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# **EXTRAORDINARY** EXPERIENCE

Representing the unique vision of contemporary living by founder Christina Ong, COMO Hotels and Resorts encompasses 13 award-winning urban hotels, island and wellness resorts. Individually curated to reflect their location, each property is entirely different while sharing respect for exceptional cuisine, meaningful wellness, contemporary design, local culture, the environment and service.

Striving to deliver personalised luxury travel experiences, COMO Hotels and Resorts turns ambitious ideas into precious memories worth reliving across its four categories.







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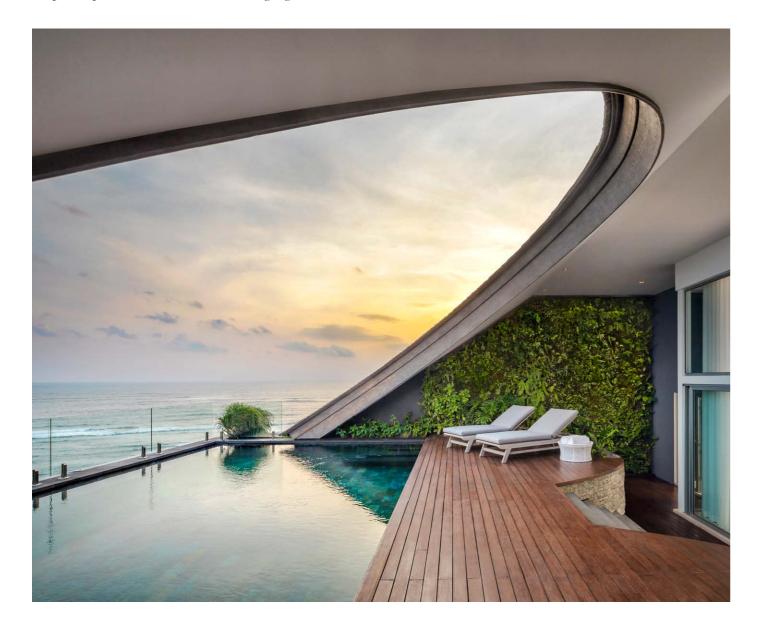






# COMO UMA CANGGU - BALI

Opened in February 2018, COMO Uma Canggu is the most recent to join the COMO Hotels and Resorts family. Retaining its authentic Indonesian charm, Canggu, on Bali's southern coast, embodies a surf beach bohemian vibe with some of best island surf breaks right at your feet. The COMO Shambhala Retreat wellness centre provides sanctuary, while Tropicsurf instructors are on hand to help conquer even the most challenging surf beaches.









*Clockwise from opposite page:* Penthouse with Private Pool Deck, Master Bedroom, Junior Suite Living Area, Beach Club Pool Area





## 1. Perfect for...

those looking to lounge in elegant surroundings within one of Bali's hottest neighbourhoods without a maddening crowd.

#### 2. Which room...

the One Bedroom Lagoon Pool Residence offers plenty of space to unwind with a living room and master bedroom. Its ground floor location allows direct access into the COMO Uma Canggu Lagoon Pool.

#### 3. Not to be missed...

with a Mentawai cocktail in hand, watch the surf and the sunset from a suspended bed swing, while listening to the sound of acoustic rhythms at the Beach Club.

#### 4. Stepping out for...

off the beaten track cycle adventure into the Ceking rice fields, winding through villages and passing by temples.

#### 5. Children will love...

children aged eight to 14 years can learn to surf in COMO's specialised surf programme, Tropicsurf's Turtle Club.

# COMO PARROT CAY - TURKS & CAICOS

Discovered on a diving trip by Melissa, the daughter of Christina Ong, who subsequently scooped it up and created COMO's first private island resort. Only accessible by boat, COMO Parrot Cay is an escapist's paradise with an emphasis on rejuvenation and a hotspot for the A-listers. Nature pervades in its beautifully colourful grounds, with organic gardens and mile long beach of soft, powdery sand.









Clockwise from opposte page top image: Private Yacht Experience, Villa Pool Deck, Guest Villa Exterior, Meditation at Boiling Hole The Spa, Paddle Boarding, Castaway Picnic



# 1. Perfect for...

those hankering after some well-earned downtime.

