

R&CA Hostplus Awards for Excellence

NATIONAL FINALISTS

Regional NSW and Sydney finalists to be announced.

RESTAURANT AWARDS

ASIAN RESTAURANT

Sponsored by Uber Eats

ACT	INKA, Canberra
QLD - NQ	Eazytiger, Trinity Beach
QLD - SEQ	Chalong Restaurant, Chapel Hill
QLD - SEQ	Sen Legend Restaurant, East Brisbane
SA	Bobibao, Bowden
WA	Emily Taylor @ Warders Hotel, Fremantle

BREAKFAST RESTAURANT

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ACT	Ciao Café & Cakes, Queanbeyan
QLD - NQ	Guyala Café, Cairns North
QLD - SEQ	Annie Lane Café, Bongaree Bribie Island
SA	Taste the Yorke, Moonta
VIC	Koffy, Gladstone Park
WA	Little French Nest, Fremantle

CAFE DINING

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ACT	Stella's By The Lake, Belconnen
QLD - NQ	Garage, Palm Cove
QLD - SEQ	HOTA Café, Surfers Paradise
SA	Caffe Buongiorno, O'Halloran Hill
VIC	The Pickled Sisters Café, Rutherglen
WA	Finlay and Sons, Inglewood

CHINESE RESTAURANT

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SA	Ying Chow Chinese Restaurant, Adelaide
VIC	Rainbow Palace Restaurant, Korumburra

CONTEMPORARY AUSTRALIAN RESTAURANT - FORMAL

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QLD - SEQ	Little Truffle Dining Room & Bar, Mermaid Beach
SA	Pipers of Penola, Penola
VIC	Donovans, St Kilda

CONTEMPORARY AUSTRALIAN RESTAURANT - INFORMAL

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QLD - NQ	Salsa Bar & Grill, Port Douglas
QLD - SEQ	The Kooroomba Kitchen - Kooroomba Vineyard and Lavender Farm, Mt Alford
SA	The Avenue Inn Restaurant, Naracoorte
VIC	Mr McCracken, Essendon Fields
WA	Sandalford Wines Restaurant, Caversham

EUROPEAN RESTAURANT

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ACT	Les Bistronomies, Campbell
QLD - SEQ	Pipi's Mediterranean Restaurant by Gambaro, Coolangatta
QLD - SEQ	Yiani's Greek Restaurant, Coolum Beach
SA	A Prayer for the Wild at Heart, Adelaide
VIC	L'Hotel Gitan, Prahran
WA	La Bastide, Shenton Park

FAMILY DINING

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NT	Hanuman Restaurant, Alice Springs
QLD - SEQ	Sunshine Beach Surf Club Restaurant, Sunshine Beach
SA	Indian Club SA, Magill
VIC	Prefisso 3088, Greensborough
WA	Naked Apple Cider House, Karragullen

FRENCH RESTAURANT

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QLD - SEQ	Montrachet, Bowen Hills
VIC	L'Hotel Gitan, Prahran

INDIAN RESTAURANT

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ACT	Sweet Mahal, Amaroo
QLD - SEQ	Paddington Curry House, Paddington
SA	The Logical Indian - Hutt Street, Adelaide
VIC	OH YA, Rosebud
WA	Chakra Restaurant, Inglewood



ITALIAN RESTAURANT

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ACT	Molto Italian, Kingston Foreshore
QLD - NQ	Piato Mediterranean, Cairns City
QLD - SEQ	Lucio's Marina, Tewantin
QLD - SEQ	Trattoria Benati, Noosa Heads
SA	Mariners Ristorante - Cruising Yacht Club of SA, North Haven
VIC	ALT Pasta Bar, Melbourne
WA	Acqua e Sale, North Perth

JAPANESE RESTAURANT

Sponsored by Coopers

QLD - SEQ	Takashiya, South Brisbane
VIC	Kadota, Daylesford

NEW RESTAURANT

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ACT	Uptown Vibes, Braddon
QLD - SEQ	Attimi By Dario Manca, Paddington
SA	Luigi, Seaton

PIZZA RESTAURANT

Sponsored by Menulog

QLD - SEQ	Italia Lane, Fortitude Valley
SA	Est Ovest, Adelaide
VIC	Farm Vigano, South Morang
WA	Ischia on Claisebrook, Perth

PREMIUM DINING

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ACT	Les Bistronomies, Campbell
QLD - SEQ	Montrachet, Bowen Hills
SA	Mayura Station's The Tasting Room, Millicent
VIC	Kadota, Daylesford

RESTAURANT IN A HOTEL/RESORT

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ACT	Diplomat Bar & Grill - Ramada by Wyndham, Griffith
QLD - SEQ	Homage Restaurant - Spicers Hidden Vale, Grandchester

