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## MERIDIAN AUDIO TRIUMPHS IN INDUSTRY AWARDS

Meridian Audio has enjoyed a recent run of success at recent industry award schemes, winning Manufacturer of the Year and Multi-Room/Zone Music Solution of the Year at the Smart Building Awards, and Highly Commended for Best Training Initiative at the CEDIA Awards. Meridian has been recognised for the phenomenal quality of its technology, and the effort it puts into supporting the dealers who specify its audio solutions.

The Smart Building Award for Manufacturer of the Year comes as Meridian continues to drive innovation in Hi Res Audio. Meridian is pioneering the adoption of Hi Res Audio in the professional installation sector through the development of products, like Sooloos, which maintains the audio resolution across the ecosystem.

The award for Multi-Room/Zone Music Solution of the Year for Meridian's Sooloos caps an impressive year for the music management solution. Meridian has recently unveiled a number of updates to Sooloos, making it easier than ever to specify, install and add more zones. Improved control options include re-designed iPhone and iPad applications, and TouchPC control alongside integration with third party options including Crestron and Control4. Sooloos can now be integrated using Meridian Core storage options (with integrated end point) or a supported NAS device, through a special QNAP plugin, giving the installer the freedom to specify their preferred storage product.

Meridian is also playing its part in driving education within the professional installation sector, receiving a Highly Commended Award for Best Training Initiative at this year's prestigious CEDIA Awards. Meridian offers dealers extensive training in both two-channel and multi-channel audio systems, to help experienced professionals hone their skills, and those new to the industry learn the fundamentals of audio systems.

To find out more information about Meridian Audio at <u>www.meridian-audio.com</u>.

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## **ABOUT MERIDIAN AUDIO**

Since 1977, Meridian Audio has been crafting innovative, elegant, high performance audio solutions. From its compact DSP loudspeakers with integrated amplification, to its user-friendly music management platform Sooloos, Meridian delivers easy to install, high resolution audio systems for home cinemas and whole home solutions. The Meridian Audio experience is now also available in the latest models from Jaguar Land Rover, thanks to a collaborative partnership between these two leaders of British innovation and engineering. Learn more at <u>www.meridian-audio.com</u>.

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