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# Mounssif Slaoui Named Area General Manager of DoubleTree by Hilton Schenectady and Hampton Inn Schenectady

INDIANAPOLIS – February 23, 2015 – <u>Schahet Hotels</u>, the Indianapolis-based hotel management and development company, today announced the appointment of Mounssif Slaoui as area general manager of the <u>DoubleTree by Hilton Schenectady</u> and <u>Hampton Inn</u> Schenectady. Slaoui most recently served as general manager of the Hampton Inn Schenectady.

"It has been an honor and privilege for us to have Mounssif Slaoui as a member of our Schahet team for 8 years," said Jeffrey Brown, chief executive officer, Schahet Hotels. "This promotion is a direct result of the hard work he has put in and we are excited to see what Mounssif has in store for these area hotels."

DoubleTree by Hilton Schenectady is slated to open this spring, and will provide guests with a full service hotel experience complete with modern amenities and stylish guestrooms. In addition to the warm chocolate chip cookie welcome, guests will enjoy other DoubleTree by Hilton brand amenities, including an assortment of gourmet in-room tea and coffee choices from The Coffee Bean & Tea Leaf®, the refreshing new Aroma Actives natural skin and body care line, and an industry-recognized service culture built around the idea of CARE, which stands for Create a Rewarding Experience for guests, team members and the community.

Guests of Hampton Inn Schenectady will enjoy modern amenities, including a Clean and fresh Hampton bed<sup>®</sup>, free Wi-Fi and Hampton's On the House<sup>®</sup> hot breakfast or Hampton On the Run ™ breakfast bags. The hotel also features Hampton's Perfect Mix Lobby, designed with a variety of seating and lighting options for both leisure and business travelers as an extension of the guestroom. Hampton Hotels foster a unique culture of hospitality - called Hamptonality. This term describes each hotel's approach to friendly customer service, anticipating guests' needs and providing travelers with helpful suggestions about area attractions, historical facts and fun things do around town.

DoubleTree by Hilton Schenectady and Hampton Inn Schenectady participate in Hilton

HHonors<sup>®</sup>, the only hotel loyalty club that offers Points & Miles<sup>®</sup> and No Blackout Dates.

- DoubleTree by Hilton Schenectady is located at 100 Nott Terrace, Schenectady, NY 12308. For reservations, visit <u>DoubleTree by Hilton Schenectady</u> or call +1 518-393-4141.
- Hampton Inn Schenectady is located at 450 State Street, Schenectady, NY. For reservations visit Hampton Inn Schenectady or call +1 518-377-4500.

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## About DoubleTree by Hilton

With a fast-growing, global collection of more than 400 upscale hotels in gateway cities, metropolitan areas and vacation destinations across six continents, every little thing we do at DoubleTree by Hilton inspires us to create a rewarding experience for our hotel guests, our team members and the communities we proudly serve. Our hospitality begins with a warm chocolate chip cookie welcome upon arrival and continues with the award-winning Hilton HHonors guest loyalty program, an array of fine services and amenities and our longstanding CARE Culture tradition that empowers team members to provide the special comforts and acts of kindness that make the traveler feel human again.

To make reservations at any DoubleTree by Hilton hotel, travelers may visit our brand website at <u>www.doubletree.com</u>. Social media users may connect with us at <u>www.facebook.com/doubletree</u>, <u>www.twitter.com/doubletree</u> and <u>www.youtube.com/doubletreehotels</u>. For the latest news, story starters and fact sheets about our brand, reporters and bloggers may visit our DoubleTree by Hilton Global Media Center at <u>news.doubletree.com</u>.

## About Hampton Inn Hotels

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