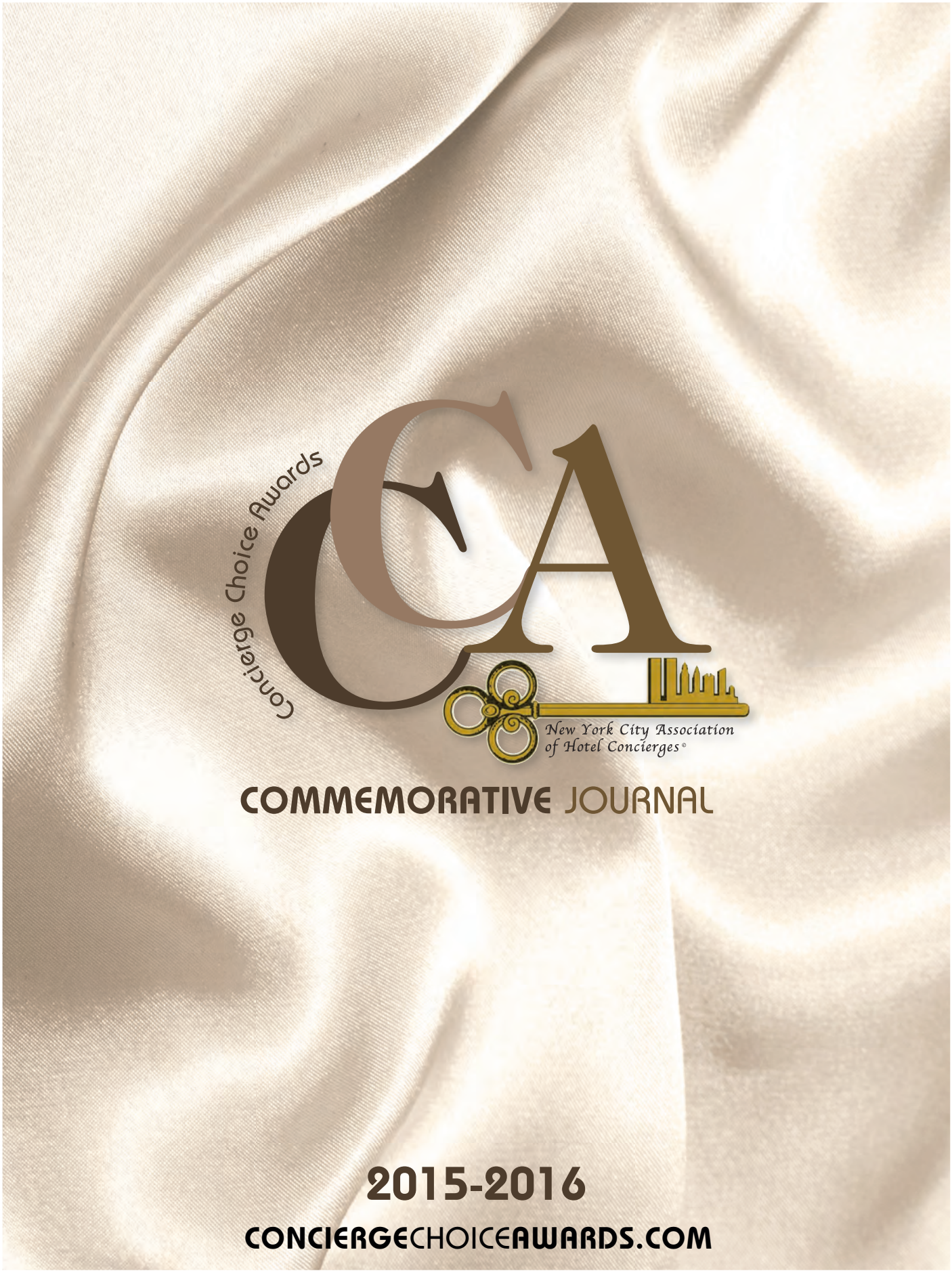

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On behalf of the Board of Directors and Membership of the New York City Association of Hotel Concierges (NYCAHC), I am delighted to congratulate and salute our nominees and winners of the 9th Annual Concierge Choice Awards (CCA).

These business professional partners and their award nominations were truly exceptional. Their accomplishments should be looked to as true examples of service excellence. It is our great pleasure to honor you! And we thank you for your continued partnership, collaboration and dedication in creating wonderful memories for our guests.

