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Amsterdam is one of Europe's most captivating luxury destinations, where historic canals, world-class museums, and refined hospitality come together. The Dutch capital boasts an exceptional collection of five-star hotels, ranging from restored canal palaces to bold contemporary landmarks. Whether you're seeking timeless elegance, cutting-edge design, or exclusive boutique experiences, Amsterdam offers something for every luxury traveler. Below, you'll find my carefully curated list of the top 10 best luxury hotels in Amsterdam, each delivering outstanding comfort, impeccable service, and a unique sense of place.

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10. W Amsterdam

W Amsterdam brings a bold, modern edge to the city's luxury scene. Spread across a former telephone exchange and a historic bank building, the hotel offers a striking blend of heritage and contemporary design. Its 238 stylish rooms and suites feature sleek interiors and high-tech amenities. Guests can enjoy vibrant dining at The Duchess or Mr Porter, sip cocktails at the rooftop W Lounge, and take in panoramic views of the Royal Palace. The heated rooftop pool—open year-round—is a standout feature. Located just steps from Dam Square, W Amsterdam is perfect for travelers seeking a lively atmosphere, cutting-edge design, and a social, energetic luxury experience.

- **Hotel website:** [W Amsterdam](#)
- **Other accolades:** W Amsterdam features in my top 10 list of [Europe's best hotel rooftops](#).
- **Tip:** get complimentary VIP perks when booking via [Classic Travel](#) (e.g. room upgrade, early check-in, late check-out, bespoke welcome amenity, and daily breakfast).
- **Review:** read my review of W Amsterdam [here](#).

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9. Andaz Amsterdam Prinsengracht

Andaz Amsterdam Prinsengracht offers a creative and immersive stay in the city's historic canal district. Designed by Marcel Wanders, the hotel reflects Dutch culture through bold colors, artistic details, and playful design elements. The 122 rooms combine comfort with contemporary style, making them both functional and visually striking. Guests can enjoy seasonal cuisine at Bluespoon Restaurant or relax in the wellness center. Housed in a former public library, the property has been transformed into a vibrant lifestyle hotel that inspires and energizes. Its location within the UNESCO-listed canals ensures easy access to Amsterdam's top attractions while providing a unique and memorable luxury experience.

- **Hotel website:** [Andaz Amsterdam, Prinsengracht](#)
- **Tip:** get complimentary VIP perks when booking via [Hyatt Prive](#) (e.g. room upgrade, early check-in, late check-out, bespoke welcome amenity, daily breakfast, and \$100 USD hotel credit).
- **Review:** read my review of Andaz Amsterdam, Prinsengracht [here](#).

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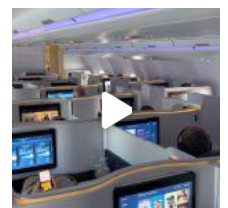
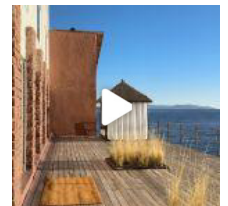
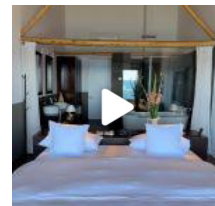
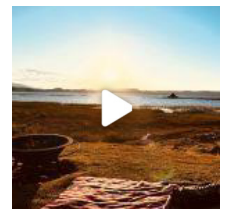
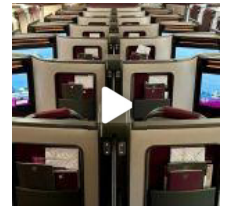
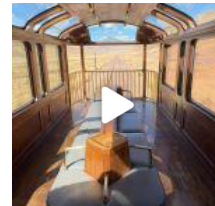
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8. Pulitzer Amsterdam

Pulitzer Amsterdam is a charming labyrinth of 25 interconnected canal houses dating back to the 17th and 18th centuries. This unique layout creates an intimate and authentic atmosphere, with hidden courtyards, winding corridors, and beautifully designed interiors. The 225 rooms are individually styled, blending classic Dutch elements with modern comforts. Guests can relax in the peaceful garden courtyard, explore the canals aboard the hotel's historic boat, or dine at the popular Restaurant Jansz. Located between two of Amsterdam's most iconic canals, the Pulitzer offers a perfect balance of history, character, and contemporary luxury.

