

## ANDAZ RESIDENCES COME TO T&C GRACE BAY

Grace Bay in the Turks & Caicos Islands will welcome the new Andaz Turks & Caicos Residences in 2021. Andaz will bring a mix of 59 oversized hotel rooms and 74 residences, divided between two buildings, to 5.5 acres of prime beachfront real estate.

The residences range in size from studios to four-bedroom penthouses. The resort will feature two swimming pools, waterfront bar and dining spaces and a spa.

This is a boon for travelers because the majority of accommodations on Grace Bay are condo rentals. In addition, guests and owners can earn and redeem World of Hyatt points during their stays, and original owners will be enrolled in the Founder's Program for special benefits at Hyatt hotels worldwide.

[andazresidences.com](http://andazresidences.com)



## LAX BANS RIDESHARE AND TAXI CURBSIDE PICKUP

LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT has banned rideshare companies and taxis from picking up passengers outside its terminals. Instead, passengers will be taken by shuttle to a parking lot next to Terminal 1, where they can book their rides. Drop-offs at terminals will still be allowed.

The decision, according to airport authorities, is a bid to ease congestion at the airport, which is undergoing a \$14 billion overhaul of its road network and terminals. [fltaxi.com](http://fltaxi.com)



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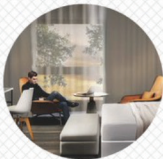
## Property Pipeline and Openings



### KIMPTON KEY WEST

Kimpton Hotels & Restaurants has announced a new hotel complex opening in the Key West, FL, historic district, slated to debut in early 2020. Kimpton Key West will be the sixth location for the company in Florida and its first in the Florida Keys. The property will actually be five separate hotels, comprising 219 rooms, some in buildings from the turn of the century, with rooms featuring trend-forward design.

[ihg.com/kimptonhotels](http://ihg.com/kimptonhotels)



### SORO MONTEVIDEO

Hilton has announced the opening of SORO Montevideo, Curio Collection by Hilton, the brand's debut in Uruguay and third Hilton property in the country. The 40-room boutique hotel is located in the Pocitos neighborhood and has a rooftop jacuzzi, a gym with panoramic terraces, and Tomás, a signature restaurant serving breakfast, lunch and dinner with a chef-driven menu.

[hilton.com](http://hilton.com)



### SMALL LUXURY HOTELS

Small Luxury Hotels has welcomed five new properties: Lennox Miami Beach, S Hotel Jamaica, KASA Hotel Riviera Maya, KASA Hotel Parota, Tulum, Mexico, and Vista Palazzo Lago Di Como in Italy. Plus SLH member Tokyo Station Hotel, has created its own amenities fragrance, "Est. 1915", with French luxury brand, Histoires de Parfums.

[slh.com](http://slh.com)



### THE LIBERTY TRUST ROANOKE, VA

Savara, the hotel brand that owns the Linden Row Inn in Richmond, VA, and the Meadowbrook Inn in Blowing Rock, NC, plans a 2020 opening for The Liberty Trust, a boutique hotel in the First National Bank building in downtown Roanoke, VA. The 1908 building is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

[savaraproperties.com](http://savaraproperties.com)