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## Travel news from Turkey and Intra Tours-DMC

## Intra at the Exhibitions

After exhibiting at the FITUR in Madrid and BIT in Milano, Intra Tours will be attending the MITT in Moscow on March 26-29

## A GROWING FAMILY: INTRA TOURISM

On the 23th year since her inception in 1980, Intra has developed to become one of the greatest receptive operators to Turkey and it's getting bigger with new members joining our family. We are pleased to introduce our new colleagues as follows:

Hanzade and Pinar have been working in the special field of incentives and special groups for 5 years; they are now working in tandem as incentive department executives for Intra.

Burcu has just graduated from Bogazici University-Tourism Management and started working in our Spanish Incoming department.

Arthur (not the boss Arturo I) has worked as apprentice in the earlier years and he's back at Intra now after graduating from university.



Enjoying our weekend in the annual get-together



Managerial Staff of Intra cheering up in the New Year party at the head offices.

## New 5-star hotels in the New Year



Hilton Konya

The new year begins with 3 brand new international 5-star hotels in Turkey.

Hilton celebrated the opening of its 8<sup>th</sup> hotel in Turkey with a cocktail at Hilton Istanbul Convention Center last month. The new Hiltons are located in the booming Inner Anatolian region cities of Kayseri and Konya. Both cities are also on the main tourist route traveling from Cappadocia region to Pamukkale and Ephesus. Konya has been much in the news recently, for being the center of the Whirling Dervishes of the sufi "Mevlevi" order and the mausoleum of their leader, Mevlana Celaleddin-i Rumi is also in Konya.

Hilton Konya, adjacent to Maser Shopping Mall with 100 branded shops and cinema saloons is conveniently located on main Konya- Istanbul highway, with panoramic views of Konya city and its surroundings.

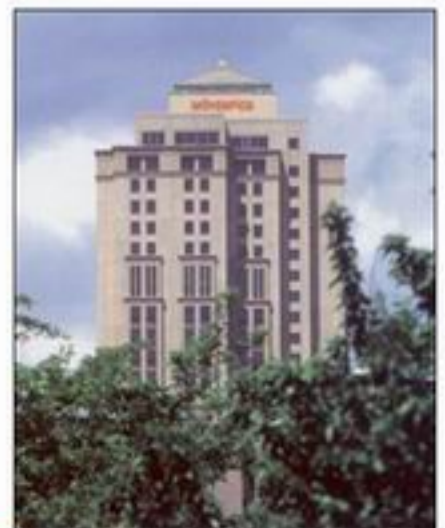
Hilton Kayseri is located in the heart of the city, overlooking green parks, the old Citadel and Covered Bazaar, within walking distance from the main sites of interest as well as shopping and financial districts of Kayseri, and with spectacular views of the Erciyes Mountain.

Both hotels boast with being the first International Deluxe hotels in Konya and Kayseri.



Hilton Kayseri

Mövenpick is back in Istanbul after a lengthy pause. The new Mövenpick Istanbul is scheduled to open its doors in a brand new building this February. Branded as the first 5 star boutique business hotel, it is located in 4th Levent, the prime business district of Istanbul. Mövenpick Istanbul is in the center of uptown, close to the Bosphorus and only 10 minutes away from Taksim Square by metro next to the Hotel. Moevenpick Hotel Istanbul offers modern classic decorated 249 rooms including 71 Executive Floor rooms and 22 suites with internet access, contemporary F&B outlets, state-of-the-art meeting facilities from 12 up to 500 delegates and a Health Club.



Mövenpick Istanbul



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