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HOT LIST

The Best New Hotels in the Caribbean, Mexico, and North Atlantic: 2023 Hot List

The best new Caribbean and Mexico hotel openings of the past year, from Bermuda to Cancun.

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Casa Chablé — Mexico →

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Located within one of Mexico's most spectacular nature refuges, this luxury lodging experience is a welcome respite from Cancun's endless strip of all-inclusives and Tulum's increasingly frenetic development. After boarding a small fishing boat that whisks you past mangroves and colonies of frigate birds, guests are greeted by a lobby filled with beaded chandeliers, thatched ceilings, and rattan chairs and sofas. The overall vibe is: tranquil. With just 10 rooms (decked out with ocean-facing hammocks and outdoor moon showers) and no immediate neighbors, you'll feel a bit like Robinson Crusoe—albeit with drinks service. Don't expect a large pool or a bar scene; instead, you've got a warm, aquamarine sea at your disposal, and the best drinks happen on the pier at sunset (Chablé is perhaps unique in all of Mexico in that you can view a sunrise and a sunset over water). Come to Casa Chablé to fill your eyes and mind with sea and sky. *Rooms from \$389. —Tom Vanderbilt*

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