Lastly, a special acknowledgment to the CCA Committee for their hard work in creating yet another successful event.

In Service Through Friendship,

Loida Diaz
Concierge
The Trump International Hotel and Tower
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New York City Association of Hotel Concierges

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Welcome to the Concierge Choice Awards!

With tonight's ceremony, we celebrate nine years of recognizing the crème de la crème of the New York City Tourism Industry - businesses and individuals who leave an enduring mark on so many visitors' trips to the Big Apple.

As publishers of *City Guide* Magazine, it has been Davler Media Group's honor to organize this dinner and to prepare the Commemorative Journal you hold in your hands. Not only does it recognize 2015's winners and nominees — it serves as a handy reference guide to many of our city's best stores, restaurants, nightlife destinations, tours and attractions. It also includes the contact information of concierge liaisons to foster future connections between all who serve New York City's guests each year.

Be sure to visit conciergechoiceawards.com and follow us on social media to see pictures from tonight's events and past ceremonies. We encourage you to use our website and this Journal throughout the year to connect with many of the best tourism venues in our fabulous city.

Lastly, we would like to salute all the nominees and winners and are proud to make a contribution to the Les Clef's d'Or Foundation and NYCAHC Charitable Fund.

Congratulations to all,

David L. Miller
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We, the CCA Event Committee for the Concierge Choice Awards and members of the New York City Association of Hotel Concierges, are delighted to partner once again with DAVLER MEDIA GROUP for our ninth annual CCA event.

Congratulations to all of the nominees. We are proud to recognize you for your contributions to TOURISM and to the NYCAHC. We feel you are all winners. The nominees and winners have all been selected by the members of the Concierge Association and it gives us great pleasure to honor you as the Concierge Choice for 2015.

On behalf of the nominating committee and the New York City Association of Hotel Concierges, thank you for being our partners each and every day to make New York City the city of choice.

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Steve Grillo [LCD]
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Daniel Watts [LCD]

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Sheraton New York Hotel & Towers
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PAST WINNERS

2014

TOURIST ATTRACTION	INTREPID SEA, AIR & SPACE MUSEUM
SIGHTSEEING & TOURS	BIG BUS NEW YORK
BEAUTY AND WELLNESS	FEDERICO HAIR & SPA
RETAIL STORE	MACY'S
SPECIALTY STORE	ABC CARPET & HOME
LIMOUSINE SERVICE	PARIS LIMOUSINE
ENTERTAINMENT SERVICE	PROMINENT TICKETS
THEME VENUE	DISCOVERY TIMES SQUARE
CASUAL RESTAURANT	BENJAMIN STEAKHOUSE
ELEGANT RESTAURANT	LE PERIGORD
NEW RESTAURANT	BEAUTIQUE
MAITRE D' OR MANAGER	SCOTT GOULD / DEL FRISCO'S DOUBLE EAGLE STEAK HOUSE
NIGHTLIFE	QUEEN OF THE NIGHT
BAR/LOUNGE	UPSTAIRS AT THE KIMBERLY
BROADWAY SHOW	*BEAUTIFUL - THE CAROLE KING MUSICAL*

2013

TOURIST ATTRACTION	NEW YORK BOTANICAL GARDEN
SIGHTSEEING & TOURS	ON LOCATION TOURS
CULTURAL INSTITUTION	MUSEUM OF MODERN ART (MOMA)
SPA/BEAUTY SALON	THE PENINSULA SPA
RETAIL STORES	CENTURY 21
SPECIALTY STORES	STARBRIGHT FLORAL DESIGN
LIMOUSINE SERVICE	COMMONWEALTH WORLDWIDE
ENTERTAINMENT SERVICES	OSCAR'S RESOURCES INC.
CASUAL DINING	HAKKASAN NEW YORK
ELEGANT RESTAURANT	THE MODERN
NEW RESTAURANT	THE SEA FIRE GRILL
CHEF	MAREA / MICHAEL WHITE
MAITRE D' OR MANAGER	MAREA / ROCKY CIRINO
NIGHTLIFE	54 BELOW
BROADWAY SHOW	*KINKY BOOTS*

