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## Where Our Editors Dream of Traveling in 2021

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Our travel editors and writers share the first place they’re headed when the world opens up.

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Remember [planes](#)? Remember booking a last-minute ticket from JFK and [waking up in Paris](#)? We do. And to say our eagerness to travel is mounting as 2021 gets underway is, frankly, an understatement. While we aren’t sure what the year will bring in terms of [borders reopening](#), we’ve already started [daydreaming about future travel](#). Right now, these travel plans are purely aspirational, but because we’ve stayed tapped into the [latest hotel openings](#), destinations on the rise, and burgeoning culinary scenes around the world, we’ve already got the itineraries ready to go. Here, 18 Departures’ editors and contributing writers share where they’re dreaming of traveling in 2021.



## Rajasthan, India

“I’ve turned down a few trips to India for work and for pleasure, so when we can travel again safely, I’m eager to finally explore Jaipur which is beloved by so many of my friends in fashion and jewelry. I would source recommendations from India aficionados, like Marie-Helene de Taillac, Sara Beltran, Ulla Johnson, and Christian and Yasmine Hemmerle. Staying at [Rajmahal Palace](#) would be a highlight. I’d spend my days visiting jewelry studios, like The Munnu Gem Palace, and sourcing textiles for my new sewing projects at the [Ganesh Emporium](#) (the treasure hunt of travel shopping is something a click on Etsy can’t replicate). I’d be sure to have a cocktail at Bar Palladio at the [Narain Niwas Palace](#) and enjoy a meal at Peshawri. After exhausting shopping and dining in Jaipur, I’d head to the rural region for a stay at [Amanbagh](#) where I’d indulge in an Ayurveda program for four days. I would end my dream trip in the north with a stay at the tented camps of [Sujan Jawai](#) in the Aravallis Hills. My family would magically appear at this point and we’d enjoy the sunsets from our tented suite.” — *Melissa Ventosa Martin, Fashion Director*