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2025
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About Londonist DMC

Founded in 2013, Londonist DMC has grown into a leading student accommodation agency, providing short and long-term housing solutions.

What began with just 30 rooms has now expanded to over 2,000 across 35+ locations in London, covering Zones 1 through 6

35+ Prime Locations

Team Fluent in 25+ Languages

85,000+ Students Served

Students from 170+ Countries

5 Global Offices

Multi-Award Winning

Meet Our Team



London Team

UNITED KINGDOM



Istanbul Team

TURKIYE



Shanghai Team

CHINA

Leadership Team



Asim Erturk

MD & Founder



Umang Gandecha

Executive Director



Fulya Dogan

Turkiye Director

Timeline

2013

- Londonist DMC launched in **2013** in **London**.

2014

- We expanded our reach to other cities like **Oxford**, **Cambridge**, **Liverpool**, **Brighton** and **Manchester**.

2015

- Became members of **BETA** (British Edicational Travel Association) and **BELTA** (The Brazilian Educational & Language Travel Association).

2016

- Joined **EnglishUK**, the largest national association of accredited English language centres.

2017

- Opened an office in **Istanbul**.
- Expanded our residence portfolio to **12 new locations** in **London**.

2018

- Nominated for **Best Marketing Award** by **BETA**.

2022

- We've increased the room capacity to over **2000**.
- Won the **PIE Awards** for the category **International Student Living**.
- Won the **ST Star Awards** consecutively for the **third time** as the **Star Service Provider** of the Year.
- Recognised as **Highly Commended** by the **RESI Awards**.
- Moved to Istanbul Headquarters.

2021

- Won the **ST Star Awards - The Star Service Provider of The Year**.

2020

- Joined **UKInbound** and **ALTO** associations.

2019

- Joined **Bossa** - **Cossa** associations.
- Expanded to **Dublin**.
- Sponsored **Le Cordon Julia Child** sponsorship.
- Won the **StudyTravel ST Awards** - **Best Service Provider**.
- Expanded our reach globally and launched our brand-new office in **Shanghai**.
- Awarded by **People's Choice Award 2019** from **British Youth Travel**.

2023

- Launched the Londonist **Student Portal**.
- 10th year of the DMC: **Londonist Turquois Summit**.
- Won the **Best of British Business Award** by the **Independent**.
- Won the **Best Service Provider of the Year Award** by the **UED (International Education Consultants) Agency Awards**.
- Won the **Best Travel Marketing Campaign Award** by the **Business Awards UK**.
- Joined **StudyExpo**, **ICEF**, **ST Alphe Conference** & **ST Awards**.
- Won the **ST Star Service Provider of the Year Award** for the **fourth** consecutive time.
- Featured in **Independent**, **Evening Standart**, **Tycoon Magazine**, and **Chief Navigator**.

Timeline

2024

- Londonist **Info Day by the Bosphorus** for partners.
- Launched the **Partner Portal** and the **Ambassador App**.
- Added **13** new residences to our portfolio.
- We've been named **SUPER STARS** after winning the **ST Star Awards for the 5TH TIME**!
- We were finalists in the **BETA Awards** in the categories of Best Innovation (Silver), Best Accommodation (Silver), and **Best Use of Social Media** (Highly Commended).
- Won the **Best Service Provider of the Year Award** by the **UED (International Education Consultants) Agency Awards**.

2025

- Partnered with the **British Heart Foundation** to support lifelong research.
- **Asim Erturk** named among the **Top 100 Most Influential People of 2025**.
- Secured exclusive room allocation at **Paddington Citi View** for the 2025/26 academic year.
- Celebrated the launch of the **Londonist Ambassador App**.
- Honoured with the **King's Award for Enterprise in International Trade.**
- Proud winner of '**Agency of the Year**' at the **RESI Awards 2025**.
- Officially launched the **Londonist App**.

and many more...

