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Our resolution for the new year? Work less, travel more! And it'll be an easy one to keep with this list of 2015's hottest new destinations. After tapping our global network of more than 200 correspondents and engaging in some serious office debate, we present to you the 15 places that should be on every vacation wish list

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Nicaragua



The opening of the [Andaz Peninsula Papagayo](#) launched Costa Rica into the luxury travel stratosphere, and Nicaragua looks ready to follow in its footsteps into the Central American spotlight. Surfers should go now to experience the still little-known surf towns of Pavones and gritty Dominical down south, while nature lovers should proceed directly to the unspoiled [Corcovado National Park](#) on the Osa Peninsula. Granada is an unmissable stop for its Spanish Colonial architecture, a looming [Mombacho Volcano](#) backdrop and access to Lake Nicaragua. Horse-drawn taxis are a reliable mode of transport here — hail one for exploring the cobblestone streets, leafy Parque Colón and old mansions and secret courtyards that are open to the public. For long stays, mix in-town digs at [Colonial Condo Hotel Xalteva](#) with island time at [Jicaro Island Ecolodge](#) on Lake Nicaragua.



Where to Stay



The Miami Beach EDITION
Miami Beach, United States



Mansion Merida on the Park
Merida, Mexico



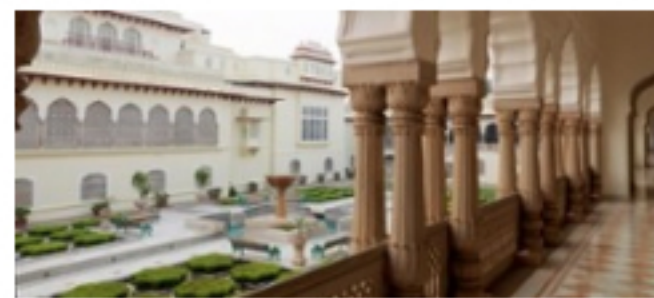
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