

Hall of fame: 25 bucket list stays

From city stays to country retreats, outback oases and island luxe, here are 25 stellar Australian holiday destinations you've got to try once.

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Longitude 131 Resort, Uluru, NT. Picture: supplied
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Nature calls

Pumphouse Point, Lake St Clair, Tas

El Questro WildernessPark, East Kimberley, WA

Sal Salis, Ningaloo Reef, WA

Wildlife Retreat, Taronga Zoo, Sydney

Kimo Estate, Gundagai, NSW

Hot in the city

The Mayfair Hotel, Adelaide

Como the Treasury, Perth

Pier One Sydney Harbour

The Fantauzzo, Brisbane

Ovolo Nishi, Canberra

Outback oasis

Bamurru Plains, NT

Longitude 131, Uluru, NT

Arkaba Homestead, Flinders Ranges, SA

Saltbush Retreat, Longreach, Qld

Mount Mulligan Lodge, Qld



Hayman Island Resort, Whitsundays. Picture: Supplied

Island luxe

Lizard Island, Great Barrier Reef

Hayman Island Resort, Whitsundays

Boutique bouquets

Peppers Silo, Launceston

Raes on Wategos, Byron Bay

East Hotel, Canberra

MACq 01, Hobart

Jackalope Hotel, Mornington Peninsula

The Louise, Barossa Valley

United Places, Melbourne

Halcyon House, Cabarita Beach, NSW