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Have Vacation Days Left? Here Are Six Inspirational Trips Perfect for Right Now

The year is already two-thirds over!

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If you still haven't checked into the Silo Hotel in Cape Town or snapped an Instagram shot underneath the hammerhead shark exhibit at Miami's new Frost Science Museum, you've got some work to do. And fast. Earlier this year, Bloomberg anointed the [20 most exciting destinations for 2017](#). Given that the year is two-thirds over, it seems a good time to take stock of your adventures—and figure out how to use your remaining vacation days.

Where to begin? Use this cheat sheet as your guide.

Cape Town



Dream hotel room, realized. Source: The Silo

After checking into the Silo last month, I'm happy to report that one of the year's most hotly anticipated hotel openings has somehow exceeded the hype. The geodesic, dome-like windows! The crystal decanters with complimentary brandy! The layer cakes at tea time! Even if weather shuts down the stunning rooftop pool, you'll never want to leave. Which is just fine, because come September, the ground floor will transform into the continent's first contemporary African art museum, the Zeitz MoCAA. Inside will be the world's largest collection of its kind, with nine floors of exhibition space that will include works from such cutting-edge artists as Swaziland's Nandipha Mntambo and South African Wim Botha. Cape Town minus the epic outdoor adventures? It's suddenly an appealing proposition.

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