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## U.S. News & World Report Names Grand Hotel Kempinski Riga Among Best in Europe

Riga, 13 February 2025 – [Grand Hotel Kempinski Riga](#) has been recognized as a Best Hotel in Latvia for 2025 by U.S. News & World Report.



The 15th annual Best Hotels rankings evaluate properties across the United States, Europe, Bermuda, Mexico, Canada and the Caribbean. U.S. News is the only organization to evaluate hotels by taking into account the aggregate opinion of published travel experts through industry awards and the overall customer satisfaction expressed in online guest reviews.

‘We are honoured that Grand Hotel Kempinski Riga has been recognized as the Best Hotel in Latvia for 2025 by U.S. News & World Report,’ said Carmen Mauthner, General Manager of Grand Hotel Kempinski Riga. ‘This prestigious award is a testament to the dedication of our team in providing exceptional service and creating memorable experiences for our guests. I extend my sincere gratitude to each team member for their hard work and commitment to excellence. We also thank our valued guests, whose support and loyalty make such achievements possible. We remain committed to delivering the



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highest standards of hospitality and look forward to welcoming you back to Grand Hotel Kempinski Riga in the near future.'

For 2025, U. S. News rated more than 31,000 hotels. The highest-ranking hotels are typically those that both experts and everyday travelers recognize for their exceptional quality.

'Exciting openings and updates keep the hotel industry fresh while modern amenities, memorable experiences and exceptional customer service continue to impress guests across the destinations we cover,' says Zach Watson, senior travel editor at U.S. News. 'The 2025 Best Hotels rankings provide a resource for all travelers, from couples looking for a quick getaway to families planning an annual vacation.'

The Best Hotels [methodology](#) factors in data, including awards and recognition, hotel class and guest rating, to determine the ranking. U.S. News evaluates the number and prominence of awards and recommendations a hotel has received from expert travel industry sources. Hotel class is determined after reviewing multiple sources, and a hotel's Guest Rating is calculated using data from various providers.

For more information, visit [Best Hotels](#) and use #BestHotels on [Facebook](#) and [X](#).

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**About Grand Hotel Kempinski Riga:** With the famous Latvian National Opera House by its side and the Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, at its feet, the hotel presents a whole new level of comfort and elegance to both city guests and locals. Grand Hotel Kempinski Riga features 141 first-class rooms and suites, 23 Kempinski residences, two restaurants and one bar, six spacious meeting rooms, including the Grand Ballroom, and a world-class Kempinski The Spa. Beautiful views of the capital, exquisite service, and a rich cultural experience await guests from all over the world.

**About Kempinski:** Created in 1897, Kempinski Hotels is Europe's oldest luxury hotel group. Kempinski's rich heritage of impeccable personal service and superb hospitality is complemented by the exclusivity and individuality of its properties. Today the Kempinski Group operates 78 hotels and residences in 32 countries and currently has more than 31 prestigious projects under development around the globe. Each five-star hotel reflects the strength and success of the Kempinski brand without losing sight of its heritage; each one imbues the quality guests have come to expect from Kempinski while embracing the cultural traditions of its location. The portfolio comprises historic landmark properties, award-winning urban lifestyle hotels, outstanding resorts and prestigious residences.



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