

AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE 2019

FINALISTS

BEST INNOVATION PROJECT

The Sydney Morning Herald

Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
The Darling Hotel

OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN TRAINING

LUXXE
Culboured Hotel Services

Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Mercure Sydney
Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
The Langham, Sydney

OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION

TAB

Atura Blacktown
Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Four Points by Sheraton Sydney, Central Park
Park Hyatt Sydney
Radisson Blu Plaza Sydney
Sydney Harbour Marriot Hotel

BEST ENVIRONMENTAL PRACTICES

CITY OF SYDNEY 

Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Hilton Sydney
Holiday Inn Darling Harbour
Oaks Cypress Lakes
The Langham, Sydney

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WORKPLACE HEALTH AND SAFETY HOTEL OF THE YEAR



Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Fairmont Resort & Spa Blue Mountains, MGallery by Sofitel
Holiday Inn Darling Harbour
Sydney Harbour Marriot Hotel

CONFERENCE AND EVENTS VENUE OF THE YEAR



Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Crowne Plaza Terrigal Pacific
Fairmont Resort & Spa Blue Mountains, MGallery by Sofitel
Four Seasons Hotel Sydney
Hilton Sydney
Hyatt Regency Sydney
InterContinental Sydney
Ovolo Woolloomooloo
Q Station, Manly
Rydges Campbelltown
Rydges Sydney Airport
Rydges World Square
Sheraton Grand Sydney Hyde Park
The Star Sydney

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ENGINEER OF THE YEAR



Adam Hansen	Mercure Sydney
David Thomson	Rydges Newcastle
Matthew Willox	Holiday Inn Old Sydney
Richard Nowakowski	Crowne Plaza Coogee Beach
Viran Yapa	Sydney Harbour Marriot Hotel
Wayne Adams	Rydges Campbelltown

FINANCE TALENT OF THE YEAR



Andy Thai	The Westin Sydney
Dhruv Patel	Fairmont Resort & Spa Blue Mountains, MGallery by Sofitel
Marina Filipovska	Novotel Sydney International Airport
Matthew Woods	Meriton Suites
Pedro Porto	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
Stephen Shao	Mercure Sydney
Tanya Wong	Rydges Sydney Airport

REVENUE/YIELD TALENT OF THE YEAR

Ben Salter	Stamford Plaza Sydney Airport
Elaine Fernandez	The Star Sydney
Felicite Danis	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
Jake Sondaar	Rydges Newcastle
Saha Salim	The Langham, Sydney
Thomas Pomowski	Sydney Harbour Marriot Hotel
Tracy Cheah	Meriton Suites
Veronika Daukaite	Rydges Sydney Airport

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PEOPLE AWARDS

FOOD AND BEVERAGE TALENT OF THE YEAR

DIAGEO

Andrew Hobbs	The Star Sydney
Arpith Hegde	InterContinental Sydney
Dincer Yilmaz	Rydges Campbelltown
Elisabetta Lisi	Ovolo Woolloomooloo
Elodie Dagg	Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Himanshu Nabiyal	Fairmont Resort & Spa Blue Mountains, MGallery by Sofitel
Joseph Pereira	Rydges Camperdown
Julian Reevell	PARKROYAL Darling Harbour
Maryline Beroud	Park Hyatt Sydney
Michael Thom	Stamford Plaza Sydney Airport
Noba Inoue	Sir Stamford at Circular Quay
Sutari Martinez	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
Victoria Yarka	QT Sydney
Yash Singhal	Rydges Sydney Airport

CONFERENCE AND EVENTS TALENT OF THE YEAR

ENCORE
A Freeman Company

Alexandra Russell	Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
An-Li Tsai	The Star Sydney
Ashleigh Gribble	Amora Hotel Jamison Sydney
Ashleigh Wardle	Rydges Sydney Airport
Choi Le	Mercure Sydney
Courtney Mannes	Novotel Sydney International Airport
Holly De Bijl	InterContinental Sydney Double Bay
Jade Gomez	Sage Hotel Wollongong
Jessica Johnson	Rydges World Square
Laura Marquis	Ovolo Woolloomooloo
Marissa Scuteri	Stamford Plaza Sydney Airport
Megan Parker	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour

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PEOPLE AWARDS

MARKETING TALENT OF THE YEAR



Ace Mamun	Sydney Harbour Marriot Hotel
Jennifer Yu	Radisson Blu Plaza Sydney
Melinda McCrone	Crowne Plaza Terrigal Pacific
Olivia Lauren Sy	Rydges World Square
Sasha McAlister	Holiday Inn Sydney Airport

SALES TALENT OF THE YEAR



Bree Nicol	Crowne Plaza Terrigal Pacific
Carly Gorrie	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
Daniel Vuong	Holiday Inn Express Sydney
Fiona Okpalogu	Rydges Newcastle
Giselle Hawkings	Rydges Campbelltown
Janine Kerner	Sheraton Grand Sydney Hyde Park
Lachlan Harris	The Langham, Sydney
Marcus Chan	Crowne Plaza Coogee Beach
Ray Elchanti	Sir Stamford at Circular Quay
Shaun Vassallo	Novotel Sydney Brighton Beach
Stuart Welch	Stamford Plaza Sydney Airport
Suzie Bellamy	Four Seasons Hotel Sydney
Tim Birley	PARKROYAL Darling Harbour
Vivek Sandhu	PARKROYAL Parramatta

HUMAN RESOURCES TALENT OF THE YEAR



Christianne Nejm	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
Deborah Cunningham	Fairmont Resort & Spa Blue Mountains, MGallery by Sofitel
Emily Squires	Novotel Sydney Brighton Beach
Riley Mackenzie	PARKROYAL Parramatta
Thomas Fitzgerald	The Langham, Sydney

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PEOPLE AWARDS

ROOMS DIVISION TALENT OF THE YEAR



Clare Byrne	The Westin Sydney
Damien Crook	Crowne Plaza Terrigal Pacific
Deepamita Dutta	Meriton Suites Kent Street
Emily Robinson	PARKROYAL Darling Harbour
Ewong Wang	Crowne Plaza Coogee Beach
Inga Prancute	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
Jake Guilfoyle	QT Sydney
Jasmine Elkassir	Stamford Plaza Sydney Airport
Jessica Nemcich	Hilton Sydney
Mario Naim	The Star Sydney
Oscar Lewis	Four Seasons Hotel Sydney
Ramneek Kaur	Sir Stamford at Circular Quay
Silvia Kyriotis	Novotel Sydney International Airport
Stefanie Peters	Radisson Blu Plaza Sydney
Tiara Jang	InterContinental Sydney

EMPLOYEE EXCELLENCE IN SERVICE



Anthony Metcalfe	Park Hyatt Sydney
Chelsea Hu	Novotel Sydney Brighton Beach
Debra Howard	Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Dion Symes	Four Seasons Hotel Sydney
Duncan Lewis	PARKROYAL Darling Harbour
Francisco Cervantes	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
Lily Jang	The Westin Sydney
Losalini Manono	Shangri-La Hotel, Sydney
Nicholas Slater	Meriton Suites Kent Street
Roman Bhandari	InterContinental Sydney Double Bay
Sonja Buettner	InterContinental Sydney

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CONCIERGE OF THE YEAR



David Reynolds	Sir Stamford at Circular Quay
Greg Hillard	Sydney Harbour Marriot Hotel
Jay de los Reyes	QT Sydney
Jonathan Fambart	Park Hyatt Sydney
Mark Anderson	InterContinental Sydney
Nathan Brown	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
Robin Jeff Marundan	Amora Hotel Jamison Sydney

