Rising Stars

Rising Star Hotel Chef Award
Louise McKie, An Lochan – Tighnabruaich

Special Commendation
Jimmy Desrivières, Cringletie House, Peeblesshire

Rising Star Hotel of the Year
Dakota Eurocentral, near Glasgow

Special Commendation
Carmelite, Aberdeen

Rising Star Hotel Group Award
Crerar Hotels

Rising Star Hotel Manager Award
Robert McWhir, Fernhill Hotel, Stranraer

Rising Star Hotelier Award
Steven McLeod, Airth Castle Hotel & Spa, Stirlingshire

Rising Star Leisure Manager
Dan Renton, Macdonald Marine Hotel & Spa

Dining Awards

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Médaillles d’Or for Outstanding Dinner
Bruce Morrison, Ulfinish Country Lodge, Isle of Skye
Jo Currie, Highland Cottage, Isle of Mull
Paul Moffat, Enterkine House, Ayrshire
David Williams, Greywalls, East Lothian
Martin Donnelly, Michael Caines’ Restaurant, Aliobe Glasgow
John Kelly, Bosville Hotel, Isle of Skye

The Scottish National Hotel Chef of the Year
Paul Burns, Airds Hotel & Restaurant, Argyll

Special Commendation
Michael Simpson, Gulloden House
Andrew Costley, Lochgreen House

Commendation
Keith Short, Roxburgh Hotel & Golf Club
Shaun Hall, Monachyle Mhor

The Scottish Hotel Executive Chef of the Year
James Murphy, Hilton Glasgow

Special Commendation
Jeff Bland, The Blamoral Hotel, Edinburgh

Commendation
John-Paul Persighetti, Apex International Hotel, Edinburgh

The Scottish Hotel Restaurant of the Year
Rhubarb, Prestonfield, Edinburgh

Special Commendation
Number One Restaurant, The Balmoral, Edinburgh
The Grill, Dakota Eurocentral Hotel
Roman Camp Hotel, Callander, Stirlingshire
Ardeonaig Hotel, Perthshire

Commendation
Killicrankie Hotel
Perthshire Restaurant at The Bonham Hotel
Edinburgh Schiehallion Restaurant
Dunalastair Hotel

The Scottish Restaurant with Rooms of the Year
Three Chimneys & The House Over-By, Isle of Skye

Special Commendation
Windlestraw Lodge, Peeblesshire

Commendation
Gordon’s Restaurant with Rooms, Angus Creagan House, Stirlingshire

The Scottish Hotel Lunch Award
No 1 The Bank, Parklands Hotel, Perth

The Scottish Hotel Informal Dining Award
Contrast, Glenmoriston Town House
Hotel, Inverness

Special Commendation
East Haugh Country House Hotel, Perthshire

Commendation
Buccleuch Arms Hotel, St. Boswells

The Scottish Hotel Bar Food Award
Pluckton Hotel

Special Commendation
Borough Hotel
Edinburgh Burts Hotel
Melrose Glenfinnan House Hotel
Inverness-shire Buccleuch Arms, Moffat

The Scottish Hotel Breakfast of the Year
Kinnaird House, Perthshire

Special Commendation
Macdonald Hotels
Old Pines Hotel & Restaurant
The Mercilffe Hotel & Spa, Aberdeen

City Hotels of the Year

sponsored by Clydesdale Bank and Talk107fm radio

The Aberdeen Hotel of the Year
The Mercilffe Hotel & Spa
Scottish Hotel Awards 2007 Winners

The Dundee Hotel of the Year
Apex City Quay Hotel & Spa
The Edinburgh Hotel of the Year
Malmaison Edinburgh
The Glasgow Hotel of the Year
Crowne Plaza Glasgow
*due to renovation work Hotel du Vin Glasgow was not included this year
The Inverness Hotel of the Year
Glenmoriston Town House Hotel
The Perth Hotel of the Year
Parklands Hotel

Management & Staff
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Scottish Hotel Manager Medals
William Gorol, Western House Hotel, Ayr
David Welch, The George Hotel, Edinburgh
Neil Ellis, Point Hotel, Edinburgh
Norbert Lieder, Inverlochy Castle
Murray McPhee, Cuillin Hills Hotel, Isle of Skye
Karel Kuhler, Pierland Hotel, Troon

