

## Program

### Reception

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm  
All Guests Formally Announced

### Dinner

7:00 pm - 10:30 pm

### Welcome

Fred Tibbitts, Jr.

### Loyalty Toasts

Gerard Bertrand Cremant de Limoux 2010

### Charity Donations

#### Announcement of the 2013 FTA Hospitality Award for Excellence as a Humanitarian:

Matthieu Ricard  
Buddhist Monk  
Scholarship to benefit: Shechen Monastery in Nepal

#### Announcement of the 2013 FTA Hospitality Award for Excellence as an Operator-Asia Pacific:

Amadeo Zarzosa  
Director of Operations, Resorts Asia Australasia  
InterContinental Hotels Group  
Scholarship to benefit: At-Sunrice Global Chef Academy (Singapore)

#### Announcement of the 2013 FTA Hospitality Award for Lifetime Excellence:

Lothar Pehl  
Senior Vice President Operations & Global Initiatives  
Starwood Hotels & Resorts Asia Pacific  
Scholarship to benefit: The School of Hotel & Tourism Management,  
The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

#### Announcement of the 2013 FTA Hospitality Award for Excellence as an IT Innovator:

Apriva  
Scholarship to benefit: HRIM Program at the University of Delaware

#### Announcement of the 2013 FTA Hospitality Award for Excellence as an Executive Recruiter & Human Resources Leader:

Alice Elliot  
Chief Executive Officer  
The Elliot Group  
Scholarship to benefit: The Culinary Institute of America

#### Announcement of the 2013 FTA Hospitality Award for Excellence as a Hospitality Educator:

Rocco Angelo  
Associate Dean & E.M. Statler Professor  
Chapin School of Hospitality & Tourism Management  
Florida International University  
Scholarship to benefit: Chapin School of Hospitality &  
Tourism Management

#### Announcement of the 2013 FTA Hospitality Award for Excellence as an Operator-North America:

Frank Sickelsmith  
Vice President of Adult Beverage & Restaurant Development  
HMS Host  
Scholarship to benefit: The Culinary Institute of America

## Dinner Personalities

Brian Able  
Vice President  
North America Food & Beverage  
Starwood Hotels & Resorts

Eric Long  
General Manager  
The Waldorf=Astoria

Gerry Chase  
President & Chief Operating Officer  
New Castle Hotels & Resorts

Eric Long  
General Manager  
The Waldorf=Astoria

Peter Purpura  
Business Banking Specialist  
HSBC Bank U.S., N.A.

Steve Milbauer  
Director - Major Gifts, East Region  
Habitat for Humanity International  
also  
U.S. Fund for UNICEF

Catalina Ganis  
Executive Vice President  
Elliot Associates

Harriet Lembeck  
CWE, CEO  
Wine & Spirits Program

Khenpo Pema Wangdak  
Director  
Vikramasila Foundation

Jerry Leaman  
CEO  
Perk Dynamics

Lisa Raggiri  
Executive Vice President  
of Business Solutions Apriva

Des Docherty  
Vice President  
Business Development Strategic Markets Apriva

## Dinner Menu

### Phillips Colossal Lump Crabmeat, Avocado Roll, Horseradish, Cucumber

- 1- Echo Bay Sauvignon Blanc 2012, Marlborough, NZ
- 2- Gérard Bertrand Réserve Spéciale Pinot Noir 2009, IGP Pays d'Oc, France

### Braised Beef Short Ribs, Truffle Infused Mashed Potatoes, Glazed Root Vegetables

- 3- Doña Paula Estate Malbec 2010, Mendoza, Argentina
- 4- William Hill Estate Cabernet Sauvignon 2011, Central Coast, CA
- 5- Folie à Deux Cabernet Sauvignon 2009, Alexander Valley, Sonoma, CA
- 6- Ramón Bilbao Reserva 2006, Rioja, Spain DOC (Tempranillo)

### Three Cheeses: St. André, Raclette, Crottin de Chavignol Date Jam, Raisin Pecan Toast

- 7- Gérard Bertrand Château L'Hospitalet, La Reserve, La Clape 2010, AOP Coteaux du Languedoc, France (Syrah, Grenache, Mourvedre)
- 8- Gérard Bertrand Minervois 2008, AOP Languedoc-Roussillon, France (Syrah, Carignan)
- 9- Gérard Bertrand Tautavel Grand Terroir 2008, AOP Côtes du Roussillon-Villages Tautavel, Sud de France (Grenache, Syrah, Carignan)

### Opera Cake, Chocolate Glaze

Coffee and Harney & Sons Tea

**Food and Wine Pairing: Harriet Lembeck, CWE**



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