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Tripadvisor Inspires Travelers for Their Next Hotel Stay With the World's Best for 2021

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Annual Travelers' Choice Best of the Best Awards for Hotels Introduces New Lodging Categories: Hottest New Hotels, Top Rooftop Hotels, Safari Stays and Picture-Perfect Hotels

NEEDHAM, Mass., May 12, 2021 /PRNewswire/ -- With a year's worth of pent-up travel demand on the brink of bursting as summer approaches, <u>Tripadvisor®</u>, the world's largest travel guidance platform, today announced its annual **Travelers' Choice® Best of the Best Awards for Hotels**, giving people the inspiration they need to finally turn their daydreams into real trips. Nearly half (45%) of Americans in a recent Tripadvisor survey are planning to travel internationally this year, and 64% are planning to stay in a hotel this year*.



Every year, Tripadvisor combs through the millions of reviews from its global community of travelers to surface the hotels that people raved about most, and this year is no different. Even during the pandemic, travelers continued to discover, book, and give feedback on places to stay, both near and far. Despite significant disruption to the hospitality industry in 2020, hotels around the world found new ways to dazzle guests and deliver top-of-the-line service.

To see all Travelers' Choice Best of the Best Hotel winners for 2021, across all categories, visit: tripadvisor.com/TravelersChoice-Hotels.

"As the world gears up for a busier summer travel season, Tripadvisor's highly coveted Best of the Best Awards are here to help people discover spectacular places to stay as they start planning their long-awaited next trip," said Lindsay Nelson, chief experience and brand officer at Tripadvisor. "From tropical bungalows in the Caribbean to scenic safari lodges in Africa, this year's winners span six continents and 83 countries — plenty of options to cover any type of trip travelers are craving."

New year, new categories

In addition to the much-loved categories of hotels and B&Bs that Tripadvisor typically awards, an exciting change for 2021 includes the introduction of four brand-new categories, taking the total to 10. New this year are the Hottest New Hotels (properties that opened in July 2019 or later), Top Rooftop Hotels, Safari Stays and Picture-Perfect Hotels (properties with gorgeous photos on Tripadvisor).

The No. 1 hotel in the United States for 2021 is <u>Mint House at 70 Pine</u> in New York City. Located inside one of Lower Manhattan's art deco masterpieces, the hotel offers apartment-style living with suites that it boasts are "three times the space of traditional New York hotel rooms." As its visitors say, "Whether you are local or a tourist, you will love staying here." Globally, the No. 1 hotel in the world for 2021 is <u>Hotel Colline de France</u> in Gramado, Brazil, known for its personalized service inspired by French elegance.

Top 10 Hotels in the U.S. for 2021:

- Mint House at 70 Pine New York City, N.Y. Travelers rave: "Relaxed, chic hotel with AMAZING customer service."
- 2. <u>Trump International Hotel Washington D.C.</u> Washington, D.C. **Travelers rave:** "If you want to be pampered...then this is the place for you! I can't imagine a more beautiful hotel room."
- The Nantucket Hotel & Resort Nantucket, Mass.
 Travelers rave: "The entire team, from GM to front desk and staff in the restaurant, made our stay personal and special."
- French Quarter Inn Charleston, S.C.
 Travelers rave: "I'd say it felt like a home away from home. But it's nicer than that!"
- Acqualina Resort & Residences on the Beach Sunny Isles Beach, Fla.
 Travelers rave: "I wouldn't be able to write enough great things about this resort. From valet to check in and of course, pool and beach, the staff was phenomenal."
- Perry Lane Hotel, A Luxury Collection Hotel Savannah, Ga.
 Travelers rave: "Beautiful, comfortable hotel with incredible amenities."

7. The Ivey's Hotel - Charlotte, N.C.

Travelers rave: "Our room was spectacular! They thought of everything! It was comfy, yet hip and luxurious."

- Mandarin Oriental, Boston Boston, Mass.
 Travelers rave: "From arrival to departure, everything was taken care of for us."
- 9. The Lancaster Hotel Houston, Texas

Travelers rave: "Run, don't walk, to this perfect, luxurious boutique hotel in Houston!"

<u>The Rittenhouse Hotel</u> - Philadelphia, Pa.
 <u>Travelers rave</u>: "The hotel is completely spotless, and offers amazing views of the park below."

2021 Travelers' Choice Best of the Best Hotels by Category

Category	U.S. #1	World #1
Top Hotel	<u>Mint House at 70 Pine</u> – New York City, N.Y	Hotel Colline de France - Gramado, Brazil
Best hotels overall		
NEW! Hottest New Hotel	No U.S. list – world only	Arinna Cappadocia - Göreme, Turkey
Opened July 2019 or later	(Highest ranking U.S. hotel: Charleston's <u>Emeline</u> at #7)	
NEW! Best Safari Stay	No U.S. list – world only	Patagonia Camp - Torres del Paine National
Properties with safari features		Park, Chile
NEW! Top Rooftop Hotel	No U.S. list – world only	Hanoi La Siesta Diamond Hotel & Spa -
Hotels with the best rooftops	(Lish est regulies LLC, betal, Causer able Dame, Long Lister, Alexandri	Hanoi, Vietnam
	(Highest ranking U.S. hotel: Savannah's <u>Perry Lane Hotel, A Luxury</u>	
NEW! Picture-Perfect Hotel	Collection Hotel at #19)	Emerald Meldives Desert & Cas
	No U.S. list – world only	Emerald Maldives Resort & Spa - Fasmendhoo, Maldives
Hotels with gorgeous photos	The Kelsen Hause A Deutine Lee Organistic Or	
Best Small Hotel Fewer than 30 rooms	<u>The Kehoe House - A Boutique Inn</u> - Savannah, Ga.	Luxury Villa Excelsior Parco - Capri, Italy
Best Romance Hotel	The Kehee Heure A Poutigue Inn. Sevenneh Co	Norrowa Econo Deinferent Detrect
	<u>The Kehoe House - A Boutique Inn</u> - Savannah, Ga.	Narrows Escape Rainforest Retreat -
Majority of reviews from couples Best B&B/Inn		Montville, Australia
Limited to B&Bs/Inns	Bayfront Westcott House Bed & Breakfast - St. Augustine, Fla.	The Toulson Court – Scarborough, United Kingdom
Best All Inclusive	No U.S. list – world & regional only	Ikos Olivia - Gerakini, Greece
Limited to All-Inclusive		
properties		
Most Saved Hotel	Havana Cabana at Key West - Key West, Fla.	Havana Cabana at Key West - Key West,
Highest volume of "saves" on		Fla.
Tripadvisor		

Methodology

2021 Travelers' Choice Best of the Best Hotel winners are determined based on the quality and quantity of traveler reviews and ratings posted on Tripadvisor between 1/1/2020 and 12/31/2020 specific to each award subcategory, as well as an additional editorial process.

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Note to editor

*Data cited is from a Tripadvisor Consumer Sentiment Survey, based on data drawn from an online survey of 2,330 consumers, in partnership with Qualtrics, conducted between 12/28/20 through 1/10/21 across six countries: U.S., U.K., Australia, Italy, Singapore and Japan.

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* Source: SimilarWeb, unique users de-duplicated monthly, March 2021

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