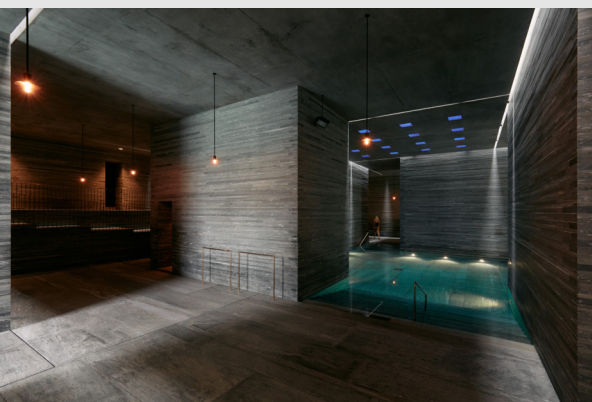
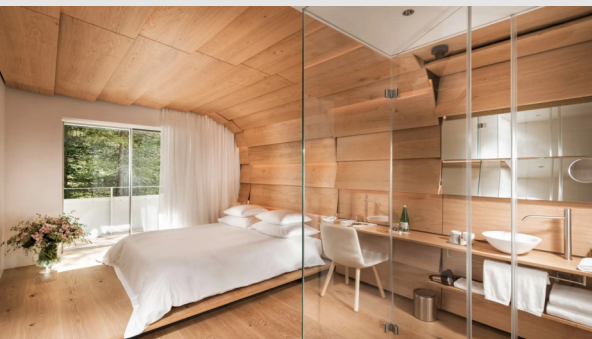




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7132 - House of Architects



Switzerland is a mountainous country, home to numerous beautiful lakes, villages with medieval quarters and high peaks of the Alps! It is hard to think of this country without including their amazing watches, cheese and chocolates!

Another thing I love about Switzerland is their forward thinking and proactive approach to sustainability. They refer to this as being “Swisstainable”. This includes many things such as mobility - their phenomenal rail system, water, nature conservation, clean air - some of the cleanest in the world, food quality and recycling.

If you're not already convinced to start planning your trip to Switzerland, here are a few more enticing things to see and do...

7132 - House of Architects. Visionaries for a remarkable experience! One hotel with four visions: Peter Zumthor, Tadao Ando, Kengo Kuma, and Thom Mayne. Each room presents a different experience for architecture lovers. Landscape, light, air and water play a fundamental role in their designs.

Signature creations of Kengo Kuma tend to be enormous structures of timber, steel and stone, such as the “Victoria & Albert Museum” in the Scottish port city of Dundee. In Vals, he created 23 cosy cocoons at the 7132 House of Architects that are inspired by the perfection of traditional Japanese artisanal carpentry, and that seem to embrace you with their oak panels. He also designed three penthouse suites at the 7132 Hotel with a private dining room. The fully glazed fronts admit the breathtaking view into the interior much in the manner of a painting.

Architecture and understated luxury is what you find at 7132. Guests who want to experience the Swiss mountains in an exciting way find Vals amazing as it is the perfect combination between nature and privacy, culture, architecture and of course, outstanding cuisine. A typical stay here always includes plenty of time to relax and explore their thermal baths and dinner in the 2* Michelin restaurant 7132 Silver. An outdoor playground in all seasons and if you prefer to see Switzerland from above, they have their very own helicopter!



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Other experiences:
Art lovers get ready and
then off to the sights...

Art Basel showcases art from the 20th and 21st centuries, and is undoubtedly the international art market's most important global exhibition. Over 300 carefully selected exhibitors from the world's major galleries turn this exhibition into a major temporary museum. Artists, collectors and many famous names from the cultural scene meet in Basel during the exhibition. The next exhibition is June 12th -



The Musegg Wall and nine Musegg Towers. The old natural stone walls provide a habitat for endangered plants and animals, including jackdaws, common swifts and bats.

Directly behind the wall lies the Hinter Musegg Farm. Super cute! The farm is organic and open stable doors offer visitors a glimpse into species-appropriate husbandry. Children and families can see alpacas, Highland cattle, mini pigs, hens and goats, while also getting a chance to work on the farm.



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Spotlight on... mountains



Getting around in Switzerland by rail is all part of the journey when traveling in style!

The Luzern–Interlaken Express turns your journey from one city to the other into a great experience. During a train ride of roughly two hours, passengers marvel at five crystal clear mountain lakes that gather the waters from various rivers and waterfalls. At the lakeshore, steep rock faces of surrounding mountains rise up protectively and provide unique photo motifs.

Shortly before starting its steep, winding ascent to Brünig Pass, the train changes to cogwheel drivetrain technology in order to conquer the gradient. With good reason, the Luzern–Interlaken Express is part of the scenic GoldenPass Line leading to Interlaken and on to Montreux.



Thanks to over 65 000 kilometers of way marked trails, virtually every corner of Switzerland is waiting to be discovered on your next hike.

The paths are well marked and as varied as the scenery! An easy hike to Muotathal at the foot of Prigel Pass begins in the lively little town of Schwyz. The capital of the canton of the same name is located between Lake Lucerne and Lake Lauerz, below the twin peaks of the Mythen Mountains.

After just a few steps you're out in the countryside nestled between fruit-bearing trees. Crossing a wooden bridge dripping in history and reaching the Stoos funicular. With a maximum gradient of 110% (47°), it is claimed to be the world's steepest.



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