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# Readers' TRAVEL AWARD 2016

Wo befindet sich das mondänste Stadthotel oder das exklusivste Hotel weltweit?  
Wer bietet das schönste Ambiente, den aufmerksamsten Service, das umfangreichste Verwöhnprogramm?  
Wie exzellent ein Hotel ist, können am besten diejenigen beurteilen, die schon dort waren und sich persönlich ein Urteil von der Qualität des Services, des kulinarischen Angebots sowie von dem Wohlfühlfaktor gebildet haben.  
Aus diesem Grund haben wir Sie, unsere Leser/innen des VIP International Traveller darum gebeten, in 15 ausgewählten Kategorien die jeweils Besten zu wählen. In diesem Jahr nahm eine Vielzahl erstklassiger Luxusdomizile daran teil, sich Ihrem kritischen Urteil zu stellen und dessen glückliche Gewinner küren wir in dieser Ausgabe.

*Where is the most sophisticated city hotel or the most exclusive hotel worldwide?  
Who offers the finest ambience, the most attentive service, the most extensive wellness programme?  
The excellence of a hotel is best assessed by those who have already stayed in it and formed a personal opinion of the quality of the service, the culinary offers and the wellbeing factor. For this reason we have asked our VIP International Traveller readers to choose the respective best in 15 selected categories. This year a wide range of first-class luxury domiciles participated in reaching a critical judgement, the lucky winners are announced in this issue.*

## Exklusivstes Hotel weltweit: *Most exclusive hotel world wide:*

1. Grand Hotel Quisisana, Capri, Italy
2. Grand Hotel a Villa Feltrinelli, Gargnano, Italy
3. Caragan Palace Kempinski Istanbul, Turkey
4. Hotel Eden Rock, St. Barth
5. The St. Regis Bora Bora Resort, French Polynesia
6. Four Seasons Hotel Istanbul at the Bosphorus, Turkey
7. The Royal Palm, Mauritius
8. Four Seasons Tented Camp Golden Triangle, Chiang Rai, Thailand
9. Royal Mansur Marrakech, Morocco
10. One & Only Reethi Rah, Kaafu Atoll, Maldives
11. Maya Sanur Resort & Spa, Bali, Indonesia
12. Hotel Hermitage Monte-Carlo, Monaco, France
13. The Breakers Palm Beach, Florida, USA
14. Villas Del Mar, Los Cabos, Mexico
15. The Legian Bali, Indonesia



*Grand Hotel Quisisana, Capri*



*ME Ibiza, Spain*

## Schönstes Resort Hotel: *Most beautiful resort hotel:*

1. ME Ibiza, Spain
2. Castell Son Claret, Mallorca, Spain
3. Baros Maldives, Maldives
4. Porto Zante Villas & Spa, Zakynthos, Greece
5. Gili Lankanfushi, Lankanfushi Island, Maldives
6. Marbella Club Hotel, Golf Resort & Spa, Spain
7. Belmond La Samanna, St. Martin, French West Indies
8. Soneva Kiri, Koh Kood, Thailand
9. Mandarin Oriental, Bodrum, Turkey
10. The Nam Hai, Hoi An, Vietnam
11. Grand Hotel Atlantis Bahia Real, Fuerteventura, Spain
12. The Chedi Muscat, Oman
13. One & Only The Palm, Dubai, United Arab Emirates
14. Halekulani Hotel, Honolulu, USA
15. Song Saa Private Island, Cambodia

## Nachhaltiger Luxustourismus: *Sustainable luxury tourism:*

1. Soneva Fushi, Kunfunadboo Island, Maldives
2. Soneva Kiri, Koh Kood, Thailand
3. Agroturismo Atzaró, Ibiza, Spain
4. Six Senses Ninh van Bay, Nha Trang, Vietnam
5. Pimalai Resort & Spa, Krabi, Thailand
6. Park Hyatt Maldives Hadahaa, Gaafu Alifu Atoll, Maldives
7. Alila Seminyak, Bali, Indonesia
8. Six Senses Con Dao, Vietnam
9. Al Maha Desert Resort, Dubai, United Arab Emirates
10. Amaya Beach Resort & Spa, Kalkudah, Sri Lanka
11. Coco Bodu Hithi, Kaafu Atoll, Maldives
12. Inkaterri Hacienda Urubamba, Peru
13. Tiamo Resorts, Bahamas, USA
14. Daintree Eco Lodge & Spa, Daintree, Australia
15. Aleenta Hua Hin Resort & Spa, Pranburi, Thailand



