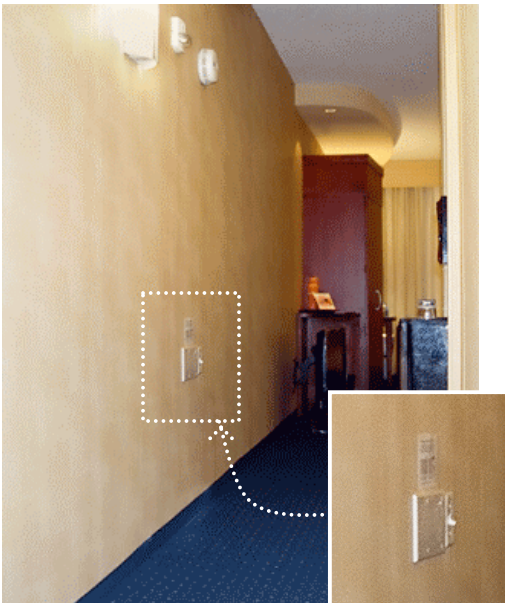




X-Room With a View... Into the Future

Travelers who love the latest gizmos and gadgets might want to check into the Courtyard Newark-University of Delaware and check out the many innovative features in the hotel's new **eXperimental Guestroom**. Launched in September as part of Shaner Hotels' Experimental Guestroom of the Future project, the X-Room is both fun and functional thanks to futuristic amenities researched by Dr. Cihan Cobanoglu, Associate Professor of Hospitality Information Technology at the University of Delaware's Hotel, Restaurant, and Institutional Management Department and Bill Sullivan, CHTP, Managing Director of the Courtyard Marriott, University of Delaware.



SentryLight... Bringing Life Safety *Inside* the Guest Room

Every hotel and motel across the country deploys emergency lighting in the hallway and stairs, meeting national fire safety codes requiring safe egress out of the building. After listening to guests concerned about waking in a strange room that's pitch black due to a power failure, Dr. Cobanoglu decided to seek a solution: **bringing emergency lighting inside the guest room**. That's when Dr. Cobanoglu met Brian Corbett, President of SentryLight and a Fire Chief of the Cecil County Volunteer Fire Department.

Five years in development and currently installed in 11 countries, SentryLight created an affordable concealed emergency light for guest rooms. It's only upon a power failure that the lamp emerges out of the wall to provide bright LED light. The patented design makes the unit ADA-compliant, so it's the world's only emergency light that's UL-approved for **installation at any height**.

In January, SentryLight introduced a program for Hotels to trial a unit and get feedback from their guests. To find out about this program, send an email: Brian@SentryLight.com or call: **(866) 494-4431**.

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