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The Roof Gardens appoints Samantha Wilson as new General Manager

The Roof Gardens in Kensington, part of Sir Richard Branson's luxury Virgin Limited Edition portfolio, is pleased to announce the appointment of Samantha (Sam) Wilson into the position of General Manager.

Sam previously held the role of Deputy General Manager at the venue and in her new role is responsible for the day to day overall management and operation of The Roof Gardens' popular London night club, events space, award-winning Babylon restaurant and the one and a half acres of beautiful roof top gardens.

Sam brings a wealth of hospitality experience to the role, having worked in various hotels across the country in a variety of positions from Catering Manager to Bar Manager to managing events. After moving to London Sam worked at Grosvenor House Hotel, managing key events including the BAFTAs, the Cateys and many society events. After realising her expertise lay in Food and Beverage, Sam moved on to the Tate Britain as Operations Manager and the Sanderson Hotel before taking up the position as Deputy General Manager at The Roof Gardens in 2009.

Aside from her passion for food and beverage, Sam has a passion for arts and photography and has recently exhibited her photography in London.

Jon Brown, Managing Director at Virgin Limited Edition commented: "Sam's knowledge of The Roof Gardens and of the industry as a whole is extensive and her commitment to us over the past two and a half years has shone through. We are thrilled Sam has accepted the role as General Manager and are looking forward to seeing her energy and creativity reflected in the future of The Roof Gardens."

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Notes for Editors:

- The Roof Gardens and Babylon Restaurant are part of the award-winning Virgin Limited Edition luxury portfolio.

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