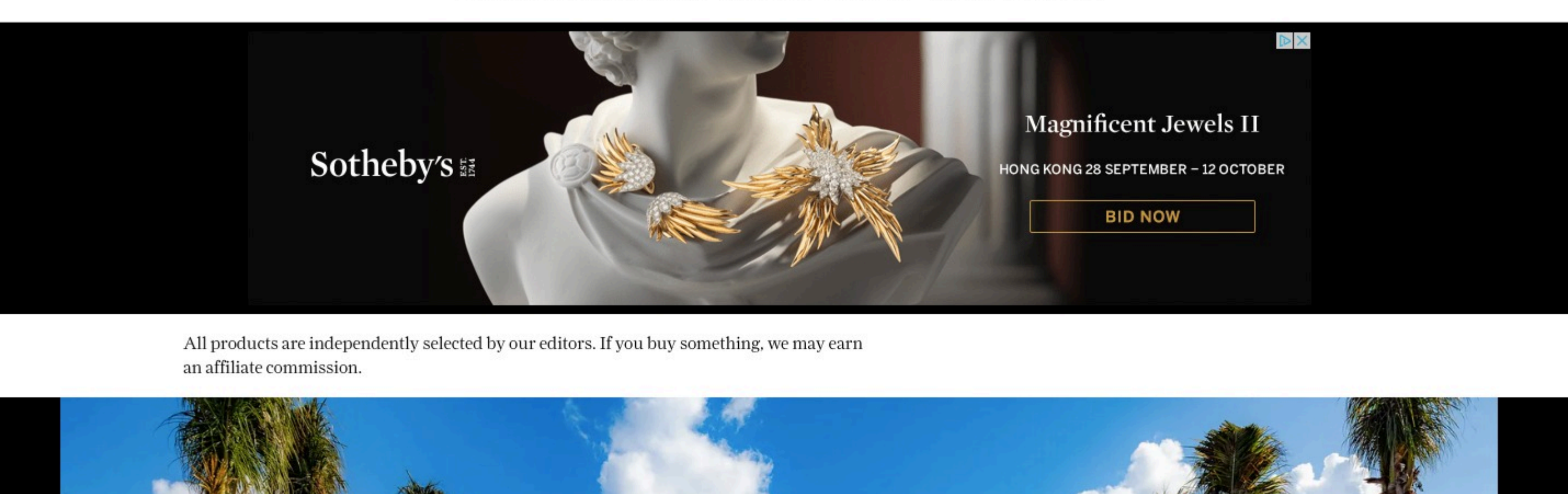




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The best resorts in the world: 2022 Readers' Choice Awards

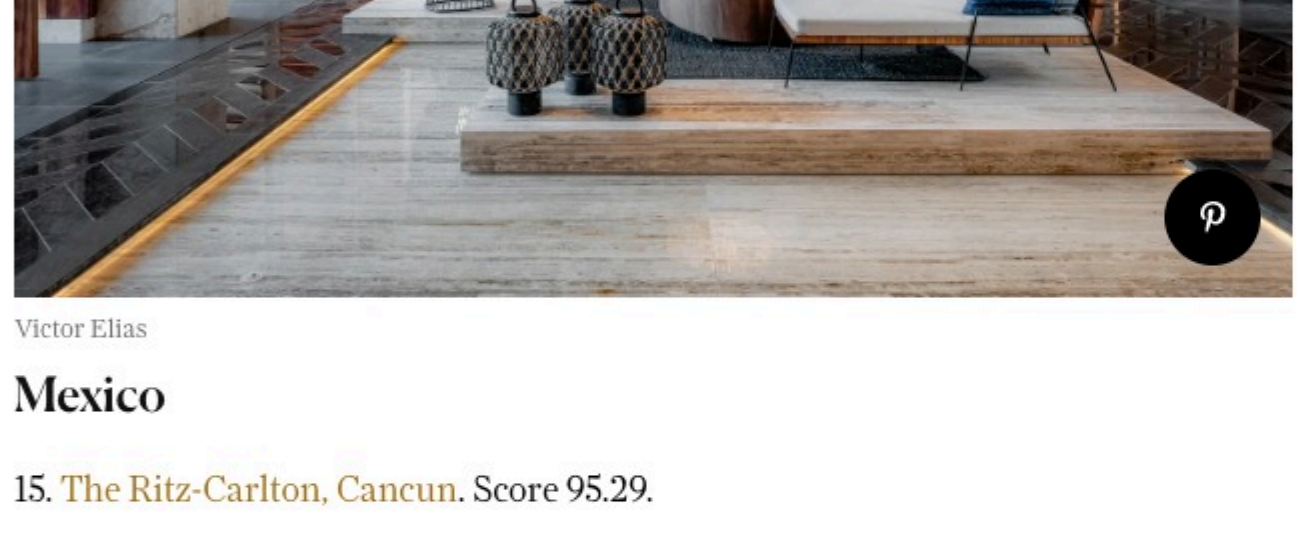
These are the best resorts in the world – as voted for by you in our Readers' Choice Awards 2022

