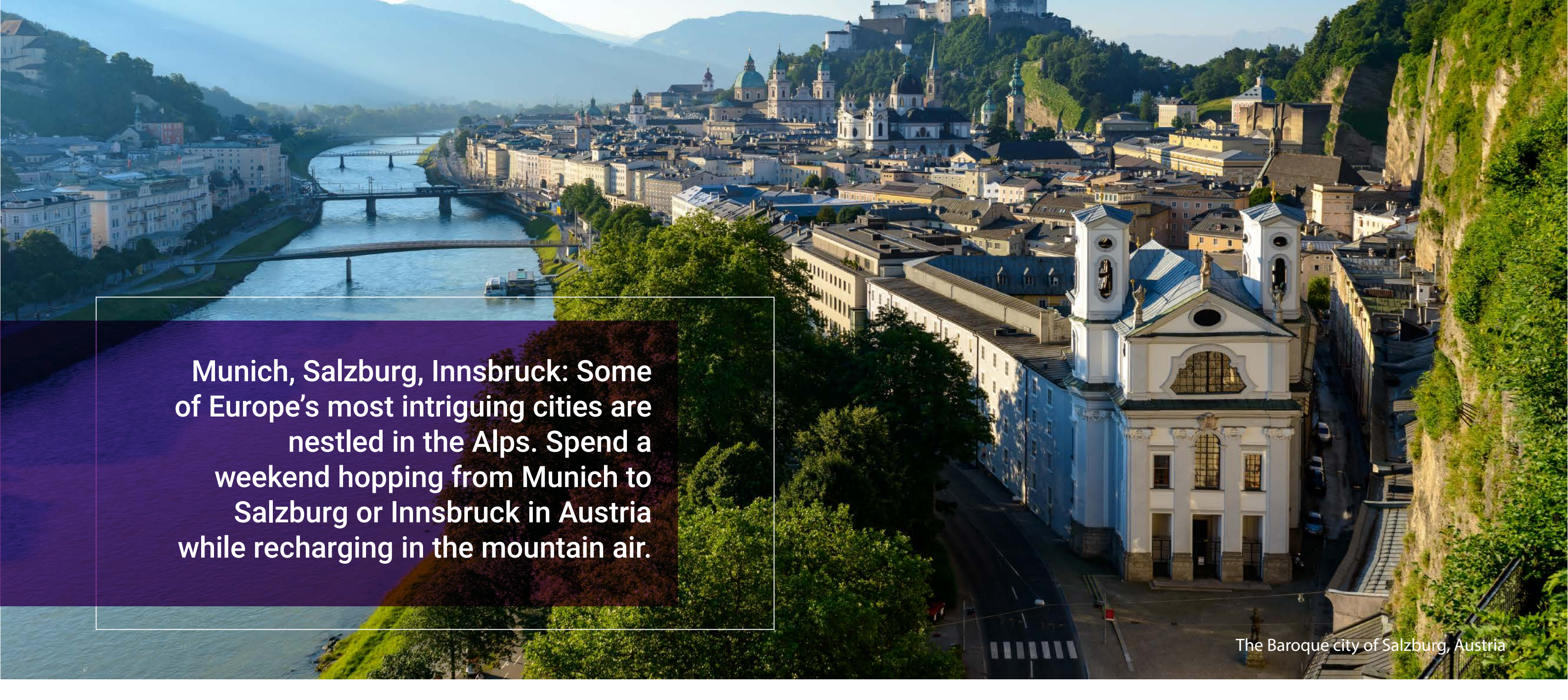


# City Break



The Baroque city of Salzburg, Austria

Munich, Salzburg, Innsbruck: Some of Europe's most intriguing cities are nestled in the Alps. Spend a weekend hopping from Munich to Salzburg or Innsbruck in Austria while recharging in the mountain air.

