

## *Joe Maitrejean*



Joe Maitrejean was employed as a Director of Operations for Kinseth Hospitality in 1997. He is responsible for the success of a number of restaurants, full-service hotels, and limited-service hotels operating under brands including Bennigan's Grill & Taverns, Green Mill Restaurants, Holiday Inn, Hilton Garden Inn, Fairfield Inn by Marriott, Hampton Inn & Suites, Sleep Inn, Comfort Inn & Suites, and Candlewood Suites. He has participated in the development and repositioning of numerous hotels and has overseen franchise brand communications for Kinseth Hospitality.

During his tenure with KHC, Mr. Maitrejean has proven successful with his hands-on style of management and high attention to detail; methods that have driven a prosperous hospitality operation. He pushes a high intensity level that complements his broad experience in hospitality operations and guides his management strategies to levels of excellence.

Having graduated from St. Paul's Culinary School in Minneapolis, Minnesota, Mr. Maitrejean began his career in hospitality as an executive chef. He began working for Holiday Inn Worldwide soon after and immediately moved up into higher positions of responsibility, operating as Director of Food and Beverage and General Manager. Joe was also a Traveling Manager for large number of hotels in the Holiday Inn Worldwide portfolio.

Mr. Maitrejean has participated as the opening Director of Operations for many hotels within the Kinseth portfolio, including brands such as Hampton Inn & Suites, Candlewood Suites, and Sleep Inn by Choice. Joe is also the Director of Operations, overseeing a number of distressed hotels where Kinseth has been named as the Receiver by the Court.