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In Canada, Fairmont almost had a full house, with an incredible six resorts in the list, though the competitively priced, scene-stealing Nita Lake Lodge edged ahead as the overall winner. Sixteen years after Bill Bensley designed the canvases at the Four Seasons Tented Camp Golden Triangle in Thailand, safari-inspired glamping shows no signs of breaking camp, with Al Maha embedded in the sand dunes of Dubai, while Costa Rica's eco resorts are increasingly fertile. Recently launched Six Senses Shahrut may not have tents, but its incredible location is helping to open up Israel's Negev wilderness to travellers. Top scorers in our new "community" criteria – in other words, how you felt the resort supported local people and interests – included Bali's The Laguna and Capella Lodge on Australia's Lord Howe Island, along with the Namibian outpost of Burning Man favourite Habitas, one of the most striking recent openings in Africa; when it came to activities and experiences, Mashpi Lodge in Ecuador was among the most accomplished early risers. In Europe, the Ikos group is proving popular for its fresh take on the all-inclusive, while MarBella Elix, opened in 2021, rated top for location – a pretty unbeatable one on the Greek mainland looking over the Ionian Sea. And Adare Manor was one of the best resorts for food, with a lyrical menu of ingredients plucked from Co. Limerick's fields and waters.

These are the best resorts in the world, according to the 2022 Readers' Choice Awards. The scores below are percentages representing overall average levels of satisfaction.

