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WELCOME

IF YOU'RE DELVING INTO THIS 2018 "Best of the USA" supplement, then hopefully you're a little curious about venturing across the proverbial pond - or the border, for our friends in Canada and Mexico. It's easy to imagine that the vast majority of the global population has, at some point, mused about touring the land of the free and the home of the brave, with its towering city blocks; vast open spaces; lush forests; blistering deserts; and endless cosy suburbs. The US is a superpower in more ways than one, and it has an embarrassment of riches that attracts 81 million tourists each year.

Alternatively, you may have picked up this supplement because you hail from the USofA and you're somewhat curious about what startling inclusions or embarrassing omissions we've made. Of course there are many, but there are only so many properties we can wax lyrical about over 50-ish pages. If America was an apple pie, as Don McLean once sang, we've only taken a few nibbles, but we've really tried to go for the juiciest slices, selecting six key locations out of countless cities, states, counties, parks, etc.

Putting aside politics, exhausting news cycles, lazy stereotypes and tiring clichés, the United States of America truly is a great nation, and it was a joy to re-visit some of our favourite destinations for this particular publication. If you do think we've left anyone out, you could simply let us know. Our email addresses, phone numbers and social media handles are overleaf, and we're always ready to discuss our passion for hospitality and travel – some common ground, we hope.

Stay safe and, if in doubt, book the ticket.





Fast-forward to 2005 and the hotel was snapped up to join the prestigious collection of Taj Hotels Resorts Palaces Safaris. Then in 2009, the hotel underwent its largest full-scale renovation since John Paul Getty - now remembered by the Getty Suite. The space once occupied by The Pierre's Gentleman's Library in 1930 has become Two E Bar & Lounge, a neo-classical venue offering coveted afternoon tea and live entertainment. In 2016, hailed by The New York Times as one of New York's most spectacular gathering spaces, The Rotunda also reopened after a full-scale renovation.

SPECIAL OFFER: Extended stays can gain a 20% discount on the best available rate

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Salon de Ning is a favourite amongst New Yorkers and travellers alike for its enchanting setting and world-class cocktails. This summer, the venue's rooftop will play host to a summer social series featuring monthly music series showcasing talent from a range of genres, alongside art installations, alcohol-infused custom ice cream and premium drinks.

2018 marks the 30th year of The Peninsula New York. In celebration, the hotel has launched its "Keys to the Kitchen" program, an above-and-beyond culinary experience in partnership with New York City's most coveted restaurants.

SPECIAL OFFER: "The Manhattan Retreat" includes 30% off spa treatments, as well as a bottle of wine on arrival

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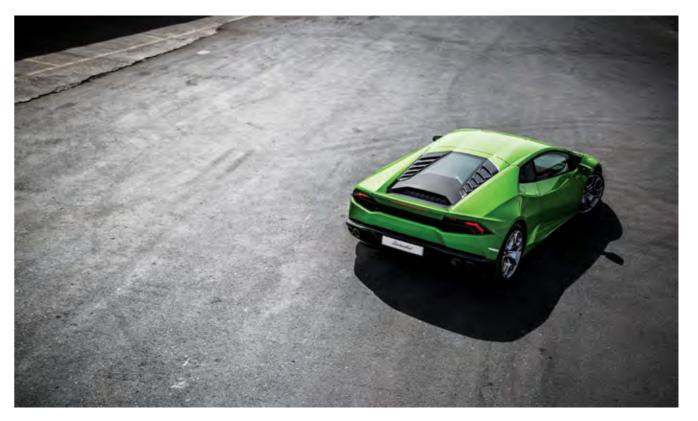
The spacious Manhattan suites, complete with full kitchens, are perfect for travelling families and solo business travellers alike, and the signature Trump Attaché service can assist with every need, from pressing a suit for tomorrow's meetings or facilitating an in-room camping experience your family will never forget. A full suite of Trump Kids and Trump Pets programming ensures all travellers in your party receive the utmost in personal service and amenities.

For an incomparable dining experience, you don't even have to venture beyond the doors. The signature two-Michelin-starred restaurant Jean-Georges is one of the very best in New York City and cannot be missed. Casual dining is also available around nearby Central Park, in Nougatine and the seasonal Terrace – as well as 24-hour in-room dining, all by Jean-Georges.

SPECIAL OFFER: The Linger Longer promotion offers a complimentary third

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A LANGHAM STATE OF MIND

Historic museums, legendary attractions, celebrated entertainment, and award-winning dining establishments – there's a reason why New York City never sleeps. Nestled in the city's most coveted district, Midtown Manhattan, a limestone tower that soars 60 stories into the sky, and it's the home of **THE LANGHAM**, **NEW YORK**.

Located between Bryant Park and the Empire State Building, visitors can discover a sharp metropolitan style that embodies the dynamic spirit of the city.

Contemporary luxury meets urban sophistication with 234 residentially-styled guest rooms and suites designed to relax, inspire, and surprise. Each is furnished with indulgent amenities such as Swedish Duxiana beds and large marble-clad bathrooms with rainfall showers, augmented by views of the iconic Manhattan skyline, framed by the oversized glass windows.

When it comes to dining, the hotel offers a chic setting with Riviera-inspired cuisine and an artisanal cocktail bar. Altamarea Group's Michelinstarred Ai Fiori, translates to "among the flowers" and offers a menu of Italian and French cuisine.

SPECIAL OFFER: Enjoy 20% off any massage or foot treatment at Chuan Body + Soul with the "Step Into Wellness" package

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Enjoying a prime position in the heart of this iconic city, **MANDARIN ORIENTAL**, **NEW YORK** overlooks the Hudson River, Central Park and the famed city skyline, with spacious accommodation and luxurious Five-Star facilities to take your breath away. Offering a bird's eye view of the city, the luxury hotel boasts a five-star difference with a stunning setting and beautiful views over Manhattan.

