



ESPLANADE ZAGREB
LUXURY HOTEL



Prestigious Awards of Excellence Presented to Zagreb's Esplanade Hotel

**The Luxury Travel Guide Award for the Best Classic Hotel of the Year and
the Trip Advisor Traveller's Choice Award for 2017**

The Esplanade Hotel is proud to announce that it has recently been presented with two prestigious awards. The renowned **Luxury Travel Guide** proclaimed the hotel as **the best Classic Hotel of 2017**, while **Trip Advisor**, as decided by user reviews, has once again included this metropolitan gem in its top 1% of the **world's best hotels**, as such presenting it with the **Travellers's Choice Award for 2017**.

'These awards are a wonderful gesture of recognition of our striving for excellence when it comes to exceptional guest services, and are truly a great accomplishment, especially as they reflect the guests' sincere experiences and their satisfaction with the high level of service. These, as well as other previously won awards, such as the World Luxury Hotel Awards, Conde Nast Traveller Gold List and Readers' Choice Awards, Expedia Insiders Select, and World Travel Awards, make me proud of my colleagues, who deserve this recognition as a confirmation of their dedication and the love they put into this hotel on a daily basis.', said **Ivica Max Krizmanić**, General Director at the hotel Esplanade.

The **Luxury Travel Guide**, exclusive source of information for wealthy world travellers, awards the LTG awards to only the best hotels and accommodation facilities in Europe, in accordance with strict criteria focusing on innovation, design, room quality, culinary achievement, excellence in service, use of technology, sustainable development practices, marketing, branding, employee satisfaction, and location. This prestigious luxury travel publication remarked on the Esplanade's recognition being founded on its melding classic ideas and glamorous art deco with tradition and contemporary 21st century design, as tailored to the modern traveller. **Kerry Payne**, representative for the Luxury Travel Guide, said of the award: *'I have been in the hotel industry for over 5 years and have never yet come across a hotel as elegant as the Esplanade Zagreb. I have read many guest reviews, and they all gave A+ marks.'*

Trip Advisor, the world's largest tourist service for evaluating service quality in tourism, awards its prestigious **Travellers's Choice Award** once a year, and to a very select number of the world's very best accommodation facilities, in accordance with its users' reviews. For several years in a row, the Esplanade has had the honor of being awarded this recognition. It has also been awarded high marks on Trip Advisor from the very beginning, thus proving its consistency in providing exceptional service.

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About the Hotel

The Esplanade Hotel, Zagreb's most prestigious hotel, was built in 1925 with the goal of offering exceptional accommodation and service to travellers of the world-renowned Orient Express, which ran the Paris-Istanbul line. The Hotel Esplanade is also one of the city's most elegant buildings, which from its very inception served as a site for the capital's key social events. The hotel offered its guests a thus-unseen luxury, making it the obvious choice for celebrities who would stay nowhere else. The list of its famous guests includes Josephine Baker, Charles Lindbergh, Leonid Brezhnev and many others. Following its complete refurbishing, the hotel opened its doors once again, re-establishing its own celebrity status in the region.

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