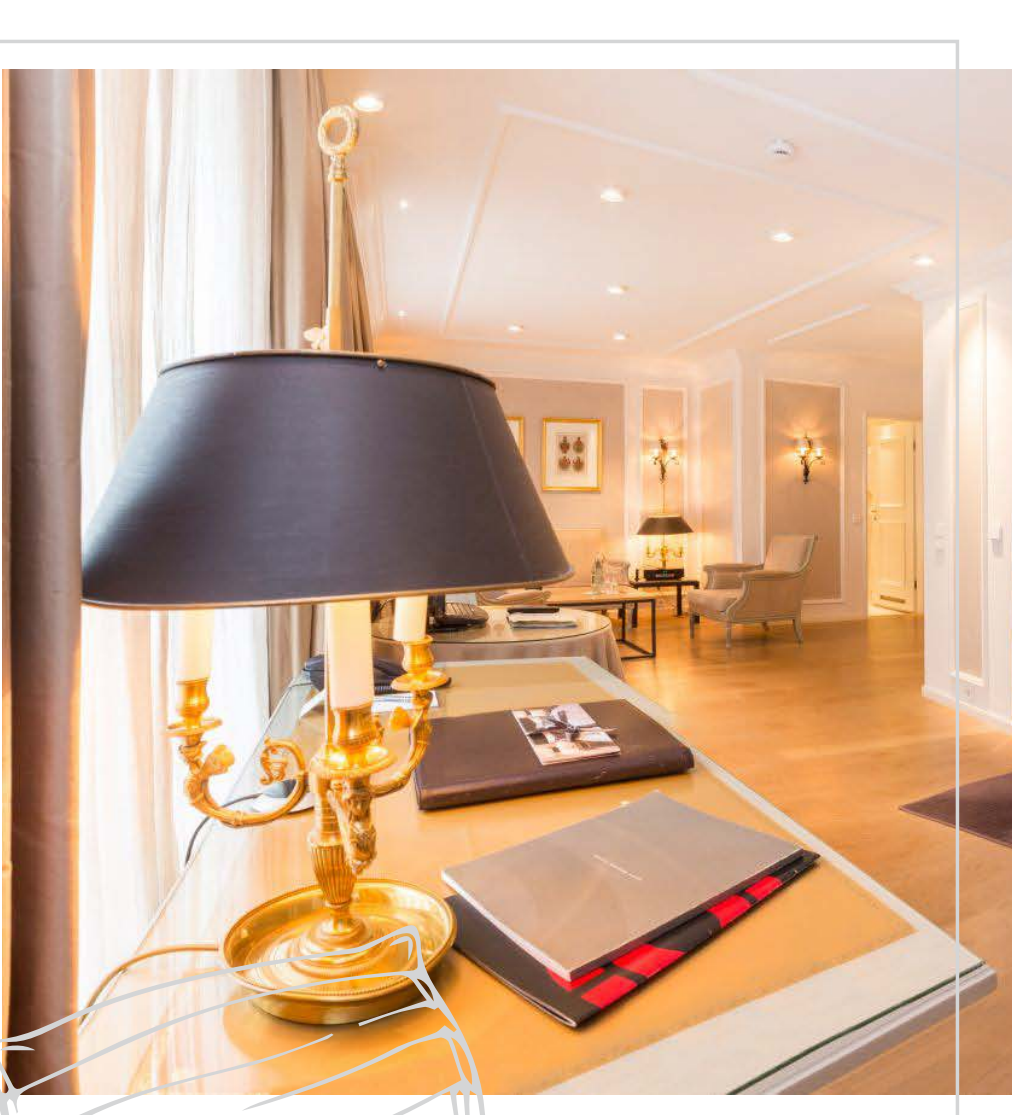


## 1 Munich



**Lifestyle, joie de vivre, Lebensart – whatever you want to call it, Munich has it in spades.** Whether in a rollicking beer garden, on an exclusive shopping street, in Bayern Munich's stadium, or simply out under the clear blue skies, the people of Munich love to show off their gorgeous and lively city.

