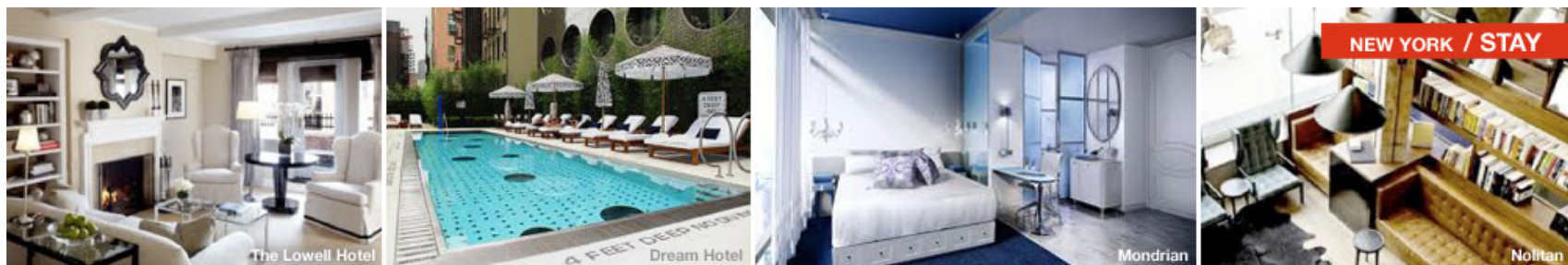




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STAY

1. Dream Hotel

355 West 16th Street / 1 212 229 2559
 Neighborhood: Chelsea/Meatpacking

The randomness of dreams can be seen everywhere in this appropriately named hotel. Stay in one of the 300 loft-style rooms equipped with some serious tech, Etro toiletries and Egyptian linens. You can also escape to the tropics at Manhattan's first ever rooftop beach.

2. Nolitan

156 Mott Street / 1 212 966 8883
 Neighborhood: NoLita

New York's NoLita neighborhood has just welcomed its first luxury boutique hotel, the 55-room Nolitan Hotel. Housed in a modern high-rise with huge glass windows, the spacious ground floor lobby feels more like a chic living room than a hotel. Eight different room types are available each with their own attractions, from views of the skyline to a freestanding soaking tub they are all equipped with 300-thread count bed linens, rain showers and the latest issue of *Vogue* and *GQ*.

3. Mondrian

9 Crosby Street / 1 212 389 1000
 Neighborhood: SoHo

Inspired by Jean Coucteau's 1946 French fantasy film *La Belle et la Bête*, designer Benjamin Noriega-Ortiz has created a chic rest stop filled with luxurious textures and a fresh, blue based color palette for this East Coast location of the sceney Mondrian.

4. Hotel Americano

518 West 27th Street / 1 212 216 0000
 Neighborhood: Chelsea/Meatpacking

The Hotel American comes courtesy of Grupo Habita of Mexico City and stands 10-stories tall with an impressive glass facade, covered in metal mesh. Nestled in near the High Line Park and cluster of galleries in Chelsea, staying here will guarantee you get a taste of New York's art, fashion and food scene.

5. The Lowell Hotel

28 East 63rd Street / 1 212 838 1400
 Neighborhood: Upper East Side

This pet-friendly hotel serves as a second home to many NYC regular visitors looking to stray away from the über-trendy. The top-notch amenities and pristine, classic room decor are some of the best in the city. Did we mention its new Chanel-inspired suite?

EAT & DRINK

1. Laduree

864 Madison Avenue
Neighborhood: Upper East Side

Ladurée is legendary for its exquisite selection of macaroons that have garnered a cult following.

2. The Lambs Club

132 West 44th Street / 1 212 997 5262
Neighborhood: Midtown

Located in the elegant Chatwal Hotel, The Lambs Club is the latest venture from celebrity chef Geoffrey Zakarian, featuring upscale comfort foods such as seared sea scallops, roasted lamb and pork chops. Take a seat in one of the red leather banquettes (preferably by the over-sized 18th century French fireplace) and enjoy a classic cocktail chilled with hand cut ice, just one of the many small touches that make the Lambs Club so luxe.

3. Birreria

200 Fifth Avenue / 1 212 229 2560
Neighborhood: Flatiron/Union Square

Mario Batali has opened up a rooftop restaurant atop Eataly serving up striking views, hearty Italian food family style and beer that is brewed on the roof itself.