*Soneva Fushi, Kunfunadboo Island,*



*La Reserve Paris*

**Die schönsten Spa & Wellness Resorts:  
Most beautiful spa & wellness resorts:**

1. Lily Beach Resort & Spa, Huvahendhoo, Maldives
2. Como Shambala Estate, Bali, Indonesia
3. Park Hotel Vitznau, Switzerland
4. Bio & Wellnessresort Stanglwirt, Going am Wilden Kaiser, Austria
5. Maya Ubud Resort & Spa, Bali, Indonesia
6. Hotel Botánico & The Oriental Spa, Puerto de la Cruz, Tenerife, Spain
7. Aman Tokyo, Japan
8. Trofana Royal, Ischgl, Austria
9. Conrad Koh Samui, Thailand
10. Capri Palace Hotel & Spa, Anacapri, Italy
11. La Mamounia, Marrakech, Morocco
12. ME Ibiza, Spain
13. D-Hotel Maris, Marmaris, Turkey
14. Interpalpen-Hotel Tyrol, Seefeld, Austria
15. Hotel El Palace, Barcelona, Spain

**Mondänstes Stadthotel:  
The chicest city hotel:**

1. La Reserve Paris, France
2. The St. Regis Florence, Italy
3. Hotel Bayerischer Hof, Munich, Germany
4. Aman Canal Grande, Venice, Italy
5. Four Seasons Hotel New York, USA
6. Villa Kennedy, Frankfurt, Germany
7. The Greenwich Hotel, New York, USA
8. Beverly Wilshire, Beverly Hills (A Four Seasons Hotel), USA
9. The St. Regis, Bangkok, Thailand
10. The Reverie Saigon, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam
11. Conservatorium Hotel, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
12. Mandarin Oriental, Paris, France
13. Bulgari Hotel Milan, Italy
14. The Langham, London, United Kingdom
15. Four Seasons Hotel Milano, Italy



*Lily Beach Resort & Spa, Huvabendhoo, Maldives*

**Herausragendstes Golf Resort:  
The most outstanding golf resort:**

1. The Ritz-Carlton, Abama, Guia de Isora, Tenerife, Spain
2. VILA VITA Parc, Porches, Portugal
3. Constance Le Prince Maurice, Mauritius
4. Finca Cortesin Hotel, Golf and Spa, Malaga, Spain
5. Old Course Hotel, Golf Resort & Spa, Scotland, United Kingdom
6. Dolomitengolf Suites, Lavant, Austria
7. Constance Belle Mare Plage, Mauritius
8. Kempinski Hotel The Dome, Kadriye, Turkey
9. Terre Blanche Hotel Spa Golf Resort, Tourrettes, France
10. One&Only Royal Mirage, Dubai, United Arab Emirates
11. The St. Regis Mardavall Mallorca Resort, Spain
12. Guarda Golf & Residences, Crans-Montana, Switzerland
13. The Gleneagles Hotel, Scotland, United Kingdom
14. Tortuga Bay, Punta Cana, Dominican Republic
15. The Breakers Palm Beach, Florida, USA



*The Ritz-Carlton, Abama, Guia de Isora, Tenerife*



*Trofana Royal, Ischgl*

**Luxuriösestes Ski-Hotel:  
Most luxurious ski hotel:**

1. Trofana Royal, Ischgl, Austria
2. Bio & Wellnessresort Stanglwirt, Going am Wilden Kaiser, Austria
3. Hotel Tannenhof, St. Anton, Austria
4. Carlton Hotel St. Moritz, Switzerland
5. Kulm Hotel St. Moritz, Switzerland
6. The Chedi Andermatt, Switzerland
7. Romantik Hotel Turm, Völs, Italy
8. Stein Eriksen Lodge Deer Valley, Park City, USA
9. Suvretta House, St. Moritz, Switzerland
10. Hotel Klosterbräu & Spa, Seefeld in Tirol, Austria
11. Hotel Schmelzhof, Lech am Arlberg, Austria
12. The St. Regis Aspen Resort, USA
13. Der Unterschwarzachhof, Saalbach-Hinterglemm, Austria
14. Cheval Blanc, Courchevel, France
15. Post Hotel & Spa, Lake Louise, Canada