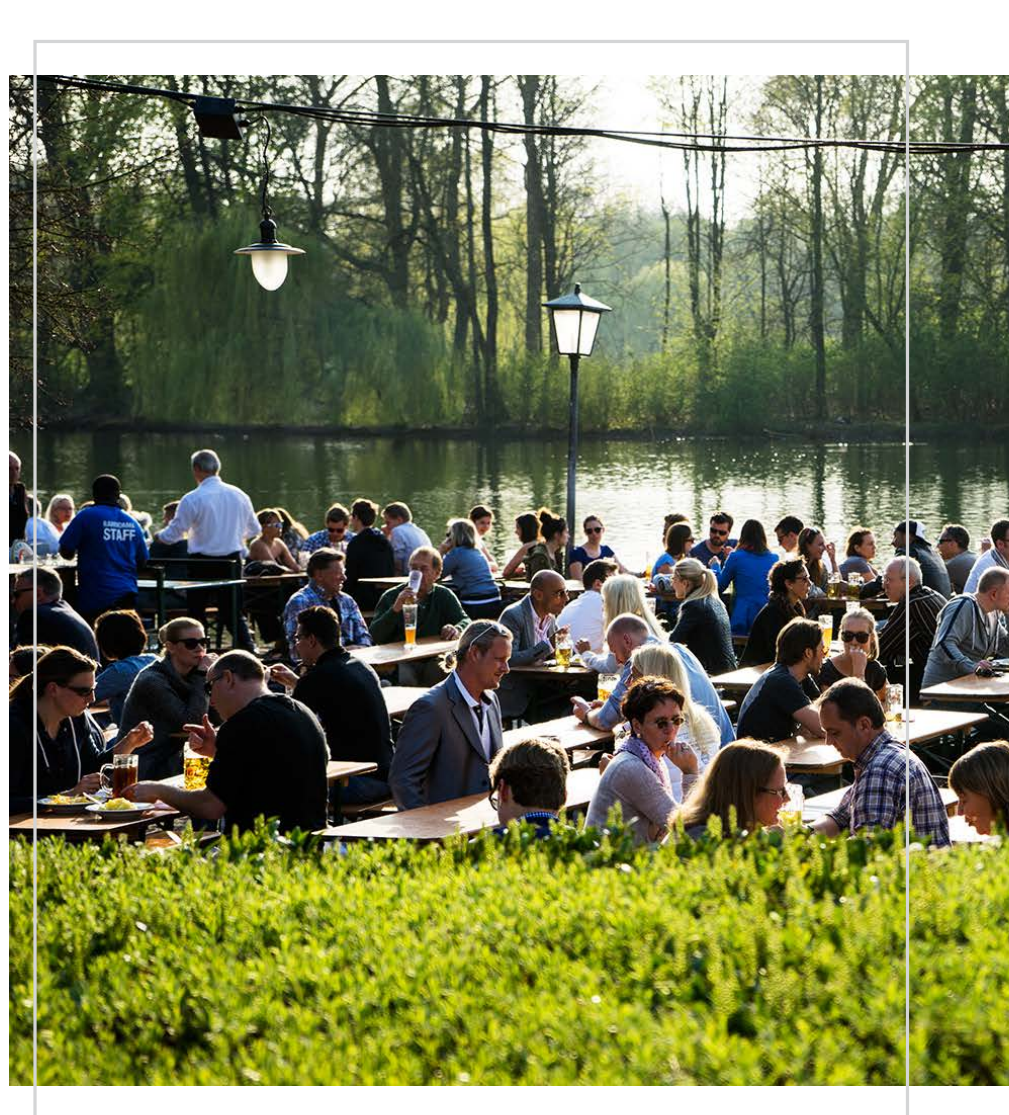
### STAY



Enjoy the 5-star boutique **Hotel Munich Palast** in the quarter of Bogenhausen, 10 minutes from the city center. Or, for the ultimate location, stay in the heart of Munich at Marienplatz, in the newly opened **Beyond Hotel**.

