A family of hotels connecting you to the beautiful Ionian Sea











Our Story

Our story begins in the late 1960's when Vassilis Dracopoulos senior visits the fishing village of Benitses and falls in love with the beautiful island of Corfu. Sitting on Corfu's lush shoreline, and overlooking the iridescent Ionian Sea, Vassilis Dracopoulos Senior had a dream – to share his love for the island with family and friends. It's a tale of vision, challenges and unconditional hospitality which is still unfolding over five decades later.



MarBella is born

Vassilis buys an expanse of land with a tiny house on it at Agios Ioannis Peristeron to entertain his family and friends. He soon realises the potential and builds a complex of 62 rooms with a swimming pool. The wonderful view of the calm sea and crystal clear waters give rise to the name "MarBella" meaning Beaufiful Sea in Italian – marking the start of a long and loving journey for the Dracopoulos family.















