

New Hotels: Sydney, Rome, Sitges



A weekly roundup of new hotel openings around the world.

We take a look at hotels that have just opened, hotels that are in the works and major hotel changes across the globe.



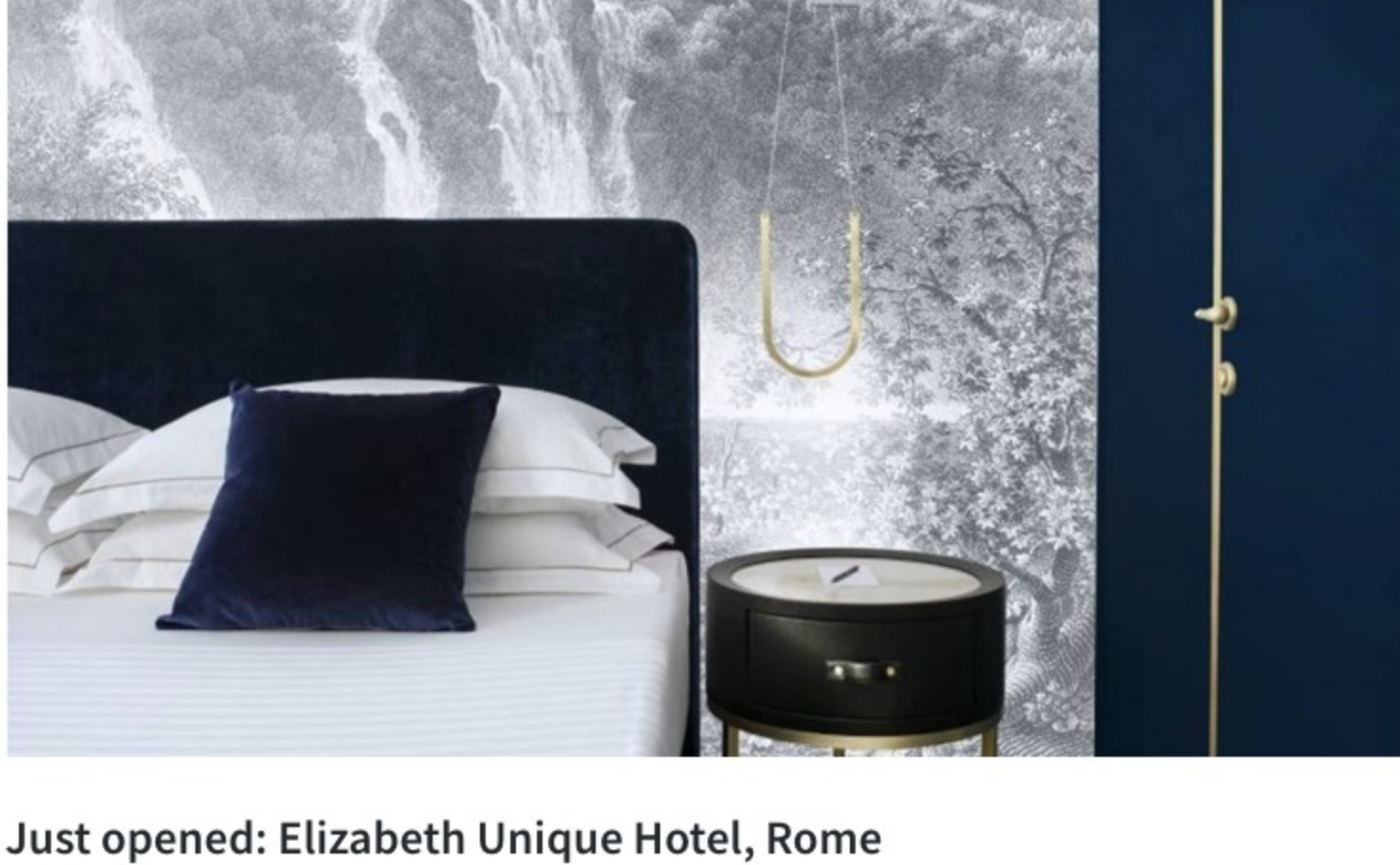
Just opened: Ramada Hotel and Suites Sydney Cabramatta, Sydney

The first Ramada in Sydney has opened, replacing the Ibis Styles Sydney Lansvale hotel, just 27km outside of Sydney's CBD.

The property features 81 rooms with an additional 19 rooms being added later in the year. The rooms are modern and the hotel is just a 30-minute drive from the airport.

On-site amenities include a meeting room, conference facilities, swimming pool and complimentary parking.

- ▶ **Opened:** 21 March 2018
- ▶ **Rooms start from:** \$169, superior
- ▶ **Book:** [Ramada Hotel and Suites Sydney Cabramatta](#)



Just opened: Elizabeth Unique Hotel, Rome

Located just a short stroll from the Spanish Steps, the Elizabeth Unique Hotel has opened in Rome's historic city centre in a 17th century palazzo.

Its 33 rooms hold true to classic Roman stylings but have a contemporary touch. Walking through the halls reveals large archways, hand-crafted workmanship and art chosen from a neighbouring gallery.