Chalet N Oberlech, Austria

**Traumhafteste Suite:  
Most wonderful suite:**

1. The St. Regis, Florence, Italy
2. Capri Tiberio Palace, Capri, Italy
3. The St. Regis, New York, USA
4. Four Seasons Tented Camp Golden Triangle, Chiang Rai, Thailand
5. W Hotel Bangkok, Thailand
6. Waldorf Astoria Dubai Palm Jumeirah, United Arab Emirates
7. Four Seasons New York, USA
8. Grand Hotel Fasano, Gardone Riviera, Italy
9. The Ritz Carlton, Istanbul, Turkey
10. Alva Park Costa Brava, Lloret de Mar, Spain
11. Mandarin Oriental, Bangkok, Thailand
12. Tivoli São Paulo - Mofarrej, São Paulo, Brazil
13. La Mamounia, Marrakech, Morocco
14. Hotel Hermitage Monte-Carlo, Monaco
15. Grand Hotel Kempinski Geneva, Switzerland



The St. Regis, Florence

**Atemberaubende Chalets:  
Breathtaking chalets:**

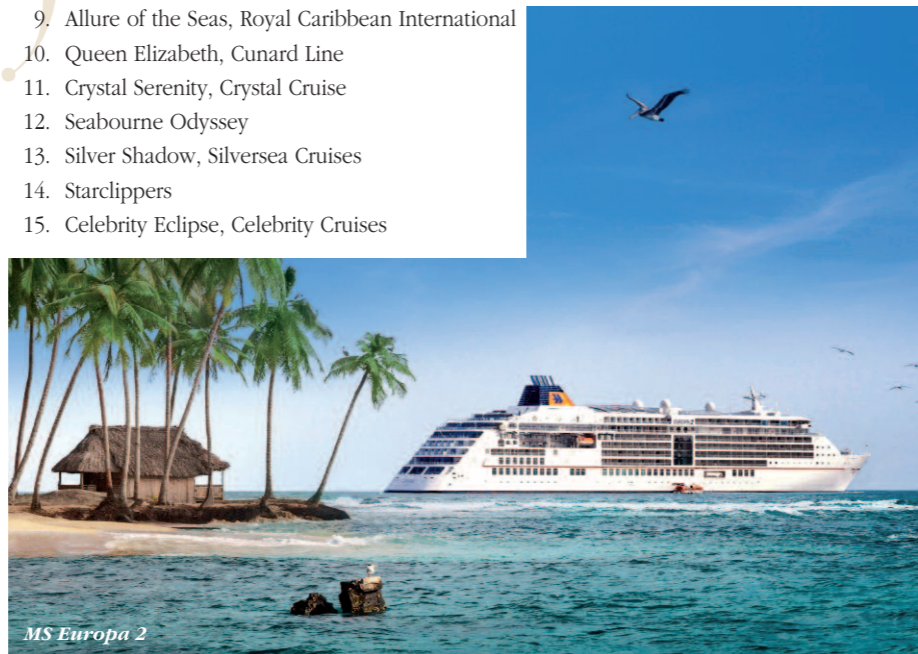
1. Chalet N Oberlech, Austria
2. Chalet Le Rocher, Val d'Isere, France
3. Les Chalets de Philippe, Chamonix Mont-Blanc, France
4. Maierl-Alm & Chalets, Tirol, Austria
5. The Lodge, Verbier, Switzerland
6. Chalet Edelweiss, Courchevel, France
7. Chalet One Oak, Combloux, France
8. Schmiedalm Bergchalet, Saalbach- Hinterglemm, Austria
9. Chalet Jejalp, Morzine, France
10. Bergdorf Priesteregg, Leogang, Austria
11. Chalet Resort LaPosch, Tirol, Austria
12. Chalet Zermatt Peak, Zermatt, Switzerland
13. Chalets de Drus, Chamonix, France
14. Chalet Sophia, Davos, Switzerland
15. Woodridge Luxury Chalets, Werfenweng, Austria