#### 2. Which room...

the Beach Villas nestled in the sand dunes offer complete privacy and feature a private pool and direct access to Parrot Cay's mile long beach.

### 3. Not to be missed...

the award-winning COMO Shambhala Retreat, considered the best in the Caribbean.

# 4. Stepping out for...

explore 1000 acres of protected mangroves by kayak or stand-up paddle board. Prefer dry land? Cycle through the coconut and banana plantations on COMO's complimentary cruiser bikes.

### 5. Why not...

pair with COMO Metropolitan Miami Beach for one of the hottest twin centres available.

# COMO MAALIFUSHI -MALDIVES

The epitome of castaway barefoot chic, COMO Maalifushi was the first luxury resort in the Maldives to open in the pristine Thaa Atoll. Getting to COMO Maalifushi is an adventure in itself – the picturesque atolls, reefs and lagoons visible during the 60 minute seaplane transfer from Malé are sure to delight. Whilst this paradisiacal island is the ultimate in relaxation, its enticingly clear lagoon beckons to be explored.

















#### 1. Perfect for...

those who adore exploring wildlife on land and underwater. Surfers and divers will be in their element with the sheer abundance of marine life. and clear waters make this one of the greatest underwater regions on the planet.

#### 2. Which room...

Maalifushi Water Villa, one of the resort's most spectacular villas sits at the end of the wooden jetty for ultimate privacy and comes with private pool, sundeck and undisturbed views of the Indian Ocean.

## 3. Not to be missed...

enjoy red snapper at Tai, COMO Maalifushi's Japanese Restaurant with its sunken sushi and Teppanyaki bar.

### 4. Stepping out for...

embrace your inner dude and venture to the famous "Surfing Farms". As a COMO guest you'll have almost exclusive access to the legendary lines of corduroy waves with hands on instruction from the worldrenowned Tropicsurf team.

### 5. Children will love...

pair with COMO and help to protect the surrounding underwater environment through the Coral Propagation Project.

# COMO COCOA ISLAND - MALDIVES

The style of COMO Cocoa Island is like that of no other in the Maldives. This private island takes less than 10 minutes to walk around and is a nirvana for anyone who appreciates the pleasures of luxurious seclusion. Located in the less developed South Malé Atoll, flanked by two private snorkelling house reefs, the resort's distinctive accommodation of local dhoni boats are reached via wooden walkways stretching out into the warm lagoon whilst the COMO Shambhala Retreat presents utter rejuvenation.







Clockwise from opposite page: Picnic Lunch on Cocoa Sandbank, Ufaa Restaurant, Dhoni Suite, Dhoni Suite Bedroom, Infinity Swimming Pool

# 1. Perfect for...

seeking an intimate private island to unwind, reflect and reconnect.

#### 2. Which room...

shaped like a traditional dhoni boat used by Maldivian fisherman, slip into turquoise warm waters from the private sun deck of a Dhoni Suite.

#### 3. Not to be missed...

watch the spectacular colours of the rising sun on a private sandbank whilst a dedicated butler prepares a gourmet Champagne breakfast.

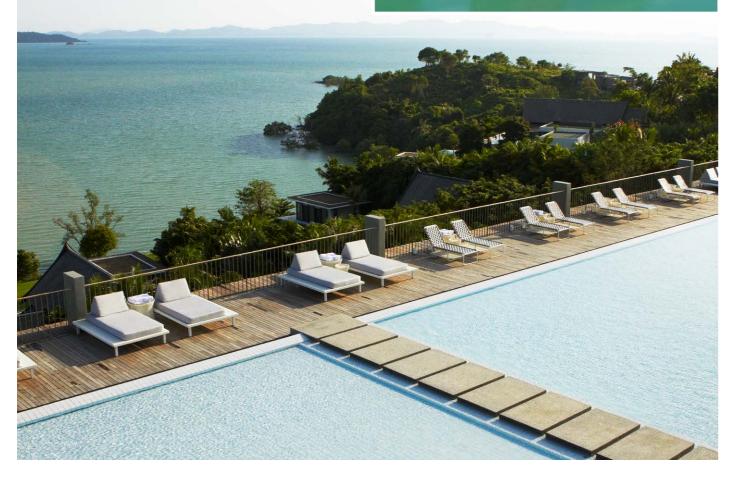
#### 4. Stepping out for...

experience the thrilling atmosphere of snorkelling under starry skies. Special UV torches and mask lenses reveal the stunning hues of fluorescent colours emitted at night by coral species and marine animals that glow under the ultraviolet light.