On-site is a restaurant, an in-house pastry chef and a terrace in a courtyard.

- ▶ **Opened:** 22 March 2018
- ▶ **Rooms start from:** EUR255 (AUD\$409), iniziale
- ▶ **Book:** [Elizabeth Unique Hotel](#)



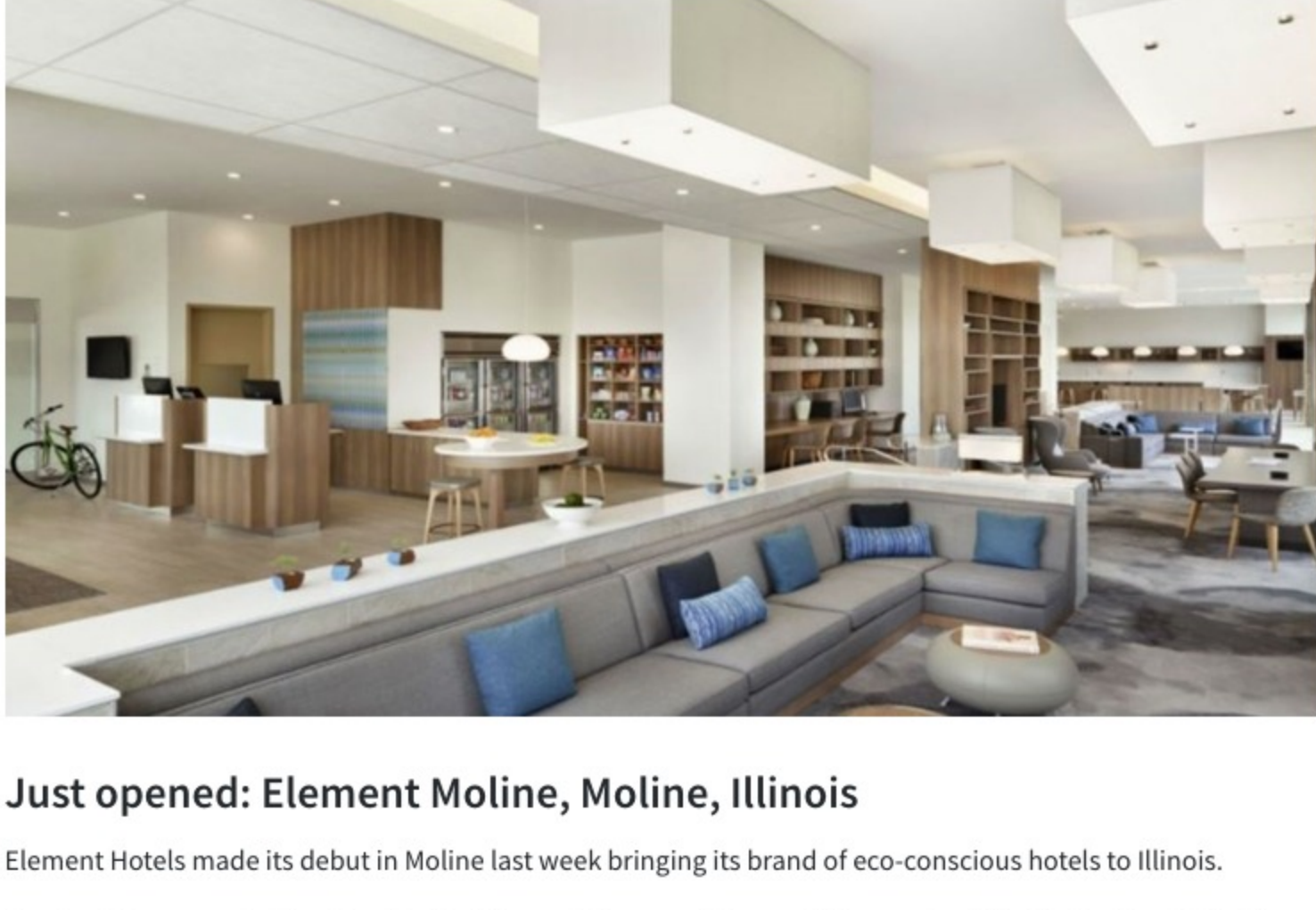
Just opened: ME Sitges Terramar, Sitges, Spain

ME by Meliá, a luxury lifestyle hotel brand, has opened the brand's first hotel on the Catalan Coast last week.

213 rooms offer guests breathtaking sea views with contemporary design that features soft creams and greys. A range of suites with terraces are also available while the ME Suite offer additional luxury privileges.

Two restaurants, one of which is beachside, an oyster bar, a pool bar, a rooftop bar, a spa and meeting and event spaces are just some of the hotel's amenities.

