

## Conference Center at NorthPointe Receives National Awards

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Columbus, Ohio — The Conference Center at NorthPointe, in Columbus, Ohio, was named to the Top 25 in the nation for the 2006 Planners' Choice Awards from MeetingNews and Mimegasite.com -- the only conference center in Ohio to earn this esteemed award. They were also named 2006 Planners' Choice in the Best of the East from Meetings East.

"This is a real honor for The Conference Center at NorthPointe and for central Ohio," said Sean Anderson, general manager of NorthPointe. "We were twice recognized amongst the nation's most impressive meeting facilities by a group we aim to please – event and meeting planners."

When asked to name the best meeting facilities, MeetingNews' voters based their "top of mind" nominations on the highest level of service and expertise of the staff. Award winning properties must feature select amenities, excellent cuisine and well-designed, functional meeting facilities.

According to Meetings Media (parent company of Meetings East), the annual "Best of" awards help planners make big decisions – namely, which hotels and conference centers in North America are most deserving of their business. The list profiles what its meeting planner readers signify as the cream of the crop in the industry.

For Meetings East, winners were chosen for their spacious and versatile meeting space; well-appointed guest rooms; premium services and amenities; excellent dining; state-of-the-art technology; and outstanding recreational facilities and activities.

Nestled in a village-like setting of Georgian architecture and cobblestone streets, The Conference Center at NorthPointe features 120 superior guest rooms and suites, 40 meeting and breakout rooms, and an elegant grand ballroom. Meeting the strict standards of the International Association of Conference Centers, NorthPointe offers the latest in advanced audiovisual technology, creative cuisine prepared by award-winning chefs and a charming atmosphere that allows a pleasant and productive meeting experience.

For more information, visit [conferencecenteratnorthpointe.com](http://conferencecenteratnorthpointe.com)

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