EAT & DRINK

4. The Dutch

131 Sullivan Street / 1 212 677 6200
Neighborhood: SoHo

The restaurant, bar and oyster room is a SoHo hotspot for local foodies and visitors alike. With Chef Andrew Carmellini, Josh Pickard and Luke Ostrom behind the scene here you know you're in for good fun, good food and delicious cocktails.

5. Empellion

230 West 4th Street / 1 212 367 0999
Neighborhood: West Village

Alex Stupak earned his stripes at WD-50 before branching off to open this chic Mexican spot in the West Village serving up finger-licking tacos and tequila drinks to wash them down.

6. Tertulia

359 Sixth Avenue / 1 646 559 9909
Neighborhood: West Village

From Chef Seamus Mullen's comes Tertulia, that's 17th century Spanish for "literary salon"; today Tertulia "is used to describe a gather of friends marked by great conversation, food and drink," and that's just what this tapas restaurant is. With Mejillones Bravos a la Sidra and Chorizo Criollo it's no wonder this has quickly become a local favorite.

7. Frankies 570

570 Hudson Street
Neighborhood: West Village

Chefs Frank Falcinelli and Frank Castronovo have done it again, bringing their fresh approach to the lighter side of Italian cooking to the West. This time their cured meats, crostini and mouth-watering, hand-made pastas are going to be paired with a long list of aperitifs.

8. Il Laboratorio del Gelato

188 Ludlow Street / 1 212 343 9922
Neighborhood: Lower East Side

A spacious sleek white corner space makes for the perfect venue to make and serve the endless gelato flavors that Il Laboratorio pumps out. With flavors like Braeburn Apple, Honey Lavender, Mexican Cinnamon and Toasted Coconut, these icy treats will satisfy your sweet tooth craving mid-day or late night.

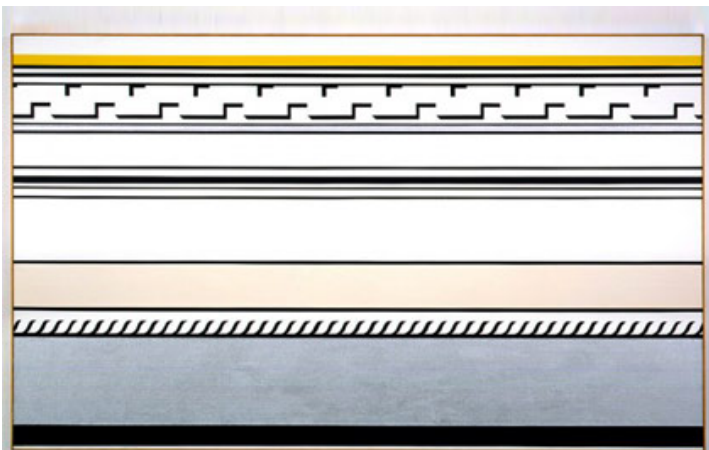
9. Beagle

162 Avenue A / 1 212 228 6900
Neighborhood: Lower East Side

A neighborhood anomaly in the East Village, this swanky spot serves up sophisticated cocktails paired with scrumptious small plates with an American flair.



SEE



Roy Lichtenstein: Entablatures



Harper's Bazaar: A Decade of Style

1. Daphne Guinness

The Museum at FIT -Special Exhibitions Gallery 227 Seventh Avenue / 1 212 217 4558
Neighborhood: Meatpacking/Chelsea

On September 16th the Fashion Institute of Technology will unveil an exhibition of 100 fashion pieces from, in the words of Tom Ford, "one of the — if not the — most stylish women living," the Honorable Daphne Guinness. Guinness' appreciation and dedication to fashion runs deep — last year she bought the entire Isabella Blow collection from an auction at Chrystie's. As an avid collector and friend of the late visionary Alexander McQueen, expect to find pieces from him, as well as Azzedine Alaïa, Karl Lagerfeld for Chanel, Rick Owens and Gareth Pugh to name but a few. Also in the mix, some of her own designs, photographs and a video she made especially for the exhibit. From September 16th through January 7th 2012

2. Roy Lichtenstein: Entablatures

Paula Cooper Gallery 534 West 21st / 1 212 255 1105
Neighborhood: Meatpacking/Chelsea

New York Pop artist of the 60s, Roy Lichtenstein is renowned for his iconic comic style. A collection of Roy Lichtenstein's abstract entablatures, that were realized between 1971 and 1976, will be on display at the Paula Cooper Gallery. His interpretation's of this horizontal architectural motif is completely in line with his comic signature style. From September 17 through October 22

3. Harper's Bazaar: A Decade of Style

International Center of Photography, 1133 Avenue of the Americas / 1 212 857 0000
Neighborhood: Midtown

