



2019
AWARDS
For
EXCELLENCE

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R&CA Awards for Excellence

VICTORIA & TASMANIA WINNERS

RESTAURANT AWARDS

ASIAN RESTAURANT

Sponsored by TheFork - A TripAdvisor Company

WINNER - Gingerboy, MELBOURNE

BEER CAFÉ/WINE BAR

Sponsored by OneMusic

WINNER - Neighbourhood Wine, FITZROY NORTH

BREAKFAST RESTAURANT

Sponsored by H&L Australia

WINNER - Reunion & Co, RICHMOND

BURGER BAR

Sponsored by OneMusic

WINNER - Yo My Goodness, MORDIALLOC

CAFÉ DINING

Sponsored by Deputy

WINNER - Pearl + Co, HOBART

CHINESE RESTAURANT

Sponsored by Menulog

WINNER - Lau's Family Kitchen, ST KILDA

COFFEE SHOP/TEA HOUSE

Sponsored by Deputy

WINNER - Proud Mary, COLLINGWOOD

CONTEMPORARY AUSTRALIAN RESTAURANT - FORMAL

Sponsored by American Express

WINNER - Ezard, MELBOURNE



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CONTEMPORARY AUSTRALIAN RESTAURANT - INFORMAL

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WINNER - Carlton Wine Room, CARLTON

FAMILY DINING RESTAURANT

Sponsored by Menulog

WINNER - Beachcomber Café, ST KILDA

FRENCH RESTAURANT

Sponsored by Fine Food Australia

WINNER - Entrecote, SOUTH YARRA

INDIAN/SUB-CONTINENT RESTAURANT

Sponsored by Menulog

WINNER - Café Southall, ST KILDA

ITALIAN RESTAURANT

Sponsored by TheFork - A TripAdvisor Company

WINNER - Bottega, MELBOURNE

NEW RESTAURANT

Sponsored by H&L Australia

WINNER - Movida, LORNE

PIZZA RESTAURANT

Sponsored by Sanpellegrino

WINNER - 48 Hour Pizza & Gnocchi, SOUTH YARRA

RESTAURANT IN A HOTEL/MOTEL/RESORT

Sponsored by Malt Shovel

WINNER - Dock 37 Bar & Kitchen - Pan Pacific Hotel, SOUTH WHARF

RESTAURANT IN A PUB/CLUB/TAVERN

Sponsored by Malt Shovel

WINNER - The Espy Kitchen - Hotel Esplanade, ST KILDA

RESTAURANT IN A WINERY

Sponsored by DFK Benjamin King Money

WINNER - Jack Rabbit Vineyard Restaurant, BELLARINE

SEAFOOD RESTAURANT

Sponsored by Entertainment Publications

WINNER - Pastuso, MELBOURNE

SPECIALTY RESTAURANT

Sponsored by H&L Australia

WINNER - Yagiz, SOUTH YARRA



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STEAK RESTAURANT - FORMAL*Sponsored by Australian Training Products***WINNER** - San Telmo, MELBOURNE**STEAK RESTAURANT - INFORMAL***Sponsored by Australian Training Products***WINNER** - Angus & Bon, PRAHRAN**THAI RESTAURANT***Sponsored by Entertainment Publications***WINNER** - Longrain, MELBOURNE**TOURISM RESTAURANT***Sponsored by Malt Shovel***WINNER** - Jack Rabbit Vineyard Restaurant, BELLARINE**VIETNAMESE RESTAURANT***Sponsored by Prospa***WINNER** - Uncle, MELBOURNE**CATERING AWARDS****CORPORATE CATERER***Sponsored by American Express***HONOURABLE MENTION** - Sodexo - PwC Melbourne, SOUTHBANK**EVENTS CATERER***Sponsored by Sanpellegrino***HONOURABLE MENTION** - Ed Dixon Food Design, ABBOTSFORD**FUNCTION/CONVENTION CENTRE CATERER***Sponsored by AlSCO***WINNER** - Encore, ST KILDA**RESTAURANT CATERER***Sponsored by Sanpellegrino***WINNER** - The Grand Dining Room & Bar, RICHMOND**SITE/INDUSTRIAL CATERER***Sponsored by Prospa***WINNER** - Spotless Group Alliance Catering - Emirates Lounge Melbourne International Airport, TULLAMARINE**VENUE CATERER***Sponsored by Deputy***WINNER** - Higher Mark - GMHBA Stadium, GEELONG



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WEDDING CATERER

Sponsored by AlSCO

WINNER - Encore, ST KILDA

HOSPITALITY AWARDS**APPRENTICE CHEF OF THE YEAR**

Sponsored by Hostplus

HONOURABLE MENTION - Elaya Carbone - SkyHigh Mount Dandenong

CHEF OF THE YEAR

Sponsored by Hostplus

WINNER - Adam D'Sylva - Coda Bar & Restaurant

PRODUCT SUPPLIER

Sponsored by Restaurant & Catering

WINNER - H&L Australia VIC

CONSUMER VOTE AWARD

Sponsored by Savour Australia

VIC METRO WINNER - Chin Chin, MELBOURNE

TAS WINNER - Mrs Jones, DEVONPORT

VIC REGIONAL WINNER The Woodhouse Restaurant, BENDIGO

MAJOR AWARDS**LIFETIME ACHIEVER**

WINNER - Matteo Pignatelli

CATERER OF YEAR

Sponsored by Malt Shovel

WINNER - Encore, ST KILDA

CAFÉ OF THE YEAR

Sponsored by AlSCO

WINNER - Pearl + Co, HOBART

RESTAURANT OF THE YEAR

Sponsored by Hostplus

WINNER - Ezard, MELBOURNE