2012

TOURIST ATTRACTION	MADAME TUSSAUDS NEW YORK
	INTREPID SEA, AIR & SPACE MUSEUM
TOURIST SIGHTSEEING	GRAY LINE NEW YORK
CULTURAL INSTITUTION	NATIONAL 9/11 MEMORIAL
ENTERTAINMENT SERVICES	ALL SHOWS
BROADWAY SHOW	*ONCE*
LIMOUSINE SERVICE	PARIS LIMOUSINE SERVICE
RETAIL STORE	THE SHOPS AT COLUMBUS CIRCLE
SPECIALTY STORE	GIORGIO ARMANI
CASUAL RESTAURANT	DEL FRISCO'S GRILLE
ELEGANT RESTAURANT	LE BERNARDIN
NEW RESTAURANT	THE LEOPARD AT DES ARTISTES
BAR/LOUNGE	48 LOUNGE
MAITRE D' OR MANAGER	JAVIER RODRIGUEZ / THE RIVER CAFÉ
CHEF	DAVID BURKE
LAST MINUTE SERVICE	DR. RONALD PRIMAS / NY URGENT MEDICAL
COMMUNITY CHOICE AWARD	DAVID FILIPIAK / METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART

2011

TOURIST TRANSPORTATION	HELICOPTER FLIGHT SERVICES
PRIVATE TOUR SERVICE	SIGNATURE TOURS
LAST MINUTE EMERGENCY SERVICE	WINDSOR PHARMACY
RETAIL SPECIALTY STORE	B&H PHOTO VIDEO & PRO AUDIO
RETAIL DEPARTMENT STORE	BLOOMINGDALE'S
CASUAL DINING	DBGB
NEW RESTAURANT	LA SILHOUETTE
CLASSIC NYC RESTAURANT	THE RIVER CAFÉ
ELEGANT DINNING	DANIEL
CHEF	DANIEL BOULUD
MAITRE D' OR MANAGER	FELIX ALBANO / DEL FRISCO'S DOUBLE EAGLE STEAKHOUSE
TOURIST ATTRACTION	TOP OF THE ROCK
LIVE MUSIC CLUB	GARAGE RESTAURANT & CAFÉ
COMEDY CLUB	CAROLINES ON BROADWAY
BROADWAY SHOW	*THE BOOK OF MORMON*
COMMUNITY CHOICE AWARD	HELENE GALEK / CHINA GRILL MANAGEMENT

2010

TOURIST TRANSPORTATION	HAMPTON LUXURY LINER
PRIVATE TOUR SERVICE	MY KIND OF TOWN
	ONBOARD TOURS
BEAUTY SERVICE	FEDERICO HAIR SALON
LAST MINUTE SERVICE	JAN LINHART D.D.S.
RETAIL SPECIALTY STORE	B&H PHOTO VIDEO & PRO AUDIO
RETAIL DEPARTMENT STORE	BLOOMINGDALE'S
	LORD & TAYLOR
KID FRIENDLY RESTAURANT	ELLEN'S STARDUST DINER
CASUAL DINING	SMITH & WOLLENSKY
NEW RESTAURANT	MAREA
CLASSIC NYC RESTAURANT	THE RIVER CAFÉ
ELEGANT DINING	DANIEL
RESERVATIONIST	JULIUS MARIANO / FOUR SEASONS
MAITRE D' OR MANAGER	FELIX ALBANO / DEL FRISCO'S DOUBLE EAGLE STEAKHOUSE
TOURIST ATTRACTION	TOP OF THE ROCK
	INTREPID SEA, AIR & SPACE MUSEUM
OFF BROADWAY SHOW	*STOMP*
BROADWAY SHOW	*MEMPHIS*
COMMUNITY CHOICE AWARD	NIC FAITOS / STARBRIGHT FLORAL DESIGN

2009

CULTURAL INSTITUTION	THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART
ELEGANT DINING	LA GRENOUILLE
RESERVATIONIST	CHRISTINE FUCHS / SCALINATELLA
BRUNCH RESTAURANT	PARK AVENUE SPRING
MAITRE D' OR MANAGER	ARMEL GREN / LA GRENOUILLE
TOURIST ATTRACTION	TOP OF THE ROCK
TOUR	HELICOPTER FLIGHT SERVICES
CASUAL DINING	SERAFINA FABULOUS GRILL (E. 61ST ST.)
PRE-THEATRE DINING	LA MASSERIA
DEPARTMENT STORE	BLOOMINGDALE'S
SPECIALTY STORE	APPLE STORE
SPA	THE PENNINSULA SPA BY ESPA
NIGHTCLUBS & LOUNGES	PINK ELEPHANT
TRANSPORTATION SERVICE	NEW YORK WATER TAXI
COMMUNITY CHOICE AWARD	MICHAEL R. BLOOMBERG, MAYOR

