Ru&Co Ru's Recap

May 2023

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A WORD FROM RU

Another month has whizzed by for all the team and we can't believe it is already June! The team are in full Summer swing and myself and Helen have been travelling again. Me to visit Paris to explore the fabulous **Fauchon L'Hotel Paris** and the equally beautiful **Esprit de France** portfolio of hotels that are boutique, gorgeously decorated and in the most perfect locations across both the Right and Left banks of the city. Truly Parisien and guaranteed to offer our guests an authentic experience whilst staying in the city.

Helen spent a few days visiting Palma Old Town and the stunning **Can Bordoy Grand House and Garden** which is a suite only boutique hotel (formerly a Convent) that has been transformed into this jewel in the heart of the town, steps away from all the action. She also got to see a sneak preview of their sister property **Posada D'es Moli** which will debut in 2024 following a full re-imagining. In the meantime, the launch of their restaurant has already been completed and opened so if you fancy a delicious lunch whilst in Palma then look no further!

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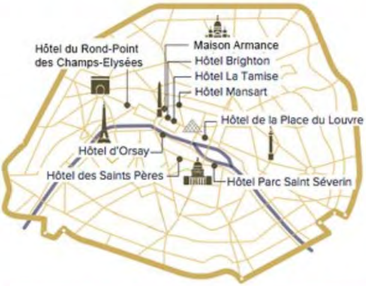
NEW TO Ru

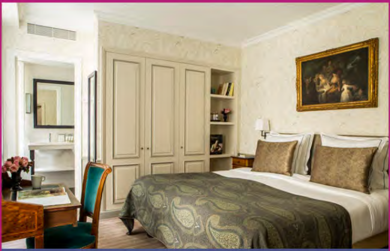
ESPRIT DE FRANCE HOTELS & RESIDENCES

Esprit de France
HÔTELS & DEMEURES

We are delighted to announce that Esprit de France have joined the Ru&Co portfolio.

Esprit de France has been carefully crafting its collection since the early 1980s. Their hotels in Paris all share the same values: prime locations in the best parts of Paris, historic buildings renovated in keeping with the site, sophisticated and tailor-made service and unique rooms with attention to detail… all for an authentic Parisien experience.

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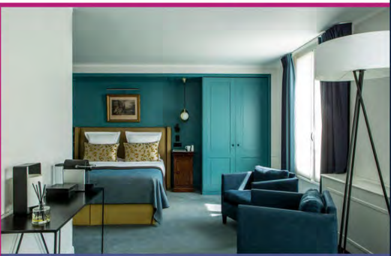

Hôtel Brighton

Hôtel Mansart

Hotel d'Orsay

Hotel Parc Saint Séverin

Maison Armance

Hôtel du Rond Point des Champs Elysées

Hotel La Tamise

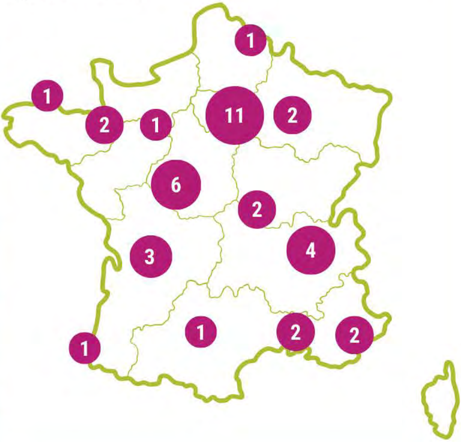
Hotel De La Place Du Louvre

You're spoilt for choice with 9 extraordinary hotels all located in the heart of the city.

Remarkable for their historical or contemporary architecture, the Esprit de France residences and hotels, located near places of Art and History, go beyond the simple notion of lodging, to introduce a cultural dimension.

CHÂTEAUX, ESTATE HOUSES & COUNTRY HOUSES...

Espirit de France also offer a selection of more than **30 exceptional residences** spread throughout every region of France:



FAUCHON L'HÔTEL, PARIS

Parisian charm, luxury & contemporary glamour awaits....