HOUSEKEEPER OF THE YEAR



Aurelia Jalaldeen	Novotel Sydney Brighton Beach
Carla Acosta	Rydges Hotel Parramatta
Diane Logan	Quay West Suites Sydney
Karolina Sadalska	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
Leonie Looser	Hilton Sydney
Louise Ulberg	Rydges Campbelltown
Maria Rebaque	InterContinental Sydney
Marianito Tagalag	Pier One Sydney Harbour
Michelle Joseph	Rydges Bankstown
Milly Estolano	Primus Hotel Sydney
Rhonda Campbell	Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Tarsha Whiteman	Fairmont Resort & Spa Blue Mountains, MGallery by Sofitel

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PEOPLE AWARDS

CHEF OF THE YEAR

William Angliss Institute Specialist centre for food, tourism, hospitality & events

Aaron Engeler	Fairmont Resort & Spa Blue Mountains, MGallery by Sofitel
Andrew Sykes	Rydges Campbelltown
Daniel Menzies	Primus Hotel Sydney
David Yang	Rydges World Square
Francesco Mannelli	Four Seasons Hotel Sydney
Jack Wang	Stamford Plaza Sydney Airport
Luca Guiotto	Ovolo 1888
Martin Weise	Sheraton Grand Sydney Hyde Park
Matteo Zamboni	Jonah's Restaurant & Boutique Hotel
Rakesh Rozario	Novotel Sydney Brighton Beach
Raphael Szurek	Sydney Harbour Marriot Hotel
Shlomi Palensya	Park Hyatt Sydney
Sidney Villanueva	Atura Blacktown

HOTEL INDUSTRY RISING STAR

THE HOTEL SCHOOL
SYDNEY MELBOURNE

Abby Hudson	PARKROYAL Parramatta
Aditi Sood	Shangri-La Hotel, Sydney
Amy Pearse	Sheraton Grand Sydney Hyde Park
Andre Saputra	Stamford Plaza Sydney Airport
Brittany Caiger	The Westin Sydney
Chiara Lisciotta	The Star Sydney
George Burford	InterContinental Sydney
Jessica Aitken-Andrews	Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Kate Diggins	Meriton Suites Pitt Street
Katie Collings	Novotel Sydney International Airport
Kimbley Watkins	Sage Hotel Wollongong
Laura Wiersma	Four Seasons Hotel Sydney
Lisa Cutmore	Holiday Inn Sydney Airport
Melissa Davies	The Langham, Sydney
Vincent Martzloff	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour

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RESTAURANT OF THE YEAR (MID-RANGE - SUPERIOR HOTELS)



Abode Bistro and Bar	PARKROYAL Darling Harbour
Circa 1876	The Convent Hunter Valley
Hydro Majestic	The Hydro Majestic
La Boca Bar and Grill	Stamford Plaza Sydney Airport
Mister Percy's	Ovolo 1888
Otis Bar and Grill	Rydges Campbelltown
Platform 818	Mercure Sydney
Redsalt Restaurant	Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Seasalt Restaurant	Crowne Plaza Terrigal Pacific

RESTAURANT OF THE YEAR (DELUXE HOTELS)

SWAROVSKI

Alibi Bar and Kitchen	Ovolo Woolloomooloo
Altitude	Shangri-La Hotel, Sydney
Black Bar and Grill	The Star Sydney
Darley's	Lilianfels Resort & Spa
Flying Fish	The Star Sydney
Jonah's Restaurant & Boutique Hotel	
Mode Kitchen & Bar	Four Seasons Hotel Sydney
Silvester's Restaurant	Sydney Harbour Marriot Hotel
Sokyo	The Star Sydney
Solander Dining Restaurant	West Hotel Sydney, Curio Collection by Hilton
The Wilmot	Primus Hotel Sydney

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BRASSERIE/CAFE OF THE YEAR



Boiler House Restaurant	The Hydro Majestic
Cafe Opera	InterContinental Sydney
Le Petit Flot	Tank Stream Hotel Sydney
Miss Lilian Tea House	Lilianfels Resort & Spa
Roadhouse Bar and Grill	Atura Blacktown
Three Bottle Man	Sydney Harbour Marriot Hotel

BAR OF THE YEAR (MID-RANGE - SUPERIOR HOTELS)



