



King George Palace, Athens Wins The Highest Ranking Leaders Club Awards at the Leading Hotels Of The World 2009 Convention

Wednesday 25th November 2009 – Classical King George Palace sets a new benchmark of excellence, winning the **Eleventh Annual Leaders Club Awards** during the Leading Hotels of The World 2009 convention.

Classical King George Palace was selected from 450 iconic members of the Leading Hotels Of The World group. The property was given the additional accolade of **Grand Prize Winner** for being the highest ranking hotel in its category. The contenders for the Leaders Club Awards were evaluated through responses to post-stay questionnaires and letters received by the Leaders Club Services Department from the Leaders Club members themselves.

A legend since 1936, The Classical King George Palace is one of Athens' most famous landmarks and occupies an imposing position in the prestigious Syntagma (Constitution Square) – the centre of Athens' golden quarter. Located across from the Greek Parliament, Stadiou Avenue and Voucourestiou Street – Athens' answer to Sloane Street, King George Palace enjoys breathtaking views of the Acropolis.

The hotel has a fascinating history, playing home to modern day celebrities, politicians and the international business elite. Each of the 102 rooms and suites are individually decorated with fine antiques and collectibles and Murano glass chandeliers. All rooms are equipped with the latest technology. The 3500 square feet, Royal Penthouse Suite is considered to be one of the most spectacular in Europe. It features a private roof top terrace with an infinity pool and Jacuzzi, with unrivalled views of the ancient Acropolis.

Tudor Hall, located on the seventh floor of the hotel, beneath a stunning glass dome, is Athens' most acclaimed gourmet restaurant. Totally refurbished this season, the T Palace Lounge Bar Restaurant offers a relaxed, cosy, comfortable atmosphere and surrounding for the entire duration of the day as well as the evening.

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