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## Construction of SHoP's 29th-floor skybridge pool nearing completion

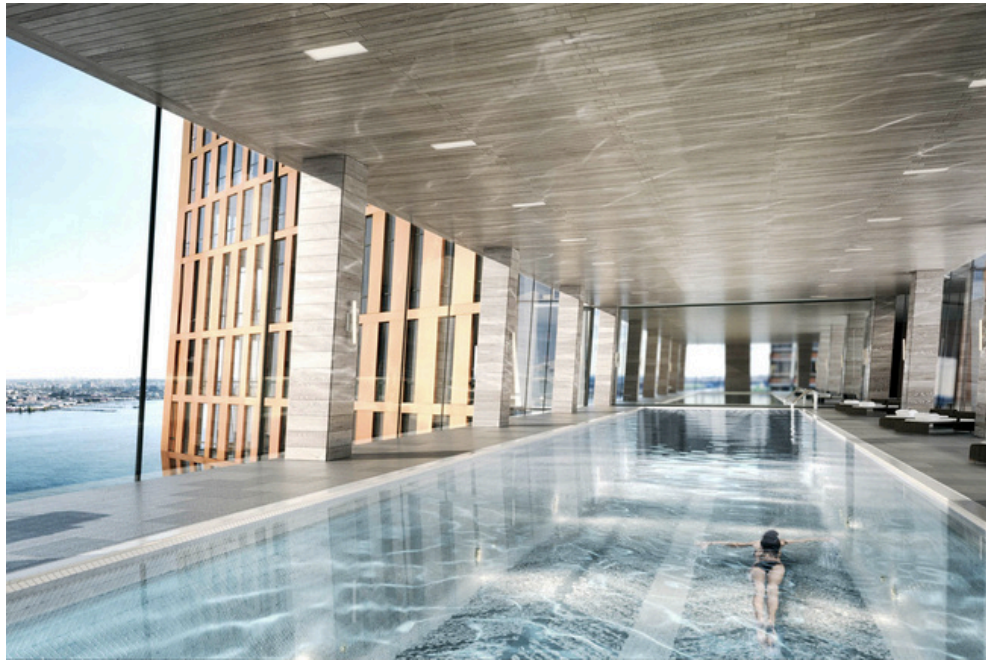
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Marina Bay Sands lite: rendering of the infinity pool on the American Copper Buildings east tower rooftop. (Image: JDS Development; via bloomberg.com)

*Workers have almost completed mounting the copper paneling on the American Copper Buildings (née 626 First Avenue), the new tilting, two-towered development on Manhattan's East Side, but their most striking feature—a three-story, 100-foot-long skybridge—is still open to the elements. [...]*

*The skybridge itself, though, is designed to be the showstopper. The architects placed a 75-foot lap pool on the bridge, so residents can swim 300 feet in the air [...]. —*  
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Interior rendering of the skybridge pool area on the 29th floor.



Exterior rendering of the SHoP-designed towers with the skybridge spanning the 27th to 29th floors.  
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JDS Developers hope to have the towers completed in 2017.

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