At the very top of the Time Warner Center, the hotel is perfectly situated for visiting all of the city's major attractions: overlooking Central Park and within walking distance of Fifth Avenue, Broadway and Lincoln Center; within easy reach of all of the city's legendary sites, shops and attractions; access to Time Warner Center and its luxury boutiques and restaurants.

The spacious spa offers guests a range of treatments in luxurious and soothing surroundings. Beautifully designed with the city skyline as its backdrop, the spa's chic décor blends Eastern influences with contemporary New York touches. Guests are invited to arrive 45 minutes in advance of their appointment time to enjoy the facilities, which soothe muscles, loosen limbs and prepare your body for the deepest therapeutic experience.

SPECIAL OFFER: The "Mini Manhattan Family Getaway" offers an itinerary to explore the city

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Located in Manhattan's famous Battery Park City, the hotel is close to some of the city's most iconic landmarks and neighbourhoods, including TriBeCa and SoHo. The refined property features a spectacular atrium and 2,000 pieces of stunning artwork on display throughout the hotel, providing an elegant escape from the bustle of the city.

The all-suite hotel is the ideal place to unwind after a day exploring the city, especially when you kick back on the seasonal rooftop bar with views of the Hudson River. Each contemporary suite features a two-room layout with a private bedroom, WiFi and two HDTVs. Why not upgrade to the Hudson River View Suite and enjoy oversized windows overlooking the water.

SPECIAL OFFER: You can receive a \$100 hotel reward for each night you stay in a suite with the Conrad Suite Life offer

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REFINED LUXURY

Revel in refined luxury at JW MARRIOTT ESSEX HOUSE NEW YORK – an upscale Manhattan hotel that sits adjacent to Central Park South, just minutes from Lincoln Center, Columbus Circle, Fifth Avenue and numerous other NYC attractions. Inside the recently redesigned property, every room and suite boasts Art Deco touches, plush bedding, marble bathrooms, mini-bars, ample desks and Wi-Fi access. Spacious family connector rooms and suites benefit from expanded living areas, and suites with terraces overlooking Central Park are available, as are pet-friendly accommodations.

SPECIAL OFFER: Cosy up and enjoy a lie in with the "Stay for Breakfast" promotion

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Forbes Travel Guide Five-Star Hotel. The hotel is now being showcased with all the Star Rating recipients on ForbesTravelGuide.com and is one of only two New York City hotels to receive the Five-Star award since 2016.

Just a few months ago, Forbes Travel Guide unveiled its annual Star Rating list, naming Baccarat as a new

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ORLANDO MAGIC

Close to all of Central Florida's magical family attractions – and far away from your everyday routine, **SHERATON VISTANA RESORT VILLAS** is an official Walt Disney World Good Neighbor Hotel and award-winning destination. When you're not enjoying the Florida sun, The City Beautiful offers world-class dining, luxury shopping, exciting sporting events, and a vibrant cultural and arts scene. And whether you travel with the entire family or alone on business, relaxation is available with just-like-home features in every one-bedroom or two-bedroom/two-bathroom villa.

Located in Lake Buena Vista, the Sheraton Vistana Resort is nestled into 135 acres of beautifully landscaped grounds complete with ponds, falls, fountains, flowers and trees, all adding to a relaxing and picturesque vacation getaway. Just a few steps outside each villa are recreation outlets that include seven pools within giant water play areas, featuring waterfalls, slides, volleyball and interactive water features, 13 clay tennis courts, a food court, restaurant, Market Place, and recreational activities from movie nights to poolside vacation kick-off parties.

SPECIAL OFFER: The "Vacation Bonus" offer means you get your fourth night free

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Go off the grid and have a swing at paradise at the all-new **TRUMP NATIONAL DORAL MIAMI**, where clear skies, plush greens and warm weather are always in season. Following the completion of a \$250 million transformation, the 800-acre tropical oasis boasts 643 lavishly appointed guestrooms and suites, signature dining outlets, legendary golf courses, all-new recreational amenities and the completely re-imagined Spa.

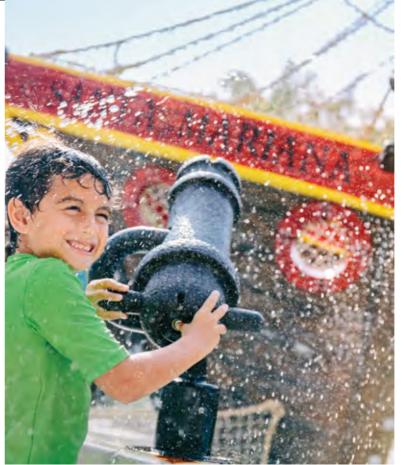
The iconic Miami resort pairs legendary, championship golf courses with breathtaking views and elegant surroundings in a world-class destination just eight miles from Miami International Airport. The prestigious 800-acre resort boasts four championship golf courses, including the legendary Blue Monster and various recreational amenities, including brand new Har-Tru tennis courts. The Royal Palm Pool, with 18 private cabanas and a 125-foot slide, is the perfect setting for Miami weekend getaways, soaking up sun, or poolside fun with your family.

Impeccably designed and exquisitely appointed, the hotel's suites provide a comfortable setting to enjoy the resort's landscape from your private balcony or terrace. One of the largest near Miami Port, the hotel has 643 total guest rooms, 14 deluxe suites, 27 premier suites, two presidential suites and 48 spa suites from which you can unwind. Designed as intimate villa-like lodges, the Miami hotel rooms and luxury suites are just steps from the main clubhouse, championship golf courses, signature restaurants, and Royal Palm Pool oasis and cabanas.