2008

ATTRACTION	CENTRAL PARK, NYC PARKS
CULTURAL INSTITUTION	MUSEUM OF MODERN ART
	AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY
RESERVATIONIST	CAROLINE MCHALE-MARSHALL / BABBO
MAITRE D' OR MANAGER	FELIX ALBANO / DEL FRISCO'S DOUBLE EAGLE STEAKHOUSE
PRE-THEATRE RESTAURANT	BLUE FIN
SMART CASUAL RESTAURANT	DA SILVANO
HOT / TRENDY RESTAURANT	BUDDAKHAN
ELEGANT DINING	DANIEL
DEPARTMENT STORE	BARNEY'S
SPECIALTY STORE	B&H PHOTO VIDEO & PRO AUDIO
TOUR	HELICOPTER FLIGHT SERVICE
TRANSPORTATION	NY WATERWAY
SPA	CORNELIA DAY RESORT
NIGHTLIFE	MANSION
COMMUNITY CHOICE AWARD	AMIR QURESHI / BLOOMINGDALE'S

2007

TOUR	GRAY LINE NEW YORK SIGHTSEEING
TRANSPORTATION SERVICE	NEW YORK WATER TAXI
ATTRACTION	TOP OF THE ROCK
CULTURAL INSTITUTION	THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART
DEPARTMENT STORE	BLOOMINGDALE'S
SPECIALTY STORE	J&R MUSIC & COMPUTER WORLD
ELEGANT DINING	LE BERNARDIN
SMART/CASUAL DINING	DEL FRISCO'S DOUBLE EAGLE STEAKHOUSE
PRE-THEATER DINING	CHEZ JOSEPHINE
CROWD PLEASER DINING	P.J. CLARKE'S
RESTAURANT RESERVATIONIST	BAGHTA SEDDIK / BICE RISTORANTE
MAITRE D' OR MANAGER	ARMEL GREN / LA GRENOUILLE
COMMUNITY CHOICE AWARD	MICHELLE FARBER / BALDWIN FORMALS

2015
TOURIST ATTRACTION

WINNER

NEW YORK BOTANICAL GARDEN

NOMINEES

THE RIDE

RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT! TIMES SQUARE

MADAME TUSSAUDS NEW YORK

OBSERVATION DECK AT THE EMPIRE STATE BUILDING

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2015

SIGHTSEEING AND TOURS

WINNER

CIRCLE LINE SIGHTSEEING CRUISES AT 42ND STREET

NOMINEES

BIKE AND ROLL NEW YORK CITY

MANHATTAN HELICOPTERS

HORNBLOWER CRUISES & EVENTS

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2015
CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS

WINNER

NATIONAL SEPTEMBER 11 MEMORIAL & MUSEUM

NOMINEES

MUSEUM OF ARTS AND DESIGN

NEUE GALERIE

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LIMOUSINE SERVICE

WINNER

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NOMINEES

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2015

ENTERTAINMENT SERVICE

WINNER

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NOMINEES

WALL STREET ENTERTAINMENT

XM // EXPERIENCES

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2015
SHOPPING EXPERIENCE

WINNER

BLOOMINGDALE'S

THE SHOPS AT COLUMBUS CIRCLE

NOMINEES

JOAN KAUFMAN PERSONAL SHOPPER

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2015

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WINNER

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NOMINEES

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2015

FAMILY FRIENDLY

WINNER

ELLEN'S STARDUST DINER

NOMINEES

HOMBOM TOYS

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2015
JAZZ

WINNER

DIZZY'S CLUB COCA COLA

NOMINEES

JAZZ AT KITANO

GARAGE RESTAURANT & CAFÉ

54 BELOW

B.B. KING BLUES CLUB & GRILL

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2015

INDIVIDUAL

RESERVATIONIST

WINNER

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NOMINEES

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INDIVIDUAL

MAITRE D' OR MANAGER

WINNER

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NOMINEES

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2015

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WINNER

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NOMINEES

FOURTH WALL RESTAURANTS

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CHARLIE PALMER GROUP

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2015

THEATRE

BROADWAY SHOW

WINNER

SOMETHING ROTTEN!

