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"Dream Symphony" against
88-metre "Maltese Falcon"

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Winners: the Vitruvius "Galileo G" secured top design spot in the 40-to-65-metre powered yacht category, whilst the 88-metre Feadship "Musashi" picked up an award for her interior, one of two awards.

SUPERYACHT SOCIETY TWO DESIGN AWARDS FOR "MUSASHI"

Every year during the Fort Lauderdale International Boat Show, the International Superyacht Society selects the best design, the most attractive interior and other features. This time in the sailing yacht categories up to and greater than 40 metres, the winners were "Antares III" and the 67-metre Briand design "Vertigo". In the refits category the J-Class "Endeavour" came up trumps. The work was performed by New Zealand-based Yachting Developments in Auckland. The ISS always divides powered yachts into three LOA-based categories. The 40-metre Giorgio Vafiadis-designed "O'Pati" triumphed in the 24-to-40-metre range, in the category up to 65 metres the winner was the Vitruvius, "Galileo G", whilst the 88-metre Feadship "Musashi" received gold in the 65-metre+ class. "Musashi's" Sinot Yacht Design interior – fitted out by Metrica from Senden in Westphalia, Germany – also wowed the jurors and helped her to secure top spot in this discipline. Other awards went to the designer Terence Disdale, who picked up this year's Leadership Award, and to Captain Len Beck of "Battered Bull", who accepted the award for the Best Crew of the Year.



GSC 2013 GAINS IN FEBRUARY

The sponsors of the 2nd German Superyacht Conference on 28 February include the boot Düsseldorf exhibition, Pantaenius and MTU. They have now been joined as co-sponsors by the team from idea, the Düsseldorf-based standard yacht management software developer and consultant, with offices in places like Florida and Singapore. Idea is a SpecTec Group brand, which specialises in shipping and navigation software. The seven-strong line-up of speakers is completed by Royal Huisman's

Ronald van Hulst. He will be talking about "energy concepts for sailing yachts". The number of participants is unfortunately limited to 150 guests, yet there are still a handful of places available. You can only register for the GSC online: superyacht-conference.com

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Royal Huisman's Ronald van Hulst: speaking at the GSC on 28th February.