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## **Qatar Duty Free Celebrates Culinary Excellence with 11 Award Wins from World Chef Association**

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***Qatar Duty Free F&B chefs win coveted Best Chef 2024 recognition and a total of 11 awards during the Qatar Chefs Challenge from World Chef Association in Doha***

**DOHA, Qatar** – Qatar Duty Free's Food & Beverage division has been recognized for the outstanding accomplishments of its expert chefs by Qatar Culinary Professionals, affiliated with World Chef Association, during the 2024 Qatar Chefs Challenge that took place April 28 – 30, 2024.

Qatar Duty Free's Chef Bibu Ranjit from Hamad International Airport's Louis Vuitton Lounge received the prestigious Best Chef 2024 Award out of 200 contestants from renowned hospitality establishments such as Ritz Carlton, Waldorf Astoria and St. Regis. Seven chefs from Qatar Duty Free won five gold medals, one silver medal, three bronze medals, and one Sanitation Award.

All contestants were evaluated on their innovative presentation skills, food taste and texture, hygiene, food waste practices, service and materials used. These seven Qatar Duty Free chefs showcased unparalleled skill, creativity, and commitment to culinary mastery, setting new benchmarks in food and beverage offerings at an airport.

Qatar Duty Free has long maintained a reputation of setting high industry standards in Food & Beverage, winning a total of 12 awards at the FAB Awards last year, including the ultimate Airport Food & Beverage Offer of the Year. This latest accomplishment serves as a fitting recognition for the innovation, investment and pioneering standards that further raise Qatar Duty Free's profile in not only airport retail, but within the broader hospitality industry.