SPECIAL OFFER: The "Best at Doral" package offers \$50 daily resort credit towards dining, golf, spa services and more

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FLORIDA FAMILIES

SHERATON VISTANA VILLAGES is ideally located on the southern end of International Drive in Orlando, one of the world's most beloved destinations. After the thrill of the theme parks, you'll enjoy endless fun with pools, waterslides, game rooms, restaurants, activity programs and more – the perfect family retreat. Enjoy well-appointed luxury villas with generous living and dining areas and like-home conveniences. Each intuitively designed retreat at Sheraton Vistana Villages offers you essential relaxation and rejuvenation, while comfortably accommodating you and all your guests in spacious one- and two-bedroom/two-bath luxury villas.

Whether travelling with the entire family or alone on business, the Sheraton Vistana Villages Resort Villas offers something for everyone on this 75 acre resort, including playgrounds, basketball, volleyball and shuffleboard courts, or the opportunity to unwind and relax in one of the hammocks and swings, beautifully manicured grounds amongst flowering ponds, fountains and falls or in one of three pool complexes with water play areas featuring either waterfalls, slides or a pirate ship. Plus, there are no resort fees or extra fees for Internet access, parking, cribs and fitness facilities all supporting the quality brand and standards that are Sheraton.

SPECIAL OFFER: Book online early and save up to 20%

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ON THE ATLANTIC

A sparkling glass-clad jewel soaring above the Atlantic Ocean, **HYDE RESORT & RESIDENCES HOLLYWOOD BEACH** is a new standard of luxury among South Florida's high-rise beachfront resorts. Globetrotting guests of this oceanfront oasis enjoy a breezy elevated sundeck overlooking the ocean and seven miles of Blue Wave-designated beaches, along with unparalleled luxury amenities and features.

Channelling the glamour and sophistication of Hyde's nightlife destinations in Los Angeles, Las Vegas and Miami Beach, the new Hyde Resort & Residences in Hollywood, Florida reimagines the modern American beach retreat. Guests can enjoy a breezy elevated sundeck overlooking the Atlantic Ocean (with private cabanas and an infinity pool) and a fitness centre with cardio theatre and yoga and Pilates studio, while families head to the beach for playtime on a picture-perfect expanse of sparkling sand.

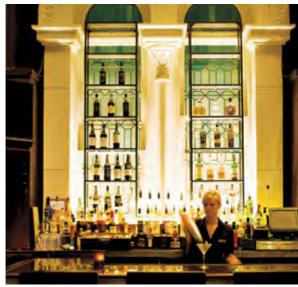
Tucked between Miami and Fort Lauderdale, Hyde Resort & Residences in Hollywood, Florida pairs plenty of on-site and area diversions with easy access to the best shopping and dining that Miami and Fort Lauderdale have to offer. Recently awarded the AAA four diamond award, and perfectly suited for long-term stays in sunny South Florida, the all-suite hotel is fun and family-friendly, with two restaurants serving South Florida's freshest seafood and citrus that will be sure to delight your whole tribe.

SPECIAL OFFER: Guests can get their fourth night free with a special promotion, until September 30

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Guests also have access to the Boca Beach Club, which provides an array of fun activities for guests of all ages such as golf, surfing, boating, private beach access, tennis and Quest Club – an educational and entertaining children's program. Dine at one of the 11 award-wining restaurants or unwind with the ultimate spa experience at the hotel's Waldorf Astoria Spa.

SPECIAL OFFER: Book the Waldorf Astoria Golf Experience package and enjoy a \$150 golf credit per stay

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SPECIAL OFFERS: "The Long Weekender" offer turns your weekends into mini vacations with 50% off Sunday nights

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There is something about the sea that soothes the soul, so discover one of the most beautiful luxury hotels to grace the Florida Gold Coast, with a premier beachfront location that invites guests to savour a voyage of quiet relaxation or thrilling adventure.

SPECIAL OFFER: The Spa Package offers \$100 Spa Credit per day, until December 17

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Putting the East on the coast

With a history every bit as rich as Boston itself, **TAJ BOSTON** is the most iconic and longstanding hotel in the city. Founded in 1927 by the industrious Wyner family as an original landmark hotel, the hotel has remained in continuous operation to the present day. After more 100 years of delighting patrons worldwide, Taj Hotels Resorts and Palaces arrived in Boston in 2007 – a perfect fit for the space, ambience, and historic old world style. Since then, the hotel has assumed a unique identity all its own, drawing simultaneously from its Boston roots and the hospitality traditions of the Taj brand.

At Taj Boston, patrons enjoy the premier address in the city . Steeped in history and enveloped in brownstone architecture, this progressive hub is home to prestigious Harvard University, the beloved Red Sox baseball team, and a thousand other world-class attractions. Stroll through the Public Gardens in any season and be amazed: experience breathtaking foliage in the fall, ice skating on Frog Pond in the winter, tulips blooming in the spring, and Swan Boat rides throughout the summer.

One can explore fashionable Newbury and Arlington streets, where upscale shops such as Chanel and Burberry are only the beginning of more than a mile of the city's finest shopping and dining. Enjoy the sparkle of Tiffany's in our lobby, with exclusive in-room shopping for guests. Or simply take the elevator to the only true rooftop hotel experience in Boston to cast your eyes across the full majesty of the Charles River, iconic Fenway Park, the gold-domed State House, and the towering Prudential Center.

