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**STANDOUT INNOVATIONS FROM HOTELS TO LUGGAGE RECOGNIZED IN
THE 2014 TRAVEL + LEISURE DESIGN AWARDS ANNOUNCED TODAY**

Thomas J. Pritzker Named 2014 Design Champion

New York, NY (January 8, 2014) – Among the 18 winners of the 10th annual *Travel + Leisure* Design Awards are the **London Edition**; **TAM Airlines First Class Cabin**; **Höst**, Copenhagen; **Reality Lab. Issey Miyake**, Tokyo; **Adidas by Tom Dixon**; and the **Parrish Art Museum**, Water Mill, New York. Selected by a prestigious jury that included Thom Browne, Ilse Crawford, and Jerome Griffith, among others, the 2014 *Travel + Leisure* Design Awards honor the year's best designs and are featured now on <http://www.travelandleisure.com/articles/tl-design-awards-2014> and in the February issue of *Travel + Leisure*®, on newsstands January 17. In addition, **Thomas J. Pritzker**, executive chairman of Hyatt Hotels Corporation, is named the 2014 *Travel + Leisure* Design Champion in recognition of his commitment to excellent design; his vision, ambition, and generosity; as well as his family's creation and support of the Pritzker Architecture Prize.

2014 TRAVEL + LEISURE DESIGN AWARD WINNERS

BEST CULTURAL SPACE	Elena Garro Cultural Center , Mexico City
BEST RESTAURANT	Höst , Copenhagen
BEST BRIDGE	Høse Bridge , Sand, Norway
BEST HOTEL (100 OR MORE ROOMS)	London Edition
BEST HOTEL (FEWER THAN 100 ROOMS)	Gangtey Goenpa Lodge , Gangtey Valley, Bhutan
BEST RESORT	Pedras Salagadas Spa & Nature Park , Portugal
BEST RETAIL SPACE	Reality Lab. Issey Miyake , Tokyo
BEST MUSEUM	Parrish Art Museum , Water Mill, New York
BEST TRANSPORTATION	TAM Airlines First Class Cabin
BEST TRAVEL CLOTHING	Adidas by Tom Dixon

BEST WATCH	Samsung Galaxy Gear
BEST LUGGAGE Extra-Capacity Carry-on	Victorinox Travel Gear Spectra 2.0 Dual-Access
BEST CAMERA	Canon PowerShot N
BEST TRAVEL ACCESSORY	Flight 001 4-in-1 adapter
BEST HEADPHONES	Plantronics BackBeat Go 2
BEST TRAVEL BAG	Quiksilver Travis Rice Platinum Pack
BEST SPEAKER	Mini Jambox by Jawbone
BEST TRAVEL BEAUTY PRODUCT	Skyn Iceland Hydro Cool Firming Eye Gels

Honorable Mentions: **Lobster Bar**, Paris (Best Restaurant); **Musée Louvre-Lens**, Lens, France (Best Museum); **Hotel Escondido**, Oaxaca, Mexico (Best Resort); **CitiBike**, New York City (Best Transportation); and **Freehand Miami** (Best Hotel, Fewer Than 100 Rooms).

2014 TRAVEL + LEISURE DESIGN AWARDS JURY

Morris Adjmi, Principal, Morris Adjmi Architects

Thom Browne, Designer, Thom Browne New York

Ilse Crawford, Founder, Studioilse

Jerome Griffith, President and CEO, Tumi

Kathy Halbreich, Associate Director, Museum of Modern Art

Mary Margaret Jones, Senior Principal and President, Hargreaves Associates

Chee Pearlman, contributing design editor of *Travel + Leisure*, served as the jury moderator.

Travel + Leisure will host the 2014 Design Awards event at Toro in New York City on January 30.

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