hotel-muenchen-palace.de  
beyond-muc.de

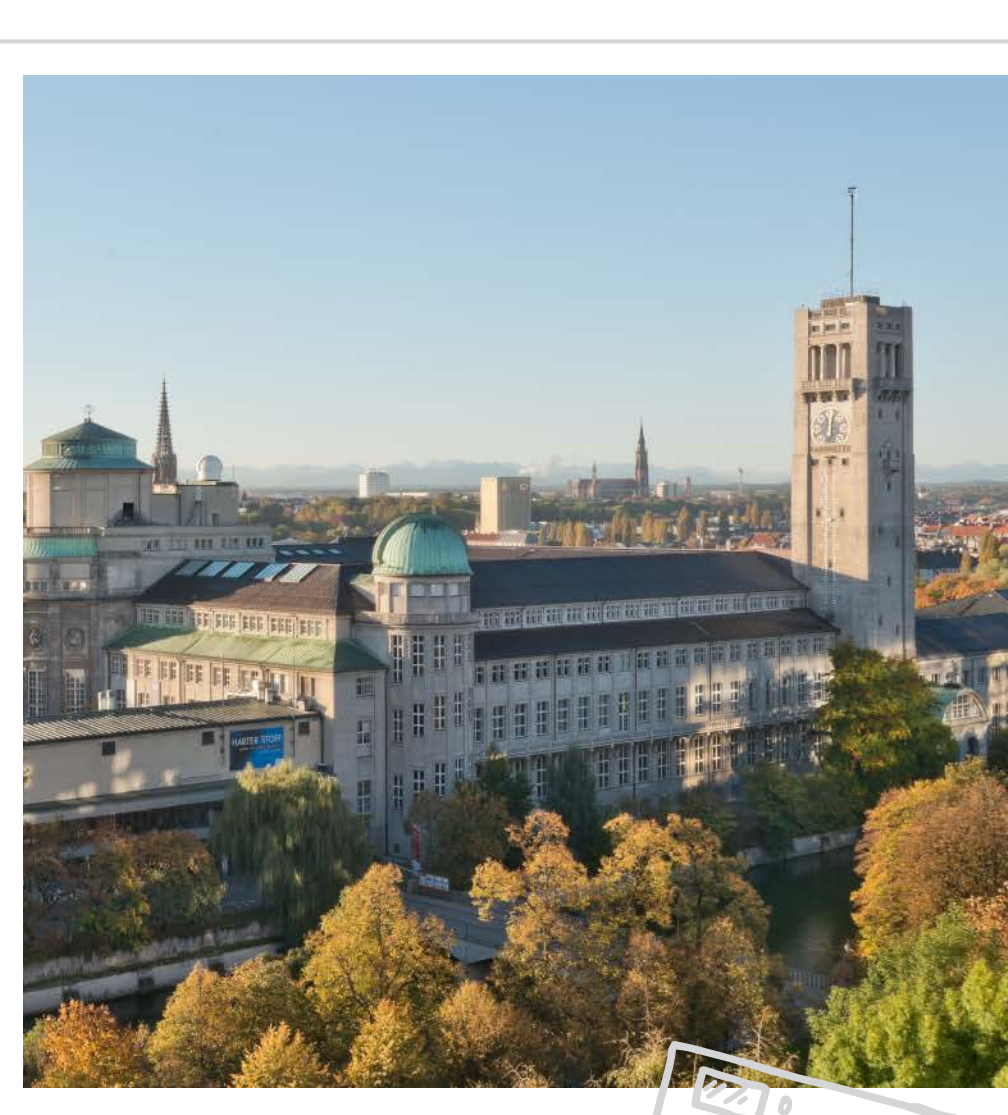
### EAT



Among the alleyways of the old town, the **Alter Hof Restaurant** offers Franconian specialties and exquisite wines. In the English Garden, find hearty Bavarian fare at the **Kuffler Seehaus**.

restaurant-alter-hof.com  
muenchen.de/essen-trinken

### DO



No visit to Munich is complete without a stroll through **Viktualienmarkt**, the city's most popular open-air market. Or visit the **Deutsches Museum**, the world's largest museum of science and technology.

deutsches-museum.de  
muenchen.de/viktualienmarkt



### TopTip

#### Ultimate City View

For an unparalleled city panorama, climb the 299 steps of Church of St. Peter, known to locals as "Alter Peter." You'll be rewarded with a view of the Marienplatz, Church of Our Lady, and on a clear day perhaps even the Alps themselves.

muenchen.de

## 2 Salzburg



**Fortress Hohensalzburg, perched high above the Baroque city, is blessed with a dazzling panorama.** Salzburg is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and has a cozy but cosmopolitan vibe, thanks to its rich cultural heritage. As the city of Mozart and the acclaimed Salzburg Festival, Salzburg is teeming with music lovers from around the world.

### STAY



**Arthotel Blau Gans** – the city's oldest inn -- has a prime location and a focus on contemporary art. **Hotel Goldgasse** combines Baroque elements with clean, open design.

blau-gans.com  
hotelgoldgasse.at

### EAT



**Cafe Tomaselli** has long been a favorite among Salzburg's cultural elite. Relax with an order of pastel pastries in the upstairs balcony. Head to the iconic **Stieglkeller** above the city for a real Austrian beer.

tomaselli.at  
restaurant-stieglkeller.at

### DO



**The Walk of Modern Art** delivers you to all the historic spots as well. Head to the newly renovated **Domquartier** for Baroque splendor and the fascinating story of Salzburg's secular rule.

salzburg.info  
domquartier.at



### TopTip

#### Chocolate Mozartkugeln

Fürst Mozartkugeln -- balls of pistachio cream encased in nougat and a chocolate shell -- is the original version of Salzburg's most iconic chocolate treat, invented in 1890 by Paul Fürst.

