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## Vogue's Official Guide to Miami

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As the temperature drops, there's one destination that always beckons: Miami, Florida. With its crystalline waters, art deco architecture, and lively atmosphere, it's America's perennial warm-weather getaway, attracting generations of visitors to its South Beach shores, Wynwood walls, and Coral Gable *casas*.

But with so much to explore, and so much to choose between—*do I stay in Miami Beach, or the Design District? Do I want a cultural experience or, erm, a club experience?*—journeying to the urban oasis can be overwhelming. So we asked *Vogue* staffers to share their favorite haunts in Miami, from hotels to restaurants to nightlife. Below, our recommendations.

## Where to Stay



The Faena in Miami Beach. Courtesy of The Faena.

### Faena, Miami Beach

When in Miami, I like to lean into its excessive, chaotic glamour—which means the Faena, a maximalist fever dream, is my hotel of choice. The bold red and turquoise color scheme in all the rooms? *100 percent yes*. Animal print coaches with gilded chandeliers in the lobby? *Here for it*. Plus, it’s an art lover’s paradise: Damian Hirst’s “Gone but not Forgotten,” a gold leafed woolly mammoth skeleton, sits on its grounds, and during Art Basel, they always have an avant garde installation. (Last year? A carousel by Raúl de Nieves.)

*-Elise Taylor, Living Writer*

## Where to Eat

### Los Fuegos, Miami Beach

The best steak I ever had was at Los Fuegos by Francis Mallmann—the Argentinian celebrity chef is a true grillmaster. The ambience, with its cheetah print banquettes, mood lighting, and outdoor terrace truly sets the mood for a special evening worth savoring.

*-Elise Taylor*

# What to Do (Other than the Beach)

Tierra Santa Healing House, Miami Beach

Tierra Santa Healing House at The Faena is incredible, and Tammy Fender's holistic spa in West Palm is worth the drive from Miami. It's her only standalone studio.

*-Celia Ellenberg, Beauty Director*