



## THE WORLD'S 50 BEST BARS UNVEILS LIST OF BARS RANKED FROM 51-100 FOR 2025

*With 16 new entries, the extended list sets the stage for the live announcement of The World's 50 Best Bars 2025, taking place on 8 October in Hong Kong*

**24 September 2025** – With just two weeks remaining until the unveiling of The World's 50 Best Bars 2025, sponsored by Perrier, the bars ranked from No.51 to No.100 have been revealed for the ninth consecutive year. The annual list is created from the votes of a panel of more than 800 independent experts, including acclaimed bartenders, educators, cocktail authorities and award-winning drinks writers.

### The 51-100 List in Numbers

- The 51-100 list includes bars spanning 34 different cities across the world
- There are **16 new entries** on the list including from Bangkok, Barcelona, Buenos Aires, Florence, London, Medellín and New Delhi
- Bars from the USA lead the extended list once again with eight bars from across five cities: Chicago, Los Angeles, Miami, New York and San Francisco
- Europe leads the way with 15 bars on the list, including four from Spain and four from Italy
- The 51-100 list includes 12 bars in Asia, three of which are in Hong Kong
- **Mamba Negra** and **Bar Carmen** from Medellín and **Vender** from Taichung mark the first ever entries from these cities

*For the full 51-100 list, please refer to the accompanying graphic or scroll to the bottom of this release.*

Returning to Asia for its 17<sup>th</sup> annual edition, The World's 50 Best Bars 2025 will gather the global drinks industry in Hong Kong in celebration of the finest cocktail experiences worldwide. Honouring the creativity, dedication and achievements of exceptional teams and individuals across the drinks world, 50 Best continues to shine a light on an even wider array of remarkable bars and cocktail destinations with the release of the 51-100 list, amplifying its recognition of excellence on a global scale.

Emma Sleight, Head of Content for The World's 50 Best Bars, says: "The extended 51-100 list is another opportunity to celebrate the passion, creativity and world-class hospitality that define the very best in the business – and this ninth edition does not disappoint. From brand new destinations





and emerging markets to beloved favourites, the extended ranking shines a light on even more of the world's finest bars. Today, we raise a glass to those venues that go above and beyond, offer congratulations to the incredible teams whose hard work has earned their bar a spot on this prestigious list and hope it encourages more people to discover their next drinking destination."

### For the third consecutive year, bars in the USA top the 51-100 list




Of the 20 bars from the Americas, establishments from the USA lead the 51-100 list once again with a total of eight bars. New York is home to four of these, including new entry **Schmuck** at No.59; **Attaboy** rises 12 places to No.72; **Martiny's** is at No.75 and **Employees Only** is at No.95. Elsewhere, new entries **True Laurel** in San Francisco and **Mírate** in Los Angeles are No.64 and No.93 respectively, with a triumphant return for **Kumiko** in Chicago at No.97. **Café La Trova** in Miami is at No.82.

Mexico follows closely behind with five bars: Mexico City's **Licorería Limantour** at No.52, new entry **Bar Mauro** at No.54 and **Baltra Bar** at No.78. Guadalajara's **El Gallo Altanero** is at No.71 alongside Tulum's **Arca** at No.77. In Canada, Toronto's **Bar Pompette** has risen 15 places to No.55.

New entry **Exímia** in São Paulo leads in Latin America at No.61. For the first time ever, bars from Medellín feature on the list with two new entries in Mamba Negra (No.81) and Bar Carmen (No.100). Bogotá's **La Sala de Laura** is at No.68. In Buenos Aires, new entry **Victor Audio Bar** is at No.87 and **Florería Atlántico** is at No.90.

### Spain and Italy shine brightly, as Europe leads with the most bars

Of a total 15 entries for Europe, Spain and Italy are each represented by four bars on the list. Madrid's **Angelita** is at No.51 with Barcelona's **Dr. Stravinsky** (No.83) and **Boadas** (No.85) returning to the list alongside new entry **Foco** (No.89). Rome's **Freni e Frizioni** (No.58) and **Jerry Thomas Speakeasy** (No.98) are joined by **L'Antiquario** (No.63) in Naples and **Gucci Giardino** (No.99), a new entry from Florence.

The UK follows with three entries for London, including    **A Bar with Shapes For a Name** at No.73, **Kwānt Mayfair** at No.79 and new entry **Three Sheets Soho** at No.80. Elsewhere on the continent, Berlin's **Wax On** is at No.57, Athens' **Barro Negro** is at No.62, Copenhagen's **Bird** is at No.66 and Stockholm's **Tjoget** re-enters the list at No.76.