# COMO POINT YAMU -THAILAND

Enabling guests the opportunity to experience the lesser known side of Phuket, COMO Point Yamu enjoys a privileged location perched atop Cape Yamu, overlooking the Andaman Sea and Phang Nga Bay's jaw dropping limestone karsts. Interiors designed by Paloa Navone feature bright aquamarines and burnt oranges to reflect the presence of the sea, Thailand's Buddhist culture and the colourful influence of Phuket's Peranakan heritage. Relax by the 100-metre infinity pool, or take a short boat trip to the hotel's private beach club.









## 1. Perfect for...

those who relish outdoor adventure and cultural explorations.

### 2. Which room...

One Bedroom Pool Villas offer generous indoor and outdoor lounge areas with a 25-square-metre private infinity pool complemented by panoramic views of Phang Nga Bay.

## 3. Not to be missed...

ice-cream lovers will melt in delight at the resort's icecream cart. Frozen treats are homemade with liquid nitrogen on the spot so guests can watch the science of gastronomy at work. The hottest flavour: delicious fresh coconut.

### 4. Stepping out for...

intrepid travellers can explore the 42 karst limestone islands of Phang Nga Bay with its rocky inlets, lagoons and secret caves by kayak, traditional Thai long-tail boat or speedboat charter.



# COMO METROPOLITAN BANGKOK - THAILAND

The combination of modern art and a yoga mats in each of the cool, contemporary rooms at COMO Metropolitan Bangkok defines the originality of this cutting edge hotel. Situated in the Sathron district area beyond the clamour of the tourist trail yet within a short stroll from the thriving street culture. Experience relaxed, authentic Thai cuisine in Nahm, or dine in lighter fashion at Glow, with its health focused organic menu. In the Met Bar, mixologists' create bespoke Martinis while headline DJs spin sounds from around the world.











Clockwise from opposite top image: Exterior Hotel View, Nahm Restaurant, Private Patio, Terrace Room, Lobby, Floating Market in Bangkok, Swimming Pool



# 1. Perfect for...

those seeking a modern and minimalistic hotel with a dose of calm.

#### 2. Which room...

Terrace Rooms feature a sleek private landscape patio with outdoor rainshower providing a welcome escape from the sultry heat.

## 3. Not to be missed...

six years after its opening, the Michelin starred restaurant Nahm still commands a waiting list for reservations.

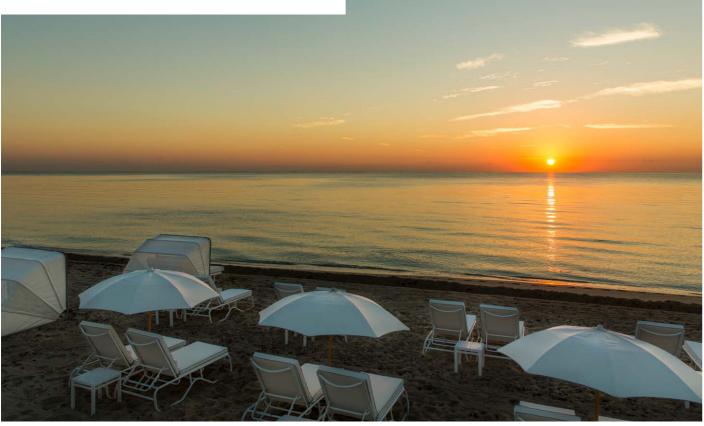
### 4. Stepping out for...

