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28 Perfect Dates Around the World

The most romantic things to do, including places to eat, around the world.

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Whether or not you celebrate Valentine's Day (Feb. 14 in the U.S.), it's always

advisable to have a great date-night idea in your back pocket. To create this year's roundup, we surveyed Bloomberg bureaus, from Tel Aviv to Taipei. The result is a global guide featuring plugged-in recommendations in 14 cities.

Don't see your hometown?

We have 26 more date night ideas in Dubai, Cape Town, Budapest, Mexico City, São Paulo, Mumbai, Paris, Singapore, San Francisco, Kuala Lumpur, Vancouver, Chicago, and Sydney. Plus ten more cities from a year prior. Just be sure call ahead for bookings, as some reporting may have become outdated—the inspiration, though, is still completely legit.

Santiago, Chile



If it's the weekend ...

Take a 2.5-hour drive south, to <u>Vik Vineyard</u> near Santa Cruz. The winery, an architectural marvel built by local designer Smiljan Radic, has an excellent hotel and restaurant. For comparison, travel 30 minutes farther to <u>Vina Montes</u>, which makes some of Chile's greatest wines. Last year, it partnered with international celebrity chef Francis Mallman to open the <u>Fuegos de Apalta</u> restaurant, which serves beef from specially raised local cattle and fish from the Colchagua coast. The food is memorable on its own, but you won't forget the restaurant's dramatic focal point: a three-meter-high fire pit that's used to roast and smoke a majority of the dishes.