb 140 km
- Trieste 100 km
- Venice 243 km



Ljubljana is a small charming city which will make you feel welcome and impress you in any time of the year. The city's attractions are scattered around the city centre and accessible on foot. Take time to explore the capital and see the local sights of its surroundings. All the major attractions are in close vicinity of the Union hotels – even the part with the busy nightlife is just a few steps

away. Besides having everything all the other modern capitals have, Ljubljana succeeded in maintaining the relaxed atmosphere of a small city. This picturesque and very vibrant city is full of surprises. The various cultural events are marked by the richness of the tradition as well as by the modern creativity. Forests, rivers and lakes offer great possibilities of an active holiday in the open air.

EXPLORE LJUBLJANA.
EVERYTHING IS WITHIN WALKING DISTANCE.

- 1 GRAND HOTEL UNION
Miklošičeva cesta 1
- 2 GRAND HOTEL UNION BUSINESS
Miklošičeva cesta 3
- 3 HOTEL LEV
Vošnjakova ulica 1
- 4 CENTRAL HOTEL
Miklošičeva cesta 9

5 min Walking distance





3

4

2

1

5 min

10 min

15 min

KARTOGRAFIJA

400 m



01

February, city centre

SHROVETIDE CARNIVAL

Ljubljana's traditional Shrovetide Carnival includes a procession through the streets of Ljubljana and a programme of entertainment for children and adults. The carnival procession consists of groups of traditional and other themed carnival figures from Slovenia and abroad.

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02

From the second half of June to the end of August, old city centre

SUMMER IN LJUBLJANA OLD TOWN

Summer in Ljubljana Old Town is a festival traditionally livening up summer evenings in Ljubljana with mainly free classical music concerts held in the picturesque settings of the old city centre.

imagosloveniae.net





03

September, old city centre

MEDIEVAL DAYS

The programme of Ljubljana's Medieval Days traditionally includes medieval-costumed performances, a festival of medieval and Renaissance music and a medieval market.

mini-teater.si



04

December, old city centre

DECEMBER IN LJUBLJANA - OUTDOOR FESTIVITIES

In December, the festively decorated old centre of Ljubljana hosts a varied programme of events intended for people of all ages and tastes. Every year, the festive atmosphere culminates in the New Year's Eve celebrations held in the city's three main squares.

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EVENTS & MEETINGS

Union hotels kindly invite you to organize your congress, seminar, business meeting, social function, reunion or wedding reception at one of our beautiful venues. The Grand Hotel Union invites you with the largest conference centre in Ljubljana; other conference halls with state-of-art technology await you in Hotel Lev and Central Hotel. Professional and friendly staff will ensure that your event is a success.

- 30 meeting rooms
- 10–850 delegates capacity
- 700 events per year







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