Eve's	Mercure Sydney
Otis Brewery Bar and Grill Restaurant	Rydges Campbelltown
Roadhouse Bar and Grill	Atura Albury
Roadhouse Bar and Grill	Atura Blacktown
Sydney Brewery	Rydges Sydney Central
The Cidery Bar and Kitchen	Rydges World Square
The Lovedale Bar	Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
The Warwick	Holiday Inn Warwick Farm

BAR OF THE YEAR (DELUXE HOTELS)



36 Blu Bar	Shangri-La Hotel, Sydney
Alibi	Ovolo Woolloomooloo
Black Bar and Grill	The Star Sydney
Champagne Bar	Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
Flying Fish	The Star Sydney
Grain Bar	Four Seasons Hotel Sydney
Mister Percy	Ovolo 1888
Observatory Bar	The Langham, Sydney
Sokyo	The Star Sydney
Stillery Bar and Dining	InterContinental Sydney Double Bay
The Highlander Bar	Sir Stamford at Circular Quay
Zephyr Bar	Hyatt Regency Sydney
Zeta Bar	Hilton Sydney

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PROPERTY AWARDS

HEALTH CLUB AND SPA FACILITIES OF THE YEAR

SWAROVSKI

CHI, The Spa	Shangri-La Hotel, Sydney
One&Only Spa	Emirates One&Only Wolgan Valley
SpaQ	QT Sydney
The Darling Spa	The Darling Hotel
The Day Spa by Chuan	The Langham, Sydney
Ubika Spa	Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Ubika Spa and Wellness	Fairmont Resort & Spa Blue Mountains, MGallery by Sofitel
Villa Thalgo Spa	Crowne Plaza Hawkesbury Valley

REDEVELOPED/REFURBISHED HOTEL OF THE YEAR



Novotel Sydney International Airport
Rydges Campbelltown
The Langham, Sydney

APARTMENT/SUITE HOTEL OF THE YEAR



Fraser Suites Sydney
Leisure Inn Pokolbin Hill
Leisure Inn Spires
Macquarie Waters Boutique Apartment Hotel
Park Regis City Centre
QT Bondi
Silkari Suites at Chatswood
SKYE Suites Parramatta
SKYE Suites Sydney

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MID-RANGE HOTEL OF THE YEAR



Atura Albury
Atura Blacktown
Holiday Inn Darling Harbour
Holiday Inn Express Sydney Macquarie Park
Holiday Inn Old Sydney
Holiday Inn Potts Point
Holiday Inn Sydney Airport
Holiday Inn Sydney St Mary
Mercure Sydney
Metro Aspire Hotel Sydney
Novotel Sydney International Airport
Tank Stream Hotel Sydney

METROPOLITAN SUPERIOR HOTEL OF THE YEAR



Ovolo 1888
PARKROYAL Darling Harbour
PARKROYAL Parramatta
Rydges Campbelltown
Rydges Sydney Airport
Rydges Sydney Central
Rydges World Square
The Grace Hotel

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REGIONAL SUPERIOR HOTEL OF THE YEAR



Crowne Plaza Hunter Valley
Crowne Plaza Terrigal Pacific
Echoes Boutique Hotel & Restaurant
Fairmont Resort & Spa Blue Mountains, MGallery by Sofitel
Kirkton Park Hunter Valley
Oaks Santai Resort Casuarina
Rydges Newcastle
The Convent Hunter Valley

DELUXE HOTEL OF THE YEAR



InterContinental Sydney Double Bay
Jonah's Restaurant & Boutique Hotel
Lilianfels Resort & Spa
Ovolo Woolloomooloo
Park Hyatt Sydney
Primus Hotel Sydney
QT Sydney
Shangri-La Hotel, Sydney
Sheraton Grand Sydney Hyde Park
Sir Stamford at Circular Quay
Sofitel Sydney Darling Harbour
Swissotel Sydney
Sydney Harbour Marriott Hotel
The Darling Hotel
The Langham, Sydney
West Hotel Sydney, Curio Collection by Hilton