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WA HOTELS WIN BIG

The high standard of WA's accommodation hotels was recognised at the 2008 AHA Accommodation Hotel Management Awards, presented by Members Equity Bank, which were held at the Grand Ballroom at Burswood Entertainment Complex last night.

Outstanding achievement across all aspects of the accommodation hotels sector was acknowledged at a lavish ceremony that featured a menu exclusively created and prepared by world renowned French chef Philippe Mouchel.

AHA (WA) CEO, Bradley Woods, said the awards ceremony were an important event in celebrating the continuing excellence of WA hotels and accommodation providers.

"The awards recognise the high service standards of accommodation and service, which are prevalent in WA and something we can all be proud of," he said.

The winners are:

AWARD	WINNER	PROPERTY
Front Office Award, sponsored by Schweppes	Karen Da Silva	Tradewinds Hotel
Administration, Finance and Executive Support Award, sponsored by Western Australian Professional Executive Housekeeping Network (WAPEHN)	Judy Mugonya	Seasons of Perth
Concierge Award, sponsored by HostPLUS	Andre Burford	Sheraton Perth Hotel
Cookery Service Award, sponsored by HISCO Hospitality & Healthcare	Claire Lewis	Joondalup Resort
Sales & Marketing Award, sponsored by HostPLUS	Michelle Docherty	Burswood Entertainment Complex
Food and Beverage Services Award, sponsored by Furniture Options	Daniel Man	Burswood Entertainment Complex
	Annie Houlberg	Esplanade Hotel Fremantle



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Housekeeping Award, sponsored by Thomas Peacock & Sons	Jenny McCabe	Tradewinds Hotel
Human Resources Award, sponsored by Hospitalitybiz	Dagmar Herne	Seasons of Perth
Engineering & Maintenance Award, sponsored by Electrical Testing Services	Denis Mahon	Rendezvous Observation City Hotel
Management Team of the Year Award, sponsored by AHS Hospitality	InterContinental Hotels Group (IHG), Burswood Sales Team	InterContinental Hotels Burswood
Best Manager Award – Executive Level, sponsored by APRA	Nigel Keen	Joondalup Resort
AHA Accommodation Hotels Hall of Fame Award 2008	Fran Kirby	Accor

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