



Paolo at the Scottish Fashion Awards with girlfriend Teri

Paolo's old pals act - Nutini back with ex

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Paolo shows a bit of style

IN THE words of his own song **Paolo Nutini** last night put his "new shoes" on and walked off with a major fashion award.

The Paisley-born singer said he was "gob-smacked" at winning a Scottish Fashion Icon award.

Paolo, 23, strolled up the tartan carpet at the Glasgow Science Centre and told fans: "I have no chance of winning - I bet Dizzee Rascal is going to jump up and claim it. He'll have a Scottish stray granny somewhere."

But the judges thought otherwise and gave the hit-making crooner the prize for his distinctive grunge rock style.

At the glittering ceremony the star was accompanied by his long-term girlfriend Teri Brogan, also 23, confirming that their on-off relationship was definitely back on.

Tanned Paolo, who had shorn his long locks and was appropriately suited and booted for the occasion, said of his relationship with Teri: "Everything is magic. I am a very lucky man."



ROMANCE: Paolo and his girlfriend Teri last night

However, he seemed less certain about his own sense of style being an award winner stating: "A T-shirt and jeans usually do me. But hey, I'm flattered to win."

More than 350 fashion experts and celebrities posed in their finery for the event which is celebrating its fifth anniversary.

Celebrities included singer **Gabriella Cilmi**, X-Factor star **Diana Vickers**, male super model **David Gandy** and model **Jade Parfitt**.

Australian Gabriella, 18, who raced to the awards after supporting **Leona Lewis** at the SECC, said she was

delighted to be back in Scotland, adding: "I just love this country, its tartan, its people. This has been a great night."

Tessa Hartmann, founder and producer of the Scottish Fashion Awards, said: "We have once again proudly celebrated the best of the country's fashion talent. Scots are ruling the runways and I'm very happy about that."

Terri McGlone, 17, from Dunfermline, Fife, was named as Scotland's New Face of fashion. Other winners included **Jonathan Saunders**, Scottish Designer of the Year and **Lisa Ormond**, Scottish Model of the Year.