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Dr. Foo's Kitchen takes 2 awards at 2018 Fiery Food Challenge

IRVING, Texas – Two spicy Asian products in the Dr. Foo's Kitchen line from Fischer & Wieser Specialty Foods took home honors from the 16th annual ZestFest and Fiery Food Challenge held over the final weekend in January.

Awards went to Dr. Foo's Kitchen Thai Peanut Coconut Sauce (second place in the Asian sauce category) as well as to the popular Dr. Foo's Kitchen Bali BBQ Sauce (third place in the BBQ Sauce – Exotic category). The competition, surrounding by tastings and celebrity chef demonstrations, was held at the Irving Convention Center at Las Colinas. Consumers turned out in sizable numbers for ZestFest, along with retail buyers, restaurant owners and chefs.

"We have more than 170 jams, jellies and sauces, but these created with Dr. Foo Swasdee are something special," said Fischer & Wieser President/CEO Case D. Fischer. "We've worked with Dr. Foo for years, going back to her time owning Austin's first authentic Thai restaurant, Satay. This line of Asian sauces is the perfect way to share her knowledge as both a food scientist and a gifted chef with a broad audience."

Inspired by America's ongoing love affair with hot and spicy foods, ZestFest is considered one of the largest exhibitions of its kind in the country. Its popularity in recent years convinced its producers to add an additional day. The show, Jan. 26-28, featured exhibitors ranging from homegrown north Texas start-ups to established international brands.

Fischer & Wieser is a family-owned business located in the heart of Fredericksburg, TX. Their best-known product, The Original Roasted Raspberry Chipotle Sauce®, won the Outstanding New Bestseller Award at the Fancy Food Show in 1997. Case Fischer and Mark Wieser started selling jams and jellies in their store, Das Peach Haus, made from peaches grown in their own orchard behind their store. Since then, Fischer & Wieser has expanded their catalog to over 150 products that are distributed throughout the United States, Mexico and beyond. In addition, the company also manufactures the award-winning line of [Mom's](#) spaghetti sauces, soups and meal starters, and the recently launched [Dr. Foo's Kitchen](#) line of Thai cooking sauces. For more information, please visit www.Jelly.com and their [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#).