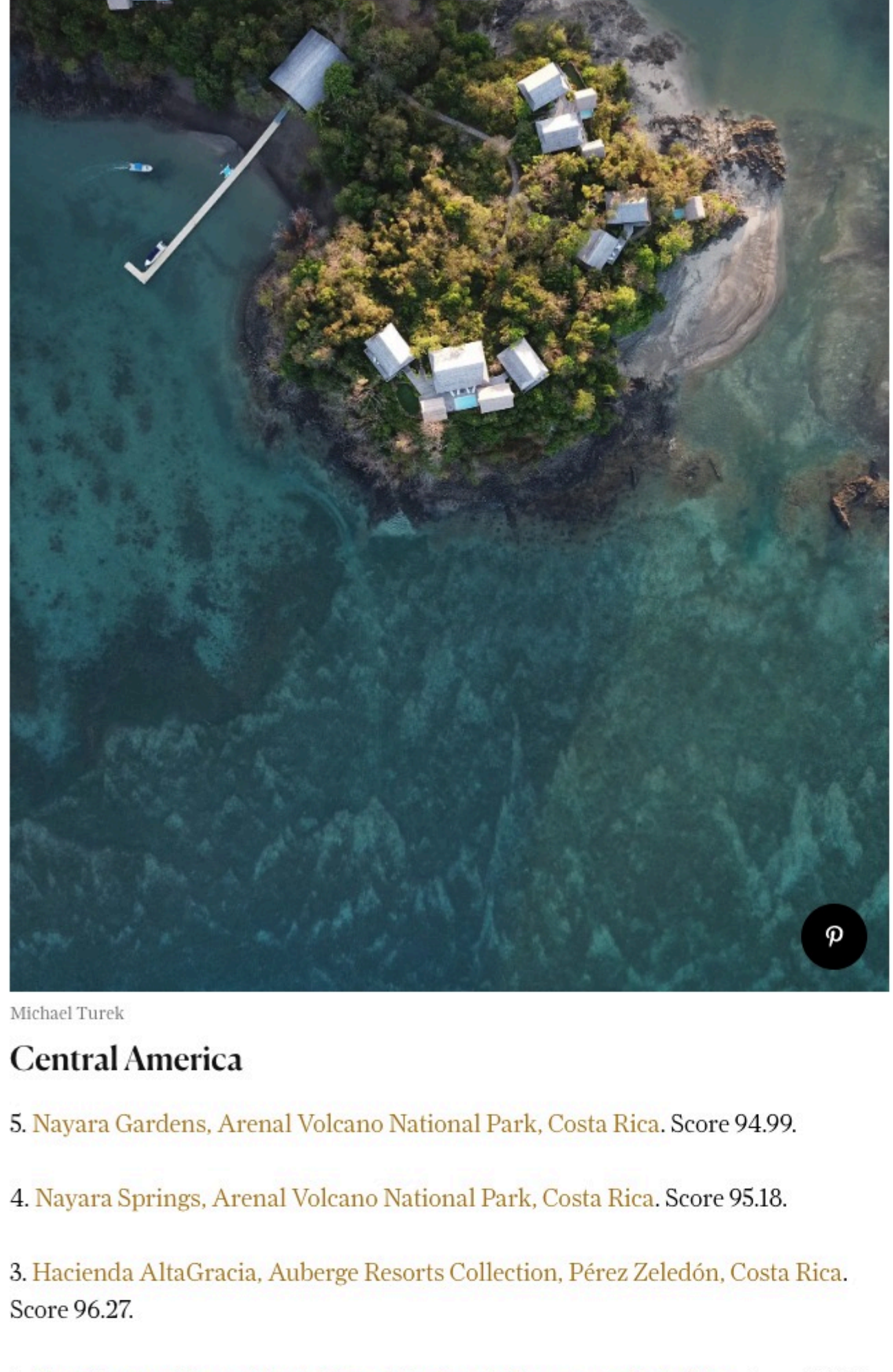
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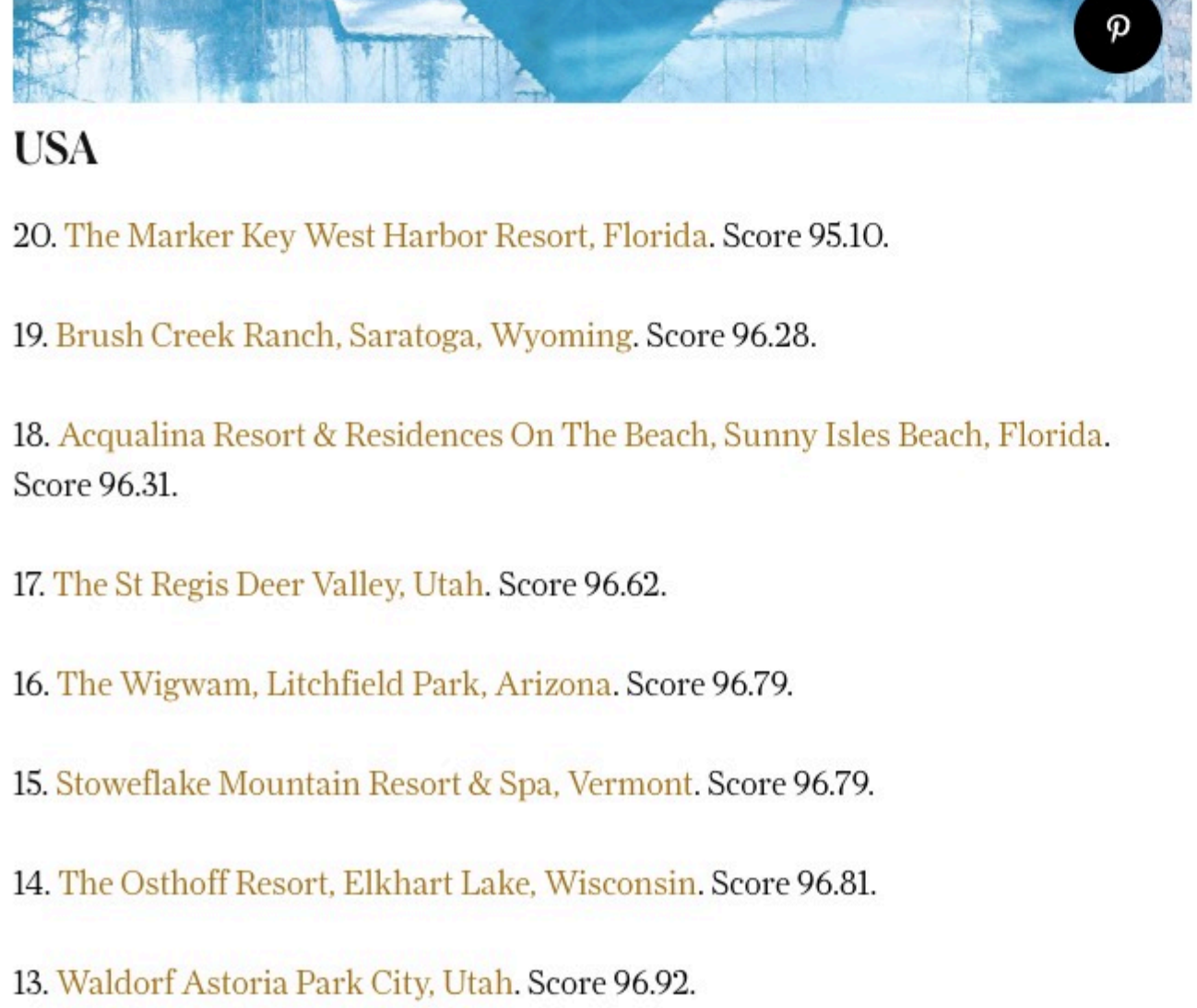
15. The Ritz-Carlton, Cancun. Score 95.29.
14. Four Seasons Resort Punta Mita. Score 95.59.
13. Viceroy Los Cabos, San José del Cabo. Score 95.78.
12. The Cape, a Thompson Hotel, Cabo San Lucas. Score 95.79.
11. Las Ventanas al Paraíso, A Rosewood Resort, Cabo San Lucas. Score 96.28.
10. SLS Cancun Hotel & Residences. Score 97.28.
9. Palmaia, The House of Aia, Playa del Carmen. Score 97.36.
8. The St Regis Punta Mita Resort. Score 97.41.
7. Habitas Bacalar. Score 97.46.
6. Habitas Tulum. Score 97.52.
5. Waldorf Astoria Los Cabos Pedregal, Cabo San Lucas. Score 97.88.
4. Ekéero, Auberge Resorts Collection, Riviera Maya. Score 97.92.
3. Chileno Bay Resort & Residences, Auberge Resorts Collection, Cabo San Lucas. Score 98.07.
2. One&Only Palmilla, San José del Cabo. Score 98.21.
1. Conrad Tulum Riviera Maya. Score 98.56.



