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HOTEL HOTLIST

Jet off to one of these
European city hotspots
for a stylish break





Hotel Rochechouart, Paris, France

IN A SENTENCE

An example of art deco opulence, instilled with a fabulous, celeb-filled history – not least thanks to its legendary nightclub.

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Set in the artistic Pigalle neighbourhood of Paris, originally opened in 1929 as The Charleston, Hotel Rochechouart hasn't lost touch with its past. Revived by interior design duo Festen, an art deco staircase is contrasted with a sleek glass elevator; wood, brass and marble take pride of place; bedrooms feature vintage brass lamps and parquet floors; and the walls of the communal areas are lined with black and white photography and landscape sketches.

ON THE MENU

Why, French classics, of course! Think duck and foie gras pithiviers in Rochechouart Restaurant, or a seafood platter at the Citrons et Huitres oyster bar next door.

HOTEL HIGHLIGHT

Le Mikado nightclub, reopened recently, and once graced by the likes of Maurice Chevalier and Josephine Baker.



Nobu Hotel Sevilla, Seville, Spain

IN A SENTENCE

The grand new offering from Nobu, set in Seville's stunning Plaza de San Francisco, is a 20th-century time capsule with a contemporary finish – architecture enthusiasts will love it here.

DESIGN DOWNLOAD

Set in two beautifully ornamental 20th-century buildings, this hotel has been carefully designed around original features – like the staircase, adorned with antique tiles, and the central glass courtyard. Still, Nobu has found a way to instil its Japanese roots into the design, too: the materials in each suite are inspired by the Far East, including beautiful handcrafted wooden furniture we'd pay to take home. Don't forget to visit the rooftop terrace, complete with swimming pool, to admire the city beyond.

ON THE MENU

You can't miss a trip to the Nobu restaurant, of course, serving up iconic dishes like black cod miso and yellow tail sashimi.

IN THE NEIGHBOURHOOD

Take a stroll down Calle Sierpes, lined with luxury boutiques. ➤



12|14 Stradom House, Krakow, Poland

IN A SENTENCE

A heritage-rich, wellness-led hotel and lifestyle destination, set in a former 14th-century church and monastery.

DESIGN DOWNLOAD

12|14 Stradom House's monastic setting is the perfect backdrop for an interior that celebrates a fusion of Polish history and modernism. The brainchild of ADC Atelier, design highlights include a palette of soft pinks and patinated blues, traditional Krakow tiled floors, and locally sourced vintage furniture, mixed with modern pieces like high-gloss desks and contemporary patterned rugs.

ON THE MENU

There are three restaurants and bars on site, including seafood spot John Dory, Mediterranean-inspired Gaia and Hedwig's Club that serves up innovative cocktails like the truffle-infused Bourbon creation N2.

DON'T MISS

The Sól spa: enjoy the 20m indoor pool, saunas and sound room before heading for a facial in one of the cave-like treatment rooms. ➤

