

BEYOND GREEN

BEYOND GREEN CELEBRATES MEMBER PROPERTIES NAMED TO TRAVEL + LEISURE'S 2025 WORLD'S BEST AWARDS, INCLUDING #1 BEST HOTEL IN THE WORLD

NEW YORK, NEW YORK (July 8, 2025): [Beyond Green](#), a global portfolio of some of planet Earth's most sustainable hotels, resorts, and lodges, proudly celebrates the inclusion of six member properties in the prestigious *Travel + Leisure* 2025 World's Best Awards, including the #1 Best Hotel in the World.

[andBeyond Bateleur Camp](#), located in Kenya's Masai Mara National Reserve, received the highest honor as the #1 Best Hotel in the World, a testament to the powerful intersection of luxury hospitality, conservation, and community-led tourism. Also earning a place on the coveted list of the Top 100 Hotels in the World was The Ranch at Laguna Beach, which ranked at #93.

"This recognition by *Travel + Leisure* underscores what Beyond Green has long championed – that sustainability and exceptional hospitality can go hand in hand," said Philipp Weghmann, President, Beyond Green. "Our member properties continue to set new standards for what it means to travel with purpose, proving that responsible tourism can be luxurious and deeply inspiring. We are incredibly proud of andBeyond and all of the Beyond Green members honored this year, and we continue to celebrate the collective impact of our entire, steadily growing community."

Now in its 30th year, *Travel + Leisure's annual* World's Best Awards recognize the top hotels, islands, cities, cruise lines, airlines, spas, and more around the globe, as determined by the publication's well-traveled and discerning readership. The full list of Beyond Green member properties named to the 2025 awards includes the following:

100 BEST HOTELS IN THE WORLD

- [andBeyond Bateleur Camp](#) – Masai Mara National Reserve, Kenya (#1)
- [The Ranch at Laguna Beach](#) – Laguna Beach, California, USA (#93)

THE WORLD'S BEST HOTELS – THE AMERICAS/CARIBBEAN

- [The Ranch at Laguna Beach](#) – Laguna Beach, California, USA (#4 Best California Resort; #11 Best Continental U.S. Resort)
- [The Palms Hotel & Spa](#) – Miami Beach, Florida (#9 Best Greater Miami Resorts)
- [Inn by the Sea](#) – Cape Elizabeth, Maine (#4 Best New England Resorts)

THE WORLD'S BEST HOTELS – EUROPE/MIDDLE EAST/AFRICA

- [Dromoland Castle](#) – Newmarket-on-Fergus, Ireland (#3 Best Resort in the UK and Ireland)
- [andBeyond Bateleur Camp](#) – Masai Mara National Reserve, Kenya (#1 Best Africa Safari Lodge)

- [andBeyond Phinda Private Game Reserve Lodges](#) – Phinda Private Game Reserve, South Africa (#4 Best Africa Safari Lodges)

For more information on Beyond Green, or to book a stay at any of the Travel + Leisure 2025 World's Best Award winners represented by Beyond Green, visit [StayBeyondGreen.com](#). Travelers enrolled in the brand's [I Prefer Hotel Rewards](#) loyalty program can also earn double *I Prefer* points on select award-winning properties — including Dromoland Castle, Inn by the Sea and The Ranch at Laguna Beach — when booking and staying by August 31, 2025.

Complimentary to join, *I Prefer* Hotel Rewards members enjoy points redeemable for cash-value Reward Certificates, automatic elite status, and other value-rich benefits across 600+ participating hotels and resorts worldwide. [Register today](#) to unlock this limited-time offer.

ABOUT BEYOND GREEN

Guided by a passion to embrace travel as a force for good, Beyond Green is a global portfolio of some of planet Earth's most sustainable accommodations, representing more than 50 hotels, resorts, and lodges across 22 countries. Dedicated to creating a more purposeful way to explore the world, Beyond Green connects conscientious travelers with properties committed to the three pillars of sustainable tourism: environmentally friendly practices that go beyond the basics; the protection of natural and cultural heritage; and the enhancement of social and economic well-being in local communities. To ensure these standards are met, each member property undergoes a rigorous vetting process based on over 50 sustainability indicators that align with global sustainable tourism standards and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. Owned and operated by Preferred Travel Group, the family-owned company that also manages Preferred Hotels & Resorts, Historic Hotels of America, and Historic Hotels Worldwide, Beyond Green offers a new way to experience genuine hospitality, benefiting both people and the planet. For more information, visit [StayBeyondGreen.com](#).

ABOUT PREFERRED TRAVEL GROUP

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