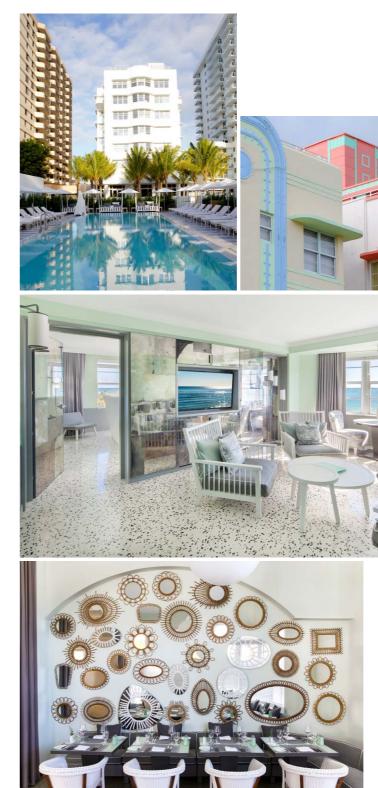
brimming with Buddhist monasteries, ancient statues and temples, take a day trip to Ayutthaya, once the Siamese capital and now a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

# COMO METROPOLITAN MIAMI BEACH - FLORIDA

One of the finest examples of Art Deco luxury on Miami Beach, COMO Metropolitan Miami Beach has been sensitively restored to reflect its status as one of Miami's historic properties. This ultra-chic property combines 1930's vintage glamour with a contemporary spirit and the interiors of its 74 rooms and suites are by Italian designed Paola Navone using playful pastel pinks and sea-foam greens. A COMO Shambhala wellness area, seafood restaurant featuring COMO cuisine, along with COMO's impeccable service and contemporary design are set to make this the definitive place to be seen in the city.







*Clockwise from opposite top image:* Miami Beach Life, Swimming Pool and Hotel Exterior, Miami Building Art Deco, Ocean View Suite, Traymore Gin Bar, Beach Sunset



1. Perfect for...

those looking to explore the city's art scene, cultural venues, fashion houses and numerable annual events including the prestigious Art Basel festival.

#### 2. Which room...

located at the front of the hotel, the Metropolitan Ocean View Rooms offer impressive views overlooking the Miami Beach scene.

#### 3. Not to be missed...

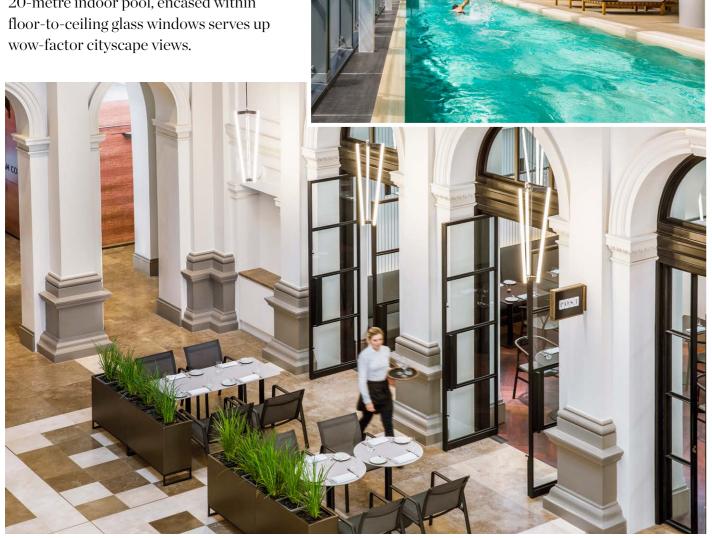
with a wall of 30 plus artisanal gins, the Traymore Gin Bar is the first of its kind in South Beach, one to try: Traymore 1939.

## 4. Stepping out for...

snorkel in the aquamarine waters of Biscayne National Park, awash with colourful healthy corals and underwater treasures including ship wrecks and more than 500 species of marine life.

# COMO THE TREASURY -PERTH, AUSTRALIA

Situated in the revitalised historic heart of Perth lies COMO The Treasury - an intimate contemporary hotel artfully built into the city's 19th century State Buildings. Conceived by cutting-edge designer Kerry Hill, its 48 rooms and suites feature original high ceilings, cornicing and balconies; no two rooms are the same. Dine at Wildflower, the rooftop restaurant, or opt for modern Italian fare in Post. The 20-metre indoor pool, encased within







Clockwise from opposite top image: Swimming Pool, Hotel Exterior, Treasury Balcony Room, Wildflower, Restaurant, Post Restaurant



### 1. Perfect for...

those looking for a down under, upscale elegant haven in the city.