Michael Turck

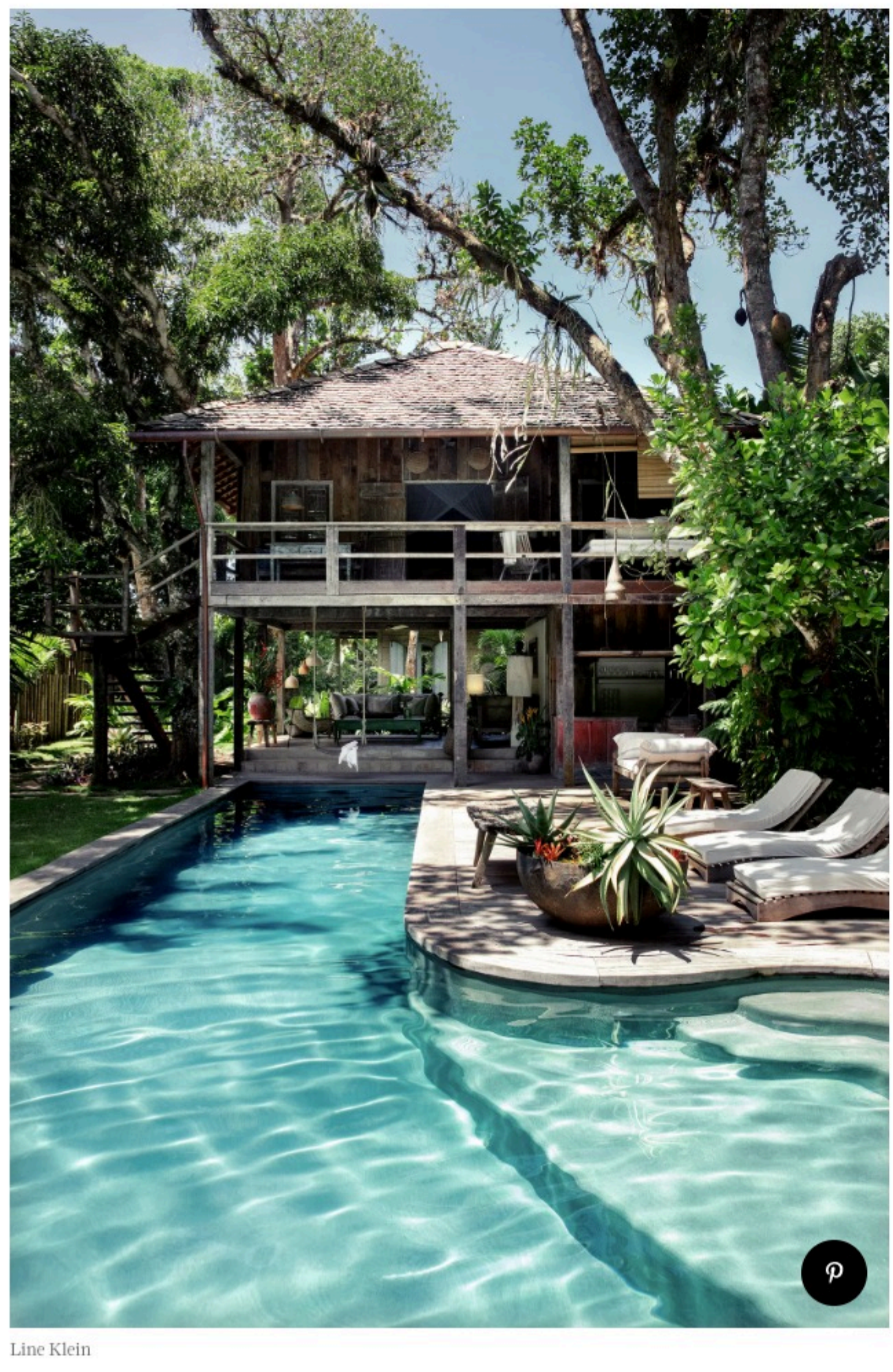
Central America

5. Nayara Gardens, Arenal Volcano National Park, Costa Rica. Score 94.99.
4. Nayara Springs, Arenal Volcano National Park, Costa Rica. Score 95.18.
3. Hacienda AltaGracia, Auberge Resorts Collection, Pérez Zeledón, Costa Rica. Score 96.27.
2. Four Seasons Resort Costa Rica at Peninsula Papagayo, Costa Rica. Score 96.58.
1. Islas Secas Reserve & Resort, Panama. Score 97.62.



