

**INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNISED MIXOLOGY IN EGERTON GARDENS'
THE FRANKLIN LONDON – STARHOTELS COLLEZIONE**

**VISITORS AND LOCALS CAN INDULGE IN CREATIONS BY ONE OF THE TOP
100 BARTENDERS IN GREAT BRITAIN AT THE FRANKLIN BAR**



Knightsbridge, London – February 2023: The Franklin Bar at [The Franklin London](#), part of Starhotels Collezione, proudly announces that Head Mixologist Antonio Papariello was selected among the top 100 bartenders in Great Britain by the [World Class GB](#).

Knightsbridge's residents and transients can now enjoy some of Antonio's genius creations which granted him this international recognition.

Signature creations include a new cocktail menu entitled The Franklin Grand Tour, which take guests through Italy to discover the most unique products and flavours.

An elegant Cocktail & Champagne haunt, The Franklin Bar is lined with mirrored walls in a Great Gatsby 1920s style. The essence of glamour, it is the perfect place to wind down before dinner or enjoy a cocktail in a relaxing setting.

"I can't explain the gratitude and happiness in reading my name and that of The Franklin Bar on that list. A great satisfaction, which I did not expect. Thanks for the support you give me every day and to the great team at The Franklin London, which has become a big family for me." Antonio comments.

The overall UK winner will represent the country in the World Class Global Final taking place in Sao Paulo, Brazil in September 2023.

The Franklin Bar, The Franklin London part of Starhotels Collezione
24 Egerton Gardens
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London

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NOTES TO EDITORS:

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The prestigious Starhotels Collezione – icons of style in the most beautiful destinations in the world – stand out for their strategic positions, sophisticated design and bespoke services. Starhotels Collezione properties are located in Florence, London, Milan, New York, Paris, Rome, Saturnia, Siena, Trieste, Venice and Vicenza.

The Franklin London, part of Starhotels Collezione, in Knightsbridge, combines the warmth of a private home with the impeccable service of a luxury boutique hotel. Its **35 rooms and suites are designed by the famous designer Anouska Hempel**. The property is just few steps away from the Natural History Museum, the Science Museum and the Victoria & Albert Museum.