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HOUSTON'S POST OAK HOTEL RANKS #1 IN TEXAS AND #13 BEST HOTEL IN THE COUNTRY ON 2021 U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT

Houston's Luxury Property Tops The List As Best Hotel In Texas

HOUSTON, TX (February 2, 2021) – The Post Oak Hotel at Uptown Houston is proud to announce *U.S. News & World Report*, a recognized leader in breaking news, analysis, consumer advice and publisher of the original independent rankings guide, ranked the property #1 in Texas and #13 nationwide in The 50 Best Hotels in the USA 2021 – being Houston's exclusive honoree and one of only two in the state to make the renowned list.

"We are thrilled to uphold our reputation among the top hotels in the world," said Steven Chou, Post Oak Hotel General Manager. "It is always meaningful to be included on a list surveyed by so many seasoned, global travelers, but it is especially significant after the difficult year the travel industry has faced. Our commitment to luxury, first-class service and high standards for excellence remain steadfast, and we look forward to welcoming guests to a true world-class destination at The Post Oak Hotel."

Millions of people visit U.S. News Travel each month seeking advice on vacations, staycations and hotel accommodations. The publication's editors research thousands of hotels and resorts collecting dozens of data points and use an unbiased approach to calculate the rankings. The 11th annual Best Hotels rankings evaluate more than 30,000 luxury properties across the United States, Europe, Bermuda, Mexico, Canada and the Caribbean. The methodology considers a hotel's star rating and both expert and guest sentiment by collecting annual awards from distinguished travel publications and TripAdvisor user scores, the combination of which helps determine each hotel's rank.

"When I built this hotel, I really wanted it to be unlike anything else," said Tilman Fertitta, owner of The Post Oak Hotel. "This recognition shows that we are among the best in the country and I am proud to bring such an iconic destination to Houston."

Since opening in 2018, the ultra-luxe hotel has received numerous accolades including becoming Texas' only Forbes Double Five-Star rated hotel and spa and Houston's only AAA Five-Diamond hotel. Its posh Bloom and Bee restaurant also received the AAA Four-Diamond award. New York Times, Travel + Leisure, Condé Nast Traveler, Forbes, and CNN have listed The Post Oak Hotel at Uptown Houston as a place to visit.

Recently, Fertitta announced he is taking his Landry's and Golden Nugget hospitality empire public. Fertitta will continue to serve as the Chairman, President and CEO of the Company and will remain the largest shareholder with approximately 60% interest in the Company. The Post Oak Hotel at Uptown Houston, along with his other five hotels throughout Houston and Galveston including: San Luis Resort, Spa and Conference Center, The Villa's at San Luis Resort, The Westin Houston Downtown, Hilton Galveston Island Resort, Holiday Inn Galveston on the Beach, and Kemah Boardwalk Inn, will remain his privately-owned assets.

For more information or to book a reservation, please visit www.thepostoakhotel.com.

ABOUT THE POST OAK HOTEL AT UPTOWN HOUSTON

Texas's only Forbes Double Five-Star rated hotel, The Post Oak Hotel at Uptown Houston, is Houston's only Forbes Five-Star hotel and the city's newest destination for the discerning traveler. Set on 10 oak-studded acres, the sleek 38-story tower boasts 250 ultra-modern guestrooms and suites; 20 executive residences; and an elegant 35,000-square-foot conference facility, including the largest ballroom in Uptown Houston. Located mere steps from The Galleria and River Oaks District, The Post Oak Hotel caters to business and leisure travelers alike with lavish accommodations, five-fixture deluxe bathrooms, three televisions, sophisticated technology, and unobstructed views. While the standard guestroom offers over 500 square feet of luxurious and abundant living space, the immense 5,000 square-foot, two-bedroom Presidential Suite is the most opulent of them all and serves as Houston's unmatched, ultra-luxurious suite offering extra concealment and discretion with private elevator access, media room, exercise room and secluded terrace.

Unique amenities include a two-story Rolls-Royce showroom and on-site Bentley and Bugatti Post Oak Motors dealership, as well as six restaurants and bars throughout the hotel with dining choices from sophisticated cuisine in Bloom & Bee and exotic libations at H Bar to pub-style fare at Craft F&B and fresh-baked pastries at Bouchée Patisserie. Also on property is celebrity acclaimed and Texas' first Mastro's Steakhouse, as well as Willie G's Seafood, a Houston institution with an amazing raw bar and seafood favorites. A multi-million-dollar modern art collection with pieces by Frank Stella, Alex Katz, Robert Motherwell, Donald Sultan, Joseph Glasco, and Howard Hodgkin are strategically placed throughout the hotel, giving it a museum-quality feel. The Cellar, the hotel's expansive wine collection with over 30,000 bottles, offers guests and restaurant patrons access to more than \$3 million of the world's finest wines including vintages dating back to the 1800's. The Spa is Texas' only Forbes Five Star rated spa and is one of only 31 in the nation to receive this prestigious honor. The 20,000square-foot urban oasis features signature treatments and rituals, tranquility pools; aromatherapyinfused steam rooms; detoxifying high temperature, low humidity saunas; multi-sensory thermal showers; state-of-the-art Technogym fitness center; and quiet lounges with zero gravity chairs. Additional offerings for an effortless experience include the indulgent Post Oak Salon, and the hotel's fashion-forward boutique, 29° North. The Post Oak Hotel is also among 41 properties in the nation honored in the Preferred Hotels & Resorts Legends Collection, receiving the brand's top-level accreditation for its high-quality standards and unparalleled service. To make a hotel reservation, please call 844.386.1600 or visit www.thepostoak.com.

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