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STAFFORD BUNGALOW, SRI LANKA, HONOURED AT WORLD LUXURY HOTEL AWARDS 2016



The **World Luxury Hotel Awards** this year celebrated its 10th anniversary in awarding the world's finest hotels for their luxury offerings and exceptional service delivery. Hosted on this auspicious occasion by the exquisite St. Regis Doha in Qatar, the evening saw over 350 guests from the world's leading hotels and resorts gather to be recognised on stage for their outstanding efforts.

The evening itself was one of true celebration. Participants from over 50 countries arrived to a grand red carpet welcome and were dazzled during the evening. Dining was to perfection, with a chic, decadent 6-course meal prepared to order, each course elegantly plated and paired with fine wine. Guests savoured their meals while being entertained with live, toe-tapping jazz music, performed throughout the evening.

Awards were presented to luxury hotels and resorts in over 60 categories. The award of the **Best Country House for Sri Lanka** went to the luxury **Stafford Bungalow**. This boutique villa, located at the heart of some of the world's best tea plantations in the Nuwara Eliya region, is the realisation of the owners' dream to bring alive the impeccable lifestyle of the pioneering colonial tea planters, with the highest standards of service, providing an exceptional experience to all guests.

"We wish to congratulate all our winners for the 2016 award year, who through their tireless efforts and unbounded passion to satisfy their guests needs, have received this honour tonight. True luxury is no small feat, it takes a team of highly dedicated staff willing to go the extra mile and stop at nothing to ensure that no request goes unanswered. This is the definition of luxury, this is what defines a **World Luxury Hotel Awards** winner." says Anton Perold, Managing Director for the World Luxury Hotel Awards.