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Courtyard Poughkeepsie Hotel guest rooms get \$1 million makeover

Hotel near Hyde Park, New York, updates rooms with new carpet, drapes, lighting and furnishings; adds contemporary desks with ergonomic chairs

Poughkeepsie, **NY** – Visitors to Poughkeepsie, New York, will want to stop and rest at the completely renovated <u>Courtyard Poughkeepsie</u>.

The just-finished project includes many changes to its 137 rooms and 12 suites. Guests



will sink into thicker mattresses that are topped with cotton-rich linens and fluffy pillows. Fresh carpets and draperies are in all <u>new guest room</u> <u>accommodations</u>, which now also feature no-glare lighting.

Up-to-date spacious desks and ergonomic chairs allow business travelers to finish jobs quickly and on time. In the separate seating areas, new oversized chairs and ottomans help guests relax while they watch their favorite shows on HDTVs or surf the Internet thanks to complimentary high-

speed Wi-Fi access now offered at the Poughkeepsie hotel. Other amenities include coffeemakers, ironing boards and mini-refrigerators.

The \$1 million renovation at the hotel near Hyde Park, New York, also includes the bathrooms, where Paul Mitchell products help visitors get ready for a new day or night on the town.

The lobby and the updated <u>The Bistro -- Eat. Drink. Connect.</u> are a perfect place to grab Starbucks coffee or a hearty American breakfast in the morning and a full, healthy meal for dinner. The lobby also features the touchscreen GoBoard, which allows guests to view the latest news, weather reports and airport conditions. Visitors can even download driving directions from the GoBoard directly to their smartphones.

Guests can unwind using the indoor pool for year-round swimming or a variety of exercise equipment in the fitness center for a more strenuous workout.

For business travelers, the hotel is a short drive from the IBM-Poughkeepsie facility. Guests also can take advantage of the 1,274 square feet of event space for all types of meetings as well as business services including package delivery and pickup.

With its location as one of the hotels near Marist College, the Courtyard also is <u>conveniently located</u> near The Culinary Institute of America in Hyde Park, offering lunch or dinner at four restaurants run by rising culinary stars.

Families can also visit the home of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Vanderbilt Mansion and Vassar College or take a walk on a long pedestrian bridge over the Hudson River. There is also plenty of shopping at the Poughkeepsie Galleria, which has more than 150 shops, several restaurants and a movie theater.

Whatever the reason for travelers to visit the Poughkeepsie, the complete renovation of the hotel near Hyde Park, New York, will keep business travelers ready to go as well as offer vacationers updated comfort, style and technology.

About Courtyard Poughkeepsie

The Courtyard Poughkeepsie has completely renovated its 137 rooms and 12 suites. The new state-of-the-art lobby features The Bistro serving American fare. Other amenities include a fitness center and indoor pool. The hotel is near Marist College and other attractions and has 1,274 square feet of meeting space for business or social gatherings. For information, visit <u>www.PoughkeepsieCourtyard.com</u>.

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