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U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT RECOGNIZES THE RITZ-CARLTON, CHARLOTTE AS THE BEST HOTEL IN THE CITY



CHARLOTTE, N.C. – February 6, 2020 – [The Ritz-Carlton, Charlotte](#) is delighted to celebrate the recent announcement of the Best Hotels by *U.S. News & World Report*. The hotel is honored to be recognized as the #1 “[Best Hotel in Charlotte](#)” and the #3 “[Best Hotel in North Carolina](#).”

To qualify for this distinguished accolade, *U.S. News & World Report* identifies the best hotels using an [unbiased methodology](#) centered on three components: the hotel’s star rating, travel publications and TripAdvisor user scores. The combination of expert and guest sentiment helps determine each hotel's rank. The highly respected organization ranks more than 30,000 luxury properties across the United States, Europe, Bermuda, Mexico, Canada and the Caribbean — with the top 10 percent among the luxury segment analyzed and selected as winners. Fewer than 5,000 achieved “Best” status.

“We are honored to once again be recognized as the Best Charlotte Hotel,” said Jon Farace, General Manager for The Ritz-Carlton, Charlotte. “The award represents our dedication to genuine customer care, providing unique experiences tailored to the Queen City and culinary offerings with a local touch.”

The AAA Five Diamond Ritz-Carlton, Charlotte is located at 201 East Trade Street in the heart of Charlotte, North Carolina. To discover further information about the hotel and its seasonal offerings, please call +1-704-547-2244, visit www.ritzcarlton.com/charlotte or engage directly

with the hotel at <https://www.facebook.com/ritzcarltoncharlotte>. For room reservations, call 1-800-241-3333 or contact a travel professional.

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