

THE Victorian travel industry gathered at the Melbourne Convention Centre last night for a networking event following the first day of the 2017 Travel Industry Exhibition in Melbourne.

Guests also took part in a prize giveaway courtesy of the generous exhibitors, with the top prize - an 18 day tour of Uzbekistan, Iran and Turkmenistan provided by Silk Road Travel - taken home by Mike Finnie from italktravel in Mount Waverley.

More pics from the Melbourne show at facebook.com/traveldaily.



STILL celebrating their big wins at last Saturday's National Travel Industry Awards are Michelle Kerr of Magellan Travel Group and Justine Lally, APT Travel Group.



PRIZEWINNER Mike Finnie of italktravel with David Paterson of TIE organiser Exhibitions and Trade Fairs.



JONATHAN Nelson from Express Travel Group (right) with Amit Kumar of Philippine Airlines and Geoff Kong & Phoebe Wong of Holiday We Go.



DEBRA Fox of APT Travel Group with Christine Balch of Hawthorn Travel and Cruise.



JEFF Hakim, Chriss Perry and Simon Bernardi of Travel Partners with Rachael Seymour and Sharon Van Der Veeken of Cornerstone People Solutions.



TRAVEL Counsellors md Fred van Eijk was a last minute inclusion in the conference program today. He's pictured catching up on the latest **travelBulletin** news with conference MC Sam McCool.

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