NOMINEES

THE KING AND I

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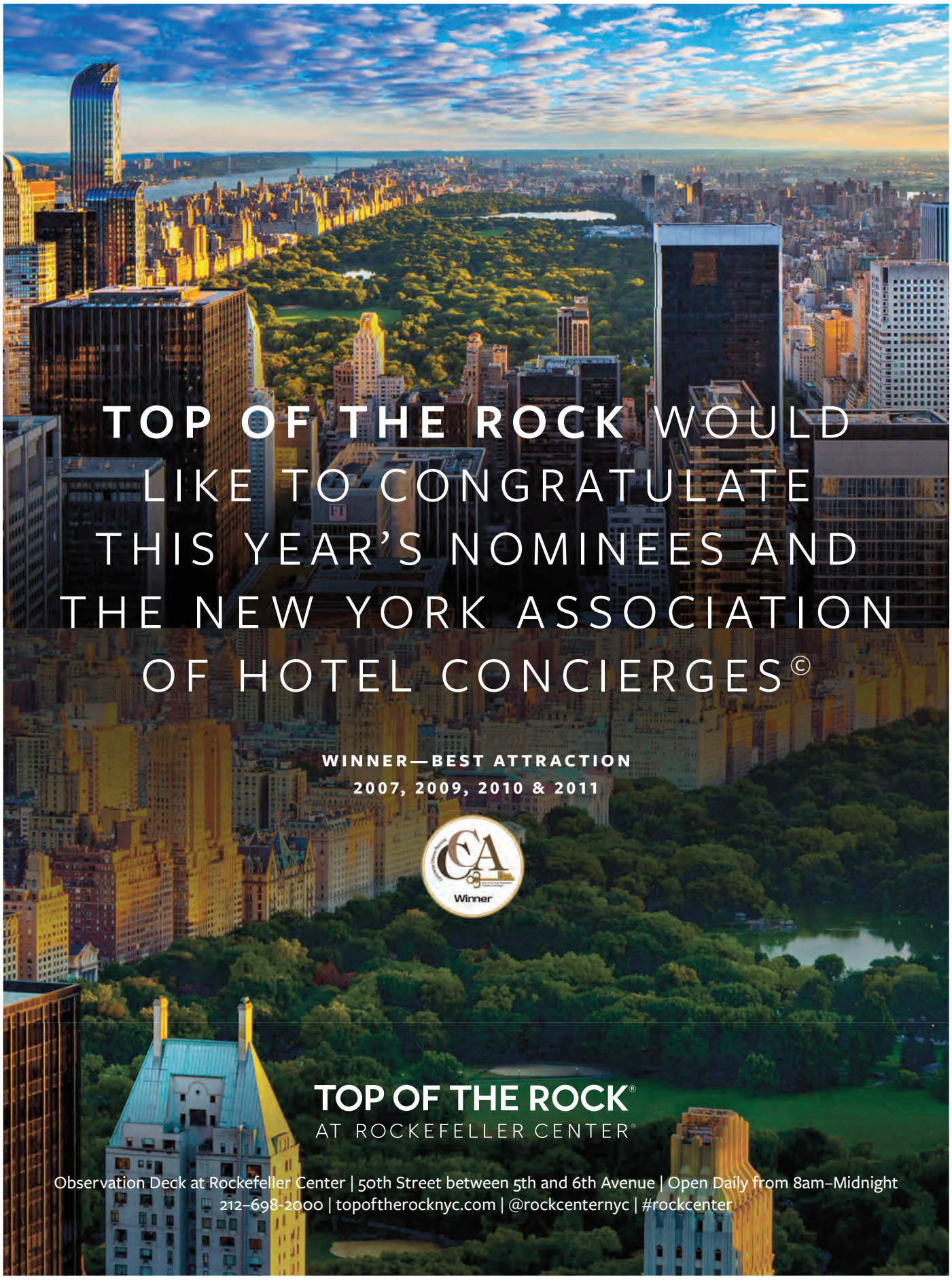