Fauchon L'hôtel Paris is the new epicenter of contemporary Parisian epicure and luxurious hospitality – curators of culture, aestheticians of the arts, and innovators of fine foods and pastries.

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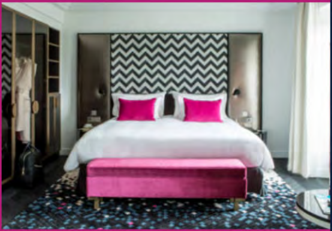


SUMMER EVENTS

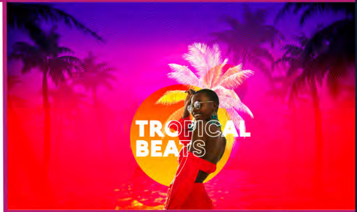
SACCHARUM, MADEIRA

Tropical Beats by Calhau Beach Club

The Summer of 2023 arrived in full force at Calheta and Calhau Beach Club on 13th May, at the season's official opening.

Throughout the hottest months, weekend sunsets at Calhau Beach Club will be even more lively and feature themed music styles - you may even spot a whale or dolphin!

Every Friday, they will have chill-house, on Saturdays, they will host disco, and on Sundays, reggae. In addition, once a month, the presence of a national DJ is scheduled for a special event in partnership with several premium brands. Stay tuned for the news!



IT'S TERRACE SEASON!

Only YOU HOTELS

As spring approaches its equator, warmer weather is coming into the picture and people start looking for the best open-air spots in their city... this means the season of terraces and rooftops has arrived. For this reason, Only YOU bring 4 must-visit terrace venues to enjoy the best of the good weather these months in Spain.

YOUNIQUE ARTS CLUB

ONLY YOU BOUTIQUE, MADRID

This new restaurant concept is an ode to the product and culture, where art and

Veuve Clicquot

gastronomy merge, hosting exhibitions of emerging national and international artists along the restaurant and now it's opening their inner courtyard, a peaceful oasis in the vibrant Chueca neighborhood (Madrid). This outdoor space with a comfortable seating area and carefully placed greenery, makes it perfect for spending a wonderful time with friends, enjoying an unparalleled gastronomy delight. You can´t miss their Instagram-ready Organic poached egg carbonara, truly delicious.

SEP7IMA PANORAMIC RESTAURANT

ONLY YOU ATOCHA, MADRID

Since its opening, the terrace has quickly turned into one of the capital's favourite places to eat and drink. The reason is simple, this panoramic restaurant offers to their clients, exquisite food, a wide range of singular cocktails and one of the most beautiful sunsets and breathtaking views in Madrid. This sky-high spot is on the 7th floor of the hotel, which is in the well-known “Paisaje de la luz”, a cultural ensemble declared a World Heritage area by UNESCO and It is also just a stone's throw from Madrid's main tourist attraction. You cannot miss their NY style Wagyu burger or the Atocha Espresso cocktail, a really striking sip.

LOLA RESTAURANT

ONLY YOU, MÀLAGA

Lola is a Mediterranean-style restaurant, with mid-century modern furniture, stunning art-deco floor and a selected warm lighting that make you want to spend all day in their terrace escaping from a busy workday and tasting local cuisine with international accents and cocktails, signed by Pedro Hervás, their executive hotel chef. It sits on a city center seventh-floor hotel, across from the port and just at the start of the popular Marqués de Larios street. You cannot miss their Sunday morning Brunch with live music sessions, a luxury gastronomic event.

LOLITA SKYVIEW POOL & LOUNGE

ONLY YOU, MÀLAGA

If you identify yourself as a sundowner lover or as a city slicker for after-work drinks, then Lolita Skyview Pool & Lounge is your place to be, with no doubt. Here from the 8th floor of this emblematic building, you can taste fabulous food and cutting-edge cocktails while spotting the city's iconic attractions, such as Larios street, the Alameda Principal boulevard, the Alcazaba castle and of course, the sea. You cannot miss watching the lights twinkle into action in the surrounding city skyline at night.

