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REPORT OF FOREIGN ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of April 2011

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# **MELCO CROWN ENTERTAINMENT LIMITED**

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<u>Signature</u>

Exhibit 99.1 - Press Release

# SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

# MELCO CROWN ENTERTAINMENT LIMITED

By: <u>/s/ Geoffrey Davis</u> Name: Geoffrey Davis Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: April 1, 2011



### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

#### Melco Crown Entertainment Announces Appointment of Chief Financial Officer

**New York, April 1, 2011** — Melco Crown Entertainment Limited (NASDAQ: MPEL) (the "Company"), a developer and owner of casino gaming and entertainment resort facilities focused on the Macau market, is pleased to announce that Geoffrey Davis, Deputy Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer, has been promoted to Chief Financial Officer, reporting directly to Mr. Lawrence Ho, the Company's Co-Chairman and Chief Executive Officer.

Mr. Davis has had extensive experience in the gaming industry, beginning with Hilton Hotels Corporation in 1996.

Prior to joining the Company as Senior Vice President, Corporate Finance in 2007, Mr. Davis was the lead equity research analyst at Citi Investment Research, where he covered the gaming industry from 2000 to 2007. Previously, he was Vice President, Corporate Finance for Las Vegas-based Park Place Entertainment, which was the publicly traded spin-off of Hilton's gaming division and was the largest casino gaming company in the world at that time.

Mr. Davis is a CFA charterholder and earned a BA in Economics from Brown University.

Mr. Ho commented, "I am very pleased to announce Geoff's promotion today. Being one of very few executives who joined the Company in its early years, Geoff was instrumental in the Company's previous financing efforts. He has significantly broadened his role with the Company since his relocation to Hong Kong and Macau last year and has made significant contributions to our efforts during this time.

"His knowledge of the Company and extensive familiarity with the Macau gaming industry is of tremendous value to our senior management team. I am confident we are placing the CFO role in goods hands with Geoff."

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# About Melco Crown Entertainment Limited

Melco Crown Entertainment Limited (the "Company"), is a developer, owner and through a Macau subsidiary which holds a gaming sub-concession, an operator of casino gaming and entertainment casino resort facilities. The Company currently operates Altira Macau (www.altiramacau.com) (formerly Crown Macau), a casino hotel located at Taipa, Macau and City of Dreams (www.cityofdreamsmacau.com), an integrated urban casino resort located in Cotai, Macau. The Company's business also includes the Mocha Clubs (www.mochaclubs.com), which feature a total of approximately 1,600 gaming machines in eight locations and comprise the largest non-casino based operations of electronic gaming machines in Macau. For more information about the Company, please visit www.melco-crown.com.

The Company has strong support from both of its major shareholders, Melco International Development Limited ("Melco") and Crown Limited ("Crown"). Melco is a listed company on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange and is substantially owned and led by Mr. Lawrence Ho, who is Co-Chairman, a Director and the CEO of the Company. Crown is a top-50 company listed on the Australian Stock Exchange and led by Executive Chairman Mr. James Packer, who is also Co-Chairman and a Director of the Company.

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