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All dolled up

SEASONAL LOOKS
FOR SMART
TRAVELERS —
FROM SIARGAO
TO SEOUL

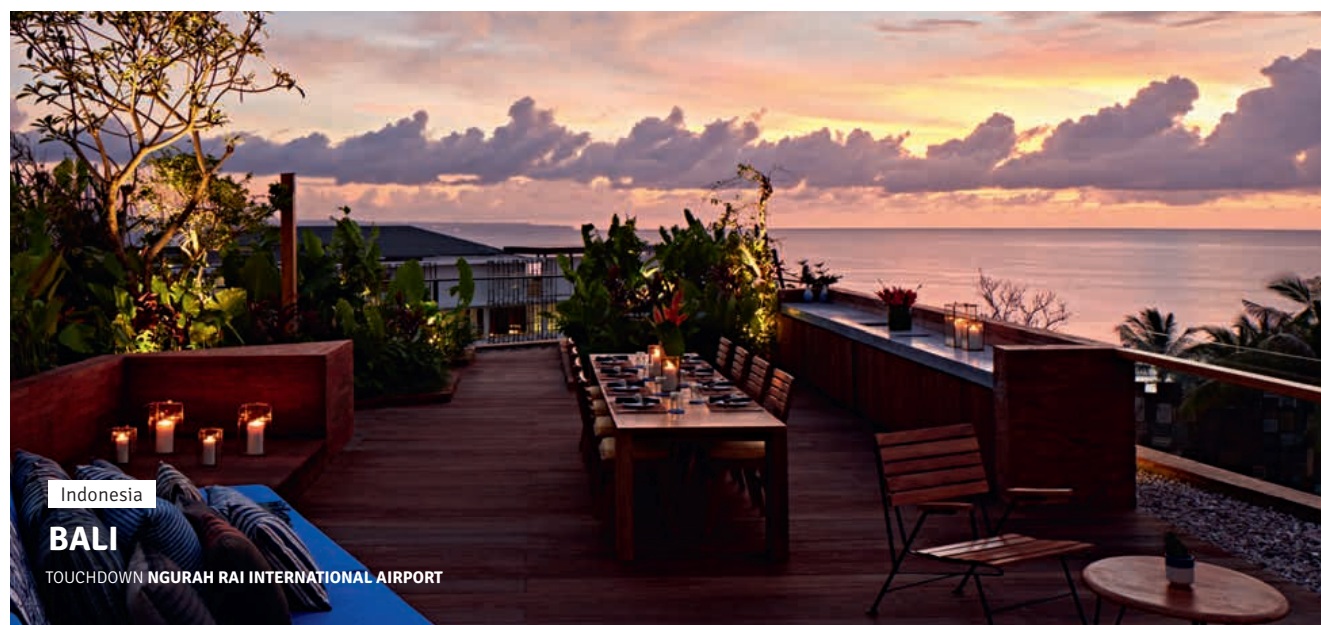


KUWAIT AND SEE

Drool over the
Gulf state's expanding
dining options

SHOPAHOLICS, UNITE!

Couples team up for
bargain finds in
Manila and Siem Reap



Indonesia

BALI

TOUCHDOWN **NGURAH RAI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**

Finn's Beach Club recently relocated from Uluwatu to Bewara Beach. The trademark rustic Balinese design remains, but it's now even bigger, with a beachfront infinity pool, an ocean of daybeds, three bars and a stylish restaurant pavilion. With scrumptious breakfasts, all-day grazing, sunset cocktails and gourmet dinners on the menu, there's always a good time to tuck in and chill out. finnsbeachclub.com

Conveniently located within Potato Head Beach Club, the boutique hotel Katamama (photo) immerses guests in Indonesia's centuries-old artistic and cultural heritage while adding its own hip modern twist. Each of the ultra-cool 58 suites come with an in-room bar and DIY cocktail kit, and some have private pools and exclusive rooftop access. katamama.com

Indonesia

JAKARTA

TOUCHDOWN **JAKARTA (SOEKARNO-HATTA) INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**

Ever tried Indonesia's Sumatran Padang food fused with Japanese cuisine? Well now you can, at Suntiung (photo). The extensive great-value menu features traditional spicy, rich Padang dishes mixed with light, subtle Japanese flavors, including signature dishes like Rendang Sushi Rolls. Suntiung has been such a hit that it opened a second branch late last year at Setiabudi One Building in Kuningan. suntiung.com



Opening 2016, Hotel ibis Jakarta Harmoni offers great value for business and leisure travelers. The 212-room eco-friendly hotel offers standard and more spacious family rooms, complete with complimentary WiFi and comfy beds. ibis.com



Japan

FUKUOKA

TOUCHDOWN **FUKUOKA AIRPORT**

Crunch on some freshly fried tempura at Tempura Hirao, near Tenjin Station. Waiting lines are usually long, so first-time Fukuoka travelers who want to check out this highly praised specialty restaurant are advised to start queuing from as early as 10.30am. hirao-foods.net

Hotel Century Art is a straightforward lodging choice for the no-nonsense excursionist. Housed in a charming Art Deco building located near subways and entertainment hubs, this three-star hotel has the basic amenities and aesthetic allure down pat. 5-15 *Hakataeki-Chuogai, Hakata-ku*