

Grand Designs: Hotels That Rival Nearby National Parks

There doesn't exist a hotel on earth that can match the majesty of a Yellowstone or Banff or Kruger or Komodo. Or does there?

For some, a tasteful touch of humanity amid the randomness of nature helps us appreciate both even more. The hotels listed below—each selected for the Guide by MICHELIN Inspectors for their overall excellence—are located in or near some incredible national parks. But that's not the only reason they're on this list. Each hotel below is a monumental work of art and hospitality of in its own right, on the same aesthetic footing as the spectacular landscapes and cultural treasures that surround it. Looking for a glamorous spot for a natural escape this summer? Look no further.



Bahia Vik

Jose Ignacio, Uruguay

José Ignacio is a happening beachside enclave that's superseded Punta del Este as Uruguay's most desirable destination. Here, set on the dunes beside the ocean, is the thoroughly modern Bahia Vik. Like other hotels by Alex and Carrie Vik, there's a firm focus on a notable art collection and ongoing involvement with contemporary artists. There's also Cabo Polonio, a splendid national park just up the coast.

[Book Bahia Vik with The MICHELIN Guide](#)