



NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN FOR 2017 CANADIAN SPA AND WELLNESS AWARDS

New award category offers added opportunity to celebrate the best of Canada's spa industry

Toronto, September 20th, 2017 – *Spa Inc.* magazine, in partnership with the Spa Industry Association of Canada (SIAC), is pleased to announce the nominations for the 3rd Annual Canadian Spa and Wellness Awards are now open. This program celebrates the creative and innovative spas, industry partners and educators that make the Canadian spa and wellness industry great.

“Our members work very hard to adhere to the highest standards and practices so they can deliver exceptional experiences to their customers. They deserve to be celebrated and honoured and we are proud to partner with *Spa Inc.* magazine on this prestigious awards program. I hope that our spa members will recognize their resource partners and the educational institutions that support their success, and that Canadian consumers will take the time to vote for the spas that they love and count on to support their overall health and well-being,” says Elena Zinchenko, Chair, Spa Industry Association of Canada.

This year we've added a brand new category: Top Hotel Spa, which will highlight the spas providing health and wellness treatments to Canadians. The 10 award categories include: Top 25 Spas, Top Destination Spa, Top New Spa, Top Day Spa, Top Hotel Spa, Top Medi-Spa, Top Sanitas Spa, Consumers Choice, Education and Top Spa Partner. The eleventh category is the SIAC Chair award where the recipient will be chosen by the Chair of the Spa Industry Association of Canada.

Nominations for the Canadian Spa and Wellness Awards will close **October 6, 2017**. The winners will be announced in Early October. Please follow us on Twitter @SpaIncMag for future awards news and follow the hashtag #CdnSpaAwards.

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About Spa Industry Association of Canada (SIAC)

As Canada's national spa organization, Spa Industry Association of Canada (SIAC) provides support for the development of the Canadian spa industry and the promotion of Canada as the finest spa destination in the world. Led by a dedicated Board of Directors from across the country, SIAC represents the broad spectrum of the spa experience, from resort and day spas, destination, mineral springs spas to medical spas, schools and suppliers. To learn more about Spa Industry Association of Canada, please see www.spaindustry.ca