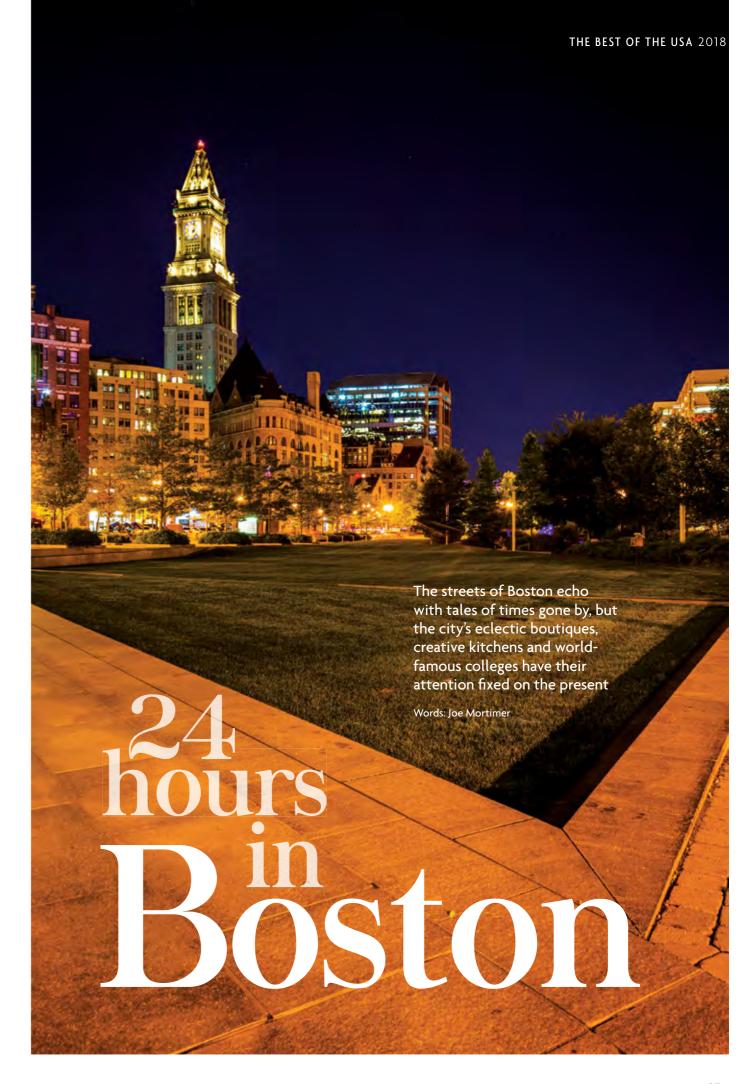
The Café, a triple-A Four Diamond rated restaurant, is a culinary landmark and local favorite for business meetings and leisure dining. This culinary landmark has played host to Elizabeth Taylor, Winston Churchill, and the Duke and Duchess of Windsor. With windows overlooking vibrant Newbury Street, The Café is the perfect location for an afternoon of people watching.

SPECIAL OFFER: The "Spring Into Savings" offer gives 20% off our best available rate

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9.00

Boston is a city so steeped in history, it's hard to move more than a few paces without passing a notable monument. To keep with that theme, you'll need a hotel with an equally epic past, so check into The Langham, Boston. This 1922 renaissance-revivalstyle building in the heart of the city's financial district was once the headquarters of the Federal Reserve Bank, and it continues to exude wealth and grandeur. Under its red awnings on Franklin Street, The Langham maintains a pleasing balance of old and new; bright, contemporary public spaces are adorned with photographs of famous Bostonians, and stylishly complemented by antique items such as an original cash register from its banking days. Freshen up in one of the hotel's 318 rooms and suites before your whirlwind tour of the city.

10.00

Have your limo drop you off outside Faneuil Hall, Boston's most important marketplace and meeting house. The red-brick $building \, is \, one \, of \, the \, key \, land marks \,$ on the Freedom Trail (+1 617 357 8300; www.thefreedomtrail.org), a four-kilometre red-line route that snakes through the city past 16 landmarks. Pick up the trail and follow it south past the Old State House and the site of the 1770 Boston Massacre; the Old Corner Bookstore (Boston's oldest commercial building); and the Granary Burying Ground, where John Hancock, Samuel Adams and Robert Treat Paine (who collectively signed the Declaration or foraged-mushroom and farro of Independence) are laid to rest. The trail ends in Boston Common: a vast green space criss-crossed with joggers, dog walkers and people enjoying the New England sunshine.

12.30

Meet your driver at the far side of the common and cross the Charles River into Cambridge, home of Harvard University and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). Before exploring the most intelligent zip code in the nation, tuck into a hearty New England lunch at Harvest (44 Brattle St., Harvard Square; +1 617 868 2255; www. harvestcambridge.com), where some of the city's most celebrated chefs have prepared seasonal, regional fare since it opened in 1975. Executive chef Tyler Kinnett serves hearty dishes made with ingredients from all over Massachusetts: think ginand juniper-spiced venison sausage,

Appetite sated, head back across the street for a guided tour of the most famous educational faculty in

the world. Soak in the intellectual energy as you walk through the leafy Harvard Old Yard with a student (from the Harvard Information Center; +1 617 495 1573; www.harvard.edu), and learn about some of the college's secrets, like why the Statue of John Harvard is known as the "Statue of Three Lies", and what became of poor Harry Elkins Widener, after whom Harvard's vast 3.5-milliontome library is named. At the end of the tour, exit through Wigglesworth Gate for your ride back to Boston.

Have your driver drop you off in affluent Beacon Hill, home to some of the oldest and wealthiest families in the city. The neighbourhood's steep cobbled streets are lined with gas lanterns and charming red-brick buildings. Some of the best shopping in Boston is found along Charles Street, where traditional stores with wooden façades and pretty

window displays lure in passers-by. Come here for antiques, leather goods, jewellery, vintage clothes and women's fashion labels like Dannijo, Rebecca Minkoff and KM Hudson. At the southern edge of Beacon Hill, the golden-domed Massachusetts State House commands views across the common. No visit is complete without walking through the doors of the nearby Bull & Finch Pub, better known as the place where everybody knows your name: Cheers.