## In Asia, bars in Hong Kong lead for the first time since 2019; a bar from Taichung appears for the first time

Taking the crown from Singapore for the first time in five years, bars in Hong Kong now lead in Asia with three on the 51-100 list; **Argo** at No.56, new entry **Gokan** at No.70 and **The Savory Project** at No.86. Japan and Thailand follow with two bars each: **The SG Club** (No.65) and re-entry **Bar Trench** (No.94) in Tokyo and two new entries for Bangkok with **Dry Wave Cocktail Studio** (No.88) and **Opium** (No.92).

Elsewhere in Asia, Seoul's **Bar Cham** is at No.53 and **Smoke & Bitters** in Hiriketiya, which was the first entry for Sri Lanka in 2024, rises 19 places to No.67. Vender in Taichung becomes the first bar from the city to make the list at No.74 and is joined by another newcomer, **Lair** in New Delhi, at No.96. **Native** in Singapore is No.84.

## Nairobi and Dubai continue their ascent

**Hero Bar** in Nairobi lands at No.69, while **LPM Dubai**, a new entry in 2024, has risen 16 places to No.60. In Australia, Melbourne's **Byrds** is at No.91.

The countdown of the list of The World's 50 Best Bars 2025, sponsored by Perrier, will also be broadcast live to a global audience on 8 October 2025. Bar and cocktail lovers are invited to join through the 50 Best TV channel on [YouTube](#).

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## EDITOR'S NOTES:

### 51-100 List:

Position	Establishment	Location
51	Angelita	Madrid
52	Licorería Limantour	Mexico City
53	Bar Cham	Seoul
54	Bar Mauro	Mexico City
55	Bar Pompette	Toronto



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59	Schmuck	New York
60	LPM Dubai	Dubai
61	Exímia	São Paulo
62	Barro Negro	Athens
63	L'Antiquario	Naples
64	True Laurel	San Francisco
65	The SG Club	Tokyo
66	Bird	Copenhagen
67	Smoke & Bitters	Hiriketiya
68	La Sala de Laura	Bogotá
69	Hero Bar	Nairobi
70	Gokan	Hong Kong
71	El Gallo Altanero	Guadalajara
72	Attaboy	New York
73	◆ ■ ● A Bar with Shapes For a Name	London
74	Vender	Taichung
75	Martiny's	New York
76	Tjoget	Stockholm
77	Arca	Tulum
78	Baltra Bar	Mexico City
79	Kwānt Mayfair	London
80	Three Sheets Soho	London
81	Mamba Negra	Medellín
82	Café La Trova	Miami
83	Dr. Stravinsky	Barcelona
84	Native	Singapore
85	Boadas	Barcelona
86	The Savory Project	Hong Kong

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87	Victor Audio Bar	Buenos Aires
88	Dry Wave Cocktail Studio	Bangkok
89	Foco	Barcelona
90	Florería Atlántico	Buenos Aires
91	Byrdi	Melbourne
92	Opium	Bangkok
93	Mírate	Los Angeles
94	Bar Trench	Tokyo
95	Employees Only	New York
96	Lair	New Delhi
97	Kumiko	Chicago
98	Jerry Thomas Speakeasy	Rome
99	Gucci Giardino	Florence
100	Bar Carmen	Medellín

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The World's 50 Best Bars, sponsored by Perrier, provides a definitive list of the world's best drinking venues, voted for by an Academy of more than 800 experts worldwide. The World's 50 Best Bars list has been published annually since 2009 and has become the most anticipated ranking for drinks professionals and cocktail aficionados across the world, with the awards the highlight of the bar industry calendar. The list of Asia's 50 Best Bars has been published since 2016, while the list of North America's 50 Best Bars was launched in 2022. William Reed, which owns the 50 Best brand, is entirely responsible for the organisation of the awards, the voting system and the respective lists.

### How the voting works

The list is compiled by votes from The World's 50 Best Bars Academy, which comprises more than 800 drinks experts with gender balance, including renowned bartenders and consultants, drinks writers and cocktail specialists from around the world. The Academy of voters is spread across 29 global geographic regions, each headed by an Academy Chair who selects their region's voters, with the distribution of voters designed to reflect the relative development and sophistication of the drinks sector, and the concentration of quality bars, in each region. Each voter casts 8 votes based on their best bar experiences of the previous 18 months. Voters are required to remain anonymous and voting is confidential, secure and independently adjudicated by Deloitte.

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