USA

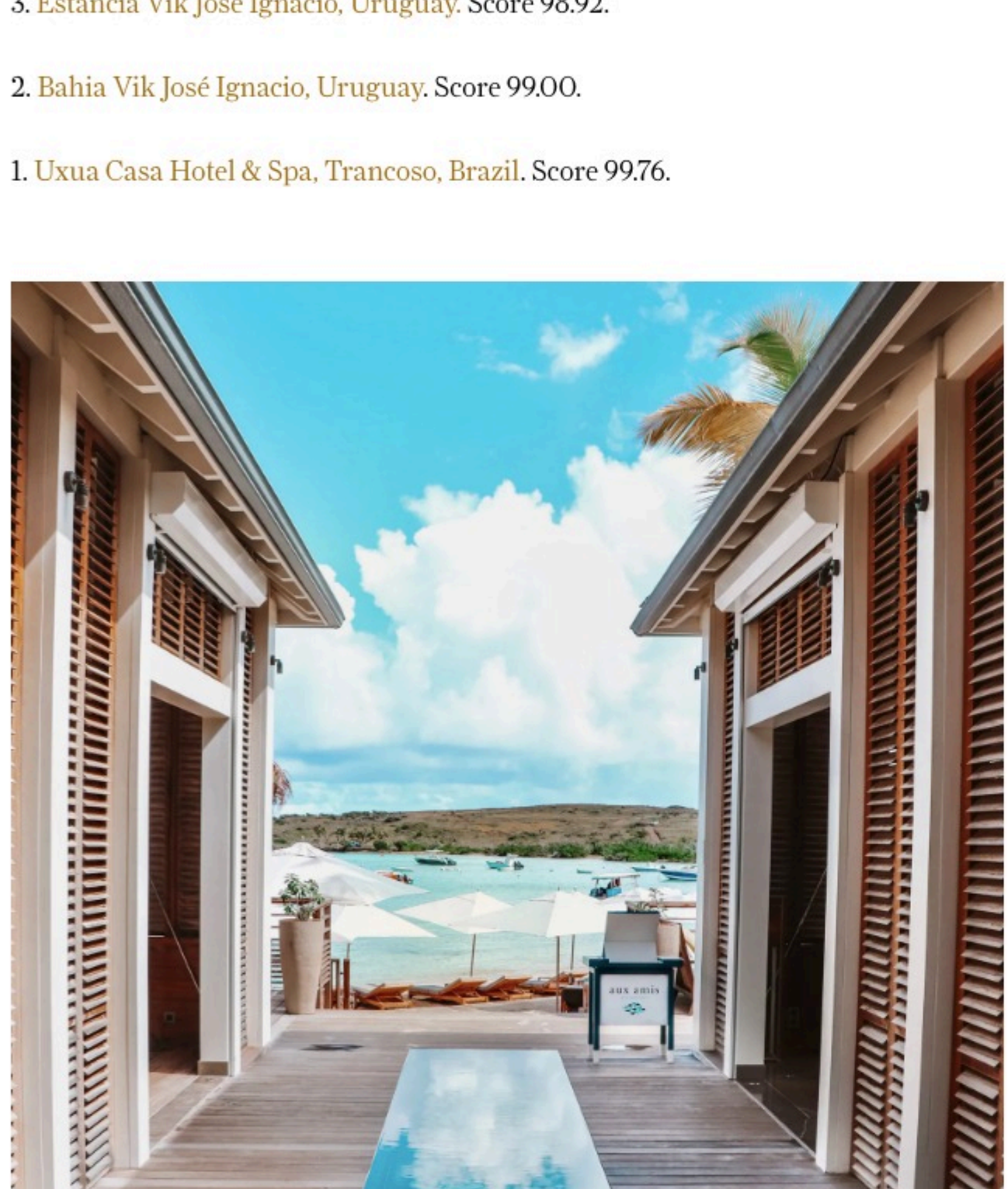
20. The Marker Key West Harbor Resort, Florida. Score 95.10.
19. Brush Creek Ranch, Saratoga, Wyoming. Score 96.28.
18. Acqualina Resort & Residences On The Beach, Sunny Isles Beach, Florida. Score 96.31.
17. The St Regis Deer Valley, Utah. Score 96.62.
16. The Wigwam, Litchfield Park, Arizona. Score 96.79.
15. StoweLake Mountain Resort & Spa, Vermont. Score 96.79.
14. The Osthoff Resort, Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin. Score 96.81.
13. Waldorf Astoria Park City, Utah. Score 96.92.
12. L'Horizon Resort & Spa, Palm Springs, California. Score 96.94.
11. The Ritz-Carlton Orlando, Grande Lakes, Florida. Score 97.26.
10. Montage Palmetto Bluff, Bluffton, South Carolina. Score 97.65.
9. One Ocean Resort & Spa, Atlantic Beach, Florida. Score 97.69.
8. Brasada Ranch, Powell Butte, Oregon. Score 98.03.
7. The Westin Riverfront Resort & Spa, Avon, Vail Valley, Colorado. Score 98.35.
6. Tutka Bay Lodge, Homer, Alaska. Score 98.46.
5. La Cantera Resort & Spa, San Antonio, Texas. Score 98.51.
4. Twin Farms, Barnard, Vermont. Score 98.88.
3. Four Seasons Resort Palm Beach, Florida. Score 98.94.
2. Viceroy Snowmass, Colorado. Score 98.97.
1. Four Seasons Resort and Residences Vail, Colorado. Score 99.05.