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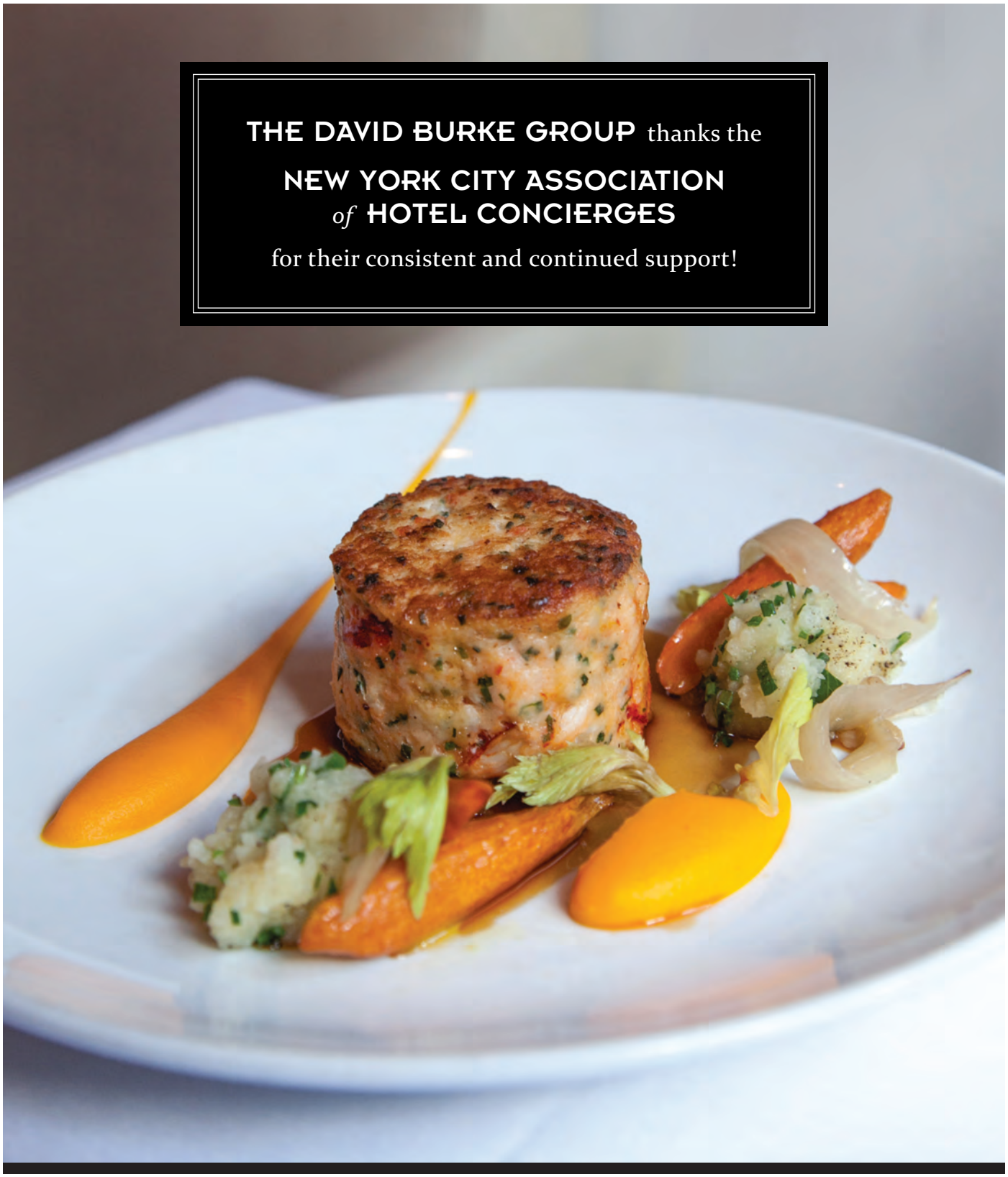

