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10 Things to Do in Buenos Aires

Colonial architecture, standout steakhouses, a mind-blowing tango show—and so much more.

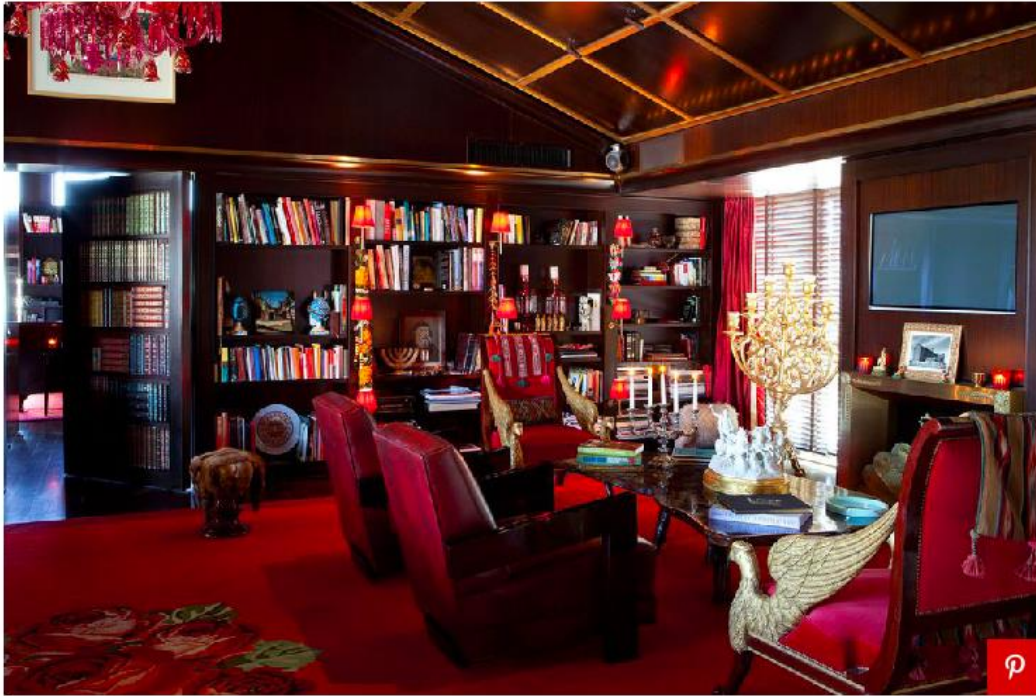


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Argentina's cosmopolitan capital is often referred to as "the Paris of South America"—a nickname that you can't truly appreciate unless you've visited. Fusing European elegance and Latin American flair, Buenos Aires is home to stunning colonial architecture, a lively café culture, plus an unrivaled passion for parrillas (steakhouses) and, of course, tango. At its coldest, the city rarely gets below 50 degrees, making it an idyllic year-round destination—which is why we named it one of the "[Best Places to Travel in 2018](#)." Ready to book your trip? Here's what to do when you get there.

Stay at Faena, the city's most dramatic, design-driven hotel.



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When Argentine entrepreneur [Alan Faena](#) chose the Puerto Madero neighborhood as the site for his namesake hotel 14 years ago, it was virtually barren. Now, the area has become one of Buenos Aires' buzziest spots, and Faena is smack in the center of it all. The hotel isn't just a place to rest your head—it's a theatrical experience that'll tempt you to never leave the property.



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Get tickets for the swankiest tango show in town.

In a place that's synonymous with tango, competition for the "best" show is stiff, but if you're looking for the most fabulous, you'll find it at [Rojo Tango](#). The Broadway-level of production lures Argentina's top dancers, singers, and musicians, who come together for a performance that will stay with you long after you return home.