#### 2. Which room...

the spacious corner Treasure Balcony Rooms feature five sets of French doors opening on to north and east views of Cathedral Square.

#### 3. Not to be missed...

the farm-and-forager-driven menu of dishes revolving around six indigenous seasons at Wildflower.

#### 4. Stepping out for...

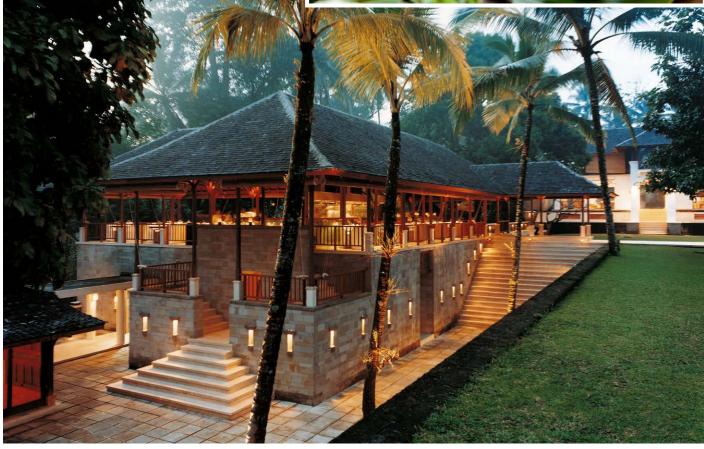
discover one of Australia's best known wine regions on an exhilarating scenic river plane journey to the Margaret River. Visit local wineries to sample award-winning wines before returning to Perth with a spectacular landing on the Swan River.



# COMO SHAMBHALA ESTATE - BALI

A few miles from Ubud, next to the jungle strewn hillsides that flank the River Ayung, lies a place that is simply good for the soul. The brand's flag ship resort, COMO Shambhala Estate is pure therapy, fully immersing each guest in a positive, holistic and healing experience. There are just 21 suites and a smattering of super-private villas, all cocooned by the most beautiful jungle setting. Guests are encouraged to mix comprehensive inresort treatments, activities and healthy eating with island adventures. Feed the soul with dawn hikes, mountain biking through villages and sun-kissed paddy fields and rafting through dramatic gorges.







*Clockwise from opposite top image:* Chef's preparing local cuisine, Waterfall, Trekking through rice fields, Retreat Villa, Water Garden, Yoga in The Spa, Glow Restaurant









## 1. Perfect for...

those seeking a wellness retreat to make life changes that will last well beyond their stay.

#### 2. Which room...

adjacent to Ojas, the Estate's principal wellness area, Retreat Pool Villas are perfect for guests wanting to experience COMO Shambhala treatments in the comfort of their own villa, featuring a private steam room and infinity pool overlooking the lush jungle.

#### 3. Not to be missed...

the natural spring water flowing into the fringed pools of the Estate's water garden introduces guests to a day of tranquillity. Complete the experience with a private meditation class, water blessing, COMO Shambhala treatment and picnic lunch.

#### 4. Stepping out for...

guests won't want to leave this spiritual enclave, but if they do, outdoor activities include hiking, mountain-biking and white-water rafting.



# **COMO CASTELLO DEL NERO -**ITALY



Enveloped by picture-perfect vineyards, olive groves and luscious green rolling hills in the renowned Chianti wine growing region lies COMO's first property in continental Europe, COMO Castello Del Nero. Following a private family holiday COMO founder, Christina Ong developed such a deep affection for the 740-acre Tuscan private estate that it was welcomed to the COMO portfolio in late 2018. The 12th century castle is the focal point, housing 50 unique guest rooms and suites, softly redesigned by Milanese designed Paolo Navone who has brought the COMO aesthetic touch. Discover Tuscan culture through a range of personalised experiences including private wine, honey and oil tastings in the cellar, gelato classes in the popular cookery school and harvesting grapes in the Autumn. The Renaissance city of Florence is easily explored courtesy of the complimentary resort shuttle service.









