## SHIGERU BAN ARCHITECTS

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Year: 2007 Location: United States Program: Accommodation

## Porte-Cochere & Lobby



We envisioned an approach to the hotel as a continuous sequence from the moment it comes into view. The grand scale of the "porte de cochère" allows it to be seen from a long distance. The roof structure continues into the lobby as one fluid form creating a unified image on the outside and inside. The lobby roof and porte cochere is one integrated structure and the roof seamlessly integrates into the columns as a continuous form funneling down to touch the floor.