



STARHOTELS

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## THE MICHELANGELO NEW YORK – STARHOTELS COLLEZIONE RECOGNIZED WITH CONDÉ NAST TRAVELER'S 2017 READERS' CHOICE AWARD "THE 50 BEST HOTELS IN NEW YORK CITY" THE WORLD'S BEST HOTELS, RESORTS, CITIES, ISLANDS, AIRLINES, AND CRUISE LINES

*October 17<sup>th</sup> , 2017 – Condé Nast Traveler* today announced the results of its 30<sup>th</sup> annual Readers' Choice Awards with **The Michelangelo New York – Starhotels Collezione** recognized among the "THE 50 BEST HOTELS IN NEW YORK CITY".

"I would like to extend my gratitude to all our guests for sharing their positive experiences at The Michelangelo New York" says Elisabetta Fabri, President and CEO of Starhotels. "I would also like to congratulate our passionate, dedicated staff for constantly striving to make our guests' stay as memorable as possible. This prestigious award, second year in a row, is a testament to the hard work and passion Starhotels bring to its hotels every day. It's great to receive this award on The Michelangelo's 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary, and especially today, October 19<sup>th</sup>, the exact day of the official inauguration of the hotel in 1992."

Over 300,000 readers submitted millions of ratings and tens of thousands of comments, voting on a record-breaking 7,320 hotels and resorts, 610 cities, 225 islands, 468 cruise ships, 158 airlines, and 195 airports.

The **Michelangelo New York – Starhotels Collezione** is quintessentially 'New York': a grand hotel in the centre of the city, located on the corner of 51st and 7th Avenue. Like the city itself, the hotel is a tapestry of influences, all wrapped up in authentic Italian elegance, chic style and family hospitality. It's a combination that places the property at the top of the best 4 star hotels in New York City.

The *Condé Nast Traveler* Readers' Choice Awards are the longest-running and most prestigious recognition of excellence in the travel industry and are commonly known as "the best of the best in travel". Under Editor in Chief Pilar Guzmán, the Readers' Choice Awards have become more selective and specific to the passions that inspire today's travelers.

The Readers' Choice Awards are announced in the November issue of *Condé Nast Traveler*, on newsstands nationwide on October 24, 2017. The full list is published exclusively online, at <u>www.CNTraveler.com/rca.</u>

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## Starhotels

Starhotels is a Florence-based, family-owned hotel group, epitome of high-end Italian hospitality, with 29 hotels in the most beautiful destinations in Italy, Europe and US. *Starhotels Collezione* is a collection of the brand's most representative hotels, 12 locally inspired iconic properties with a strong heritage and personality. These hotels combine stunning locations, a timeless sophistication enriched by Italian unique design and a warm, bespoke service, and are located in New York, Paris, London, Milan, Rome, Florence, Venice, Siena, Trieste and Vicenza.

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