Garden Pool Terrace



*Clockwise from opposite top image:* Aerial View, Heritage Suite Bedroom, Terrace, Bar La Taverna,

### 1. Perfect for...

Those seeking an intimate and authentic rural retreat journey filled with unforgettable gastronomy, fine wines, artistic heritage and culture.

#### 2. Which room...

Filled with a sense of the castle's centuries-old history, the Heritage Suites located in the original building feature meticulously preserved 18th century frescoes and high vaulted ceilings complemented by captivating views of the surrounding estate.

#### 3. Not to be missed...

Crunching through the forest floor, accompany an inseparable team of a professional hunter and a highly-trained dog foraging for Italy's most coveted gourmet delicacy, the truffle. Learn about the history and tradition of this esteemed tuber before enjoying a truffle lunch.

### 4. Stepping out for...

Step inside the workshops and studios of Tuscany's finest artisans that continue the traditional methods of working with leather, crystal, Florentine paper and the famous Montelupo terracotta to curate something extraordinary. Discover the secret art of luxury shoe-making, design an exclusive piece of jewellery or create a personal fragrance.

# COMO UMA UBUD -BALI

Perched on the edge of the Tjampuhan Valley amongst misty paddy fields, verdant jungle and within walking distance of Ubud, Bali's cultural heart, you will find COMO Uma Ubud. Uma means "living house" and the vibe echoes this, totally in harmony with its surroundings. The resort's 46 rooms, suites and villas exude the charm of a traditional Indonesian village with a contemporary, fresh feel. Explore the scenery with dawn hikes, rafting through gorges and biking through sunkissed fields before cooling off in the 25-metre pool, or head to the COMO Shambhala Retreat to experience Asian inspired therapies.









Clockwise from opposite top image: Worker in Rice Paddie, Shambhala Suite Sundeck, Morning Walk, Uma Pool Suite Interior, Lychee Martini, Back Massage, Swimming Pool and Bar







### 1. Perfect for...

free spirited souls looking to fall in love with a rich cultural location and nature.

#### 2. Which room...

the simple, clean ambience of the Uma Pool Villa gives a sense of harmony, whilst the sprawling deck with private pool offers spectacular views across the Balinese jungle below.

#### 3. Not to be missed...

indulge in the outlandish chocolate nemesis at Uma Cucina, the resorts Italian – inspired restaurant.

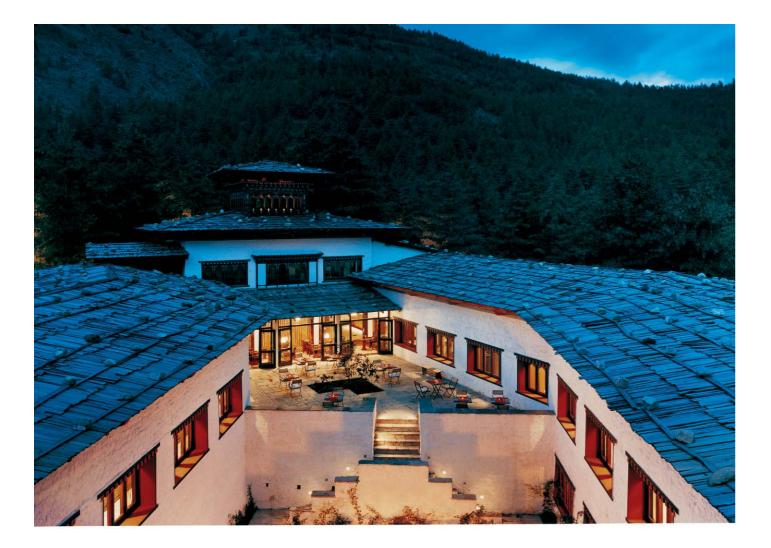
#### 4. Stepping out for...