17.00

Head over to Newbury Street in the Back Bay neighbourhood, which competes with Beacon Hill for the title of the most exclusive Boston district. Browse the high-end designer stores and independent boutiques, and admire the wide boulevards and European-style architecture, before going for a VIP hairstyling at Salon Mario Russo (9

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Menton's Gold Bar (354 Congress St.; truffle-buttered brioche. +1 617 737 0099; www.mentonboston. com) in the Seaport District, a short 20.30

Newbury St.; +1 617 424 6676; www. fine wines and rare beers, all served directly from New England farmers. book the Dom Pérignon Lounge, with more than a touch of Mad

("elemental" and "evolutionary"), decadent menu of local fare sourced the most exclusive Bond experience, conclude your visit.

in a suave, gold-plated environment Under the towering seven-metre perched above the bar with sweeping vaulted ceiling of the former Federal Men. If you need a pre-dinner Reserve Bank lobby, Bond has a Time for preprandial drinks at snack, try a fois gras frankfurter or sultry, clubby atmosphere that seems 23.00 more lounge bar than restaurant.

views of the room.

Massachusetts is an early-to-bed kind Seasonal menus feature dishes such of place, and Boston is no exception, as baked Wellfleet oysters with especially midweek. But if you're in limo ride from the hotel. The latest Dress for dinner at Bond (250 Franklin tasso ham and leek gratin, lobster need of a nightcap, the W Lounge addition to chef Barbara Lynch's St.; +1 617 956 8765; www.bondboston. mac and cheese, or Pineland Farms at W Boston (100 Stuart St.; +1 617 acclaimed Menton restaurant, the com), The Langham's signature Black Angus sirloin with bordelaise 261 8700; www.wboston.com) is open Gold Bar dazzles with a mixture of restaurant, where chef de cuisine aged-cheddar potato dauphinois, until 2am every night of the week; classic and contemporary cocktails Sean Patrick Morrison has created a and marrow-roasted shallots. For ideal for a post-dinner cocktail to

WATERFRONT LUXURY IN BOSTON

INTERCONTINENTAL BOSTON is a landmark of luxury overlooking the city's historic waterfront area. With its elegant architecture, high-end amenities and impeccable service, the hotel offers the city's most enthralling hotel experience, just steps from major attractions, such as Quincy Market, Boston Convention & Exhibition Center, North End, Chinatown and a plethora of historical attractions such as the Boston Tea Party Museum and Freedom Trail.

After a long day of work or play, unwind and indulge your senses at SPA InterContinental. The 6,600 square foot facility features a fitness club with weight and cardio equipment, a heated indoor lap pool and steam rooms. Or you could simply relax in one of the 424, contemporary styled guestrooms with brilliant Boston waterfront or downtown city views. The luxurious ultra-modern accommodations offer distinctive style, innovation and convenience.

SPECIAL OFFER: The Park Stay and Explore Package includes accommodation for two with breakfast at Miel and overnight parking for one vehicle

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VICEROY L'ERMITAGE BEVERLY HILLS stands among the finest of California's luxury hotels – a stately property embodying the spirit of a sophisticated private club and a gracious urban residence. Peacefully situated on a tree-lined residential street, yet a short stroll from the bustle of Rodeo Drive, this boutique Beverly Hills hotel is renowned for its legendary elegance and unquestioned privacy – drawing discriminating clients from the world over.

Guests enjoy quick access to the city's cultural attractions, prime entertainment centers, shopping destinations and celebrated beach towns. Acclaimed dining and lounge choices, private dining and meeting spaces, a stunning rooftop pool retreat, an intimate spa, and spacious, sumptuously outfitted guestrooms complete the best-in-class experience visitors have come to expect from this luxury Beverly Hills California hotel.

SPECIAL OFFERS: Pay for two nights and enjoy a third night free with the "Book a Suite Deal" offer

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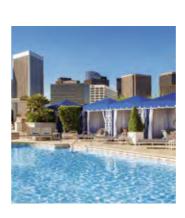
SIP BACK AND RELAX

The only AAA Five Diamond and Forbes Five Star-rated hotel in Southern California each and every year since 1993, **THE PENINSULA BEVERLY HILL**s offers 195 guest rooms, including 38 suites and 17 private villas, nestled among lush tropical gardens in the heart of Beverly Hills. Recently voted as the #2 'Best Hotel in Los Angeles' for 2017, The Peninsula Beverly Hills is located at the intersection of Wilshire and South Santa Monica Boulevards, within easy walking distance of Century City and Beverly Hills' legendary Rodeo Drive.

The hotel labels itself as the ultimate home-away-from-home for discerning guests, whether they're travelling for business or pleasure. Built in a classic Renaissance style, the 195 luxurious guest rooms include 38 elegant suites and 17 private garden villas that exude classic sophistication in a discreet residential setting, all just minutes from Rodeo Drive and Century City. The garden Villa Suites also have access to a private entrance to the hotel's back gate, providing complete confidentiality for guests. With the hotel's unique flexible check-in/ check-out experience, guests can arrive and depart when best suits their whims.

SPECIAL OFFER: "Sip back: and unwind with a specialty cocktail during Peninsula Spa happy hour, Monday through Friday

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VINTAGE HOLLYWOOD

The spa at **MONTAGE BEVERLY HILLS** has celebrated its 10th anniversary this year with several enhancements, including reimagined men's and women's relaxation lounges, refurbished locker rooms, and improved wet areas. Spa Montage Beverly Hills featuring L.RAPHAEL Genève reopened April 16 but the fitness centre and Kim V Salon remained fully functional throughout the overhaul.

Guests can spend the day in a private, poolside cabana and savour rooftop views of the Hollywood Hills - or simply relax in luxurious accommodations rich in both modern comforts and the classic ambiance of a historic Beverly Hills estate. When evening comes, they can dine at renowned chef and restaurateur Geoffrey Zakarian's debut LA restaurant, Georgie, followed by cocktails at The Garden Bar.

