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Few travelers are as insightful or engaged as you, our esteemed readers. For this year's World's Best Awards survey, we asked you to share your opinions on hotels, islands, safari outfitters, national parks, and more.

Hundreds of thousands of votes were cast to create this 28th edition of the travel industry's most trusted rankings.

Cheers to you—and to this year's winners!



NO. 1 HOTEL IN SAN FRANCISCO

The reception desk of the San Francisco Proper, which is housed in a Beaux-Arts building.

20 BEST HAWAII RESORT HOTELS

- Hotel Wailea**
Maui 94.85 ★
Perfect for honeymooners, this adults-only Maui hideaway has just 72 suites, all of which come with soaking tubs and lanais; many also have views of the Pacific and nearby islands.
- Montage Kapalua Bay**
Maui 94.18
- Kaimana Beach Hotel**
Oahu 93.93
- Mauna Lani, Auberge Resorts Collection**
Island of Hawaii 93.80
- Halekulani**
Oahu 93.76 ★
- The Ritz-Carlton Maui, Kapalua**
93.56
- The Westin Hapuna Beach Resort**
Island of Hawaii 93.19
- Four Seasons Resort Maui at Wailea**
92.84
- Fairmont Orchid, Hawaii**
Island of Hawaii 92.53 ★
- Ko'a Kea Hotel & Resort on Po'ipu Beach**
Kauai 92.00 ★
- Mauna Kea Beach Hotel, Autograph Collection**
Island of Hawaii 92.00
- Four Seasons Resort Lanai**
91.89 ★
- Fairmont Kea Lani**
Maui 91.80
- Four Seasons Resort Hualalai**
Island of Hawaii 91.49 ★

- Outrigger Reef Waikiki Beach Resort**
Oahu 91.16
- Four Seasons Resort Oahu at Ko Olina**
90.29
- Turtle Bay Resort**
Oahu 90.15
- The Ritz-Carlton Residences, Waikiki Beach**
Oahu 89.50
- Hana-Maui Resort, Destination by Hyatt**
Maui 89.25
- The Kahala Hotel & Resort**
Oahu 89.24

5 BEST PUERTO RICO RESORT HOTELS

- Dorado Beach, a Ritz-Carlton Reserve**
Dorado 91.41
One of the most luxurious resorts in the region—set on 50 acres once owned by Laurence S. Rockefeller—is a repeat winner. Readers loved its two excellent golf courses and blissful spa.
- Condado Ocean Club**
San Juan 89.93
- Condado Vanderbilt Hotel**
San Juan 88.71
- El Conquistador, a Waldorf Astoria Resort**
Fajardo 87.82
- Fairmont El San Juan Hotel**
Carolina 87.15

5 BEST SAN FRANCISCO CITY HOTELS

- San Francisco Proper Hotel**
92.12
Designer Kelly Wearstler brought her eclectic aesthetic to this Market Street mainstay, which offers knockout skyline views from its rooftop bar, Charmaine's.
- The St. Regis San Francisco**
91.29
- Four Seasons Hotel San Francisco**
90.88
- The Ritz-Carlton, San Francisco**
90.35
- Palace Hotel, a Luxury Collection Hotel, San Francisco**
89.00

3 BEST SAN DIEGO CITY HOTELS

- Pendry San Diego**
95.89
Elevated California cool defines this hotel in the Gaslamp Quarter. Outdoor activities include hydrofoiling lessons and photographer-led hikes.
- InterContinental San Diego**
89.56
- Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina**
84.00

5 BEST SEATTLE CITY HOTELS

- Lotte Hotel Seattle**
95.43
More is more at this Philippe Starck-designed hotel, which combines a historic former church with a gleaming skyscraper that affords sublime views of Elliott Bay.
- Four Seasons Hotel Seattle**
92.20
- The Edgewater**
90.15
- Inn at the Market**
90.12
- Fairmont Olympic Hotel**
88.69