



The 20 Best Destinations for Stargazing Around the World

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“For my part I know nothing with any certainty, but that the sight of the stars makes me dream,” wrote Vincent van Gogh. The artist may not have been talking about slumber, exactly, but stargazing has been a beloved pursuit of human beings since the beginning of time. While not soporific itself, the sight of stars aglow, the full moon hanging like ripe fruit in the sky, and the possibilities of the universe, have brought contentment and repose to generations. To be lost in the night sky’s largesse is to be connected to the world at large. Suddenly, beneath a sky aglitter, trouble and strife dissipate. Succumb to that feeling (or just enjoy a good search for a shooting star) at these star-focused accommodations around the world. Herewith, *AD*’s list of the 20 best storybook sleeps—from St. Lucia to Australia and beyond—that await your visit.

Vik Chile, Chile



They call the region Vik Chile in Chile’s Millahue Valley the “place of gold,” but the treasure trove only increases at night when the stars come out. Designed by Alexander and Carrie Vik in association with architect Marcelo Daglio, the 11-suite property perches on a hilltop, with arching views of the vineyards. At night, floor-to-ceiling windows reveal a peerless moonlit spectacle. During daylight, enjoy wine tasting, hiking, and lolling about in the spa. vikchile.com