

The Big Sleep Awards 2020: 48 of the world's best new hotels

From jaw-dropping design to exceptional service, our annual hotel awards are back and reward the very best trend-setting, rule-breaking and game-changing hotels in the business.

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Wherever you check in on your adventures, there's no denying that a hotel can truly make a travel experience. The best are pillars of any great escape — a place that welcomes you with open arms, recharges and restores, all the while delivering top-notch service, incredible design and excellent value for money. It might be some time before many travellers rest their weary heads on the perfectly plumped pillow of a hotel suite, but that's no excuse not to dream, if you'll excuse the pun. In the 16 categories of our annual awards, this year more than ever we raise a glass to the new kids on the block who've been turning heads and setting the standard for the hotel scene — from urban design dens to stately stays in the country.

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Is this the hottest ticket in town? We wanted to find the hottest new addresses — the new hotels that are turning heads and leaving their stylish mark on a city.

Runners-up:

Galleria Vik Milano, Milan

Set within the grand Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II mall, the 89 rooms still feel intimate, largely because each has been designed by a different artist and is a stylish, self-contained bubble in one of the city's most iconic sights. From €360 (£325), B&B.