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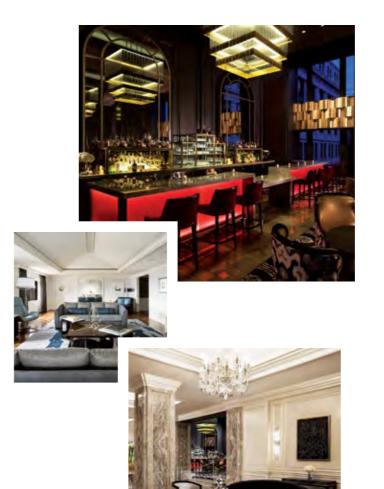
Perfectly located in the heart of the Hills, WALDORF ASTORIA BEVERLY HILLS exemplifies the very best of the California good life. From the moment you step inside, you'll know you've arrived at the center of extraordinary, in part thanks to interior design legend Pierre-Yves Rochon, who is responsible for the over-sized guest rooms - each featuring state-of-theart technology, floor-to-ceiling windows and private balconies. Each room is luxuriously styled with elegant touches like warm white stone, rich wood and pictureperfect views of Beverly Hills. No matter which room style you choose, you can also count on the utmost in comfort and discretion.

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Set within a 1909 landmark building in the scenic neighbourhood of Nob Hill, THE RITZ-CARLTON, **SAN FRANCISCO** is the city's only AAA Five-Diamond hotel. A sophisticated urban retreat featuring 336 luxurious guest rooms and suites, the hotel offers globally inspired California cuisine in Parallel 37, and a cable car stop just outside our door – so guests will not only experience the most distinguished of luxury hotels in San Francisco - they can step out and make some unforgettable memories in The Golden City.

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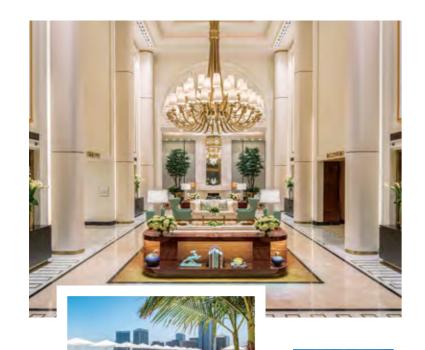


BAY AREA ICON

THE PALACE HOTEL is a San Francisco icon unveiled and a designer's vision brought to life. The building's original architecture and authentic elements have been paired with classically inspired, modern décor, with spaces filled with light, colour and warmth. Guests should allow themselves to be tempted by the hotel's two very tempting restaurants - Garden Court and Pied Piper - each with its own distinct personality and exceptional menus.

SPECIAL OFFER: Enjoy a sumptuous getaway with the "Memorable Mornings for Two", inclusive of daily breakfasts

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VEGAS WITH A TWIST

Stunningly designed and beautifully appointed, MANDARIN ORIENTAL, LAS VEGAS offers city and desert views from the heart of The Strip, as well as the perfect mix of style, serenity and luxury in a non-gaming and smoke-free environment. The magnificent urban resort is surrounded by the city's best-loved sights and attractions, near the entrance to ARIA Resort & Casino, described as "the new cultural epicentre of Las Vegas". Be sure to book a table at Twist by Pierre Gagnaire, the only venue in the entire US where you can sample the culinary creations of the celebrated three Michelin-starred French chef. Located on the 23rd floor, the stunning dining room provides the perfect backdrop for Twist's groundbreaking menu of classic French fare with a contemporary edge. Featuring floor-to-ceiling windows and a dramatic glass staircase leading up to a suspended wine loft.

SPECIAL OFFER: Enjoy two complimentary Moët & Chandon Coins when you book the "Moët Champagne Moment" package

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REST AND RECREATION

A hotel that prides itself in putting guests' desires at the heart of everything it does, **TRUMP INTERNATIONAL HOTEL LAS VEGAS** is a sophisticated, non-smoking and non-gaming, luxury hotel situated high above the Las Vegas Strip. It's just minutes away from the Las Vegas Convention Center and all the best attractions the city has to offer, while remaining removed enough for the perfect getaway. Before even stepping out, the hotel offer a variety of casual and fine dining options, a luxurious poolside experience and state-of-the-art spa and fitness facilities. Among the best luxury hotels in Las Vegas, it will show you a side of this city you have never experienced.

"If you can't always get what you want, you must be staying somewhere else" – it's a bold manifesto but one that the hotel backs up quite handily. The Trump International Hotel Las Vegas clearly takes pride in exceeding guests' expectations and catering to whims with a signature luxury service. The is hotel situated high above The Strip, just steps away from the best shopping and entertainment venues, yet removed enough to provide respite in the midst of lively Las Vegas. The 64-story tower of golden glass soars above The Strip and each of the 1,282 exquisitely appointed non-smoking guest rooms (inclusive of 352 suites and 46 luxurious Las Vegas penthouses) boast floor-to-ceiling windows offering panoramic views of the city and surrounding mountains.