- **Hotel website:** [Hotel Pulitzer](#)
- **Tip:** get complimentary VIP perks when booking via [Virtuoso](#) (e.g. room upgrade, early check-in, late check-out, daily breakfast, welcome amenity and \$100 USD food & beverage credit).

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7. InterContinental Amstel Amsterdam

InterContinental Amstel Amsterdam, often referred to as the "Grande Dame" of the city, has been an icon of luxury since 1867. Overlooking the Amstel River, this stately hotel offers 79 rooms and suites furnished with classic décor, rich fabrics, and authentic Delft porcelain. Many rooms provide breathtaking river views, enhancing

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the sense of timeless elegance. Guests can dine at the Amstel Restaurant, which serves international cuisine with a Dutch twist, or relax at the health club and riverside terrace. Its location near major attractions such as the Rijksmuseum makes it both convenient and serene. With its long-standing reputation for excellence and impeccable service, the InterContinental Amstel remains a top choice for discerning travelers.

- **Hotel website:** [InterContinental Amstel Amsterdam](#)
- **Tip:** get complimentary VIP perks when booking via [Virtuoso](#) (e.g. room upgrade, early check-in, late check-out, daily breakfast, and a boat tour through the canals of Amsterdam or a \$100 hotel credit if you can't take advantage of the boat tour).

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6. Sofitel Legend The Grand Amsterdam

Sofitel Legend The Grand Amsterdam combines centuries of history with contemporary French elegance. Once a 15th-century convent and later Amsterdam's city hall, the property has been transformed into a refined luxury hotel. Its 178 rooms and suites feature stylish interiors with exposed brick, bold patterns, and modern comforts. Guests can enjoy award-winning dining at Bridges Restaurant, which offers a creative blend of local ingredients and French techniques. The hotel also boasts a tranquil courtyard garden, a luxurious spa, and butler service in select suites. Located between two historic



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canals in the city center, The Grand offers easy access to Amsterdam's cultural highlights while providing a peaceful retreat steeped in history and sophistication.

- **Hotel website:** [Sofitel Legend The Grand Amsterdam](#)
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- **Review:** read my review of The Grand Amsterdam, a Sofitel Legend Hotel [here](#).

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5. Hotel TwentySeven

Hotel TwentySeven delivers an ultra-exclusive boutique experience overlooking Dam Square. With only 16 lavish suites, this hotel feels more like a private residence than a traditional property. Each suite is individually designed with opulent materials such as velvet wallpapers, handmade Italian curtains, and Nepalese carpets, creating an atmosphere of refined indulgence. Floor-to-ceiling windows offer stunning city views, while state-of-the-art amenities

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ensure maximum comfort. The Michelin-starred Bougainville restaurant provides a world-class culinary journey, complemented by an extensive wine collection curated by expert sommeliers. Personalized service is at the core of the experience, with staff dedicated to fulfilling every guest's request. For travelers seeking privacy, exclusivity, and exceptional design, Hotel TwentySeven is one of Amsterdam's most luxurious and intimate stays.

- **Hotel website:** [Hotel TwentySeven](#)
- **Tip:** get complimentary VIP perks when booking via [Virtuoso](#) (e.g. room upgrade, early check-in, late check-out, bespoke welcome amenity, daily breakfast, and \$100 USD hotel credit).
- **Review:** read my review of Hotel TwentySeven [here](#).

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4. De L'Europe Amsterdam

Since establishing itself in 1896 as an independent luxury hotel, De L'Europe has evolved from an exclusive hotel in the heart of Amsterdam into a guardian of local culture and craftsmanship. Centrally located and overlooking the Amstel River, De L'Europe is perfectly located for visiting Amsterdam's most heralded museums and points of interest or discover the very essence of Amsterdam in 't

Huys, adjacent to the hotel. Stylish rooms and suites embrace local heritage with replicas of Dutch Masters paintings adorning the walls and bold hues of reds and blues, with special attention to design detail and modern technology. The hotel also offers a selection of the finest haute cuisine in Amsterdam and an unbeatable outdoor dining venue right on the river Amstel.

