

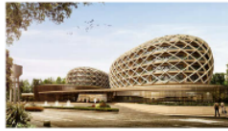
# EUROPE'S BEST 2015-2016

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# Announcing Europe's Best Property Professionals...

This is the second region to be judged within the prestigious International Property Awards programme. Year after year we never cease to be amazed and delighted at the quality of excellence shown by those entering this competition.

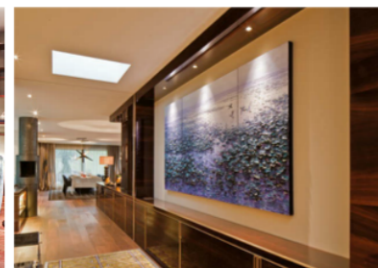
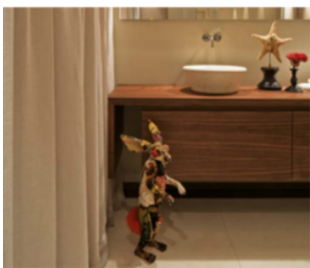
Judging is carried out through a meticulous process involving a panel of over 80 experts covering every aspect of the property business. The panel is chaired by two peers from UK Parliament who oversee the different categories – Lord Caithness for development – Lord Best for real estate.

The judges not only look for the most impressive and innovative projects, they also examine the sustainability and eco-friendliness of every property and development that comes under their scrutiny. While proving functional and practical for their occupants' use, interior design projects have to be injected with that all-important 'wow-factor'. Customer service and related services are key elements for success in the real estate agency categories. We look for outstanding customer support and a wide range of property-related services to guide clients through every aspect of the buying and selling processes.

Each and every one of the award-winning companies listed in this publication has demonstrated exemplary levels of expertise by competing against exceedingly strong competition from within the European region. Many congratulations to all.

**Helen Shield**

*Editor-in-Chief, International Property & Travel Magazine*



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The showrooms of Italian luxury fashion designer brands such as Bottega Veneta, Salvatore Ferragamo and Prada are splendidly styled and were the main source of inspiration for a complete makeover of this apartment located on Lake Zurich.

The client's first wish was to replace only the old sofa in his reception room but he then quickly decided on a complete change of the interior. Customised finishes and furnishing

were Studioforma's award-winning solution in order to reenergise the atmosphere and underline his affection for Italian design aesthetics.

More than 600m<sup>2</sup> of superb dark rosewood panels the wall of the 250m<sup>2</sup> apartment. The 300 year-old rosewood has been polished seven times and coated with a vintage car finish technique by an Italian old-timer restoration workshop. This treatment gives the noble old rosewood a high-grade finish and a three-dimensional depth. Another request from the client called for a room divider, also made of rosewood, leading from entrance area to living room area. To pay tribute to his passion for flying, the partition was designed with movable slats reminiscent of aircraft wings.

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