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**CHEF LEONG CHEE YENG AWARDED “MAJESTIC RESTAURANT ASIAN CUISINE CHEF OF THE YEAR” AT WORLD GOURMET SUMMIT AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE 2016**



Mr. Yong Bing Ngen, Owner Chef of Majestic Bay Restaurant, presented the “Majestic Restaurant Asian Cuisine Chef of The Year” award to Mr Leong Chee Yeng, Chef of Jade restaurant, The Fullerton Hotel Singapore



Chef Leong Chee Yeng awarded as “Majestic Restaurant Asian Cuisine Chef of The Year” at World Gourmet Summit Awards of Excellence Ceremony 2016

**SINGAPORE, 7 April, 2016** – The Fullerton Hotel Singapore’s **Chef Leong Chee Yeng of Jade restaurant** was awarded as the **Majestic Restaurant Asian Cuisine Chef of The Year** at World Gourmet Summit Awards of Excellence Ceremony 2016 held at One Farrer Hotel and Spa on 5 April.

Presenting the award trophy to Chef Leong was Mr Yong Bing Ngen, Owner Chef of Majestic Bay Restaurant. This award seeks to recognise an individual who is directly involved in a restaurant’s operations and demonstrates a high level of talent and creativity in preparing Asian-inspired cuisine. Eligible candidates must have been working in Singapore for at least two years (at point of nomination) in a restaurant or restaurant chain.

Since joining The Fullerton Hotel as Chef de Cuisine of Jade restaurant in 2007, Chef Leong has established a reputation for culinary excellence. Signature dishes which have delighted many discerning palates include *Golden Fried ‘Man Tou’ stuffed with Chilli Crab Meat*, *Steamed Chilean Sea Bass with*



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*Minced Ginger and Fermented Black Bean, Simmered Egg Noodle with Boston Lobster in Spring Onion and Ginger and Shaved Coffee-Flavoured Coconut Ice with Caramel Jelly and Honey Avocado Purée.*

Chef Leong's culinary talent and passion are complemented by his artistry. In June 2015, he paid tribute to Singapore's Golden Jubilee through his first personal art exhibition 'Ceramics Indulgence' (陶然食在). A reflection of his philosophy that culinary art and pottery are crafts that require skilful hands, precision and a sensitivity that transforms a dish or an object of beauty into an inspiration, the exhibition showcased over 30 handcrafted traditional and contemporary ceramic pieces.

Each year, the Awards of Excellence (AOE) honours outstanding accomplishments and exemplary individuals who make a mark in the industry. This prestigious award-giving body encourages the highest degree of excellence in the F&B and hospitality industries, and in doing so, has raised the quality of culinary experiences to new heights. Lauded as the only national accolade to recognise the excellence of F&B professionals and establishments in Singapore and in the region, WGS Awards of Excellence has grown in scale over the years, from an initial 13 awards to the current 32.

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**About The Fullerton Hotel Singapore**

Gazetted as Singapore's 71<sup>st</sup> National Monument, The Fullerton Hotel Singapore was once home to the General Post Office, The Singapore Club and the Chamber of Commerce. It is a luxury hotel with 400 rooms and suites carefully designed to provide both business and leisure travellers with a sanctuary of serenity and comfort in which to retreat and rejuvenate. Dynamically located in the heart of the financial and arts districts, the hotel successfully blends rich heritage with contemporary style and personalised service to offer guests a world-class accommodation experience. Epicureans can enjoy a delectable array of dining selections. There are a total of 5 restaurants and bar in the hotel, namely Town Restaurant which presents international buffets and an a la carte menu, Jade features authentic Chinese cuisine, The Courtyard offers an Indian buffet, Japanese buffet and Afternoon Tea, and The Lighthouse Restaurant & Rooftop Bar with breathtaking views of the bay serves authentic Italian cuisine. Post Bar, which features the original ceiling and pillars of the General Post Office, is the popular choice amongst the trendy elite.

Aside from the dining selections, The Fullerton Hotel also features an exquisite and intimate retail wing. Guests seeking rejuvenation can pamper themselves with the indulgent treatments at The Fullerton Spa. [www.fullertonhotel.com](http://www.fullertonhotel.com)

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