RESTAURANT IN A PUB/CLUB

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ACT	The Dining Room - Public Bar Manuka, Griffith
QLD - NQ	Match Restaurant & Grill - Cowboys Leagues Club, Townsville City
QLD - SEQ	Commercial Hotel, Boonah
SA	Penobscot Restaurant at the Watervale Hotel, Watervale
VIC	The Cosmopolitan Hotel, Trentham



RESTAURANT IN A WINERY

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QLD - SEQ	The Kooroomba Kitchen - Kooroomba Vineyard and Lavender Farm, Mt Alford
SA	Hentley Farm Restaurant, Seppeltsfield
WA	Darlington Estate Restaurant, Darlington

SEAFOOD RESTAURANT

Sponsored by Alsco Uniforms

QLD - SEQ	Pipi's Mediterranean Restaurant by Gambaro, Coolangatta
SA	Mariners Ristorante - Cruising Yacht Club of SA, North Haven
VIC	Donovans, St Kilda
WA	Blue Manna Bistro, Dunsborough

SPECIALTY RESTAURANT

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ACT	Anatolia Mediterranean Restaurant, Wanniasa
QLD - NQ	Miguel's, Palm Cove
QLD - SEQ	La Bodega Taqueria, Brisbane
QLD - SEQ	Pera Palace Ottoman, Wynnum
SA	Tunki - Ceviche & Woodfire Grill, West Lakes
VIC	Asado Restaurant, Southbank
WA	Market Eating House, Bunbury

STEAK RESTAURANT - FORMAL

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QLD - SEQ	Rich & Rare, West End
SA	Mayura Station's The Tasting Room, Millicent
VIC	San Telmo, Melbourne

STEAK RESTAURANT - INFORMAL

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ACT	Manuka Steakhouse, Griffith
QLD - SEQ	Cavills Steakhouse & Rooftop Bar, Runaway Bay
SA	Carnivore, Hindmarsh
WA	Sentinel Bar & Grill, Perth

TOURISM RESTAURANT

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NT	Tali Wiru - Ayers Rock Resort, Yulara
QLD - NQ	Dundee's on the Waterfront, Cairns
QLD - SEQ	Homage Restaurant - Spicers Hidden Vale, Grandchester
SA	Swagman Country Dining, Hindmarsh Valley
VIC	The Q Train, Drysdale
WA	Rustico at Hay Shed Hill, Wilyabrup

VIETNAMESE RESTAURANT

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SA	Noi Vietnamese Eatery, Fullarton
VIC	QT Kitchen, Glen Iris

CATERING AWARDS

CORPORATE & AIRLINE LOUNGE CATERER

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QLD	TWG - Singapore Airlines Brisbane Lounge, Brisbane
SA	TWG - Vinarchy, Rowland Flat
VIC	TWG - Singapore Airlines Melbourne Lounge, Melbourne
WA	TWG - Singapore Airlines Perth Lounge, Perth

EDUCATION CATERER

Sponsored by Bulla

ACT	Chartwells - Australian National University, Acton
QLD	Chartwells - St John's College UQ, St Lucia
SA	gather by Cater Care - Westminster School, Marion
VIC	Chartwells - Mannix College, Clayton
WA	Compass Group - Scotch College WA, Swanbourne

EVENT/CONVENTION CENTRE CATERER

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SA	Morphettville Racecourse, Morphettville
VIC	San Remo Ballroom, Carlton North

EVENTS CATERER

Sponsored by Bidfood Australia

ACT	Events Old Parliament House - Restaurant Associates, Parkes
QLD	The Star Brisbane Event Centre, Brisbane City
SA	Immersive Light & Art, Adelaide
VIC	Atlantic Group, Southbank
WA	Sandalford Wines, Caversham

HEALTH & AGED CARE CATERER

Sponsored by Bulla

QLD	Aveo Group - The Newstead, Newstead
SA	Cater Care - Cancer Council Greenhill Lodge, Eastwood
VIC	Mecwacare, Malvern

INDUSTRIAL CATERER

Sponsored by Bulla

QLD	Civeo QLD - Coppabella Village, Coppabella
SA	Civeo SA - Prominent Hill, Glendambo
WA	Programmed - Golden Grove Village, Yalgoo



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For
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VENUE CATERER

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VIC	Restaurant Associates - National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne
WA	RAC Arena, Perth

WEDDING CATERER

Sponsored by Gallagher

ACT	Petrichor Farm, Gundaroo
QLD	Blackbird Bar, Dining & Events, Brisbane
SA	Events at SkyCity, Adelaide
VIC	Encore, St Kilda
WA	Sandalford Wines, Caversham

MAJOR AWARDS

CATERER OF THE YEAR

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ACT	Petrichor Farm, Gundaroo
QLD	Blackbird Bar, Dining & Events, Brisbane
SA	Morphettville Racecourse, Morphettville
VIC	Atlantic Group, Southbank
WA	Sandalford Wines, Caversham

CASUAL DINING OF THE YEAR

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