

> FOUR AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE FOR THE CRUISE OPERATIONS

For the fourth consecutive year, the Port of Montreal's cruise operations were signalled out by the prestigious magazine Cruise Insight (formerly Dream World Cruise Destinations). This year, for the first time, the Port of Montreal received the *Most Responsive Port* award, which recognizes ports that respond the fastest and most efficiently to requests from cruise shipping lines.

The Port of Montreal also received the *Best Turnaround Destination* award, which recognizes cruise destinations that offer passengers a superior welcome; the *Most Efficient Terminal Operator* award, which recognizes the most efficiently managed and operated cruise terminals; and the *Best Turnaround Port Operations* award, which recognizes ports that stand out for the excellence of their cruise infrastructures.

"We are proud to once again receive awards that draw attention to the efficiency and quality of the services we provide to cruise shipping lines and international passengers. This is a recognition that I would also like to share with our partners on the Montreal Cruise Committee which, for more than a year, has been working with us to make Montreal a great cruise destination," stated Sylvie Vachon, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Montreal Port Authority.

This year, the cruise season, which will begin on May 12 and end on October 24, should mark a record as we expect close to 55,000 passengers.

Information on the arrivals and departures of cruise ships can be found on the Port of Montreal's website, at: www.port-montreal.com

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Cruise Awards

Best Turnaround Port Operations (2008, 2009, 2011)
Best Turnaround Destination (2009, 2010, 2011)
Most Efficient Terminal Operator (2010, 2011)
Most Responsive Port (2011)



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