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Westin Langkawi

## New Arrivals

The former **Sheraton Perdana Resort** has been renovated and reflagged the **Westin Langkawi Resort & Spa**, making it the first Westin in Malaysia. In addition to 202 newly refurbished rooms and suites, 20 new residential villas have been added, along with event facilities, accommodating up to 400 for meetings and receptions, and 180 for sit-down dinners.... The **Shangri-La Hotel, Qaryat Al Beri**, opens in Abu Dhabi this month, amid 21 coastal acres, that include a 3,300-foot private beach. All 214 guestrooms face the Persian Gulf; each of seven villas has its own private swimming pool. The property includes the brand's signature CHI spa.



Solage Calistoga

## On the Horizon

Visitors to California's Napa Valley will have a new resort to stay in after the June 2007 opening of the **Solage Calistoga**, the first property under the newly created brand Solage Hotels & Resorts, from **Auberge Resorts**, owner of such award-winning luxury properties as the **Auberge du Soleil, Esperanza, Calistoga Ranch** and **The Inn at Palmetto Bluff**. A more contemporary and affordable brand than Auberge, the Solage Calistoga will feature 89 rooms, a casual bistro, a spa offering a traditional mud bath and complimentary "cruiser" bikes. Rates will start at \$325 for a deluxe room.