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THE
TOP
100
2013
READERS'
CHOICE
AWARDS

The cuisine is as tempting
as the pool at the Hacienda
San Gabriel de las Palmas resort,
near Cuernavaca, Mexico.

EUROPE

Greece and Turkey earn their first Top 10 list of hotels this year, with a boost from six properties in Istanbul. But the headliner is London, with 29 of Britain's Top 35 hotels.

Hotels

UNITED KINGDOM

TOP 35

- 1 The Connaught, London 95.9
- 2 41, London 95.4
- 3 Soho Hotel, London 95.3
- 4 Chesterfield Mayfair, London 92.7
- 5 Le Manoir Aux Quat' Saisons, Oxford 92.5
- 6 The Goring, London 92.4
- 7 The Lanesborough, London 91.8
- 8 The Savoy, London 91.2
- 9 Stafford London 89.7
- 10 The Berkeley, London 89.2
- 11 The Scotsman, Edinburgh 89.1
- 12 Bath Priory Hotel & Spa, Bath 88.7
- 13 The Balmoral, Edinburgh 88.6
- 14 Rubens at the Palace, London 88.2
- 15 Four Seasons Hotel London at Park Lane 88.0
- 16 Corinthia Hotel London 87.9
- 17 Dukes Hotel, London 87.6
- 18 Claridge's, London 87.4
- 19 The Athenaeum, London 87.2
- 20 St. James's Hotel and Club, London 86.8
- 21 Mandarin Oriental Hyde Park, London 86.4
- 22 45 Park Lane, London 86.1
- 23 The Dorchester, London 86.0
- 24 St Martins Lane, London 86.0
- 25 George Hotel, Edinburgh 85.8
- 26 Sofitel London St James 85.5
- 27 Blakes Hotel London 85.2
- 28 Brown's Hotel, London 85.0
- 29 The Ritz London 84.8
- 30 The Arch, London 84.7
- 31 The Langham, London 84.1
- 32 K&K Hotel George, London 83.6
- 32 Royal Crescent Hotel, Bath 83.6
- 34 The May Fair, London 83.3
- 35 St. Pancras Renaissance London Hotel 83.2

NO. 1

Nearing the two-century mark (in 2015), The Connaught rises to No. 1 for the first time—an impressive feat in London, which has the most top-rated hotels of any city in the world.

NO. 23

Opened in 1931, The Dorchester became the flagship property of the Dorchester Collection in 1996. The nine hotels in the collection include 45 Park Lane, at No. 22.

NO. 3, FRANCE & MONACO HOTELS
Le Bristol Paris's sixth-floor pool has views of Sacré-Coeur and Montmartre.



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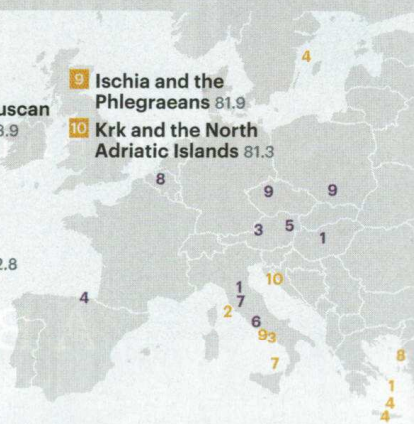
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TOP 10 CITIES

- 1 Budapest 83.8
- 1 Florence 83.8
- 3 Salzburg 83.3
- 4 San Sebastián 83.2
- 5 Vienna 83.1
- 6 Rome 83.0
- 7 Siena 82.9
- 8 Bruges 82.3
- 9 Kraków 81.3
- 9 Prague 81.3

TOP 10 ISLANDS

- 1 Santorini 86.6
- 2 Elba and the Tuscan Archipelago 83.9
- 3 Capri 83.7
- 4 Crete 82.8
- 4 Mykonos 82.8
- 4 Stockholm Archipelago 82.8
- 7 Lipari and the Aeolians 82.6
- 8 Bozcaada and Gökçeada 82.4
- 9 Ischia and the Phlegraeans 81.9
- 10 Krk and the North Adriatic Islands 81.3



IRELAND

TOP 10

- 1 Ballynahinch Castle, Connemara 93.7
- 2 The Merrion, Dublin 92.4
- 3 Lough Eske Castle, Donegal 91.5
- 4 Hayfield Manor Hotel, Cork 87.5
- 4 The Shelbourne, Dublin 87.5
- 6 Westbury Hotel, Dublin 87.1
- 7 Fitzwilliam Hotel, Dublin 84.6
- 8 The G, Galway 83.7
- 9 Four Seasons Hotel Dublin 82.0
- 10 Conrad Dublin 81.8

