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Candy & Candy win two prestigious design awards

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The expansive aft sundeck on Candyscape II offers an exceptional outside entertainment space

London based interior design and development management company, Candy & Candy has won two esteemed design awards in two weeks at the Quintessentially Awards (1st June 2010) and The World Superyacht Awards (May 22nd 2010).

The most recent award, 'Quintessentially Interior Designer of The Year' 2010 recognises the company for its outstanding interior design projects and dedication to innovative design. TV personality Claudia Winkleman presented an Asprey glass plaque to Candy & Candy's creative director, Martin Kemp at London's Freemason Hall. This was the first year of the Quintessentially Awards, which celebrates the finest purveyors of luxury living, dedicated service and excellent standards in all fields.

The second accolade, 'World Superyacht Best Displacement Motor Yacht 500 GT-1,299GT' 2010 was a joint award given to Candyscape II a luxury 62 metre yacht designed by Candy & Candy in collaboration with Italian yacht manufacturer Viareggio Super Yachts. News broadcaster, Mishal Hussain presented the "Neptune" trophy to Candy & Candy's head of yacht and aviation design, Tim Murray at ceremony hosted at London's Guildhall Hall. This year is the 5th edition of Superyacht World Awards which recognises the most outstanding superyachts delivered each year.



Owners Cabin on Candyscape II



Formal Reception on Candyscape II

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The World Superyacht judges (a panel of independent judges, 15 of whom are yacht owners and the Chairman of World Superyachts Awards Roger Lean Vercoe) explained that marking was extremely close, between the two top yachts, the 60-metre Lürssen-built Arkley and Candyscape II. Both yachts attracted an equal number of points to be declared joint winners. Candyscape II was particularly admired for her external deck areas and interior design, environmental engineering, value for money and scored highly for her practical layouts and excellent service areas. Whilst the Quintessentially Awards were judged by Quintessential members each of who, were given a vote per category. Nominees for the interior design category included a strong list of the world's leading designers including; David Collins Studio, Russell Sage Studio, Christian Liagre, Nicholas Haslam, Brahm Interiors and Intarya.



Exterior view of Candyscape II

CEO and Joint Founder of Candy & Candy, Nick Candy comments: "It is a great honour to be recognised by two of the world's leading organisations in their respective fields of yacht design and luxury service. Whether designing a yacht, apartment, house or jet our ethos is the same 'quality, originality and attention to detail'. We are hugely proud of all our projects especially Candyscape II which is our first fully designed yacht that has successfully raised the benchmark within its class for innovative design, quality and green credentials. At Candy & Candy we are constantly challenging the way things have been done in the past and looking to the future to change the way can be done things for the better."

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Notes to the Editors

### About Candy & Candy

London based, interior design and development management company Candy & Candy is recognised internationally as a pioneer of bespoke and innovative design, creating sumptuous homes in some of the world's most coveted locales, as well as designing yachts, jets, luxury cars and a wide range of commercial environments. Candy & Candy also applies its remarkable design and project management skills to delivering boutique residential developments in central London, including One Hyde Park; The Residences at Mandarin Oriental in Knightsbridge and 21 Chesham Place in Belgravia.

Central to the company's ethos is the pursuit of perfection and a commitment to the ultimate design experience, reinforced by its collaborations with Pritzker prize winning architects Foster + Partners, Rogers Stirk Harbour + Partners and the revered lighting artist, James Turrell. Candy & Candy is also committed to supporting up and coming artisans who bring with them a wealth of new creativity which is vital to ensure the brand remains at the forefront of luxury design.



Formal dining room at La Belle Epoque, Monaco



Bibliotheque at La Belle Epoque, Monaco



Leisure suite, apartment 5, 21 Chesham Place, London



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A core strength that sets Candy & Candy apart from its competitors is the ability to offer clients a total project management service that goes beyond the limits of traditional interior design and which masterminds entire projects from conception through to completion. [www.candyandcandy.com](http://www.candyandcandy.com)

### About Candyscape II

As part of Candy & Candy's journey to create the ultimate living environment, Candy & Candy has recently completed a fully bespoke superyacht, Candyscape II, in collaboration with Italian yacht manufacturer VSY Super yachts (Candy & Candy do not own Candyscape II). Marrying the interior with naval architecture and exterior styling by Espen Oeino, the project combines elements of 1930's glamour with 21st Century chic and efficiency.

The 62 metre yacht that was completed in November 2009 accommodates 12 guests in 6 cabins and incorporates a host of intricate finishes from crystal chandeliers, leather hide floors and multiple wood finishes. Unique design features include a split level owners and VIP suite on the main deck with a shared gymnasium; a media room with a 103-inch plasma screen and a circular glass lift that runs through the centre of the yacht, with glass floor surrounds on each floor. Candyscape II is MCA coded and RINA Green Certificated - fulfilling the highest standards in environmental protection for prevention against pollution of the air and the sea.

The overall design concept is based on "intelligent nature" - a host of technologies that can respond to natural occurring phenomena such as light, temperature and movement are incorporated into different areas of the yacht. Plus a rotating sunbed on the sun deck, which responds automatically to the sun to ensure guests are never in the shade.

The interior lighting is dynamically controlled to work in harmony with the external environment and is designed to maintain each room as the ideal tranquil space or at a desired moment fill them with energy and vitality. A three dimensional projector in a rosewood panelled study displays the position of the yacht anywhere in the globe and through a live satellite uplink overlays real time weather patterns.

The world's first Segmented Sun Orrery – charting the position of the planets in our solar systems hangs from the ceiling of the media room. A one off piece of artwork, inspired by weather systems and the Oceans currents, has been specially commissioned and features in the dining room.

The technical areas have been carefully considered with a central corridor that runs the full length of the yacht, allowing crew to carry out maintenance work without going into any guest areas. Candyscape II has the ability to redirect clean air through the main funnel or to port and starboard when needed.



Terrace Suite at La Belle Epoque, Monaco



Formal dining on Candyscape II



Media room on Candyscape II



Formal Reception apartment 7.09, The Knightsbridge, London

