



5 Miami Hotels You Must Visit This Summer

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It's that time of year again.

It's summer and you are either urging your friends to finally go to Miami or they are doing the same to you.

Miami has long been known as a classic summer destination, merging the beach life with vibrant nightlife. It's also become quite the destination for the business traveler or the "bleisure" traveler (business plus leisure).

You've heard all the great things about the city. Now it's time to finally experience the best of what Miami has to offer (think of all the Facebook photos you've been missing out on).

Here are five [Miami](#) hotels in the downtown area that must be visited.

JW Marriott Marquis Miami

You'll be hard-pressed to find a guest who says they had an awful stay at JW Marriott Marquis Miami.

Reviews on TripAdvisor are absolutely glowing, whether travelers are commenting about the large rooms, the service, the attention to detail, the property's golf school and 10,000-square-foot basketball court, the business services, the Enliven Spa or welcoming amenities such as Illy espresso makers, Keurig brewers and TVs embedded into in-bathroom mirrors.

You can also dine at DB Bistro Moderne from James Beard award-winning Chef Daniel Boulud. Heck, the *Wall Street Journal* is even provided free of charge, delivered right at your doorstep.



Hotel Beaux Arts Miami

Another product of Marriott, Hotel Beaux Arts Miami is actually located in the same building as JW Marriott Marquis Miami, except it ascends 39 stories up into the Miami sky.

It shares the same restaurant, spa and services as JW Marriott Marquis Miami, as well, which is probably why it was rated right behind JW Marriott Marquis as the No. 3 hotel in Miami by TripAdvisor reviewers.

But, hence its name, you can't overlook the private hotel's art and design, either. Sleek, contemporary and not overbearing, there's just the right amount of captivating art in the place

while still focusing on providing ample space for guests. Throw in the expertly embedded state-of-the-art technology and it's a great example of a way to seamlessly integrate technology with art.

