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## The Inn at Little Washington's Most Recent Awards

The esteemed 116 year old *Michelin Guide* launched its first ever guide to Washington DC in October 2016. The legendary **Inn at Little Washington** was awarded **two stars** – one of only three restaurants in the DC area to earn this distinction – the highest rating in the Washington DC Guide.

Tom Sietsema's 2016 *Washington Post Dining Guide* gave **The Inn** its highest score -- **Four Stars** and said "Thirty-eight years after his dreamy dining destination opened within view of the Blue Ridge Mountains, "The Inn" still manages to coax sighs and smiles from repeat guests."

The *2016 Forbes Travel Guide* (formerly known as the Mobil Travel Guide) for the 26<sup>th</sup> year in a row, awarded **The Inn at Little Washington's** accommodations its highest accolade – Five Stars.

The *2016 Forbes Travel Guide* also awarded **The Inn at Little Washington's Restaurant** Five Stars for the 25<sup>th</sup> year in a row making it one of only 40 restaurants in the U.S. to hold this distinction.

The *American Automobile Association* for 2017 once again bestowed its highest accolade – The Five Diamond Award -- on **The Inn at Little Washington Restaurant** for the 29<sup>th</sup> consecutive year making it the longest tenured restaurant in the history of the program. AAA also awarded **The Inn at Little Washington's accommodations** Five Diamonds for the 27<sup>th</sup> consecutive year.

Patrick O'Connell's most recent book *The Inn at Little Washington: A Magnificent Obsession*, which was released spring 2015 is a **New York Times Bestseller** and is currently in its 2<sup>nd</sup> printing.

In his review for *DC Modern Luxury* titled **Inn First Place**, writer David Hagedorn called The Inn "...a Brigadoon of civility and refinement to be experienced at least once in a lifetime".

**The Inn** received the *Wine Spectator Grand Award* for the 21<sup>st</sup> consecutive year and is the only restaurant honored with this recognition in Virginia, Maryland and the District of Columbia.

*Andrew Harper's Hideaway 2016 Reader's Choice Award* for the Top 20 Getaways ranked **The Inn #4 in the United States**.



Patrick O'Connell was selected for *Le Chef Magazine's Top 100 Chefs in the World* list and is one of only 10 American chefs included.

The Inn received the *Saveur Culinary Travel Award for Best Hotel Restaurant* with less than 100 rooms. In describing the experience *Saveur* wrote: "It's worth a stay at this luxurious 18 room Relais & Chateaux inn... just to feast at its straight out of a fairytale dining room..."

The Inn at Little Washington was included on *Condé Nast Traveler's* 2014 Gold List and ranked in the Top 10 of Southern Hotels in their annual Reader's Choice Poll.

*Departures Magazine* included The Inn in its **Top 10** list of America's Most Charming Inns.

The property was also honored with **Trip Advisor's 2016 Award of Excellence** which placed The Inn among the top 10% worldwide of all businesses rated on the travel website.

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