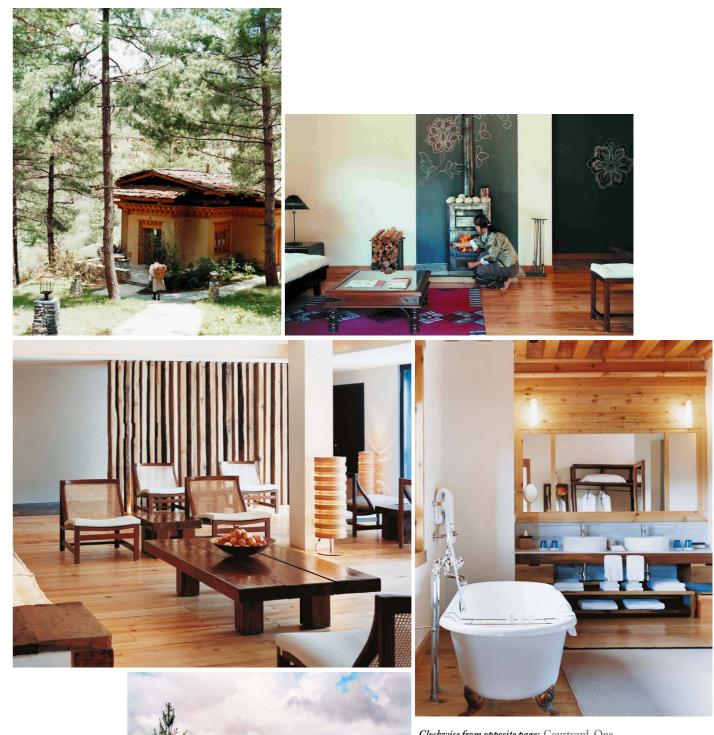
if your body truly is a temple, then why not try the traditional Hindu water purification ceremony at the 1000-year old Tirta Empul, where a guide takes guests through the making of offerings, chanting of prayers and the holy water ritual.

# COMO UMA PARO -BHUTAN

There are few places more spiritual than the Himalayas, and few kingdoms more mysterious than Bhutan. One of the last pristine mountain cultures on earth, this 'Land of the Thunder Dragon' between India and Tibet is a country rife with deep, pine-clad valleys, where ancient monasteries cling to steep hillsides and snow-tipped ranges wrapped in mist rise dramatically into the crystal clear air. COMO Hotels and Resorts comprises of two properties in Bhutan.

Perched high on a Himalayan mountainside and flanked by dense pine forest this invigorating boutique retreat comprising of nine private villas and 20 luxury rooms fashioned by Bhutanese artisans who employ traditional methods to blend modernism with indigenous detailing.







*Clockwise from opposite page:* Courtyard, One Bedroom Villa Entrance, One Bedroom Villa Living Room, One Bedroom Villa Bathroom, Terrace, COMO Shambhala Spa Reception

# COMO UMA PUNAKHA - BHUTAN

COMO Uma Punakha is intimate and luxurious. The lodge-style hotel has a total of just 11Zen-tranquil rooms, each filled with natural light and graced by oversized beds and wood-burning stoves. Bali-based architect Cheong Yew Kuan has infused accents of traditional Bhutanese design including sheesham-wood furniture and hand-painted flower motifs.

Explore Bhutan on a seven night journey that takes guests to the heart of the ethereal kingdom of Bhutan. Stay four nights at COMO Uma Paro and three at COMO Uma Punakha to journey deep into the Kingdom's heartland, exploring three distinctly different but important valleys: the bustling capital of Thimphu in a valley dotted with monuments, museums and markets; the almost tropical Punakha valley with its magnificent Dzongs; and the emerald valley of Paro with its rice paddies and ancient temples.





Clockwise from opposite page: One Bedroom Villa Terrace, COMO Shambhala Spa Building, COMO Villa Living Room, Exterior View of Uma Punakha, One Bedroom Villa, Outdoor Terrace Lounge











## 1. Perfect for...

for those seeking extraordinary landscapes untouched by the modern world.

#### 2. Which room...

replete with a Bhutanese Bukhari wood burning stove, a private spa treatment room and butler service, the freestanding One Bedroom Villas at COMO Uma Paro has spectacular Paro Valley views from the bathtub.