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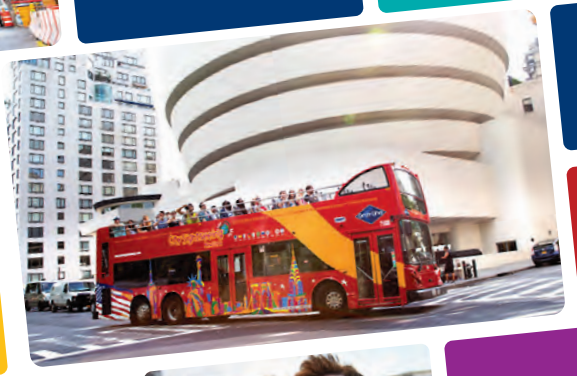

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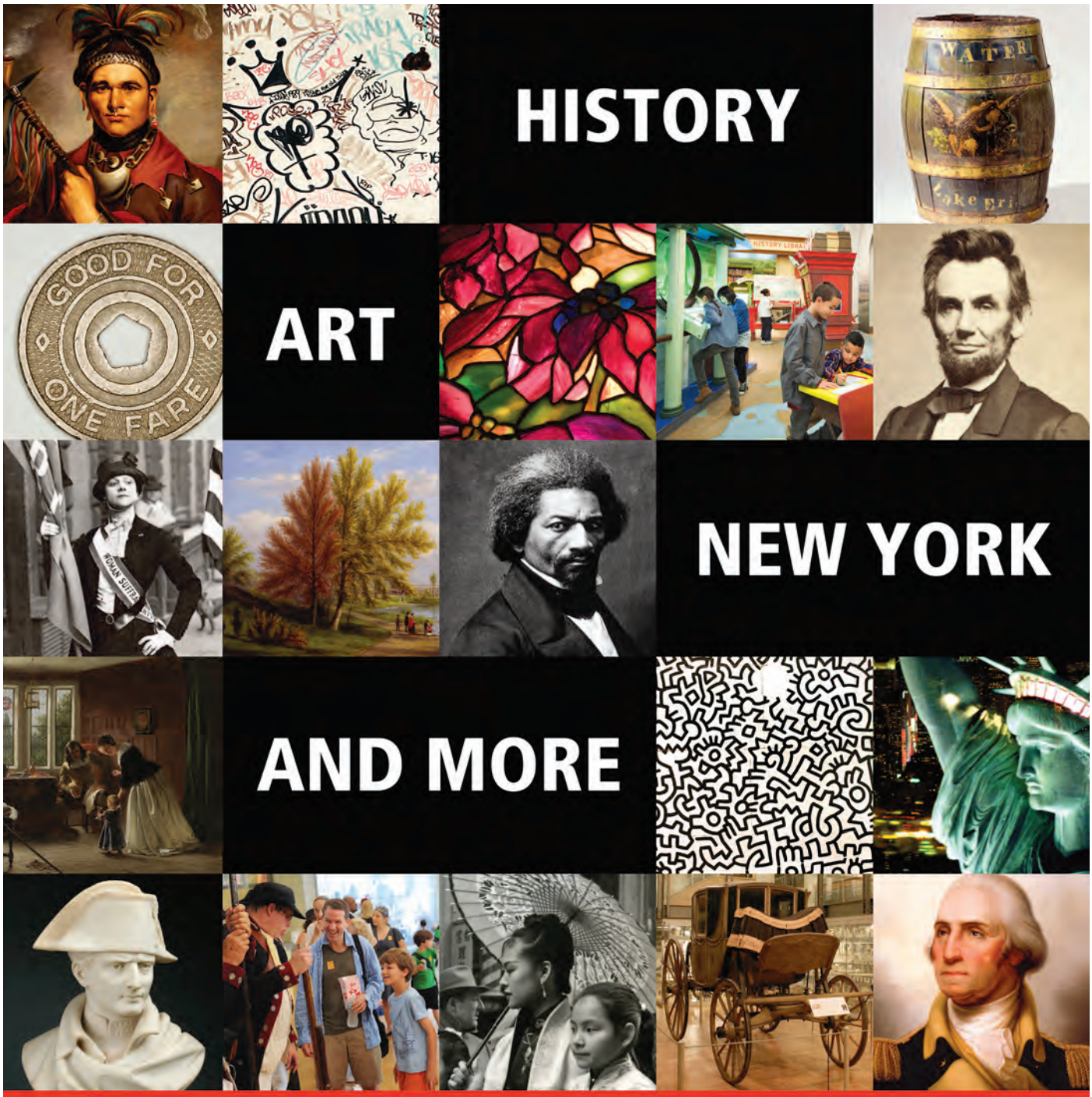

