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**LA MAISON HOTEL IN PALM SPRINGS NAMED
#2 HOTEL IN NATION FOR ROMANCE,
#5 SMALL HOTEL IN NATION AND
#20 HOTEL IN WORLD FOR ROMANCE BY TRIPADVISOR**

2017 awards mark the fifth, sixth and seventh for the property over the past five years

PALM SPRINGS, CALIF. (January 24, 2017) – [La Maison Hotel](#) in **Palm Springs** has just been named #2 Hotel for Romance in the United States, #5 Small Hotel in the United States and #20 Hotel for Romance in the World by the **2017 TripAdvisor Travelers' Choice Awards**.

Guests of the 13-room, European-inspired La Maison Hotel in south Palm Springs describe the property as romantic, secluded and charming, with great attention to detail and special touches like chocolates in the guest rooms, lavender sachets on the beds and L'Occitane luxury bath products.

"We believe in treating each guest as if they were the only person staying with us," said La Maison Hotel owners Richard Slosky and Cornelia Schuster. "We are so thrilled and humbled to receive the awards for #2 Hotel for Romance and #5 Small Hotel in the United States and #20 Hotel for Romance in the World because we know that there were thousands of hotels to select from for these awards. We would like to thank all of our wonderful guests for taking the time to write TripAdvisor reviews for La Maison Hotel."

TripAdvisor Travelers' Choice Awards are issued annually, with the winners selected based upon millions of reviews and opinions by travelers from around the world, using an algorithm that takes into account the quantity and quality of reviews from travelers on TripAdvisor gathered over a 12-month period, with the romance categories placing emphasis on reviews marked as a couples stay.

"For the past 15 years, TripAdvisor has relied on the experiences and opinions of our travel community that has explored thousands of hotels around the world to determine these celebrated awards," said Barbara Messing, chief marketing officer for TripAdvisor. "Travelers

planning their trips for 2017 can find inspiration for some of the best places to book from this diverse group of outstanding accommodations around the globe."

Since opening in February 2012, La Maison Hotel has received multiple TripAdvisor Travelers' Choice Awards, including:

2014 - #1 Small Hotel in the United States

2015 - #5 Small Hotel in the United States; #13 Hotel for Romance in the United States

2016 - #11 Hotel for Romance in the United States

About La Maison Hotel

Husband and wife team Richard Slosky and Cornelia Schuster opened La Maison Hotel in February 2012 after relocating from Canada, where they ran a successful four-room bed and breakfast on 11 acres on rural Salt Spring Island. The pair spent several months renovating and redecorating the La Maison Hotel property, originally built in 1955 and formerly known as the Blue Palm, infusing the style and charm of the south of France into south Palm Springs. The Mediterranean-style boutique hotel's 13 rooms open out to a central courtyard featuring lush gardens and terracotta tiles around an oversized pool, Jacuzzi and travertine-clad outdoor fireplace. A small team of six manage and maintain the property, bringing a personal touch to every guest interaction. Hotel guests are treated to a continental breakfast of lavender scones, croissants and gourmet espresso in the morning and complimentary wine and beer in the evening. Each guest room features unique, European-style furniture and imported luxury linens, featherbeds and down duvets, and one of the hotel's deluxe king rooms includes a marble bathroom with a claw foot tub. In-room massages and facials are available at the property through a partnership with Studio M Salon and Spa. An outdoor gas grill is available for guest use, as well as complimentary cruiser bicycles that are perfect for exploring the neighborhood. The hotel features an official Tesla electric car charging station where guests can charge their electric vehicles free of charge during their stay. For more information, visit www.lamaisonpalmsprings.com, or follow along on Facebook at www.facebook.com/lamaisonhotels and on Instagram at [@LaMaisonHotel](https://www.instagram.com/LaMaisonHotel).

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*Source: TripAdvisor log files, average monthly unique visitors, Q3 2016

**Source: comScore Media Metrix for TripAdvisor Sites, worldwide, July 2016

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