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All the latest news, hotel openings and hospitality happenings you need to hear about from around the world.



Casa Cook Chania

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Casa Cook's latest hotel, on the beachfront just outside the historic city of Chania, opens this summer. Designed by Greek architecture firm K-Studio, the 106-room property blends in with the rugged landscape and is complemented by unfussy interiors by Annabell Kutucu, in collaboration with Lambs and Lions.

"We went for an inside-outside feeling; it's earthy and organic," says Remo Masala, creative director of Casa Cook. The heart of the hotel is the beach club, where guests can laze under straw parasols, try stand-up paddleboarding in the Med or enjoy a Cretan lunch at the Beach House restaurant. — VR casacook.com



Finca Serena

MONTUÏRI, MALLORCA

Tucked away among the ancient olive groves and citrus trees of the lush Mediterranean island of Mallorca is the newly opened 40-hectare estate of Finca Serena. Mallorcan architect Sergi Bastidas restored the finca's original sandstone structure to create 25 relaxed guestrooms and suites, finished in earthy, soothing colours and stocked with locally produced, all-natural toiletries from Finca

Gayeta. The rooms face onto private decks and lush gardens, with spectacular views across the island and only birds for company.

Hotelier Pau Guardans fell in love with this serene spot and snapped it up in 2018. Fruit trees and vegetable gardens provide pickings for the breakfast table and the on-site restaurant Jacaranda. It also serves cheese, fresh seafood and black pork, while newly planted vines will eventually produce the grapes for house wine. — SZ fincaserenamallorca.com

ONBOARD EXTRAS

Finnair's amenity kit

Finnair knows how to switch things up. To celebrate its new Helsinki-Los Angeles route, the carrier has launched a new Business Class amenity kit. The set – included on transcontinental flights – comes in a pouch featuring 1960s patterns designed by Maija Isola for Finnish brand Marimekko. Inside you'll find organic products by Swedish brand LA Bruket, such as almond-coconut lip cream and a chamomile-lavender facial hydrator.

The kit includes a toothbrush and comes wrapped in a cardboard band, part of a plan to reduce the airline's plastic waste by 4,500kg. — PB finnair.com



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