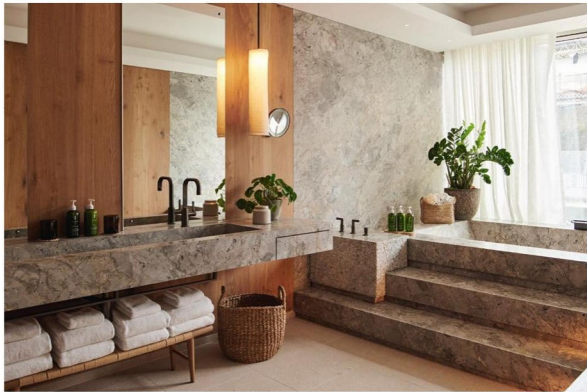




# HOTEL HOTLIST

This month, we're talking  
chic stays in top European cities





## 1 Hotel Mayfair, London

### IN A SENTENCE

An impeccably stylish, incredibly welcoming central London hotspot with sustainability at its core.

### DESIGN DOWNLOAD

This hotel's environmental credentials are clear: flooring is made from fallen trees on the Windsor Estate, bathroom tiles are made from Welsh slate, and plants are absolutely everywhere. Its signature scent, incidentally, is also incredible, with notes of eucalyptus and cedar wood – buy yourself a candle to take home.

### ON THE MENU

A dinner at Dovetale restaurant (left), headed by two Michelin-starred chef Tom Sellers, was one of the best we've had in London recently – enhanced by a make-your-own knickerbocker glory station that catered to our sweet tooth very well indeed.

### HOTEL HIGHLIGHT

Situated on Berkeley Street, overlooking Green Park, you're right at the centre of the action – and at the end of a long day on your feet, you head to the dedicated wellness floor to unwind at the spa.

## Le Bristol Paris

### IN A SENTENCE

Five-star Le Bristol Paris – an Oetker Collection hotel – was already a must-stay in the city of lights, but its newly reimagined Azur Terrace Suite has given us even more reason to visit.

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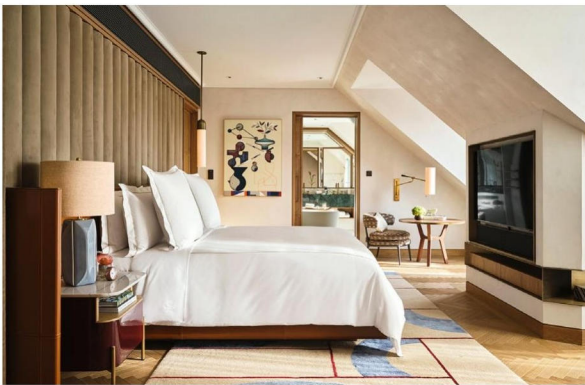
There's a unique concept behind the design of the new suite – it was created to showcase the creative universe of French artist Agnès Sandahl, whose dreamlike fresco, crafted with Chinese ink and gold leaf, defines the space. Alongside elegant furnishings, it also features framed paintings by the artist, as well as a custom ceramic fountain and tabletop in the outdoor area. Dreamy.

### ON THE MENU

Le Bristol is home to four Michelin stars between its restaurant and brasserie. We do have to shout out Le Bar du Bristol, too, for its fresh cocktail menu.

### HOTEL HIGHLIGHT

Le Bristol After Dark, the post-10pm transformation of the bar that turns it into a celebration of 'the golden ages of partying'. ➤



## Rosewood Munich

### IN A SENTENCE

Both an immersive experience of this city's grand Baroque architectural history and a living art gallery, this is a special place to explore one of Germany's most popular spots.

### DESIGN DOWNLOAD

Housed within the former Bavarian State Bank HQ and the once aristocratic residence Palais Neuhaus-Preysing, the hotel benefits from some real architectural gems, yet Hilmer Sattler Architekten Ahlers and Tara Bernerd & Partners have managed to inject the space with a freshness that comes from the Bauhaus-inspired colour palette and the understated natural furnishings.

### ON THE MENU

Dine in Cuvilliés for classic brasserie fare with an Alpine twist, be it Steckerlfisch (fish grilled on a stick) or spinach dumplings.

### CULTURE CORNER

Get a lesson in local talent from the artworks dotted around the hotel, including pieces by illustrator Olaf Hajek, wood carver Rosanna Merklin and photographer Michael Mann.



## Portrait Milano

### IN A SENTENCE

Located just off the city's buzzy main shopping street, the Portrait is a design retreat in the most literal sense – quiet luxury in a feast of a city.

### DESIGN DOWNLOAD

This is a hotel that celebrates its history, and the original building – a reclaimed seminary – takes centre stage. Our room was decorated in rich tones of red, umber and gold, with chic, beautifully curated furniture and an all-marble bathroom. The look is incredibly Italian; style is the overriding experience.

### ON THE MENU

The casual dining 10\_11 Restaurant feels warm and convivial, with a menu that celebrates the best of Italian culinary tradition.

### IN THE GROUNDS

A hotel's allure is about the public spaces too, and these are perfectly executed – from the intimate but buzzy bar, clearly a favourite of the local fashion crowd, to the remarkably sunny terrace – the perfect spot for a gelato.