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South America

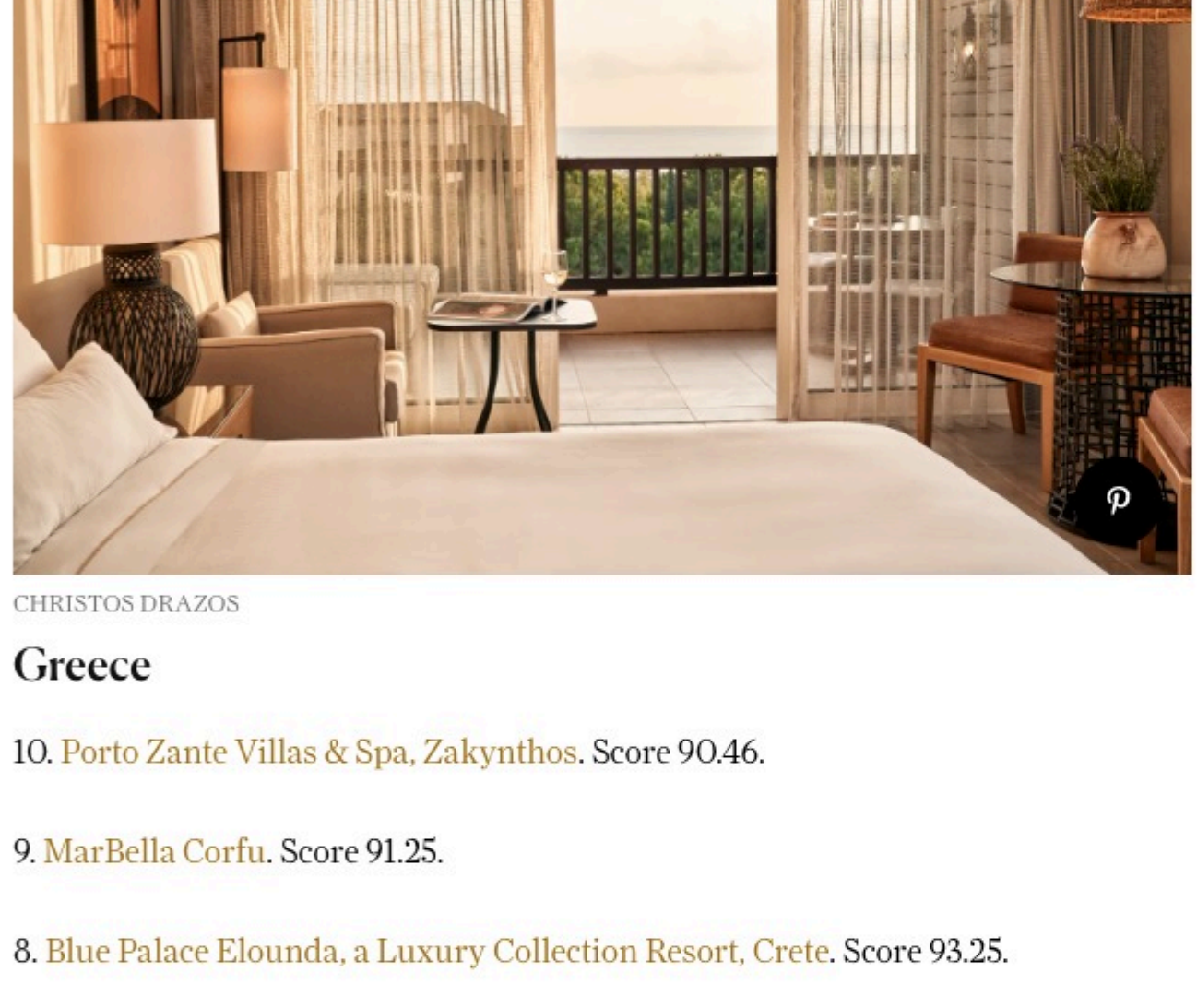
15. Fasano Trancoso, Brazil. Score 96.29.
14. Explora Atacama, Chile. Score 96.38.
13. Cavas Wine Lodge, Mendoza, Argentina. Score 96.58.
12. Mashpi Lodge, Ecuador. Score 96.69.
11. Puro Vik, Millahue Valley, Chile. Score 97.09.
10. Explora Valle Sagrado, Peru. Score 97.18.
9. Finch Bay Galápagos Hotel, Ecuador. Score 97.39.
8. Pikaia Lodge, Galápagos Islands, Ecuador. Score 97.42.
7. Hotel Paracas, a Luxury Collection Resort, Paracas, Peru. Score 98.18.
6. Sofitel Barú Calabancia Beach Resort, Colombia. Score 98.29.
5. Hotel Fasano Boa Vista, Porto Feliz, Brazil. Score 98.33.
4. Aranwa Paracas Resort & Spa, Peru. Score 98.44.
3. Estancia Vik José Ignacio, Uruguay. Score 98.92.
2. Bahia Vik José Ignacio, Uruguay. Score 99.00.
1. Uxua Casa Hotel & Spa, Trancoso, Brazil. Score 99.76.