Scottish Hotel Manager of the Year
Hans Rissmann, The Bonham, Edinburgh

Scottish Hotel Housekeeper Medals
Pamela Rungen, RadissonSAS Glasgow
Tracy MacLeod, Tongue Hotel, Sutherland

Scottish Hotel Housekeeper of the Year
May McLellan, Jury’s Inn Glasgow

Scottish Hotel Staff Excellence Award
Lodge on Loch Lomond, Dunbartonshire

Scottish Hotel Restaurant Manager of the Year
Elinor Donnelly, Michael Caines’ Restaurant, ABode Glasgow

Scottish Hotel Wedding Co-ordinator of the Year
Gaynor Russell, Balbirnie House Hotel, Fife

Special Commendation
Mary Hacking, Craigsanquhar House Hotel, Fife

Scottish Hotel Banqueting Award
The Balmoral Hotel, Edinburgh

Mine Host Award
Peter Ferguson, Raemoir House Hotel, Aberdeen-shire

The Scottish Hotel Concierge Team Award
The Balmoral, Edinburgh

Well Done & Fare Ye Well Medals
John & Morag Walmsley, Charleston
House, Ross-shire
David McCulloch, Green Hotel, Kinross

Awards of Excellence
sponsored by Colliers Robert Barry, presented by Alex Salmond MP, Leader of the Scottish National Party

The Small Country Hotel
Fortingall Hotel, Perthshire

Special Commendation
Cavens, Dumfriesshire
Corriegour Lodge, Inverness-shire
Scarista House, Isle of Harris
The Weathesheaf, Berwickshire

Commendation
Tongue Hotel, Sutherland

The Small City Hotel
Carlton George Hotel, Glasgow

Commendation
The Borough, Edinburgh

The Scottish Activities Hotel
Loch Torridon Hotel, Ross-shire

Special Commendation
Pierhouse Hotel & Seafood Restaurant, Port Appin

The Scottish Fishing Hotel
Dryburgh Abbey Hotel

The Scottish Budget Hotel
Jury’s Inn Glasgow

The Scottish Conference Hotel
Crowne Plaza Glasgow

Scottish Meeting & Events Rooms Award
The George Hotel, Edinburgh

The ‘Good for the Soul’ Award
The Cross at Kingussie, Inverness-shire

Special Commendation
Four Seasons Hotel, Perthshire

The Scottish Hotel Bar Award
Tigerlily, Edinburgh
Scottish Hotel Awards 2007 Winners

**Special Commendation**
Jock’s Bar, The Green Hotel, Kinross

**Commendation**
The Mash Tun, Banffshire

**The Scottish Castle Hotel Award**
Dalhousie Castle, Midlothian

**The Scottish Fishing Hotel**
Dryburgh Abbey Hotel

**Wee Gems**
The Pines, Grantown on Spey
Craigadam, Kirkcudbrightshire
Port Charlotte Hotel, Isle of Islay
Braemore House, Argyll
Minmore House, Banffshire
Mackays Restaurant & Rooms, Sutherland

**Business, Service & Design Awards**

**The Scottish Hotel Business Excellence Award**
*Group* Portland Hotels
*Hotel* Balbirnie House Hotel
*Individual* Stephen Davies, Culloden House

**The Hospitality Award**
Especially Friendly Service
Cally Palace Hotel, Kirkcudbrightshire

**Commendation**
New Lanark Mill Hotel, Lanarkshire
North West Castle Hotel, Stranraer
Culloden House, Inverness
Kincraig House, Invergordon
Lochgair Hotel, Argyll
Buckleuch Arms, Moffat

