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American Cruise Lines Receives Two More Prestigious Awards
Recognized as World's Leading Small Ship and River Cruise Company

GUILFORD, CT – December 7, 2016 – American Cruise Lines, the largest U.S. cruise company, has been awarded two more prestigious honors; *World's Leading River Cruise Company 2016* and *World's Leading Small Ships Cruise Line 2016* by World Travel Awards™. These respected awards are voted on by travel and tourism professionals worldwide, and recognize organizations with a high standard of excellence within the industry.

American Cruise Lines has been consistently acknowledged for providing superb service aboard the most modern paddlewheelers and small cruise ships in the country. With a fleet of 8 vessels, and 3 more currently under construction, the company is committed to continually elevating the standard of cruising in America.

“It is an honor to be recognized by the top travel industry professionals,” said Timothy Beebe, Vice President of American Cruise Lines. “We are continually striving to improve our guests’ experience onboard, not only with modern accommodations, but also with outstanding personalized service, and exceptional enrichment programs.”

This year, American Cruise Lines was the recipient of numerous other prestigious travel industry awards including the 2016 Gold Magellan Award for the *Queen of the Mississippi*, the 2016 Silver Magellan Award for *Best River Cruising, North America's Leading River Cruise Company* by World Travel Awards, the 2016 *Cruise Critic*® US Editor's Pick Award for *Best Enrichment*, and was a finalist in the Small Ship and River Cruise categories for the Conde Nast Readers' Choice Awards.

About American Cruise Lines

American Cruise Lines (<http://www.americancruiselines.com>) is the leading US cruise line, with the largest fleet of US ships. It offers more than 35 itineraries, ranging from 4 to 21 nights in length including the Pacific Northwest, Alaska, New England, the Southeast and the entire

Mississippi River system. (<http://www.americancruiselines.com/cruises>) The line has been continuously recognized for its new ships and for providing superb service to guests and travel agents before, during, and after a cruise.

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