

Take a bite

Commonly referred to as the cultural, financial, and media capital of the world, New York City is the one-stop-shop that never sleeps for any international business traveller

With more than 20 million people in metropolitan New York, the city significantly influences commerce, technology, tourism, art, fashion, and sport across the globe.

Events such as the World Business Forum, which focuses on the issues most relevant to today's business world, stimulate new thinking and present unique networking environments for connections between like-minded professionals. The city plays home to the finest Fortune 500 and Fortune 1000 companies, the biggest banks and industries, such as Merrill Lynch and JP Morgan.

WHERE TO STAY

St Regis New York combines modern luxury with timeless

design in an AAA Five Diamond hotel that overlooks Fifth Avenue in midtown Manhattan. Enjoy signature cocktails at the in-house cocktail bar, or venture out to nearby Rockefeller Plaza for some luxury shopping. The hotel boasts 238 rooms and suites, featuring an aesthetic that comprises silk hangings, full-length glass walls, and high speed 24/7 wireless networking technology.

Right at the centre of New York's thumping heart, The Langham Palace is also brilliantly connected to the city. Equidistant from Times Square, Grand Central Station, and the Empire State Building, the hotel has 234 residentially styled rooms and suites, designed for relaxation and inspiration.

The Langham also runs a special invitation program for corporate clients to organise industry conferences, social events, or confidential business meetings.

The Peninsula New York offers guests comfort right in the heart of New York City, with magnificent views from its rooms and suites, as well as its rooftop bar terrace. The hotel has 235 rooms in totality with a custom hand-crafted touch and the new Fifth Avenue Peninsula suite, which has six rooms, each providing facilities of a dining room and kitchen. The guests staying in these suites can experience special perks including round trip airport transfers and premium beverages.

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WHERE TO DINE

Representing urban sophistication, Eleven Madison Park serves modern French cuisine by highly-decorated Swiss Chef Daniel Humm. The three-Michelin-star restaurant has regularly presented itself at the top three of Elite Traveler's Top 100 Restaurants in the world with magnificent Art Décor and dramatically high ceilings offering lush views of historic Madison Square Park. The restaurant's bar area provides guests with a delightful cocktail menu. The chef and owner's obsession with simplicity and seasonal flavours speaks volumes, hence taking this restaurant to the very top.

Sushi Nakazawa is a West Village Sushi Bar owned by one of the most renowned chefs in the world, Daisuke Nakazawa. Ingredients for his 20-course meal are sourced both domestically and internationally, and the remarkable fine dining provides an atmosphere that is far more relaxed than its contemporaries – Nakazawa likes to put on a show from the open sushi bar.

This 18 seat restaurant was the first New-York restaurant outside Manhattan to receive Michelin stars. The Chef's table welcomes diners straight into the kitchen. The U-shaped seating with a stainless-steel counter allows guests to witness Chef Cesar Ramirez in all his glory, as he introduces each of the 20-plus courses personally while being on hand for the duration of the meal. A menu that is updated nearly every day offers a parade of Japanese-influenced oceanic delights, from fried monkfish liver with sansho to king crab with yuzu marmalade.

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Below: The iconic Manhattan skyline at sunrise
Right: New York is open for business once more

WHAT TO DO

One of the most famous shopping streets in America is Fifth Avenue, New York's premier shopping area. Many iconic brands such as Tiffany, Bergdorf-Goodman, Apple and Saks Fifth Avenue are located along on the world's most famous shopping street. The world-famous Wall Street is home to the most influential buildings such as the New York Stock Exchange and New York Mercantile Exchange. As

the stock exchange is not inviting visitors to the building, the best way to learn about Wall Street is with the help of a guide who will provide an in-depth tour for NYC finance enthusiasts.

Lined with huge, brilliantly lit billboards and screens, Times Square is the place to go in New York in the evening and is still as exciting at any time of day. The square is famously known for its New Year's Eve Celebrations and

the "ball drop" at midnight when its surrounding streets are filled with people. ■

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