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Move Toward Airport Privatization May Be Gaining Momentum One Expert Says Now Is The Time To Go Forward

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ARN's Annual Best of the Best

Again this year, ARN's voting process to pick the Best Concessions was conducted entirely on line. The votes were submitted to a third party IT company who then tabulated the vote counts, compiled the comments for each category and forwarded the results to ARN. Hear what the voters had to say about why they chose their first place picks.



AIRPORT WITH THE BEST CONCESSION PROGRAM DESIGN / LARGE CATEGORY



Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International

VOTERS' COMMENTS:

"Even with space constraints at Hartsfield, the new retail stores are exciting and welcoming."

"ATL's concession program matches its status as top airport in the world."

"Recent luxury retail additions to ATL put it ahead of the pack."

AIRPORT WITH THE BEST CONCESSION PROGRAM DESIGN / MEDIUM CATEGORY



Vancouver International

VOTERS' COMMENTS:

"The variety of retail is excellent."

"Excellent mix [of] national and local concepts."

AIRPORT WITH THE BEST CONCESSION PROGRAM DESIGN / SMALL CATEGORY



Ottawa International

VOTERS' COMMENTS:

"Good variety of stores."

"Stores display a variety of unique designs."

AIRPORT WITH THE BEST CONCESSION PROGRAM DESIGN / SINGLE TERMINAL CATEGORY



John F. Kennedy International - Terminal 5

VOTERS' COMMENTS:

"Dramatic storefronts and strong visibility make shopping and dining a focal point of the terminal."

"New jetBlue Terminal in JFK is the optimum design and layout for a grand shopping experience with easy access and service."

AIRPORT WITH THE BEST CUSTOMER SERVICE / LARGE CATEGORY



Toronto Pearson International

VOTERS' COMMENTS:

"People at the airport are always very helpful."

"The people at the airport are nice and friendly."

"The airport takes the time to look after their customers."

BEST NEW SPECIALTY RETAIL CONCEPT / LARGE CATEGORY



Victoria's Secret by Hudson Group

VOTERS' COMMENTS:

"Every airport is going to want this!"

"Good adaptation of street retail offering to airport environment."

"Great concept for the taveling public. Brings a variety of goods and a unique service for the traveler."

BEST NEW SPECIALTY RETAIL CONCEPT / SMALL CATEGORY



Blackberry by Airport Retail Management

VOTERS' COMMENTS:

"On target with today's traveler."

"Excels at passenger convenience and service."

"Great concept for the airport traveler, as so many of them are going completely wireless."

RETAILER WITH THE HIGHEST REGARD FOR CUSTOMER SERVICE / LARGE CATEGORY



The Paradies Shops

VOTERS' COMMENTS:

"Paradies consistently provides highly trained, well-qualified sales staff to their operations.

"The Paradies Shops and their employees are truly outstanding customer service advocates. They are essentially an extension of the airport's customer service efforts."

RETAILER WITH THE HIGHEST REGARD FOR CUSTOMER SERVICE / SMALL CATEGORY



The Body Shop

VOTERS' COMMENTS:

"Stellar service with customers and excellent presentation of products for the customer."

"Top-notch service, high-quality products and strong focus on global issues."

"Friendly, attentive staff that are successful at the up-sell."

BEST AIRPORT RETAIL STORE DESIGN / LARGE CATEGORY



USA Today Travel Zone - IND

VOTERS' COMMENTS:

"The Civic Plaza store is unique."

"Beautifully designed store that draws the customer in. It's easy to navigate."

"Brings a new energy to news and gift design."

BEST AIRPORT RETAIL STORE DESIGN / SMALL CATEGORY



Natalie's Candy Bar - DFW Terminal D

VOTERS' COMMENTS:

"Very nice, open concept."

"Just adorable."

"Very colorful store - a delight for children and adults."