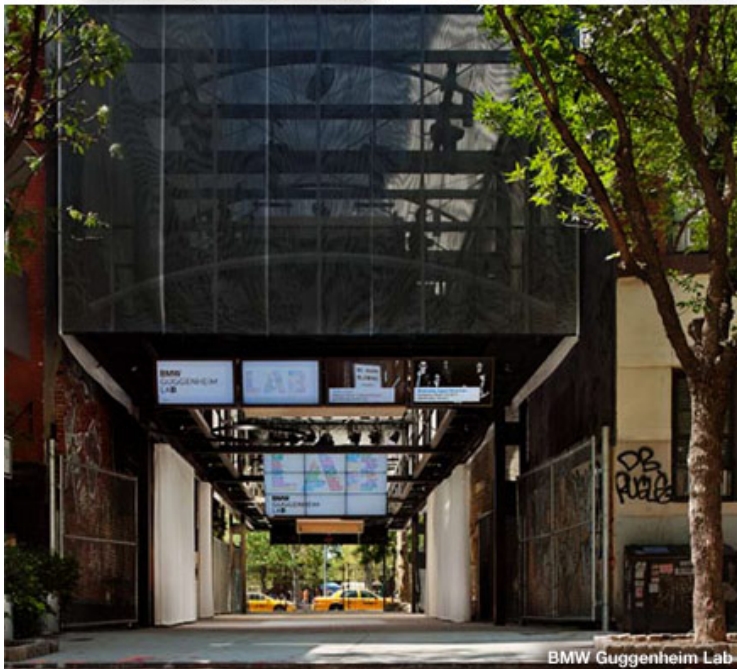
The International Center of Photography will highlight a collection of images from the last decade from Harper's Bazaar when Glenda Bailey, Editor in Chief, and Stephen Gan, Creative Director, hopped on board keeping the magazine's tradition of "high impact photography" alive and powerful. On display find around thirty images from world-renowned photographers such as, Peter Lindbergh, Patrick Demarchelier, Tim Walker and Jean-Paul Goude. From September 9th through January 8th 2012

SEE



Sarah Sze, Still Life With Landscape

The Highline



BMW Guggenheim Lab

4. BMW Guggenheim Lab

First Park, Houston at 2nd Ave
Neighborhood: East Village

The Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum and BMW have joined forces to create a mobile structure that hosts free programs which explore new ways to improve city life. The programs, workshops and experiments are hosted by a group of international emerging talents with various backgrounds in everything from art and architecture, to science and technology. The fiberglass laboratory will travel to nine cities around the world over six years starting in New York. From August 3 to October 16, 2011

5. The Highline

835 Washington Street
Neighborhood: Meatpacking/Chelsea

This former railway track was spared from demolition in 1999 and has since been completely transformed into a mini-oasis in the heart of the trendy Meatpacking district and phase two is now open making this new landmark even bigger and better.

6. Sarah Sze, Still Life With Landscape (Model for a Habitat)

On the High Line, between West 20th and West 21st Streets
Neighborhood: Meatpacking/Chelsea

Made up of various bird houses, Sarah Sze's architectural structure is set over a gateway of the Highline inviting visitors to enter and pass through the space that attracts wildlife and acts as an observatory for birds, butterflies and insects. From June 8, 2011 through June, 2012

7. New York Art Book Fair

MOMA PS1 2225 Jackson Avenue
Neighborhood: Long Island City

This is Printed Matters' sixth annual fair of this kind showcasing works of art in the form of books, zines and special projects. From September 30 through October 1, 2011

RELAX

1. Kiehl's Spa 1851

157 East 64th Street / 1-888-SPA-1851
Neighborhood: Upper East Side

Following the opening of its first Upper East Side location, Kiehl's is putting their natural beauty products to use with Spa 1851. Situated atop the Lexington Avenue store, Spa 1851 channels the brand's roots as a historic, herb-centric apothecary.

2. Pipino 57

115 East 57th Street / 1 212 355 5544
Neighborhood: UpperEast Side

With an impressive resume and celebrity clientele, Ric Pipino and his staff know how to give a glamorous cut ready for any red-carpet.