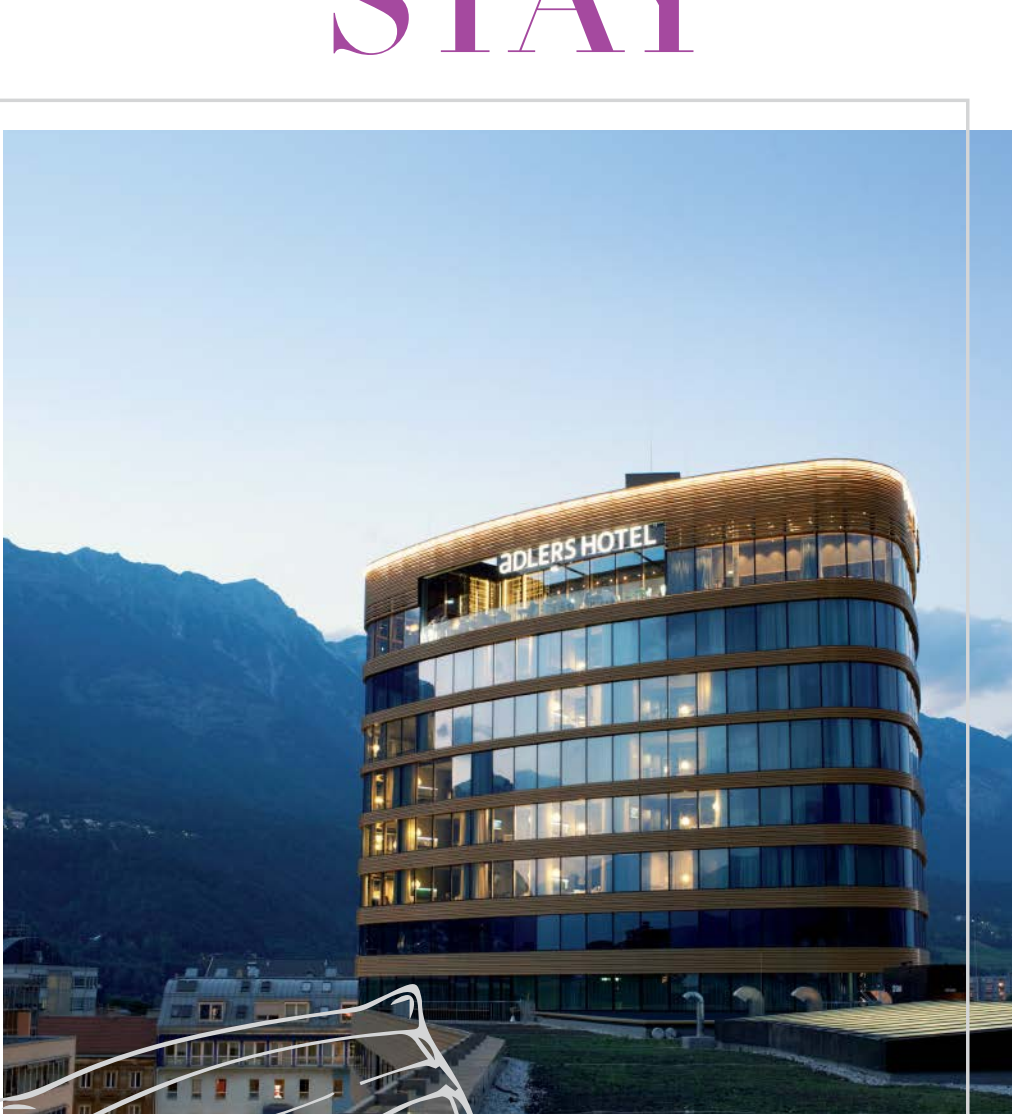
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## 3 Innsbruck



**Innsbruck is a mountain city, and its lofty peaks can be seen from almost anywhere in the Old Town.** The Nordkette mountain range is just a 20-minute cable car ride from the center, and has incredible views over Innsbruck. For the less outdoorsy, a long list of historic sights and fascinating museums awaits. Add it all together and you've got a homey Tirolean destination with something for everyone.