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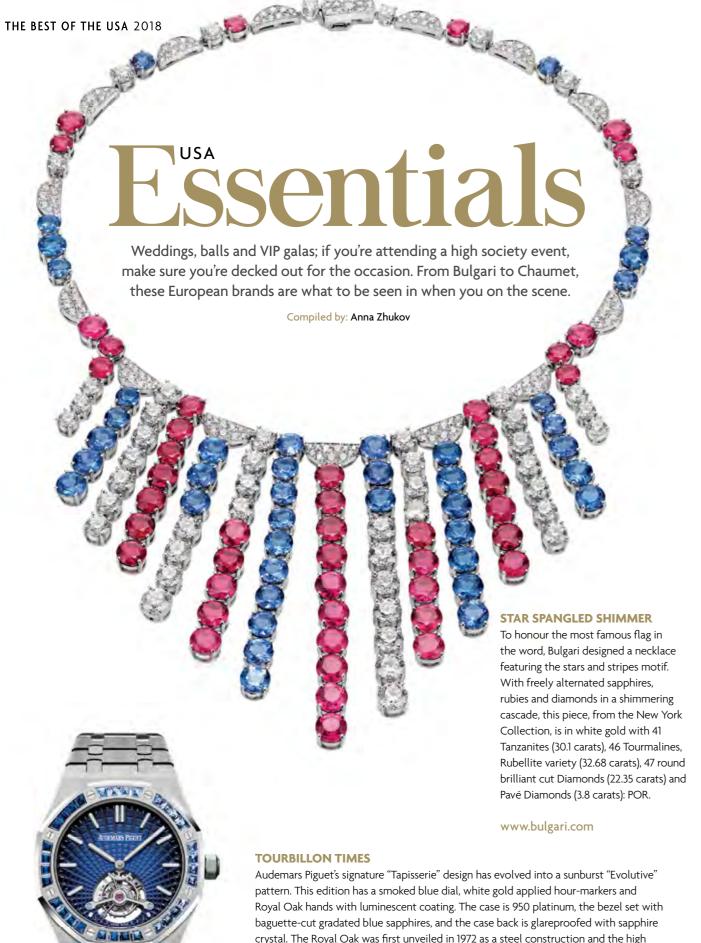
We all know its culinary namesake but THE NOBU HOTEL AND RESTAURANT was actually designed by award-winning New Yorker David Rockwell. Hand selected by Chef Nobu and Robert DeNiro, it was apt that he was the designer for the world's first Nobu Hotel as he similarly designed the first Nobu Restaurant. The Nobu brand's design DNA is reflected in the overall experience – a fusion of Japanese and Asian traditions with Western accompaniments. The designs embrace comfortable simplicity with natural materials and textures counterbalanced with outsized elements to reveal a touch of Vegas flair. Nobu and DeNiro's vision of the rooms and suites are reflected in their work with David Rockwell, assisting with the handpicking of design elements. Some of the style designs for the guest rooms include custom art by up-and-coming Japanese artists that feature a mix of traditional prints and expressionist designs.

SPECIAL OFFER: Receive exclusive "Inner Circle" offers when you sign up for the brand's newsletter online

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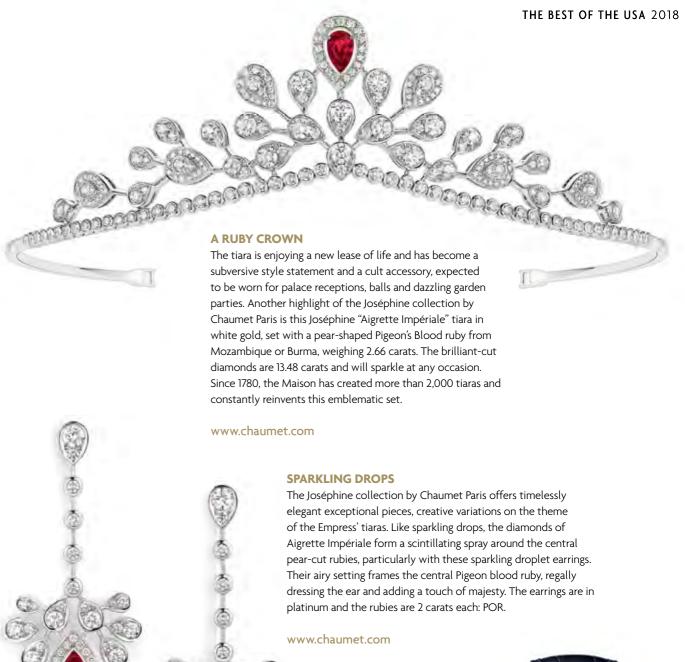






crystal. The Royal Oak was first unveiled in 1972 as a steel construction and the high degree of finishing on the steel case and bracelet that really set it apart. Later, the Royal Oak Extra-Thin Tourbillon debuted in 2012 as part of the Royal Oak 40th anniversary celebrations. This piece comes in a limited edition set of just 50 and is an Audemars Piguet boutique exclusive.

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FLIGHT OF FANCY

The dream of flight is as old as humanity itself. That dream became a reality in the 18th century when mankind defied gravity and began to conquer the kingdom of the skies. The Métiers d'Art Les Aérostiers collection by Vacheron Constantin pays tribute to this formative and thrilling chapter in history. On the scale of a watch dial, the master engravers of the Maison have done something remarkable, faithfully reproducing in miniature the historical depictions of five flights undertaken in France between 1783 and 1785. The hand-engraved and micro-sculpted gold hot-air balloons hover delicately against a translucent plique-à-jour enamel background, neatly complementing the 18-karat white gold

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MANY OF US HAVE GLIMPSED THE US CAPITAL THROUGH THE LENS OF GRITTY, HIGH-STAKES POLITICAL DRAMAS: THE WEST WING; DESIGNATED SURVIVOR; HOUSE OF CARDS, ET AL. BUT IF WE'VE LEARNED ANYTHING FROM US POLITICS OVER THE PAST YEAR, IT'S THAT REALITY IS STRANGER THAN FICTION – AND THE REALITY OF WASHINGTON, D.C. IS THAT IT'S MUCH MORE THAN A CARICATURE CAPITAL. AS OLD AS THE UNION ITSELF AND NAMED AFTER THE USA'S FIRST EVER PRESIDENT, TOURISM IS ACTUALLY THE SECOND LARGEST INDUSTRY IN "D.C.", WITH ALMOST 20 MILLION VISITORS FLOCKING EACH AND EVERY YEAR, LAPPING UP THE GREAT NATION'S RELATIVELY BRIEF (BUT INCREDIBLY DYNAMIC) HISTORY.







LUXURY REIMAGINED

Just a few short years ago, Washington's historic Old Post Office has been lovingly restored far beyond its initial grandeur and now proudly stands as the iconic **TRUMP INTERNATIONAL HOTEL WASHINGTON, D.C.**, bringing a new level of luxury to Pennsylvania Avenue. Attracting locals and travelers alike, our hotel in downtown D.C. features BLT Prime by David Burke, Benjamin Bar & Lounge, a curated walkway museum, The Spa by Ivanka Trump, and the largest luxury hotel ballroom in the city. The five-star hotel in Washington, D.C. offers luxurious guest rooms and suites, of which no two are identical, making every stay truly unique.