3. Hommage Atelier

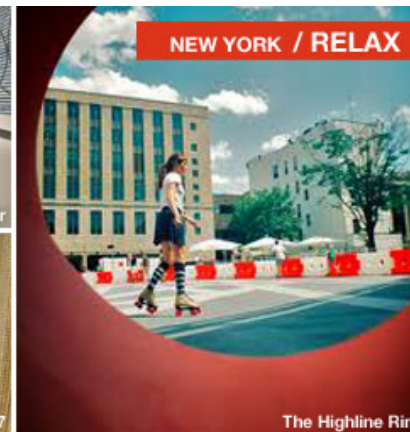
605 Madison Avenue / 1 212 752 2100
Neighborhood: Upper East Side

Hommage Atelier is the future of men's grooming. This Upper East Side hidden treasure provides luxury treatments in a masculine environment sure to leave you feeling refreshed, recharged, and flawlessly groomed

4. The Highline Rink

West 30th Street and 10th Avenue
Neighborhood: Meatpacking/Chelsea

Supporting the city's High Line, Uniqlo has collaborated to open a roller rink on The Lot. Open until September 26th, this 8,000 square-foot space is surrounded by benches made of the original high line beams. Also on The Lot is the Uniqlo Cube, a pop-up shop featuring an abundance of cashmere, ultra-light down jackets, and their innovative HEATTECH inner wear.



SHOP



1. Agent Provocateur

675 Madison Avenue / 1 212 840 2436
Neighborhood: Upper East Side

With two floors and 2,500 square feet, the Uptown outpost for racy lingerie label Agent Provocateur features floor-to-ceiling windows, a hosiery library and a conservatory towards the rear.

2. Joie

1196 Madison Avenue / 1 212 837 2220
Neighborhood: Upper East Side

Joie's first freestanding boutique in the United States has opened on the Upper East Side. Inspired by the laid-back lifestyle of Southern California, the contemporary brand plans to collaborate with many artists and designers, as well as acquire jewelry and accessories in addition to its already successful Joie Soft and Joie a la Plage collections.

3. Milly

900 Madison Avenue / 1 212 395 9100
Neighborhood: Upper East Side

Loved for feminine silhouettes and eye-catching embellishments, it's Milly's bright, colorful prints that you can spot from blocks away at her first freestanding New York flagship store.

4. Tory Burch

797 Madison Avenue
Neighborhood: Upper East Side

This Tory Burch flagship store spans 8,135 sqft. and sits in a 19th Century townhouse. Inside she's turned up the glitz and glam on her laid-back lifestyle with a marble and mirror entranceway, chandeliers and velvet drapes. Swing on up to the third floor to the espresso bar and outdoor terrace. Should you be visiting for a trunk show or personal shopping appointment, you'll want to go up to floor 5.



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5. Lacoste
608 Fifth Avenue / 1 212 459 2300
Neighborhood: Midtown

A sportswear haven. This flagship stocks all lines from Lacoste including LACOSTE LIVE, childrenswear, footwear and jewelry. Visit the Polo Bar and pick your favorite color or consult a Lacoste specialist for advice on a color and fit; 65 color options can be overwhelming! It doesn't stop there – this location also offers concierge services for locals and visitors in the market for theater tickets and restaurant reservations.

6. Uniqlo
666 Fifth Avenue
Neighborhood: Midtown

Spanning 90,000 sqft., this will be the largest flagship store in the world from Uniqlo. The universally adored Japanese brand keeps it simple with cashmere pulls and quality denim in every color and fit imaginable, all for a reasonable price.
OPENING OCTOBER 14th 2011



7. Madewell
115 Fifth Avenue / 1 212 228 5172
Neighborhood: Flatiron/Union Square

In a beautiful building boasting original details from when it was built in 1816, like 19-foot arch windows and Corinthian columns, comes Madewell's largest location to date. The space explores a new store concept stocking a wider range of shoes and home goods in addition to "hometown heroes"; a pop-up shop showcasing the staff's favorite pieces from shops around town.



8. Aesop
60 University Place / 1 877 602 3767
Neighborhood: Flatiron/Union Square

Aussie cult classic skin care brand Aesop is slated to open two locations in the upcoming months. Its kiosk in Grand Central Terminal was the first to be unveiled, but keep your eyes peeled while roaming the city – next on the list is this outpost and a NoLita opening will soon follow.



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9. Z Spoke

875 Washington
Neighborhood: Meatpacking/Chelsea

Zac Posen's first Z Spoke store ever hosts the designers more affordable collection of apparel and handbags in this pint size shop.

