

# The David Campbell Trophy

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The late David Campbell became Chef de Reception at The Ritz Hotel, Paris, after gaining a wealth of International experience.

In memory of David and in acknowledgement of his dedication and passion to the industry, the International Receptionist of the Year Competition was formed, with a Trophy designed and sponsored by the Paris AICR section, to be presented each year.

Marcel Elbaz, Graham Bamford, Annie Boslem and the AICR International Committee members, worked together with the International College of Hotel Management in Adelaide, Australia, to establish the rules and format, launching the Competition in 1995. Jane Renton continued these efforts after Annie Boslem's departure two years later.

The Competition grows from strength to strength each year and has gained the respect of Hoteliers and Sponsors. It meets its objective as a training tool for the younger generation and the future AICR and the Hospitality Industry, with the emphasis on “Amicale”.

## The roll of honour – the previous winners of the David Campbell Trophy



**2015 in Singapore**

## **Paula McMinn**

The Savoy Hotel  
London, UK



**2014 in Hamburg, Germany**

## **Gwendolyn Chia**

St. Regis  
Singapore



**2013 in Rome, Italy**

## **Maud Pfluger**

Park Hyatt Vendôme  
Paris, France



**2012 in Prague, Czech Republic**

**Olga Velceva**

Burj Al Arab  
Dubai, UAE



**2011 in Christchurch, New Zealand**

**Vanessa Kellerhals**

The Dolder Grand  
Zürich, Switzerland



**2010 in Madrid, Spain**

## François Lenne

Hotel Le Meurice  
Paris, France



**2009 in Cannes, France**

## Eve Stacey

Hotel Intercontinental  
Wellington, New Zealand



**2008 in Dubai, UAE**

## Markus Mormels

Four Seasons Canary Wharf  
London, UK



**2007 in Tallinn, Estonia**

## **Karene Lim**

Four Seasons Hotel  
Singapore



**2006 in London, UK**

## **Verena Fox**

Four Seasons Hotel  
Paris, France



**2005 in Basel, Switzerland**

## **Pavlina Hejdova**

Four Seasons Hotel  
Prague, Czech Republic



**2004 in Paris, France**

## Alexandra Edel

Kempinski Le Mirador  
Mont Pélérin, Switzerland



**2003 in Berlin, Germany**

## Edmund Lim-Chong

The Oriental Hotel  
Singapore



**2002 in Brussels, Belgium**

## Aisha Ahmad

Four Seasons  
Singapore



**2001 in Rome, Italy**

**Janine Muhl**

Four Seasons Hotel  
Paris, France



**2000 in Bologna, Italy**

**Anika Dehne**

Claridge's  
London, UK



**1999 in Singapore**

## Vanessa Bourguard

Hôtel Beau Rivage Lausanne  
Lausanne, Switzerland



1998 in Lausanne, Switzerland

## Nathan Loga

Four Seasons  
Singapore



1997 in Prague, Czech Republic

## Dev Sharma

Widder Hotel  
Zürich, Switzerland





**1996 in Vienna, Austria**

**Fiona Reisch**

Intercontinental Hotel  
Hamburg, Germany

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