Some of Our Suppliers















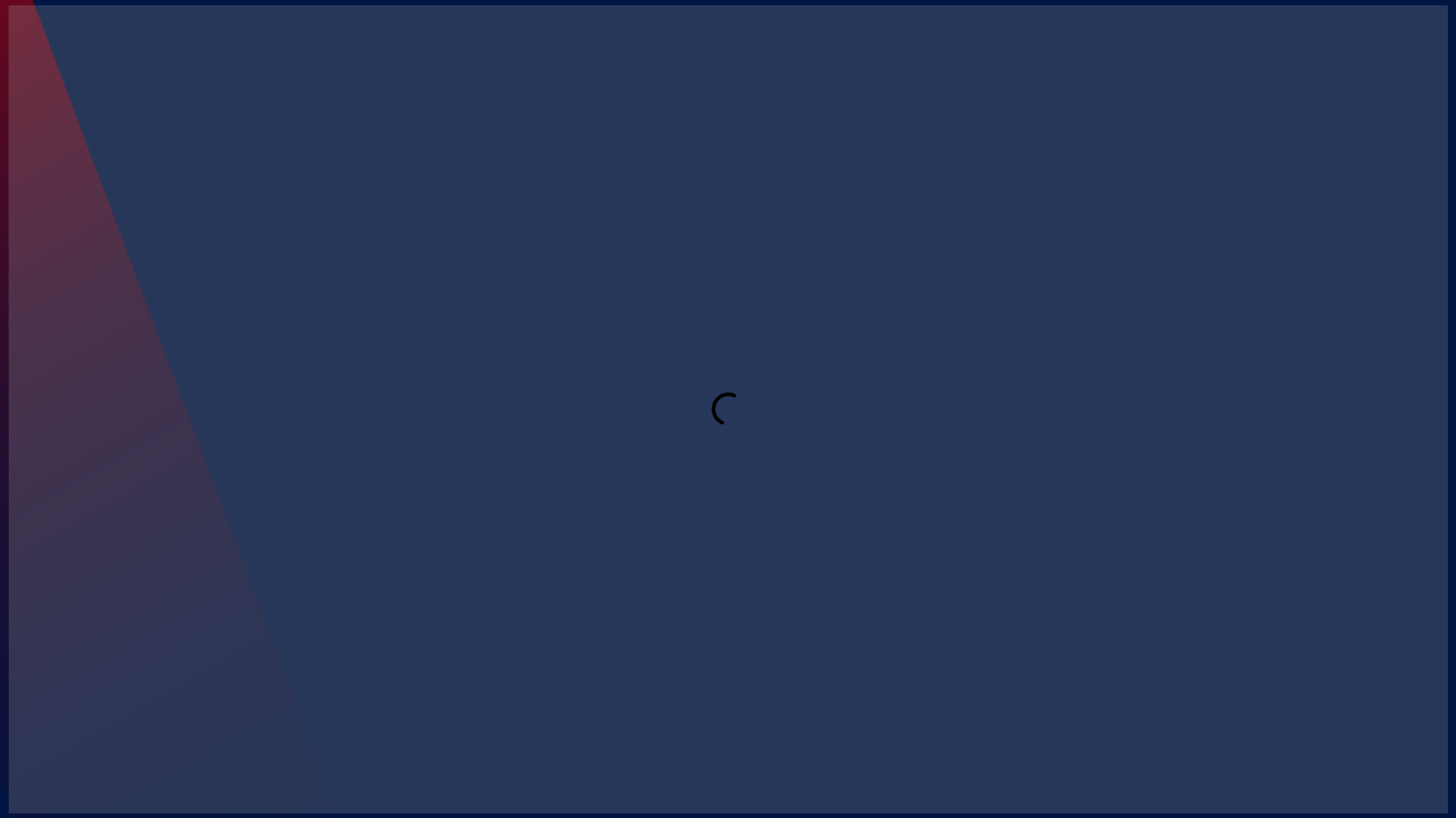








What The Award Means To Londonist



A Word From Our MD & Founder

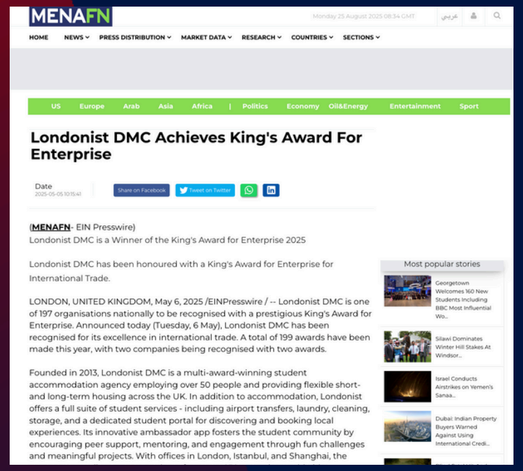
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- Asim Erturk



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The King's Awards for Enterprise, previously known as The Queen's Awards for Enterprise, were renamed in 2023 to reflect His Majesty The King's desire to continue the legacy of Her Late Majesty Queen Elizabeth II by recognising outstanding UK businesses. The awards programme, now in its 59th year, is the most prestigious business award in the country, with successful businesses able to use the esteemed King's Awards Emblem for the next five years.



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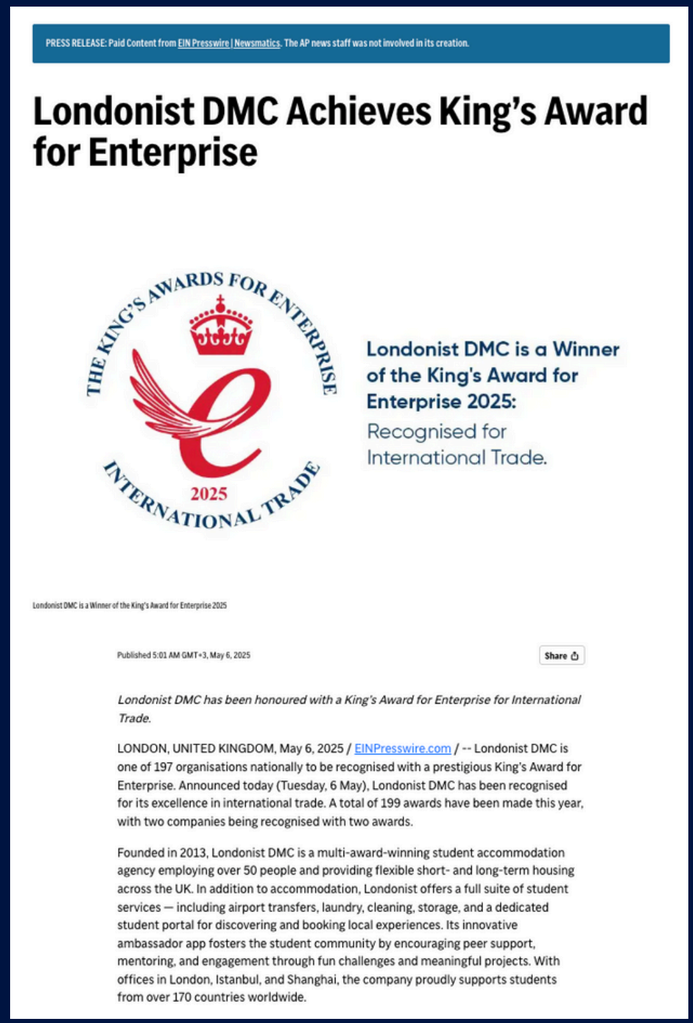
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British Heart Foundation

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Additional Residences for 25-26



Station Court Residence



Stapleton House



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