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## THE 2014 LUXE LIST

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RYUKYU  
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SHANGHAI

### OVER THE MOON

In the lobby of Hong Kong's Mira Moon, one of the fabulous new hotels on this year's Luxe List. See page 90.



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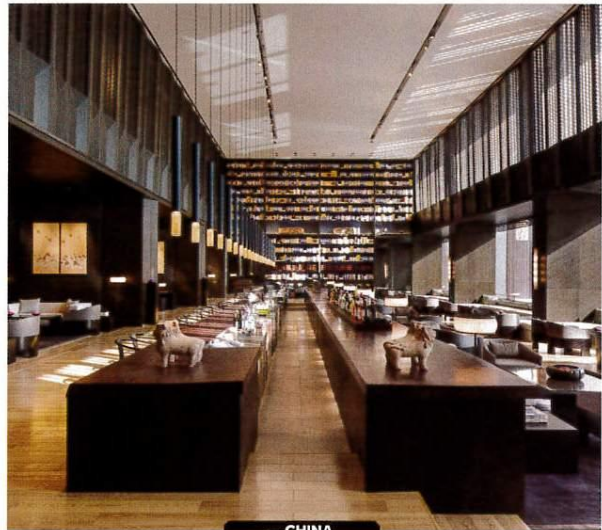
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**SPECIAL DEALS**  
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—CHINA

Billing itself as the only urban resort in Wuhan, the **PuYu Hotel and Spa** ([thepuyu.com](http://thepuyu.com)) is enticing travelers to linger in this dynamic central Chinese city with nightly rates from US\$275 that include breakfast for two, complimentary minibar, access to the health club and swimming pool, and—most notably—a second night for free. With 332 rooms and suites featuring timber flooring, stone bathtubs, and window-side daybeds, the year-old hotel—a sister property to Shanghai's sleek PuLi—is an ideal base for exploring Wuhan's parks, lakes, and historic attractions.

—INDONESIA

Serenely situated on the slopes of a forested gorge above Bali's Ayung River, **Como Shambhala Estate** ([comohotels.com](http://comohotels.com)) is the epitome of holistic luxury. Until December 19, take advantage of the five-star accommodations and extensive roster of wellness programs with the retreat's Arrive, Breathe and Relax offer, which earns guests resort credits worth upwards of US\$75 for three-night stays booked as part of any wellness program or half-board Discover

Daily rate. Better still, the deal includes an extra night free for stays of five nights or more.

—JAPAN

Until December 19, guests staying three consecutive nights at the elegant **Park Hyatt Tokyo** ([parkhyatt.com](http://parkhyatt.com)) in Shinjuku will receive an additional night on the house, breakfast included. The 4th Night Free offer also gets you usage of the hotel's 47th-floor Club On The Park pool and fitness facilities, where on clear days the views extend to Mount Fuji.

—THAILAND

In the southern reaches of Koh Samui, Hua Thanon Beach remains one of the island's most sedate stretches of sand, and it's here that **X2 Samui** ([x2resorts.com](http://x2resorts.com)) holds court with 27 design-centric villas. Until December 20, discounted nightly rates beginning at US\$185 for a pool villa include daily breakfast with champagne, a one-time replenishment of your minibar, round-trip airport transfers, and 10 and 20 percent off food and spa treatments, respectively.

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