10. Nicholas Kirkwood

807 Washington Street
Neighborhood: Meatpacking/Chelsea

British footwear designer Nicholas Kirkwood is set to open the doors to his first store in the US. The flagship will span 1,500 sqft. and will carry his highly coveted eye-catching designs.
OPENING 2012

11. RRL

381-383 Bleecker Street / 1 646 638 0684
Neighborhood: West Village

Your one-stop-shop for all things RRL. Two stores side-by-side both host the complete range of RRL goods. A new Italian-made collection and sits alongside vintage-inspired suits, button-ups and trousers in one store. The other is home to the RRL collection we all know and love, as well as the domestically produced RRL footwear line.

12. Nicola Formichetti Pop-up Shop

57 Walker Street
Neighborhood: TriBeCa

Visionary Nicola Formichetti, Lady Gaga's stylist, is launching a pop-up store that will aptly look like a shattered disco ball inside for Fashion's Night Out. Expect to find T-shirts, Mugler runway pieces and never before seen gems.
Opened September 1st through September 14th

13. Cynthia Vincent

235 Elizabeth Street / 1 646 707 3830
Neighborhood: NoLita

LA-based designer Cynthia Vincent brings her boho chic designs to NoLita with her first freestanding boutique. Find her line Twelfth Street by Cynthia Vincent, handbags, shoes and a collection of hand picked jewelry pieces from her favorite designers.

14. 3X1

15 Mercer Street / 1 212 391 6969
Neighborhood: SoHo

From Scott Morrison, the mastermind behind Paper Denim & Cloth and Ernest Sewn comes 3x1. Part store, part gallery and part manufacturing center allows you to not only get your jeans tailored on location but watch them being made start-to-finish.



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20. Treasure & Bond

350 West Broadway / 1 646 669 9049
 Neighborhood: SoHo

Located in SoHo, this concept store donates 100% of its proceeds to a rotating roster of charities, with this quarter's donations going to **The New York Public Library Programs for Children and Young Adults**. Visitors can browse through apparel by Nicholas K, James Perse and Them Atelier; jewelry from Dominic Jones and Surface to Air; and home goods by Danica Studio, Mud Australia, Serenity Fair and Thomas Paul. Be sure to stop by often to catch the opening of the in-store cafe featuring Stumptown Coffee and Balthazar Bakery.

15. Aritzia

524 Broadway / 1 212 431 2686
 Neighborhood: SoHo

Canadian-born, multi-brand shop Aritzia graces the Broadway offering up their trend-driven assortment of apparel and accessories from the likes of Taula, TNA, Le Fou by Wilfred and many more youthful brands that will supply SoHo with fun, youthful everyday wear.

16. BLK Denim

237 Lafayette Street / 1 212 966 6258
 Neighborhood: SoHo

From Johan Lindeberg comes BLK Denim project offering up tailored blazers, leather accessories, T-shirts and denim with a downtown edge. It's a good idea to keep this one on your radar as new pieces are launched regularly disregarding the boundaries of conventional fashion seasons.

17. C. Wonder

72 Spring Street
 Neighborhood: SoHo

Chris Burch learned a thing or two from ex-wife Tory Burch. C. Wonder is hyped up to host an inspiring shopping experience for women. The 5,000 sqft. Space is set to offer up top-quality products and luxury services in addition to a few surprises.
 OPENING Fall 2011

18. Frye

113 Spring Street / 1 212 226 3793
 Neighborhood: SoHo

The first ever Frye flagship store offers up the full range of their coveted boot and handbag collections. The 6,000-square-foot store is equipped with exposed brick walls, reclaimed barn doors and a lounge, which you can relax in while you choose a design to tattoo your boots with.

19. agnès B. Galerie Boutique

50 Howard Street / 1 212 431 1335
 Neighborhood: SoHo

From a designer who believes that there should be no boundaries in art, the agnès B. Galerie Boutique is a tranquil lifestyle space that showcases up-and-coming artists and its collection of well-cut garments made from exceptional fabrics.

SHOP

21. Ralph Lauren

109 Prince Street / 1 212 625 1660
Neighborhood: SoHo

You can't miss this beautiful corner space in which Ralph Lauren hosts his Blue, Black and Purple Label for women on the street level, while down below the men can peruse a similar selection of labels but, the store wouldn't be complete without RLX activewear, RRL and a nook to order personalized Polo knit shirts of course.

22. Surface to Air

27 Mercer Street
Neighborhood: SoHo

The cult ready-to-wear brand, Surface to Air offers inspirational design with a rock 'n' roll edge in every collection.

23. Aesa + Electric Feathers

35 Crosby Street / 1 212 837 2648
Neighborhood: SoHo

Jewelry brand Aesa and apparel brand Electric Feathers have teamed up to conquer Crosby with their first ever store. Find eclectic (and electric) designs from the two that pair seamlessly well together.



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