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The right hotel is a cornerstone of an unforgettable vacation. It's the details that stay with you: the pressed Egyptian cotton sheets, the expertly mixed nightcap in the lobby bar, the always-attentive concierge who somehow gets impossible-to-get reservations, the restorative hot-stone massage—en suite, for good measure. Moments like these are what inform the T+L 500—our directory of the most trusted, best-loved hotels as voted by you, our discerning readers, in the World's Best Awards survey.

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Windsor Court Hotel
New Orleans \$\$\$\$

XV Beacon Hotel
Boston \$\$

CANADA

Auberge Saint-Antoine
Quebec City \$

**Fairmont Chateau
Lake Louise**
Alberta \$\$\$

Fairmont Waterfront
Vancouver \$\$

Fogo Island Inn
Newfoundland \$\$\$\$

**Four Seasons Resort &
Residences Whistler**
British Columbia \$\$\$

"Sitting around a firepit in the summer, surrounded by the mountains of the Whistler Blackcomb ski resort and pine forests, felt like being at camp again."

—John Wogan, *Special Projects Editor*

Loden Hotel
Vancouver \$\$

Manoir Hovey
North Hatley, Quebec \$\$

Post Hotel & Spa
Lake Louise, Alberta \$\$

Ritz-Carlton, Montreal
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Wickaninnish Inn
Tofino, British Columbia \$\$\$

CARIBBEAN, BERMUDA, AND THE BAHAMAS

Amanera
Playa Grande, Dominican
Republic \$\$\$\$

Anse Chastanet
St. Lucia \$\$\$

Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort
Aruba \$\$\$

**Cap Juluca, a Belmond
Hotel**
Anguilla \$\$\$\$

"The suites are plush and the service is superb, but it's Maundays Bay—Cap Juluca's comma of velvety sand—that takes my breath away every time I see it."

—Sarah Greaves-Gabbadon,
Contributor

Cap Maison Resort & Spa
St. Lucia \$\$\$

**Cheval Blanc St.-Barth
Isle de France**
St. Bart's \$\$\$\$

Curtain Bluff
Antigua \$\$\$

Eden Roc Cap Cana
Punta Cana, Dominican
Republic \$\$\$

Eden Rock-St. Barths
St. Bart's \$\$\$\$

Frangipani Beach Resort
Anguilla \$\$

Grace Bay Club
Turks and Caicos \$\$\$

Half Moon
Montego Bay, Jamaica \$\$\$\$

Jade Mountain
St. Lucia \$\$\$\$

Jamaica Inn
Ocho Rios, Jamaica \$\$

Jumby Bay Island
Antigua \$\$\$\$

Kamalame Cay
Bahamas \$\$\$

Ladera Resort
St. Lucia \$\$\$\$

Le Barthélemy Hotel & Spa
St. Bart's \$\$\$

Le Sereno
St. Bart's \$\$\$

Le Toiny St. Barth
St. Bart's \$\$\$\$

Palm Heights
Cayman Islands \$\$

Point Grace
Turks and Caicos \$\$\$

Round Hill Hotel & Villas
Montego Bay, Jamaica \$\$\$\$

**Royalton Negril, an
Autograph Collection
All-Inclusive Resort**
Jamaica \$\$

Secret Bay
Dominica \$\$\$

Seven Stars Resort & Spa
Turks and Caicos \$\$\$

**St. Regis Bahia Beach
Resort**
Rio Grande, Puerto Rico
\$\$\$\$

**Sugar Beach, a Viceroy
Resort**
St. Lucia \$\$\$\$

Tensing Pen
Negril, Jamaica \$

MEXICO AND CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA

**Arenas Del Mar Beachfront
& Rainforest Resort**
Manuel Antonio, Costa Rica
\$\$

Awasi Patagonia
Torres del Paine National
Park, Chile \$\$\$\$

Bahla Vik
José Ignacio, Uruguay \$\$

Banyan Tree Cabo Marqués
Acapulco, Mexico \$\$

Banyan Tree Mayakoba
Playa del Carmen, Mexico
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"The expansive property feels like a world of its own—a jungle-like lair with forest trails, a serpentine lagoon that's home to furrowed wood turtles, and my favorite, the dreamy villas, each with a private pool."

—Alisha Prakash,
Senior Digital Editor

Blancaneaux Lodge
Cayo District, Belize \$\$\$

Cala de Mar Resort & Spa
Ixtapa
Mexico \$\$

**The Cape,
a Thompson Hotel**
Cabo San Lucas, Mexico \$\$\$

**Casa Chameleon at
Mal País**
Costa Rica \$\$

**Casa de Sierra Nevada,
a Belmond Hotel**
San Miguel de Allende,
Mexico \$\$\$

Casa Gangotena
Quito, Ecuador \$\$

"When I think of the moment I fell hard and fast for Quito—its exuberant, high-altitude sprawl and primordial natural splendor—I think of the elegant rooftop terrace of Casa Gangotena, where I sipped a cocktail while taking in a hallucinatory sunset."

—David Amsden, *Contributor*

Casa Palopó
Atitlán, Guatemala \$

Casa San Agustín
Cartagena, Colombia \$\$

Cavas Wine Lodge
Mendoza, Argentina \$\$\$

**Chileno Bay Resort &
Residences, Auberge
Resorts Collection**
Cabo San Lucas, Mexico
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**Copal Tree Lodge, a
Muy'Ono Resort**
Toledo, Belize \$\$

**Esperanza, Auberge
Resorts Collection**
Cabo San Lucas, Mexico
\$\$\$\$

Banyan Tree Mayakoba



Playa del Carmen, Mexico