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## NEW TRAVEL DEALS: MAY 2014



*Photo courtesy of Mövenpick Hotel Mactan Island Cebu, Philippines*

Get a jump on summer vacation by booking one of these honeymoon or destination wedding-worthy travel deals. We've found some great ones this month:

### **Get a discount on your summer stay at Mövenpick hotels**

Swiss hotel company Mövenpick is offering discounts of up to 30 percent for select dates between June 1 and 30 and in September as part of their "Summer Sunshine" offer. Also, this year guests who book their stays through [moevenpick-hotels.com](http://moevenpick-hotels.com) also receive complimentary Wi-Fi. The discounts include hotels across Europe, Asia, Africa and the Middle East. To view the offers, visit <http://www.moevenpick-hotels.com/summer>.



*Photo courtesy of Hilton Burlington.*

### **Escape to the Hilton Burlington, Vt.**

Situated on the waterfront of Lake Champlain, the Hilton Burlington is perfect for a warm-weather getaway. And now they're offering several packages and deals, like Military Appreciation Month, where active or retired military members can get 10 percent off, a "Bike to Basics" package, which includes bike rentals and a "survival pack" for your self-guided bike tour. There's also a Fourth of July package that includes museum admission and a fireworks show, a picnic package in July and the "Brew Tours Package" that lets you experience Vermont's craft brewery scene. For more information or to make reservations, visit [burlington.hilton.com](http://burlington.hilton.com).



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## Get help planning your honeymoon with Sonar Travel

If you're short on time, stressed from wedding planning, or just don't want to deal with the hassle of researching a trip, Sonar Travel was made for you. They can help plan your honeymoon itinerary, help you decide where to go and more. [See everything they have to offer here.](#)



*Photo courtesy of Andaz Peninsula Papagayo Resort, Costa Rica.*

## Say "I Do" in Costa Rica

The Andaz Peninsula Papagayo Resort in Costa Rica has three new packages for destination weddings. The "You & Me" package includes a ceremony in a romantic location, bouquet and boutonniere, room upgrade, and late checkout starting at \$1,500. The "Intimate Gathering" package includes all of that plus ceremony chairs for 10 guests, private dining at the hotel's restaurant, a stay in the honeymoon suite, an on-site wedding coordinator, manicure and pedicure for the bride and help pressing your wedding dress before the ceremony, starting at \$2,500. Finally, the "Small Gatherings" package offers all of the above plus one of three décor options for the ceremony and reception, starting at \$4,500. For more information, visit [papagayo.andaz.hyatt.com](http://papagayo.andaz.hyatt.com).



*Photo courtesy of Hotel St. Paul Montréal.*

### **Feel like you're in France on a trip to Montréal**

Tourisme Montréal has an offer on their site to get 50 percent off your third night at many amazing hotels in the city. Also, when you check in at your hotel you'll get a booklet filled with \$450 worth of coupons and discounts. To see participating hotels and book your trip, visit [tourisme-montreal.org](http://tourisme-montreal.org).



*Photo courtesy of Extraordinary Journeys.*

### **Take a safari for a good cause**

Extraordinary Journeys, a bespoke safari company, has teamed up with conservationists and film makers Beverly and Dereck Joubert to offer a 10-day Botswana safari to benefit Great Plain Foundation's Zero's for Rhinos. The total cost of accommodation at the camp will be donated and used to relocate 100 rhinos from poaching hot zones in South Africa and Zimbabwe to the safety of the Okavango Delta. Pricing begins at \$12,000 per person (\$6,000 of which goes towards Zero's for Rhinos) and travel is valid from November 1, 2014 to May 31, 2015. For more information, visit [extraordinaryjourneys.net](http://extraordinaryjourneys.net).



*Photo by Scott Ludlum, courtesy of Panama Travel Consultants.*

### **Journey through the historic Panama Canal**

In honor of the 100th anniversary of the construction of the Panama Canal, Panama Travel Consultants is offering an eight day/seven night tour package. It includes an ocean-to-ocean full transit of the Panama Canal, a trip on the historic Panama Railway, a jungle boat tour and more. For more information, visit [PanamaTravelConsultants.com](http://PanamaTravelConsultants.com).



*Photo courtesy of The Wayfarers Walking Vacations.*

### **Take a walk through the Czech Republic**

The Wayfarers Walking Vacations is offering several 14-day walking tours through Europe for US\$7,750 per person (that's a savings of \$840). You'll walk from Vienna to Prague, then from Prague to Dresden, stopping at various small towns and sampling local food, wine and beer along the way. The walk leader is a Czech national and art historian, so you can get insider information on life in the Czech Republic and more. This tour is a National Geographic 50 Tours of a Lifetime 2013 Winner. For more information, visit [thewayfarers.com](http://thewayfarers.com).



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