### 3. Not be missed...

using fire-roasted stones that crack and steam releasing key minerals with floating leafy green Artemisia leaves, a Bhutanese hot stone bath is believed to produce medicinal benefits to re-energise your body and soul.

#### 4. Stepping out...

Bhutan is a trekking country; for a different perspective of the Himalayas, take a 90 minute scenic heli-adventure over three distinct valleys, rice paddies and ancient temples.

### 5. Why not...

pair with COMO Metropolitan Bangkok to complete the COMO Asian experience.

# COMO SHAMBHALA

For 20 years, award-winning COMO Shambhala Retreats across the globe have provided a simple and uncompromising approach to wellness. With on-hand bespoke treatments including Asianbased therapies, exercise, yoga, Pilates and specially developed nutritional culinary system, COMO Shambhala cuisine, the retreats aim to inspire commitment to lifelong physical and mental wellbeing for every individual. Throughout the year, retreats host specialist weeks led by leading experts and practitioners from all over the world who are dedicated to guiding each individual into a greater state of wellness.































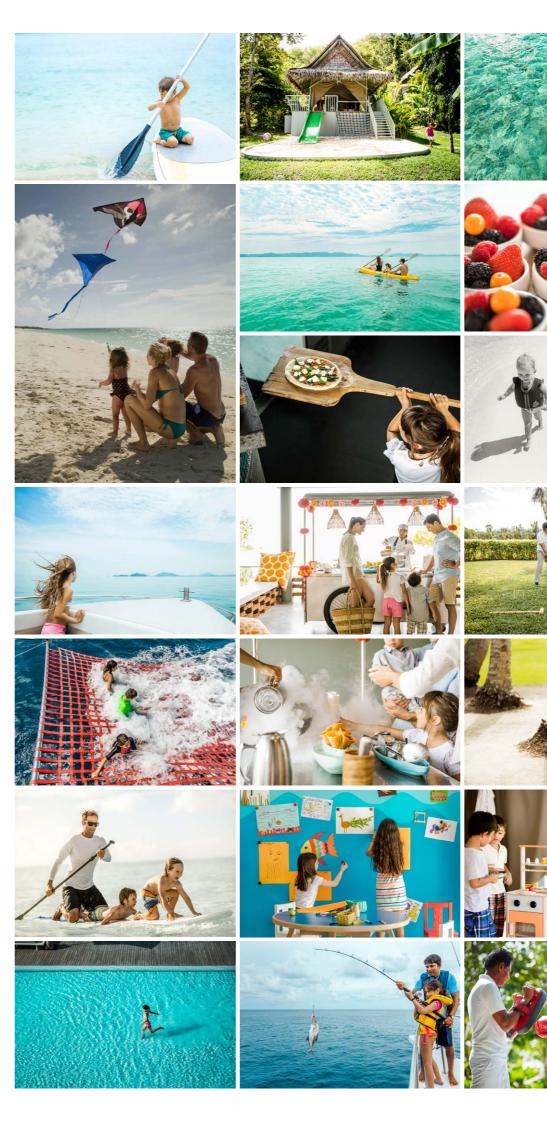


# KIDS DIGITAL DETOX

Play by COMO is much more than childcare, it's COMO's way of delivering thoughtful, personalised, intelligent activities and excursions designed to lure children away from the screen. Through food and memorable moments, COMO reveals the cultural and natural heritage of each location in relevant, age-appropriate activities. Children can learn about history, nature, local culture and science, with excursions like the Plantation Walk at COMO Parrot Cay in the Turks & Caicos, Balinese Painting at COMO Uma Ubud, learn about coral propagation with a marine biologist at COMO Maalifushi in the Maldives or the Gibbon Rehabilitation Centre at COMO Point Yamu in Phuket. Play by COMO Space are dedicated areas where children can hone their creative skills with pizza-making, sushi-rolling or mocktail-making as well as outdoor playgrounds to encourage physical activity. Thoughtful children's menus offer nutritionally balanced meals and are designed to satisfy both fussy and adventurous palates whilst celebrating each destination's local produce and cuisine.

#### PLAY BY COMO

- COMO Parrot Cay
- COMO Maalifushi Maldives
- COMO Point Yamu
- COMO Uma Canggu



























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