

Dynasty 8 at Conrad Macao, hosts exclusive Sherry dinner with special Guest Antonio Flores on Saturday March 8
Sherry menu will also continue until April 8

MACAO – March 7, 2014 – Dynasty 8, the award-winning Chinese restaurant at [Conrad Macao, Cotai Central](#) will be launching an exclusive Sherry promotion beginning Saturday, March 8 with a specially priced dinner at MOP 688*. Special guest for the launch dinner this March 8 will be Antonio Flores, master blender and head wine maker for González Byass, and venenciador (master pourer) Alejandro Benítez. Discerning guests are advised to book early as seating is limited for the one-night special promotion.

Guests can also experience the Sherry pairing menu for lunch or dinner until April 8, for MOP 998*.

Flores was born at the González Byass winery where his father was production director for 50 years. His specialty is the oxidative and non-oxidative ageing of sheries with a particular expertise in the development of the flor (yeast) and its chemical reactions to sherry. González Byass boasts 175 years of operation, with a particular pride in promoting Fino Tio Pepe sheries at events.

Alejandro Benítez demonstrates his dexterous skill at wine fairs worldwide, most recently touring Asian wine fairs. He was also present at Shanghai Expo 2010 and has 16 years of experience as a venenciador.

One of the oldest, most traditional and genuine of the many trades to be found in the Jeréz region of Spain is that of the venenciador. It is the venenciador who, over the centuries, has helped the winery foreman and taster to obtain samples. Sliding the venencia (a specialised, long-handled pouring cup) through the bung hole, he extracts wine from the interior of the barrel and skilfully pours it into a sherry glass for the tasters to verify its bouquet and specific characteristics. The venencia allows the venenciador to extract a small quantity of completely clear wine and pour it into the

* Plus applicable taxes

tasting glass from a height of up to one metre or more which helps the wine to aerate and open up by the time it strikes the glass, enabling the tasters to fully appreciate its characteristics.

The six-course special menu promotion with sherry pairing at Dynasty 8 runs until April 8. Asian favourites have been specially paired with a variety of sherries, including steamed scallops with egg white and Chinese truffles; Shanghainese-style braised Iberico pork belly; and fried sweet and sour cod fish with pine nuts. Dynasty 8 opens from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. and 6-11 p.m. daily (until midnight Fridays and Saturdays). For reservations, call +853 8113 8920.



Photo caption: Enjoy an exclusive menu with Sherries from at Conrad Macao's t Dynasty 8 restaurant, on March 8 with special guests González Byass and venenciador Alejandro Benítez. Promotion will continue until April 8, 2014.

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APPENDIX

Dynasty 8 Sherry Pairing Menu

March 8-April 8, 2014

MOP 998 per person, plus 10 per cent service charge

Honey Glazed Chinese Yunnan Ham with Crispy Bean Curd Skin

González Byass Tio Pepe Fino

Steamed Scallops with Egg White and Chinese Truffles

González Byass AMONTILLADO "Vina AB" 8 YEARS

Fried Chicken Stuffed with Mushroom and Glutinous Rice

González Byass AMONTILLADO "Del Duque" 30 YEARS

Shanghainese Style Braised Iberico Pork Belly

González Byass OLOROSO DULCE "Musalem" 30 YEARS

Fried Sweet and Sour Cod Fish with Pine Nuts

González Byass PALO CORTADO "Apostoles" 30 YEARS

Wok-seared Lamb Rump with Chili and Garlic Sauce, Sautéed White
and Green Asparagus

González Byass Palo Cortado "Leonor" 12 YEARS

Gratin of Strawberries

González Byass PEDRO XIMENEZ "Noe" 30 YEARS