

# HOTELS

## CityCenter Takes OFF

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## HOTELIER OF THE WORLD AWARDS



Enjoying a friendly conversation at the Hotelier of the World reception are (l. to r.): Ed Mady, general manager, The New York Palace; Jesse McKinnon, national account manager, Fourmy Design, a luxury brand of Cintas; and Paul Savarino, director of property operations, The New York Palace.



Mugging for the camera at the Hotelier of the World award reception were (l. to r.): Georg Rafael, The Rafael Group, Monaco; Jim Burba, president, BHN, Costa Mesa, California; *HOTELS'* Publisher Dan Hogan; Daniel Ambrosio, vice president of global lodging and cruise, Cintas Corp., New York City; and Raymond Bickson, managing director and CEO, Taj Hotels, Resorts & Palaces, Mumbai.

Select exhibitors from the IHM&RS show in New York City and friends of *HOTELS* magazine enjoyed the Hotelier of the World awards, including (l. to r.): Tom Brija, Spring USA; Tim Sweetland, Forbes Industries; and Tom Mosteller, Forbes Industries.



### Gold Key Awards

*HOTELS* co-sponsored the Gold Key design awards on November 9 at the Mandarin Oriental in New York City. Accepting the Designer of the Year award (r.) is Alexandra Champalimaud, Champalimaud Design, New York City. Taking home the gold for casual dining concepts was Terence Ngan and Ed Ng of AB Concept



(bottom, l.), Hong Kong, for Jen Café at Hotel Jen, Hong Kong. NEWH presented its Icon of Industry Award posthumously to Jerry Hruby-Holy, founder of Unilight. A scholarship in his name was presented by Anita Degen, Degen + Degen Architecture & Design, to Saray Gill, a student at Savannah College of Art & Design.



Longtime friends of *HOTELS* magazine were in attendance at the Hotelier of the World awards, including Fredrik Korallus (center), COO for the Radisson brand in the Americas, catching up with *HOTELS'* Publisher Dan Hogan (l.) and *HOTELS'* Editor In Chief Jeff Weinstein.

