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Unwind in the evening by the firepit at Playa Vik

The beach retreat's green roofs are in full bloom in the summer months

6 JOSÉ IGNACIO, URUGUAY

WHY: An Argentinian polo player to your left and a Brazilian rock star to your right, and—wait, is that Shakira? This boho beach town is where South America's glitterati soak up the sun. Take your pick from low-key Playa Mansa or the hipper Playa Brava.



GETTING THERE

Fly into Buenos Aires, then catch a connecting flight to Punta del Este, an hour's drive from José Ignacio.



STAY

The 19 unbelievably chic rooms at Playa Vik are perched on a low cliff, allowing you to spot whales playing offshore. —Shane Mitchell
Vikretreats.com



PRO TIP

Rental cars can be pricey, so do what all the cool people do here — zip around town on a bike instead. —Shane Mitchell

7 RAILAY BAY, THAILAND

WHY: With colourful long-tail boats pulled up on the golden sand and jungly cliffs looming above, exotic photo-ops are everywhere. Adding to the mystique is the fact that it's accessible only by boat.

GETTING THERE

From Bangkok, it's a one-hour flight to Krabi, then a 20-minute boat ride.



STAY

Right on Railay, Rayavadee resort is covered in palm trees and tropical blooms, with two-storey teak-filled bungalows. The highlight? Lunch at the Grotto, a sea-view restaurant in the entrance of a sandy limestone cave. Rayavadee.com



PRO TIP

This is a mecca for rock climbers. Take a lesson or two and you'll be hooked. —YC



The sea-facing Grotto restaurant, Rayavadee, Krabi

8 THE NEW ST-TROPEZ

Ever since Brigitte Bardot pranced across the sands of Saint-Tropez, it has been the go-to beach for bold names and billionaires. But here a few buzzy contenders:

BODRUM, TURKEY

Who: Carefree members of the Gypset—fashion nomads who take their wanderlust as seriously as their style. Think Kate Moss and Georgia May Jagger.
Hot spot: Türkbükü, a beach-club-dotted town just a ferry ride away from the ruin-filled Greek isle of Patmos.



Maçakızı is the preferred hotel for European socialites

HVAR, CROATIA

Who: European royals (Prince Harry) and American celebs (Gwyneth Paltrow).
Hot spot: The strip at Bonj 'Les Bains' beach club. You may not see sand here, but the deck is like a catwalk for the jet set.



The Riva Hvar Yacht Hotel offers a panoramic view of Hvar

SEMINYAK, BALI

Who: Surfers, sybarites and spirituality seekers. Ashton and Milla took one of their first vacations as a bona fide couple here.
Hot spot: The section in front of Potato Head, a beach club with DJs, dining, and a scene to rival any on the Côte d'Azur. —Heidi Mitchell ■



Bali's Legian Hotel has a three-tiered pool