The hotel includes 263 of the largest and most luxurious guest rooms and suites in Washington, D.C., with soaring 16-foot ceilings, jaw-dropping views of the Nation's capital, carefully restored original woodwork, and dazzling crystal chandeliers. Event planners have an incredible 38,000 square feet of meeting and event space to work with, including the exquisite 13,200 sq. ft. column-free Presidential Ballroom, which is among the largest luxury ballrooms in the US capital. Additional features include a 10,000 sq. ft. The Spa by Ivanka Trump, a curated walkway museum and Clock Tower observation deck with panoramic views of the capital city.

SPECIAL OFFER: Save 15% off the best available rate when you book 3 days in advance.

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A DC ICON

Located in Washington's fashionable West End and adjacent to historic Georgetown, the newly renovated **FAIRMONT WASHINGTON**, **D.C.** welcomes guests in capital style. With a sunlit urban courtyard that soothes the spirit, the Fairmont is the perfect hotel for business or leisure travel. Fairmont Washington, D.C., Georgetown is known for its engaging service and stylish surroundings. A relaxing visit to our hotel's fitness center, indoor pool and serene courtyard also provide guests with an array of rejuvenating experiences. The finest meeting space, accommodations, and personal service will draw you back to the four-diamond, luxury Washington, D.C. hotel's accommodations time and again.

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SO SCANDALOUS

THE WATERGATE HOTEL'S 336 guest rooms and spacious hotel suites seek to redefine luxury with lavish finishes, sleek furniture and lush bedding, all artfully chosen with the guest in mind. Exclusive La Bottega bath amenities perfectly complement the floor-to-ceiling marble bathrooms. Champagne in hand, guests can revel in these extravagant surroundings while taking in striking views of the Potomac River on private balconies. And, it goes without saying that guests have to make the political pilgrimage to the so-called "Scandal Room".

Decorated in collaboration with costume designer Lyn Paolo, the room contains items from the Watergate Scandal period, including a record player with 45 singles, binoculars, a manual typewriter, a reel-to-reel tape recorder, a curated book collection and several pieces of furniture that serve as a throwback to the 1970s. Modern amenities are also included—a 48" flat screen TV with episodes of Scandal available for viewing. A spa-like bathroom with La Bottega amenities and two "Cover Up" robes to enjoy during your stay.

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THE SIXT SENSE

America was founded to escape the monarchy, but for the past century the car has been crowned as king. Unless you're an inner city dweller, you're going to need a set of wheels when you're in the USofA – and an increasing number of travellers are opting to drive themselves in and around cities, as well as hitting the tarmac for iconic road trips across open country.

A powerhouse in the European market for since the early 20th century, **SIXT** is still an upstart across the pond, but has taken the US by storm since it set up shop around a decade ago - and the company is now poised to expand quicker and further, truly cracking America.

So are you looking to rent a luxury vehicle stateside? Some favourites include the 5-Series BMW, Audi A4, Mercedes-Benz C-Class, and the Cadillac SRX. If you're in the market for something more exotic, Sixt offers some American muscle like the Chevrolet Corvette or the Ford Mustang GT Coupe, available on request at select US locations.

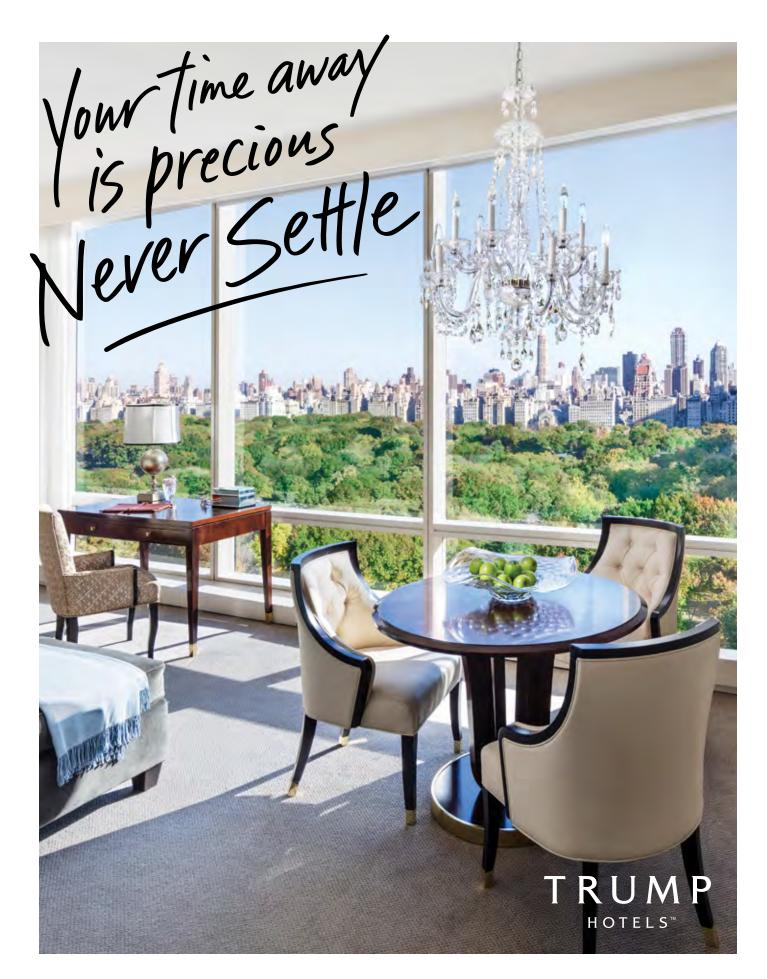


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