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**2019 TAA NSW 'HALL OF FAMER' HONOURED WITH TOP
INTERNATIONAL AWARD**

The state's leading tourism accommodation group, Tourism Accommodation Australia NSW, has congratulated its 2019 Hall of Fame recipient, Emirates One&Only Wolgan Valley for winning a prestigious international award.

Emirates One&Only Wolgan Valley recently won the 2019 Virtuoso Best of the Best award for Sustainable Tourism Leadership for its long-time commitment to sustainable tourism.

TAA NSW CEO Michael Johnson said the award was presented at a special ceremony during the 31st annual Virtuoso Travel Week held to honour top international hotels across 10 categories.

"Emirates One&Only Wolgan Valley is a winner on so many levels, so it is great to see it win this extremely competitive category on the international stage," he said.

"The hotel's commitment to sustainable tourism and environmentally practices is second to none - it fully deserves this accolade."

The win comes just weeks after Emirates One&Only Wolgan Valley was inducted into the Hall of Fame at the 2019 TAA NSW Awards for Excellence.

"On that night, the resort's general manager, James Wyndham, told the audience of industry leaders he was hopeful the resort would win the Virtuoso award - and it is great to see that ambition recognised," Mr Johnson said.

"On behalf of TAA NSW and our members I would like to congratulate management and staff at Emirates One&Only Wolgan Valley for their drive, hard work and dedication."

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