

## **Press release**

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## HMSHost-Umoe F&B Company opens four new concepts at Bergen Airport, Flesland

Bergen, August 17 2017 - HMSHost-Umoe F&B Company - a joint venture between Umoe Restaurants and HMSHost International, further expanding its food and beverage services in Norway, opening four concept at Bergen Airport. Travellers from the domestic terminal can now dine at Bølgen & Moi Food Garage, Fiskeriet Seafood, Altiu'tude bar and the first Starbucks store at Bergen Airport.

"Together with a great team of people I am proud to open four eateries at Bergen Airport. With Avinor as our valued partner we are looking forward to provide great guest experiences and we will work hard to meet the expectations of all the travellers at the airport," says General Manager for HMSHost-Umoe F&B Company, Per Christensen.

The founders of Bølgen & Moi, Trond Moi and Toralf Bølgen have participated in the entire development process of concept, food and menus. With their broad experience as a restaurateur, international cookery experience and passion for food and drinks, **Bølgen & Moi Food Garage** will surprise and delight the travellers at Bergen Airport. "Bergen is my favourite city and I'm glad to be back and to be able to cook some of my signature dishes again! "says the founder of Bølgen & Moi, Trond Moi.

**Fiskeriet** is based on the well-known seafood store at Youngstorget, Oslo, famous for its high quality seafood. With its modern Scandinavian design and its focus on seafood, the restaurant fits perfectly into Bergen Airport, Flesland. Here guests can feel at home and this will be a favourite place for many.

**Alti'tude** is a contemporary bar that emphasises the local experience of Bergen, inspired by the joyful positive and warm people of Bergen and the varied weather of Western Norway. Together with 7 fjell, a small local craft brewery, we have developed our own beer, BERGEN! Pale Ale. A beer that is made to fit just as well for people who have just got their eyes up for handmade beer as for the most remembered and bearded beer enthusiasts. It's is a fruity and fresh Pale Ale, which is just as good to drink on its own as with food on the menu. "We are proud to represent Bergen in this way, and the beer will give yet another reason for the people of Bergen to be proud of", says Jens Eikeset, CEO / CO-Founder of 7 Fjell.

Travellers can visit the first **Starbucks** store at Bergen Airport, located post-security to enjoy the Starbucks experience, offering the highest quality Arabica coffee in a comfortable and welcoming place between their home and travel destination. When travellers come through security checks, they have the opportunity to stress down and look forward to the rest of the trip, a perfect cup of coffee and a tasty snack can help make the day better. Starbucks is centrally located with great seating areas facing the runway and for even better views, you can move up on the 2nd floor that gives you a view of the fjord.

**About HMSHost - Umoe** 

HMSHost-Umoe F&B Company AS is a joint venture between Umoe Restaurants and HMSHost International, providing food and beverage services at airports in the Norwegian market.

Operating on five of Norway's largest airports - Oslo Airport Gardermoen, Bergen Airport Flesland, Stavanger Airport Sola, Trondheim Airport Værnes, and Bodø Airport, HMSHost-Umoe F&B Company AS is a partner and supplier of food and beverage concepts for Avinor and landlords at airports in the Norwegian market.

Our portfolio includes the right mix of local, international and bespoke brands, that create excitement and are sought after by our guests.

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