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MARYLAND
CRAB
HOUSES



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CHARMING
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SPRING 2014

ENDLESS VACATION

PLAY | EAT | SHOP | RELAX | EXPLORE

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FAVORITE BEACHES

SOME OF THE BEST SPOTS
AROUND THE WORLD
FOR SUN AND SAND

40
YEARS OF
VACATIONS

**SPECIAL
40TH ANNIVERSARY
MEMBER SECTION**

**TREASURE HUNT:
FIND THE 40s**

ready,
set,
go

Plates of tapas,
perfect for sharing,
at La Parada.

SOUTH AFRICA

Cape of Great Food

Cape Town's once neglected Bree Street is elevating its status in time for the city's stint as the World Design Capital, this year. Since its opening, last September, **La Parada** (No. 107; 27-021-426-0330; lunch for two, \$30) has become the spot for Spanish tapas. Don't be surprised to hear washing machines whirring in the background at **I Love My Laundry** (No. 14; ilovemylaudry.co.za; lunch for two, \$14): The original branch of this restaurant-wineshop-laundrette was such a success that a larger outpost opened on Bree Street in October. A giant wooden wave presides over the bar at another hybrid, **Latitude 33** (No. 165; 27-021-424-9520; lat33.co.za; lunch for two, \$20). It's a restaurant and surfer boutique with an art gallery. Cape Town's first wine bar, **Publik** (81 Church St.; publik.co.za), stocks only lesser-known varietals. It's technically on nearby Church, but its spirit is all Bree Street—it shares a subterranean space with a butcher shop.

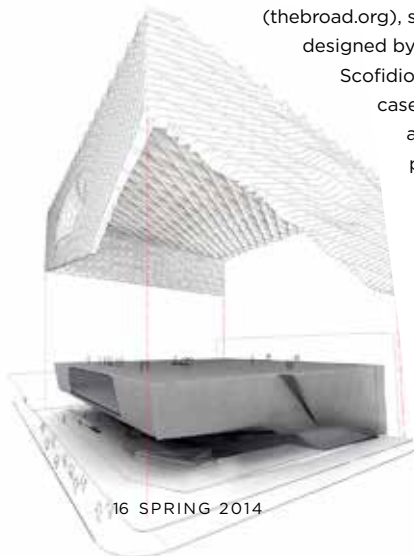
—SARAH KHAN

LOS ANGELES

California's Museum Update

Mark your calendars: It's anniversary time for L.A.'s art institutions. The **Museum of Contemporary Art** (moca.org) celebrates its 35th with a year-long series of events, including a retrospective of the 1970s visual artist Mike Kelley. The 25th anniversary of the **Hammer Museum** (hammer.ucla.edu) is not until 2015, but this year the Hammer hosts the second "Made in LA" Biennial, showcasing up-and-coming artists. Then there's a newcomer: The **Broad** museum (thebroad.org), shown at left, was designed by starchitects Diller Scofidio + Renfro to showcase the contemporary art collected by philanthropists Eli and Edythe Broad. It opens later this year, and it's a stunner.

—A.H.G.



SWITZERLAND

The Alps Heat Up

Skiing in and out is only part of the appeal of the **Crans Ambassador**, Switzerland's retro-chic resort in the Crans-Montana ski area. After a six-year renovation, most of the A-frame hotel's 60 rooms now overlook the peaks of the Valais Alps; the spa has a hammam and an indoor pool. Après-ski, guests huddle around the fireplace at Bar Lounge 180°, where glasses of Valais whites are paired with stories of the day's Alpine adventures. *cransambassador.ch; doubles from \$440 per night* —A.H.G.



The newly redone
Crans Ambassador hotel.

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