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### **ANOTHER ONE BITES THE DUST! OVOLO WINS AGAIN AT THE 2019 QHA AWARDS**

Ovolo has been awarded yet again for their continued excellence in the hospitality and tourism industries, this time at the 19<sup>th</sup> annual Queensland Hotels Association Awards for Excellence, held last night in Brisbane. Ovolo The Valley in Brisbane's Fortitude Valley took home the award for Best Deluxe Accommodation.

The award acknowledging and rewards the hotel's impact on Queensland's Hotel Industry. In addition, highlight the outstanding achievements and important role that Queensland venues play within the community as places of employment, social inclusion and contributors towards the state's thriving tourism economy.

#### **AWARDS WON BY OVOLO AT THE QHA AWARDS 2019:**

##### **Ovolo The Valley**

- *Best Deluxe Accommodation*

#### **NOMINATIONS FOR OVOLO AT THE QHA AWARDS 2019:**

##### **Ovolo Inchcolm**

- *Best Boutique Accommodation*

##### **Ovolo The Valley**

- *Best Redeveloped Accommodation Hotel Resort*

Ovolo is a guest-centric business motivated by reacting to guest needs, standing out from the accommodation crowd, zigging when others zag, taking creative strides and spontaneous moves at every turn with zero intention of slowing down.

Dave Baswal, COO and CFO of Ovolo Hotels Australia says of the win, "Our people at Ovolo and our guests keep our unique hotel brand strong. We can't be forever fabulous, unconventional and never boring (F.U.N.). without the guests who keep us motivated and team to support us - cheers Queensland!"

These recent QHA Awards are just another feather in the cap for Ovolo, who have had an illustrious 2019 so far, with their continual momentum in winning awards. It started with Sydney's flagship Ovolo Woolloomooloo winning the #1 Hotel in Australia and South Pacific in the TripAdvisor Travellers Choice Awards for Hotels, 2019, Brand of the Year at HM Awards 2019 and numerous accolades across their bars and restaurants. Ovolo continues to prove themselves as hotel trailblazers, in an ever-evolving competitive market.

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### **About Ovolo Group**

Ovolo Group was founded by entrepreneur, Girish Jhunjhnuwala in 2002 and has quickly become one of Hong Kong's most dynamic and largest independent owner, operator hospitality firms by providing business and leisure guests with the best in effortless living across numerous hotels and F&B outlets internationally.

The company keeps in touch with the modern traveller through award-winning interior designs, detail-driven comforts, focused value-added service like free mini bar, breakfast, Wi-Fi plus more and cutting-edge technology - all done in Ovolo's signature style. At the 2019 HM Awards, Ovolo Hotels were acknowledged for Hotel and Accommodation Excellence, receiving the accolade "Hotel Brand of the Year".

A proud Hong Kong brand, Ovolo Group remains a family-owned and privately-operated business operating four hotels and four restaurants in Hong Kong, and six hotels and five restaurants across Australia in Sydney, Melbourne, Canberra and Brisbane. Ovolo is also developing new hotels in Melbourne, Australia (South Yarra and South Melbourne).

Ovolo Group has also recently launched Mojo Nomad a co-habitation concept for global nomads that combines travel, lifestyle and community at its core. Mojo Nomad's currently located in Hong Kong's Central and Aberdeen Harbour neighbourhoods and will be entering the Australian market in the near future.