Lina Klein

The Caribbean & Atlantic

15. Rosewood Le Guanahani St Barth. Score 97.21.
14. Hôtel Barrière Le Carl Gustaf St Barth. Score 97.25.
13. The Ritz-Carlton, Turks & Caicos. Score 97.31.
12. Sandy Lane, Barbados. Score 97.36.
11. Amanyara, Turks and Caicos. Score 97.39.
10. Hamilton Princess & Beach Club – A Fairmont Managed Hotel, Bermuda. Score 97.40.
9. Hotel Manapany, St Barth's. Score 97.49.
8. Hotel Le Toiny – St Barth. Score 97.56.
7. Eden Rock – St Barths. Score 97.65.
6. Le Sereno, St Barth's. Score 97.65.
5. Cap Juluca, A Belmond Hotel, Anguilla. Score 97.66.
4. COMO Parrot Cay, Turks and Caicos. Score 97.82.
3. Dorado Beach, a Ritz-Carlton Reserve, Puerto Rico. Score 97.91.
2. Rosewood Little Dix Bay, Virgin Gorda, BVI. Score 98.33.
1. Le Barthelemy Hotel & Spa, St Barth's. Score 98.72.



Christos Draxos

Greece

10. Porto Zante Villas & Spa, Zakynthos. Score 90.46.
9. MarBella Corfu. Score 91.25.
8. Blue Palace Elounda, a Luxury Collection Resort, Crete. Score 93.25.
7. Sani Resort, Halkidiki. Score 95.14.
6. Ikos Aria, Kos. Score 96.47.
5. St Nicolas Bay Resort Hotel & Villas, Crete. Score 96.67.
4. MarBella Nido Suite Hotel & Villas, Corfu. Score 97.01.
3. MarBella Elix, Parga. Score 97.11.
2. The Romanos, a Luxury Collection Resort, Costa Navarino. Score 97.65.
1. The Westin Resort, Costa Navarino. Score 98.33.



Paul Lehan

Rest of Europe

25. Renaissance Tuscany Il Ciocco Resort & Spa, Italy. Score 91.61.
24. Borgo Egnazia, Puglia, Italy. Score 92.96.
23. JW Marriott Venice Resort & Spa, Italy. Score 93.02.
22. Bahia del Duque, Tenerife, Spain. Score 93.92.
21. Mandarin Oriental, Bodrum, Turkey. Score 94.17.
20. D Maris Bay, Marmaris, Turkey. Score 94.40.
19. Six Senses Ibiza, Spain. Score 94.73.
18. Toscana Resort Castelfalfi, Italy. Score 94.94.
17. Anassa, Cyprus. Score 95.07.
16. Parklane, a Luxury Collection Resort & Spa, Limassol, Cyprus. Score 95.08.
15. Maxx Royal Kemer Resort, Antalya, Turkey. Score 96.67.
14. Royal Champagne Hotel & Spa, Champillon, France. Score 96.86.
13. Annabelle, Cyprus. Score 97.49.
12. 7Pines Resort Ibiza, Spain. Score 97.55.
11. Anantara Vilamoura Algarve Resort, Portugal. Score 97.69.
10. Amara, Cyprus. Score 97.72.
9. Cheval Blanc Courchevel, France. Score 97.77.
8. Chewton Glen Hotel & Spa, Hampshire, England. Score 97.86.
7. Ashford Castle, Co. Galway, Ireland. Score 97.99.
6. Rosewood Castiglion del Bosco, Montalcino, Italy. Score 98.37.
5. Airelles Courchevel, Les Airelles, France. Score 98.47.
4. Airelles Val d'Isère Mademoiselle, France. Score 98.90.
3. Aman Le Méézin, Courchevel, France. Score 99.30.
2. Gleneagles, Perthshire, Scotland. Score 99.39.
1. Adare Manor, Co. Limerick, Ireland. Score 99.89.