**The Turnaround Award**
Most Improved Scottish Hotel
Airth Castle Hotel & Spa, Stirlingshire

**Special Commendation**
Best Western Pond Hotel, Glasgow
MacLeod Hotels, Isle of Skye
Point Hotel, Edinburgh

**Commendation**
Pierhouse Hotel & Seafood Restaurant, Argyll
Lochgair Hotel, Argyll

**The Scottish Hotel Design Award**
specially sponsored by No 1 Magazine
Tigerlily, Edinburgh

**Special Commendation**
Dakota Eurocentral, by Glasgow

**Scottish Hotel Bedroom Design Medals**
 Kilcamb Lodge, Inverness-shire – Monarch Room
 Cringletie House, Peeblesshire – Selkirk Room
 Carmelite, Aberdeen – Cabanel Suite Peebles
 Hotel Hydro, Peebles – Cademuir Spa Suite
 Ten Hill Place, Edinburgh – Skyline Rooms

**The Scottish Hotel Bedroom of the Year**
Penthouse Suite, The Albannach, Sutherland

**The Scottish Hotel Accessibility Award**
New Lanark Mill Hotel

**The Scottish Hotel Marketing Award**
Apex Hotels

**Special Commendation**
An Lochan Calinet Hotel Marketing Division

**Hotels of the Year**
sponsored by Drambuie Scottish Inn

The Scottish Inn of the Year
Applecross Inn, Ross-shire

**Special Commendation**
Inn at Kippen, Stirlingshire
Inn at Lathones, Fife
Buckeluch Arms Hotel, St Boswells

Scottish Wedding Hotel of the Year
Large Classic Western House Hotel
Medium Smiths Hotel at Gretna Green
Intimate Ardanaiseig Country House

The Scottish Country House Hotel of the Year
Rufflets Country House Hotel, St. Andrews

**Special Commendation**
Kinloch House, Perthshire
Castleton House, Angus

**Commendation**
Tigh na Sgiath, Inverness-shire
Royal Marine Hotel, Sutherland

The Scottish Luxury Hotel of the Year
Inverlochy Castle, by Fort William

**Special Commendation**
Glenapp Castle, Ayrshire
The Balmoral Hotel, Edinburgh

The Scottish Romantic Hotel of the Year
Knockinaam Lodge

**Special Commendation**
Raemore House, Banchory
Monachyle Mhor, Stirlingshire

The Scottish Business Hotel of the Year
sponsored by Business & Finance Scotland Magazine
RadissonSAS Glasgow

**Special Commendation**
Beardmore Conference Hotel & Spa, by Glasgow
The Scottish Boutique Hotel of the Year
Roepool Reserve, Inverness

Special Commendation
Tigerlily, Edinburgh
Le Monde, Edinburgh
The Howard, Edinburgh

Commendation
Osta!, Stirling
The Queens Hotel, Bridge of Earn

The Scottish Guest House of the Year
Skirling House

Special Commendation
Tigh na Leigh, Alyth
The Shore, Isle of Arran
Dun na Mara, Argyll

Commendation
Hillcrest House, Wigtown

The Scottish Island Hotel of the Year
Toravaig House, Isle of Skye

Special Commendation
Greshornish House, Isle of Skye
Scarinish Hotel, Isle of Tiree
Argyll Hotel, Isle of Iona

The Scottish Country Sports Hotel of the Year
East Haugh Country House Hotel, Perthshire

The Scottish Golf Hotel of the Year
The Westin Turnberry Resort, Ayrshire

The Scottish Family Hotel of the Year
Macdonald Forest Hills Hotel, Stirlingshire

HotelReviewScotland.com Readers’ Award
for the highest level of positive reader feedback over one year
Grants at Craigellachie, Ross-shire

The Top 5 Awards

The Scottish Hotelier of the Year
presented by Patricia Ferguson MSP, Minister for Tourism, Culture & Sport
Robert Cook, Malmaison Hotels

The Fellowship for Achievement
presented by Patricia Ferguson MSP, Minister for Tourism, Culture & Sport
Maurice Taylor, Chardon Management

The Scottish Hotel Environmental Award
presented by Patricia Ferguson MSP, Minister for Tourism, Culture & Sport
Apex Hotels

The Scottish Hotel Group of the Year
presented by Alex Salmond MP, Leader of the Scottish National Party
Town House Hotels

The National Scottish Hotel of the Year
Old Course Hotel, St. Andrews

Runners-up
Boath House, Nairn
The Balmoral, Edinburgh
presented by George Reid MSP PC, Presiding Officer, Scottish Parliament