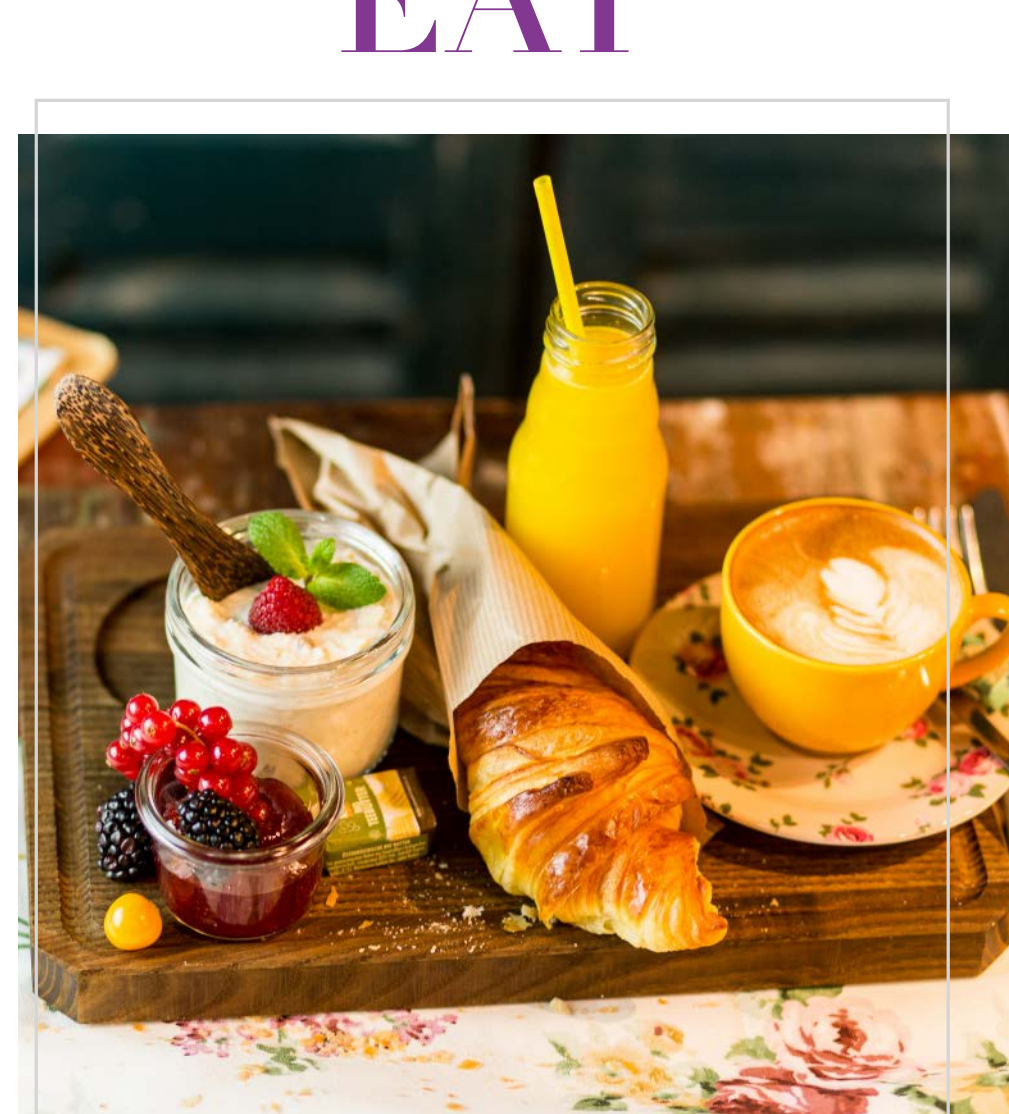
### STAY



Every room at **adLERS Design Hotel** comes with a sleek look and terrific city views. **Nala Boutique Hotel** makes an excellent case for colorful tiles and a healthy dose of whimsy.

