

**THE GRAND HOTEL & SPA, YORK SHORTLISTED TWICE AT CHS AWARDS 2017**

The Grand Hotel & Spa, York's only 5-star hotel has been shortlisted for Best Boardroom – Small Meeting Room and Best Welcome Guest Experience at the CHS awards 2017.

Philip Bolson, General Manager at The Grand Hotel & Spa says: "Following last year's win, we are thrilled to be shortlisted in two categories at the CHS awards.

"At our hotel, we make a conscious effort day in and day out to ensure that everyone who comes through our doors has an extraordinary experience, whether they are visiting us for a short meeting, a conference and awards dinner or a romantic weekend away."

The Grand Hotel & Spa, part of the Splendid Hospitality Group, is York's only AA-five-star rated hotel. Built in 1906 as a 'palace of business' for the Northern Eastern Railway, the building once hosted meetings for the railway elite, major political players and the best of Yorkshire's business.

Today, The Grand Boardroom is The Grand Hotel & Spa's flagship meeting and events space which can accommodate up to 120 guests. The stunning space boasts floor to ceiling oak panelling and large windows overlooking the City Wall and York Minster. The Grand Boardroom is frequently used for weddings, private dinners and a range of conferences and meetings.

Now in its third year, the CHS awards will take place at the Royal Armouries in Leeds on the 11th May. Celebrating the best of the hospitality industry, the CHS awards are designed to be accessible for all types of hotels and venues.