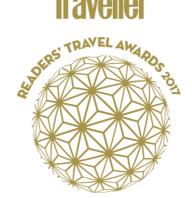


Le Royal Monceau – Raffles Paris praised by Condé Nast Traveler USA and UK readers!





The entire team of the Royal Monceau Raffles Paris is proud to announce that we have been named the **3rd best Parisian hotel** by *Condé Nast Traveler USA* readers as part of the 3oth edition of its *Reader's Choice Awards*.

And the British version of the magazine chose to reward us too!

Recently, at the *2017 Reader's Travel Awards* Ceremony, Le Royal Monceau was awarded the **11th place** in **the top 20 hotels in Europe** and also makes the list of "**The Top 100**" being elected the **3rd best hotel in Paris**.

These awards, organized by the famous magazines *Condé Nast Traveller US*A and *Condé Nast Traveller UK*, have since its creation highlighted excellence in the travel industry and are undoubtedly the most prestigious and reliable awards in the industry.

Every year, *Condé Nast Traveler* magazine invites its readers, savvy travelers, to vote for their favorite hotels, airlines or spas to help them assign these prestigious awards.

"I am extremely honored and proud of my team for the daily dedication and love they transmit to our clients. Being alongside of the World's Best Hotels is an amazing achievement to which I am very humbled. Condé Nast represents the best of the best in the world and it is wonderful to welcome their readers at Le Royal Monceau."

M. Aaron Kaupp, General Manager of Le Royal Monceau Raffles Paris



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Le Royal Monceau - Raffles Paris reopened in 2010 as the most exciting 5-star luxury hotel in Paris, after a radical and complete two-year transformation by designer Philippe Starck. The hotel has 149 luxurious rooms and suites and is just minutes from the Arc-de-Triomphe and the Champs-Elysées in Paris' 8th arrondissement. At Le Royal Monceau - Raffles Paris, art is omnipresent, with an exclusive service of Art Concierge, an Art Bookstore, a private Art Gallery, a 99-seat cinema theatre and an impressive private art collection. Food and drink are an art form here too - from the buzz of the Long Bar on the ground floor, to the two restaurants, 'Matsuhisa Paris' for a Japanese cuisine and 'Il Carpaccio' Michelin-starred Italian restaurant. Not to be missed are the delicious pastries, macarons and chocolates by Pierre Hermé, considered by Vogue magazine as the 'Picasso of pastry'. The 1,500sqm Spa My Blend by Clarins is an award-winning white paradise, with the longest swimming pool in a Parisian hotel. www.LeRoyalMonceau.com

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