Taj Exotica Resort & Spa, South Malé Atoll, Maldives

**Die schönsten Kreuzfahrtschiffe:  
Most beautiful cruise liners:**

1. MS Europa 2, Hapag Lloyd Kreuzfahrten
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3. Seadream II
4. Queen Mary 2, Cunard Line
5. Silver Spirit, Silversea Cruises
6. Seadream I
7. The World
8. Sea Cloud Cruises
9. Allure of the Seas, Royal Caribbean International
10. Queen Elizabeth, Cunard Line
11. Crystal Serenity, Crystal Cruise
12. Seabourne Odyssey
13. Silver Shadow, Silversea Cruises
14. Starclippers
15. Celebrity Eclipse, Celebrity Cruises



MS Europa 2

**Die schönsten Bars und Hotelbars:  
Most beautiful bars and hotel bars:**

1. The Bamboo Bar, Mandarin Oriental Bangkok, Thailand
2. Il Bar, Bulgari Hotel Milan, Italy
3. King Cole Bar, The St. Regis New York, USA
4. Artesian, The Langham, London, United Kingdom
5. 28 Hong Kong Street, Singapore
6. Elephant Bar, The NoMad Hotel, New York, USA
7. Widder Bar, Widder Hotel, Zurich, Switzerland
8. The Library Lounge, Faena Hotel Buenos Aires, Argentina
9. 360 Istanbul, Istanbul, Turkey
10. The Rooftop Terrace, Hotel de Rome, Berlin, Germany
11. Shoreditch Rooms, Hotel Shoreditch House, London, United Kingdom
12. New York Bar, Park Hyatt Tokyo, Japan
13. The Roof, ME Madrid Reine Victoria, Spain
14. Gravity Bar, Guinness Storehouse, Dublin, Ireland
15. Woobar, W Hotel Bangkok, Thailand



The Bamboo Bar, Mandarin Oriental Bangkok

**Ausgezeichnete Restaurants weltweit:  
Excellent restaurants world wide:**

1. Minamo Barcelona, Spain
2. Mr. Chow 57th Street, New York, USA
3. La Table du Lancaster, Hotel Lancaster Paris, France
4. Ithaa Undersea Restaurant, Conrad Maldives Rangali Island, Maldives
5. Ulus 29, Istanbul, Turkey
6. Narisawa, Tokyo, Japan
7. D.O.M., São Paulo, Brazil
8. Restaurant Poisson, Cologne, Germany
9. Nobu, Atlantis The Palm Jumeirah, Dubai, United Arab Emirates
10. El Celler de Can Roca, Girona, Spain
11. The Bazaar, SLS Hotel Beverly Hills, USA
12. Nahm, Metropolitan by COMO, Bangkok, Thailand
13. Dinner by Heston Blumenthal, Mandarin Oriental Hyde Park, London, United Kingdom
14. Ultraviolet by Paul Pairet, Shanghai, China
15. Vendôme, Schlosshotel Bensberg, Bergisch Gladbach, Deutschland



Minamo Barcelona, Spain

**Die besten Airlines und Privatjets:  
The best airlines and private jets:**

1. Turkish Airlines
2. Emirates
3. Thai Airways
4. Victor Privatjets
5. Singapore Airlines
6. Oman Air
7. Eithad Airways
8. Qatar Airways
9. Air Tahiti Nui
10. Lufthansa Private Jet
11. Lufthansa
12. Air Canada
13. Swiss International Airlines
14. Eurowings
15. Air France



COMO Shambhala Estate, Bali

**Die besten Gesundheitsresorts:  
The best health resorts:**

1. COMO Shambhala Estate, Bali, Indonesia
2. Uma by COMO, Paro, Bhutan
3. Capri Palace Hotel & Spa, Anacapri, Italy
4. Ayurveda Parkschlösschen, Traben-Trarbach, Germany
5. Lanserhof Tegernsee, Marienstein/Waakirchen, Germany
6. Parkhotel Igls, Innsbruck, Austria
7. Kamalaya Koh Samui, Thailand
8. The Lyall Luxury Hotel and Spa, Melbourne, Australia
9. Grand Resort Bad Ragaz, Bad Ragaz, Switzerland
10. Soneva Fushi, Kunfunadhoo Island, Maldives
11. Buchinger Wilhelmi Marbella, Spain
12. Miraval Resort and Spa, Arizona, USA
13. The Orchard Wellness & Health Resort, Malaysia
14. The Siam, Bangkok, Thailand
15. L'Hotel du Lac, Nagahama, Japan



Turkish Airlines