- **Hotel website:** [Hotel de l'Europe](#)
- **Tip:** get complimentary VIP perks when booking via [Virtuoso](#) (e.g. room upgrade, early check-in, late check-out, daily breakfast, \$100 USD food and beverage credit, and one way airport transfer for junior suites & above).

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3. Rosewood Amsterdam

Rosewood Amsterdam is one of the newest additions to the city's luxury landscape, bringing a fresh perspective to high-end hospitality. Housed in a historic building that has been carefully restored, the hotel seamlessly blends heritage architecture with modern design. Guests can expect spacious rooms, curated art collections, and exceptional dining experiences that reflect both local and international influences. Wellness and sustainability are key focuses, with state-of-the-art facilities designed to enhance relaxation and well-being. Its prime canal-side location ensures easy access to Amsterdam's cultural highlights, while its innovative approach to luxury makes Rosewood Amsterdam a standout choice for the modern traveler.

- **Hotel website:** [Rosewood Amsterdam](#)
- **Tip:** get complimentary VIP perks when booking via [Virtuoso](#) (e.g. room upgrade, early check-in, late check-out, bespoke welcome amenity, daily breakfast, and \$100 USD hotel credit).

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2. Mandarin Oriental Conservatorium

Mandarin Oriental Conservatorium is a masterpiece of design and elegance, located in the heart of Amsterdam's Museum Quarter. Housed in a former bank and music conservatory, the building blends historic architecture with sleek, modern interiors. The 5-star hotel features 129 spacious rooms and suites, all equipped with cutting-edge technology and luxurious bathrooms. Its stunning glass atrium serves as the social heart of the property, while the award-winning spa offers a tranquil escape with a large indoor pool and wellness facilities. Dining is equally impressive, with the Asian-inspired Taiko restaurant and Ottolenghi, a Mediterranean Restaurant. Positioned next to the Rijksmuseum and Van Gogh Museum, the Conservatorium Hotel is ideal for culture lovers and fashion enthusiasts, offering a seamless mix of glamour, comfort, and contemporary luxury.

- **Hotel website:** [Mandarin Oriental Conservatorium](#)
- **Tip:** get complimentary VIP perks when booking via [Virtuoso](#) (e.g. room upgrade, early check-in, late check-out, bespoke welcome amenity, daily breakfast, and \$100 USD hotel credit).

- **Review:** read my review of Mandarin Oriental Conservatorium Hotel [here](#).

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1. Waldorf Astoria Amsterdam

Waldorf Astoria Amsterdam stands as one of the city's most prestigious addresses, set along the UNESCO-listed Herengracht canal. This remarkable property consists of six 17th- and 18th-century canal palaces, beautifully restored to preserve their historic grandeur while introducing contemporary luxury. The 93 elegant rooms and suites feature refined décor, high ceilings, and original architectural details, including a grand staircase designed by Daniel Marot. Guests can indulge in exceptional dining at the two-Michelin-starred Spectrum restaurant or unwind in the serene private garden, a rare oasis in the city center. The hotel also offers a luxurious spa, personalized concierge services, and the brand's renowned "True Waldorf Service." Its prime location in the Golden Bend places guests within walking distance of Amsterdam's top cultural landmarks, making it the ultimate choice for those seeking sophistication, heritage, and exclusivity.

- **Hotel website:** [Waldorf Astoria Amsterdam](#)

- **Other accolades:** The Waldorf Astoria also features in my top 10 list of the [most amazing city hotels in Europe](#).
- **Tip:** get complimentary VIP perks when booking via [Virtuoso](#) (e.g. room upgrade, early check-in, late check-out, daily breakfast, and \$100 USD food and beverage credit).
- **Review:** read my review of Waldorf Astoria Amsterdam [here](#).

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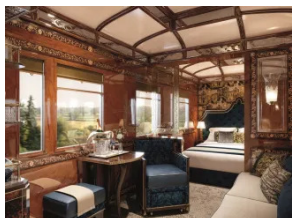
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