adlers-innsbruck.com  
nala-hotel.at

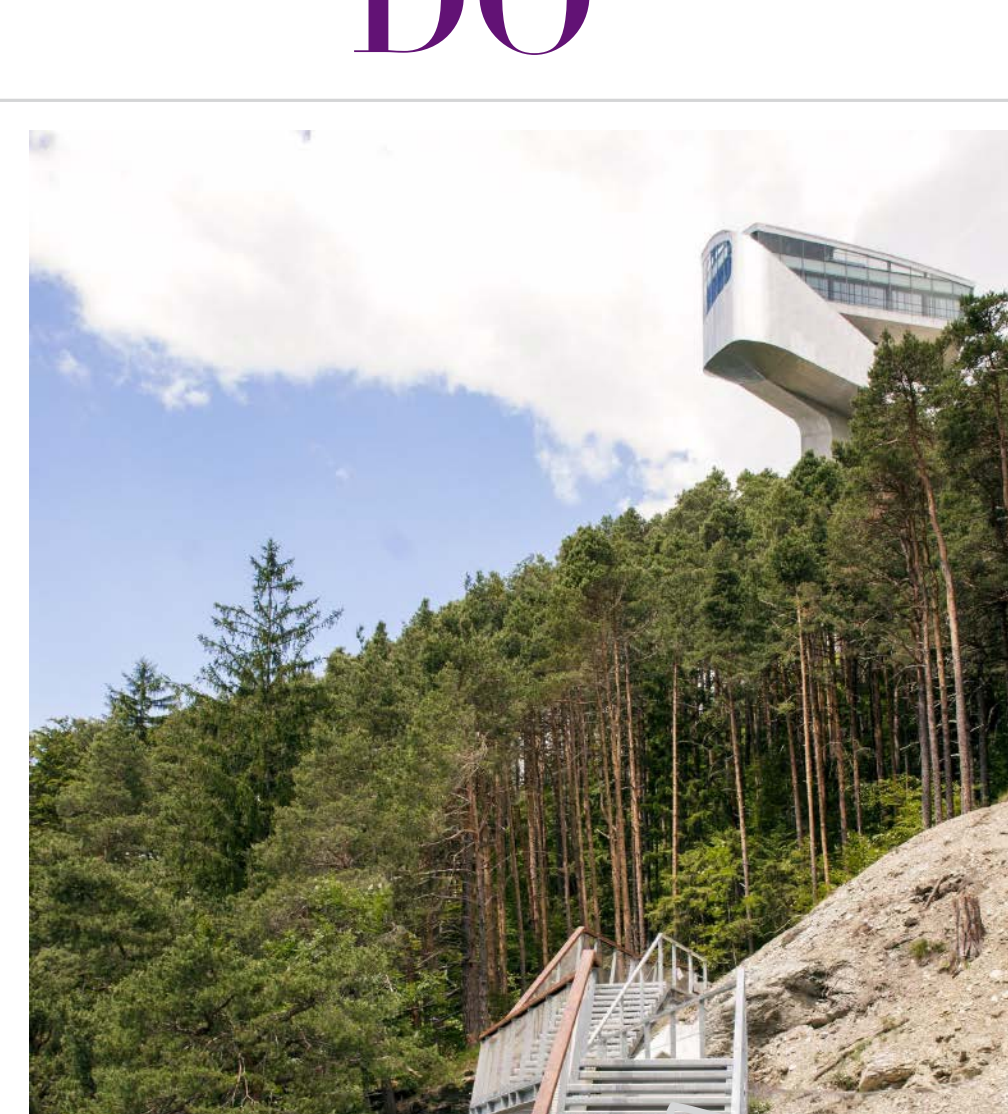
### EAT



Brunch in Innsbruck is a hearty affair. Go to **Cafe Immerland** for pastries almost too cute to eat, or to **Soulkitchen** for an 18-station Tirolean Smorgasburg each Sunday.

immerimmerland.at  
soulkitchen.world

### DO



Innsbruck has hosted a total of three Winter Olympic events. Visit the **Zaha Hadid-designed Bergisel Olympic ski jump tower**, then hike over to the beautiful **Sillschlucht creek**.

bergisel.info



### TopTip

#### Tirolean Speck

Tirolean smoked bacon is a must-eat while in Innsbruck -- preferably from inimitable Handl Tirol. Kill two birds with one stone by opting for a Vinschgerl, a speck-filled rye flatbread. It's a specialty of the Tiroler Speckeria, and right around the corner from the Golden Roof.

speckeria.at  
handltyrol.at

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