FRANCE & MONACO

TOP 30

- 1 Le Meurice, Paris 97.1
- 2 Hôtel Plaza Athénée, Paris (temporarily closed) 97.0
- 3 Le Bristol Paris 96.5
- 4 Four Seasons Hotel George V, Paris 96.0
- 5 Shangri-La Hotel, Paris 94.1
- 6 Park Hyatt Paris-Vendôme 93.0
- 7 Hôtel du Palais, Biarritz 92.9
- 8 Hôtel le Cep, Beaune 92.3
- 9 Domaine les Crayères, Reims 91.9
- 10 Hôtel du Cap-Eden-Roc, Cap d'Antibes 91.5
- 10 Mandarin Oriental, Paris 91.5
- 12 La Villa Gallici, Aix-en-Provence 91.4
- 13 Hotel Byblos, St-Tropez 91.0
- 14 Château de la Chèvre d'Or, Èze 90.7
- 15 Hôtel de Paris, Monte Carlo 90.5
- 16 Château Eza, Èze 90.0
- 17 Grand Hotel de Bordeaux & Spa 89.5
- 18 Le Pavillon de la Reine, Paris 89.1
- 19 Hôtel Raphael, Paris 88.6
- 19 La Mirande, Avignon 88.6
- 21 Renaissance Paris Arc de Triomphe Hotel 88.5
- 22 Hyatt Paris Madeleine 88.4
- 23 Hôtel d'Aubusson, Paris 87.3
- 24 Hôtel de l'Abbaye, Paris 87.2
- 25 Le Royal Monceau, Paris 86.1
- 26 Sofitel Marseille Vieux Port 85.7
- 27 Fairmont Monte Carlo 85.1
- 28 Hyatt Regency Nice Palais de la Méditerranée, 84.9
- 29 Hôtel Lancaster, Paris 84.6
- 30 Hôtel de la Cité, Carcassonne 84.3

LOW COUNTRIES

TOP 5

- 1 De L'Europe, Amsterdam 94.2
- 2 Grand Hotel Amrâth, Amsterdam 88.9
- 3 Sofitel Legend Grand Amsterdam 86.8
- 4 Hotel Pulitzer (Luxury Collection), Amsterdam 86.4
- 5 InterContinental Amstel Amsterdam 84.2

NORTHERN EUROPE

TOP 20

- 1 Ritz-Carlton, Berlin 93.9
- 2 Hotel Adlon Kempinski Berlin 93.4
- 3 Regent Berlin 92.4
- 4 Mandarin Oriental, Munich 92.0
- 5 Park Hyatt Hamburg 90.7
- 6 Hotel Vier Jahreszeiten Kempinski Munich 88.8
- 7 Brenners Park-Hotel & Spa, Baden-Baden 88.3
- 8 Grand Hyatt Berlin 87.6
- 9 Hilton Dresden 87.4
- 10 Villa Kennedy, Frankfurt 87.2
- 11 Berlin Marriott Hotel 86.6
- 11 Cologne Marriott Hotel 86.6
- 13 Grand Hôtel, Stockholm 86.5
- 14 Swissôtel Berlin 86.4
- 15 Hotel Concorde Berlin 85.6
- 16 Hotel Taschenbergpalais Kempinski, Dresden 84.3
- 17 Kempinski Hotel Bristol Berlin 83.9
- 18 Radisson Blu Royal Hotel, Bergen 83.8
- 19 Radisson Blu Hotel, Kraków 83.4
- 20 Hotel Bristol (Luxury Collection), Warsaw 83.3

SPAIN & PORTUGAL

TOP 15

- 1 Parador Santiago de Compostela 97.1
- 2 Hotel Villa Magna, Madrid 95.8
- 3 Hotel Alfonso XIII (Luxury Collection), Seville 94.3
- 4 Four Seasons Hotel Ritz Lisbon 93.7
- 5 Hotel Arts, Barcelona 92.2
- 6 Hotel 1898, Barcelona 92.0
- 7 ME Madrid 90.9
- 8 Mandarin Oriental, Barcelona 90.2
- 9 Olisippo Lapa Palace, Lisbon 89.1
- 10 Majestic Hotel & Spa, Barcelona 88.2
- 11 Hotel Casa Fuster, Barcelona 87.8
- 12 Gran Meliá Fénix, Madrid 86.4
- 13 Westin Palace, Madrid 86.0
- 14 AC Santo Mauro, Madrid 84.0
- 15 Sofitel Lisbon Liberdade 83.7

ITALY

TOP 50

- 1 Grand Hotel Timeo, Taormina 98.7
- 2 Villa San Michele, Fiesole 97.5
- 3 Four Seasons Hotel Firenze 96.7
- 4 St. Regis Florence 96.4
- 5 Le Sirenuse, Positano 95.8
- 6 Castello di Casole, Casole d'Elsa 95.6
- 7 Hotel Splendido & Splendido Mare, Portofino 95.3
- 7 Palazzo Avino, Ravello 95.3
- 9 Castello Banfi il Borgo, Montalcino 94.8
- 10 Il San Pietro di Positano 94.5