DISCOVER DÜSSELDORF
WITH BREIDENBACHER HOF

The Ten-Minute City with International Appeal

Düsseldorf is a city of many charms, a city steeped in history and wonderment, comprising of many things to explore and discover – all it takes is a ten-minute stroll in the very center to discover the picturesque Old Town and designer boutiques, world-class art galleries and panoramic city views. Ideal for day trips to neighbouring cities, it also has plenty of green spaces and lively attractions for fun-filled family activities in Düsseldorf. It is therefore not surprising that the metropolis alongside the river Rhine is quite attractive for international happenings and events. And speaking of such, this year the city hosts the 2023 Invictus Games taking place from 9th – 16th September.

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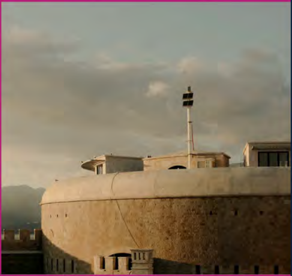
MAMULA ISLAND, MONTENEGRO

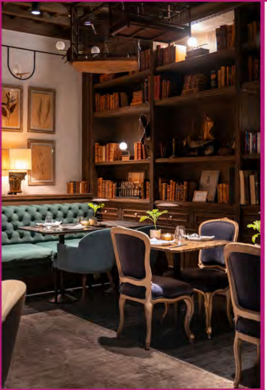
Mamula Island reviewed by Jonathan Wiggan

"The experience of staying in an exquisitely restored and reimagined 19th-century fortress that stands sentinel on its own island at the entrance to one of the most beautiful series of bays in the world is reason enough. But come, too, for the excellent food, restorative ambience and the focus on sharing the region's history, culture and nature."

Make sure to read Mamula Island's review in Condé Nast Traveller which explores the Island's unique features. Undoubtedly, Mamula Island is an island paradise not to miss...



BOTÀNIC DINING- CAN BORDOY, PALMA



BOTÀNIC is the definitive upscale "plant forward" dining experience.

Vibrant, dynamic and bold, BOTÀNIC takes a sophisticated stance in the world of green cuisine and positions itself as a market leading concept in plant forward gastronomy. Based on a tale of discovery and voyages yet rooted in the experience that is sure to change your perception of healthy food.

Imagine a Majorcan mariner who built a unique botanic garden with herbs, spices and plants collected from his many voyages and discoveries around the globe. Step into his world at BOTÀNIC where guests are offered a discovery of flavours and aromas designed to stimulate the senses.

Developed by Babylon Hospitality, guests discover dishes that take their inspiration from around the world in a vegetable forward menu. While elevating plant-based dishes to an entirely new level the menu reserves a role for both fish and meat options on the menu. Although dishes are globally inspired, KM-0 (kilometer-zero) ingredients are used in their creation.

Make sure to visit this incredible restaurant in Can

Bordoy's blissful setting. **Named as one of the 40 of Condé Nast Traveller's "most beautiful restaurants in the world", it's one not to miss!**

SAVE THE DATE

VIRTUAL ACADEMY

On the following dates Ru&Co are hosting virtual events at which attendees can learn about the Leisure & MICE markets with some of Ru&Co's portfolio hotels.

Leisure 11am	MICE 5pm
29 June	29 June
27 July	31 August
28 September	28 September
26 October	26 October
30 November	30 November

SUMMER FIESTA 12 JULY

Join Ru&Co for an unforgettable day of a lunchtime picnic and an evening of cocktails in the sunshine accompanied by presentations from the Spanish hotels in the Ru&Co portfolio, including:

od hotels

Ocean Drive
Barcelona

Can Jaume
by Ocean Drive

Ocean Drive
Ibiza

Ocean Drive
Madrid

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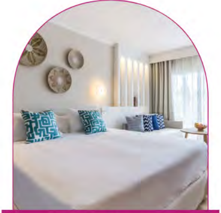

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Can Bordoy Grand House & Garden, Palma

Only YOU Boutique Madrid

Only YOU Hotel Atocha Madrid

Look out for our June Spotlight featuring Only YOU Hotel València

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Only YOU Hotel Málaga

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