

## PRS Guitars Receives MIPA Award for Best Acoustic Guitar

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Paul Reed Smith Guitars' new acoustic line of guitars received the Musikmesse International Press Award (MIPA), known as the "Grammy" of the Musical Instrument/ProAudio industry, for "Best Acoustic Guitar." Awards were presented at a special ceremony held during the Musikmesse / Prolight + Sound trade show on April 2 in Frankfurt, Germany, with more than 100 magazines from all over the world voting for the best products of 2008/2009.

Standout musical instrument and equipment manufacturers have been honored by MIPA for ten years, and awards in more than forty different categories were given this year. PRS has been nominated for a MIPA every year since the award was created in 2000 and has received the "Best Electric Guitar of the Year" accolade six times, a feat that has never been accomplished by any other guitar manufacturer. Past PRS model winners include the PRS Singlecut in 2000, the Santana SE in 2002, the Santana II in 2003, the 513 in 2005 and 2006 and the PRS Singlecut in 2007.

Paul Reed Smith accepted the award on behalf of PRS Guitars during the ceremony. "Thanks to Ricky Skaggs specifically and the Industry for their support of this new product line," said Paul Reed Smith.

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