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TRAVELERS HAVE ANY number of hotel ratings systems at their disposal, offering stars, diamonds, and even crowns to compare properties from Dubai to Des Moines. More often than not, however, such rankings fail to address the basic issue of which property is the single best place to stay in its given location. For this year's *Robb Report* 100, our editors, writers, readers, and expert travel consultants all weighed in on that fundamental question to create a one-of-a-kind compendium of the top hotels in 100 cities worldwide. Sometimes the decision was unanimous; other times it was not so clear—in some cases leading us to declare a tie (see London, Paris, New York, Las Vegas, and Hong Kong for examples). Still, whether for business or leisure, if your travels take you to any of the 100 cities featured on the following pages, *Robb Report* has a singular spot for you. →

Barcelona, Spain **Hotel Arts Barcelona**

→ A 44-story tower built for the 1992 Olympics and overlooking the city's vast beachfront. Decorated in the manner of a private home—one with more than 500 original works of contemporary Spanish art—the 483-room property includes a Six Senses Spa and a modern Mediterranean restaurant. (\$375–\$15,575) www.hotelartsbarcelona.com