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## The Best Places to Travel in January

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*Now that gift-giving season has come and gone, it's time to treat yourself—and what better way to lift spirits in the gloom of January than with a trip? Whether you're a snow bunny keen to explore the Great Outdoors, or a sand fly who needs a dose of winter sun, we've got you covered.*

*This gallery was originally published in 2016. It has been updated with new picks.*



### 2/7 Nashville, Tennessee

This month, Music City gains a funky new venue in the shape of the 5,000-square-foot, 300 person-capacity [Analog complex](#) inside the [Hutton Hotel](#). Carved out of its former parking garage, the project also features two "writer's rooms" for creatives, named after Dierks Bentley and Ryan Tedder, who's written smashes for Taylor Swift and Adele, among others. It doesn't stop there: live music behemoth AEG has announced plans to take over the \$1 billion Nashville Yards redevelopment in the next two years, anchored by two more venues, a 4,000-seater and a smaller 600-person cabaret space. January 15-21 is also one of the two windows each year the city's restaurants offer special menus for [Restaurant Week](#). Wondering where else to eat in Nashville? Take some tips from none other than [Anthony Bourdain](#).