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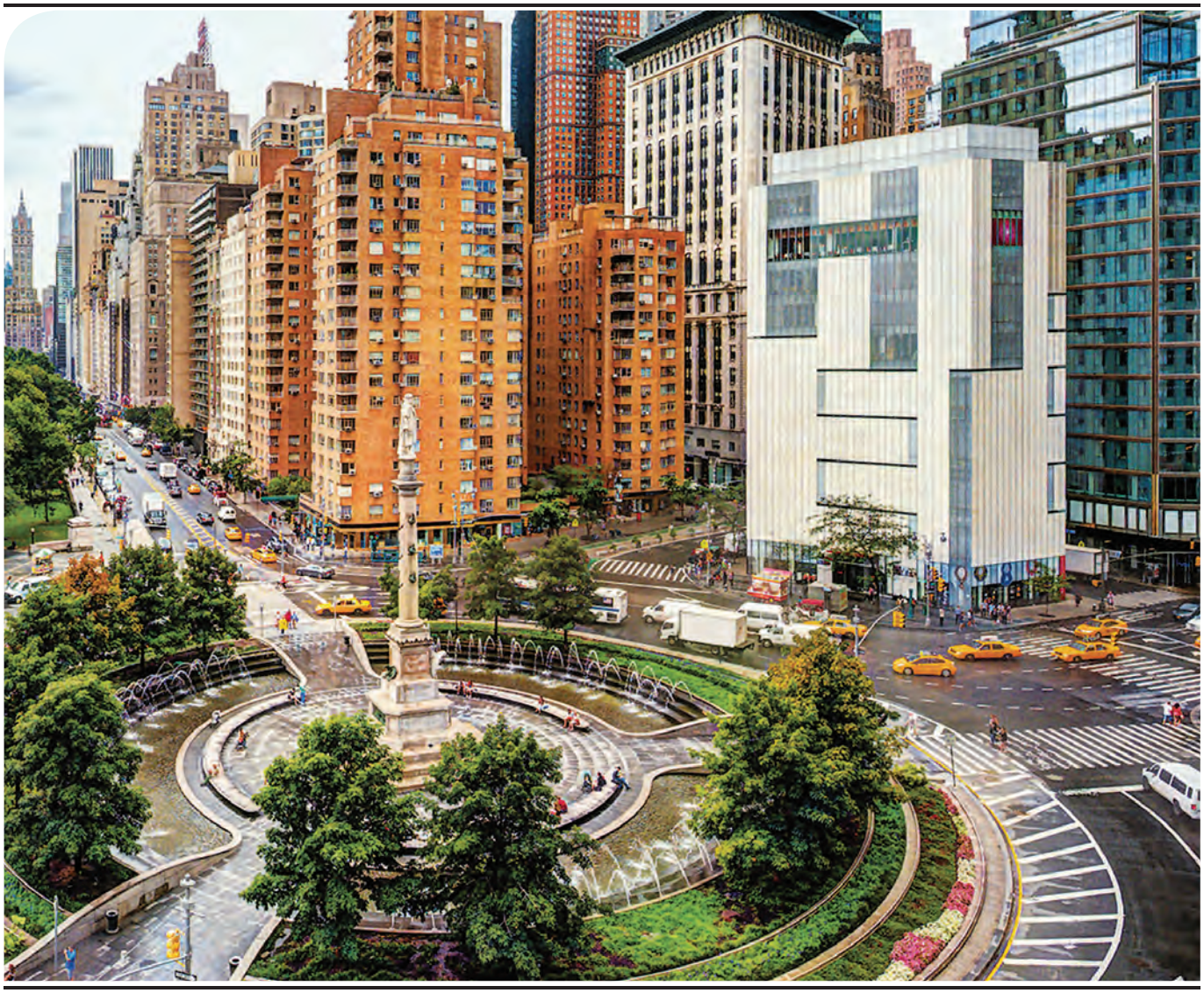

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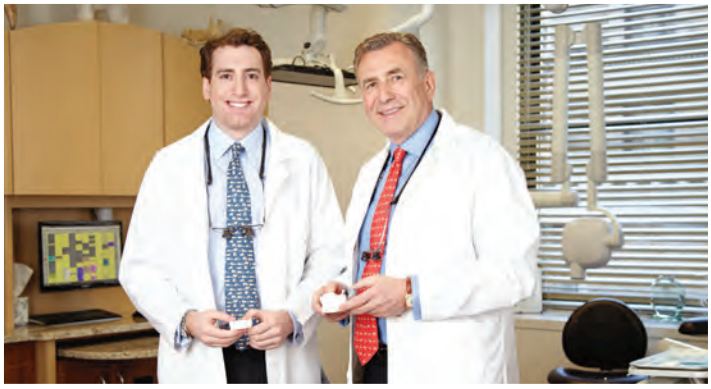

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