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Tampa, Florida

WHY NOW: From downtown to the Riverwalk, Tampa is waking up.

Growing up in the so-called Big Guava, I joked that the best thing about the city was its world-class airport. You could get out easily. Tampa still boasts a glistening airport, but today there are many reasons to simply hunker down and explore. On the culture front, the Stanley Saitowitz-designed **Tampa Museum of Art** offers a small but well-curated collection and overlooks a stunning park and the ever-expanding **Riverwalk**. And don't miss the historic **Ybor City neighborhood**, once known for its cigar factories and now a bustling entertainment district. Hotel-wise, the long-shuttered **Floridan** hotel recently reopened in Tampa's awakening downtown district and **Aloft** and **Le Méridien** outposts are in the works—along with the **Epicurean Hotel** from the folks behind must-visit **Bern's Steak House**. Adding to the culinary buzz are innovative eateries such as **Edison: food+drink Lab** from top toque Jeannie Pierola; **Wimauma Foods** from Le Bernardin alum Gary Moran; and **The Refinery** in charming Seminole Heights. Finally, be sure to stop into the gorgeous and sprawling concept store **Oxford Exchange**, with its beautifully edited bookstore and design shop, coffee and tea outpost and bustling eatery housed beneath a retractable glass canopy. —Jason Oliver Nixon



Tampa Museum

Regent Bali

This luxury resort is located in the exclusive beachside Sanur District. Each of its 94 suites boasts views of either the tropical garden grounds or the Indian Ocean. regenthotels.com



Quotable //
Questlove on
Djing

Djing is my cocaine. You gotta do something after the show to unwind. That's where debauchery comes from. I prefer . . . Djing. I learned that from Mike D from the Beastie Boys.

—From an April 15 NPR interview in which the Roots drummer (and Jimmy Fallon's bandleader) discussed his memoir *Mo' Meta Blues*, out June 18



Salt House Inn, Provincetown

Check into this easy-breezy hostelry for spare-but-chic décor complemented by terrific beds and luxe showers in a spot-on P-town location. salthouseinn.com



Mandarin Oriental Hotel, Shanghai

Come for the expansive guest rooms and six innovative dining options, stay for the nearly 2,500-square-foot spa. mandarinoriental.com

Miscellanea //

NYC's MoMA has always cozied up to performance art, so it makes sense that actress **Tilda Swinton** has been napping in a glass box at the museum at unannounced random times since March. Keep an eye out for the snoozing Scotswoman through the end of the year.



Swinton debuted this performance piece in London gallery in 1998