- ▶ **Opened:** 22 March 2018
- ▶ **Rooms start from:** AUD\$157, aura room
- ▶ **Book:** [ME Sitges Terramar](#)



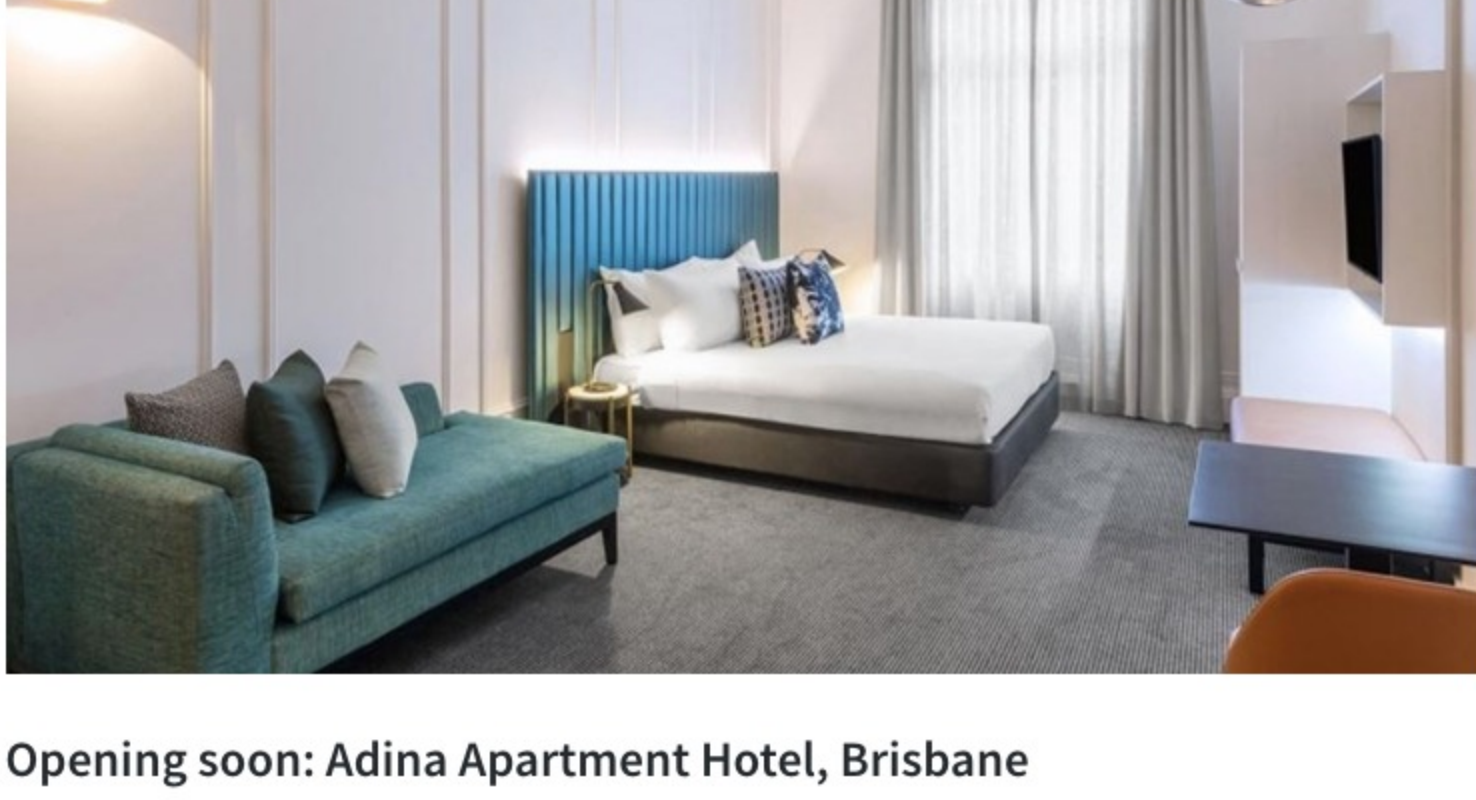
Just opened: Element Moline, Moline, Illinois

Element Hotels made its debut in Moline last week bringing its brand of eco-conscious hotels to Illinois.

The hotel is surrounded by historical buildings with parts of the establishment itself dating back to 1916. The hotel features 96 spacious guest rooms designed with earth tones and warehouse style components such as exposed brick.

The amenities offered are wellness-focused and include an indoor pool, fitness centre with a virtual training app and a Bikes to Borrow program.

- ▶ **Opened:** 19 March 2018
- ▶ **Rooms start from:** USD\$199 (AUD\$154), standard
- ▶ **Book:** [Element Moline](#)



Opening soon: Adina Apartment Hotel, Brisbane

Adina Apartment Hotel will be opening in Brisbane later this year in a stunning heritage building dating back to 1922 that was once home to the Queensland Government Savings Bank.

There are 220 apartment-style rooms each featuring a kitchen, living room and laundry.

A swimming pool, fitness centre, restaurant and bar are available for guests. The property will also have direct access to George Street.

- ▶ **Opening:** 1 July 2018
- ▶ **Rooms start from:** \$239, studio king or twin
- ▶ **Book:** [Adina Apartment Hotel Brisbane](#)



Opening soon: The Calile Hotel, Brisbane

The Calile Hotel opens this spring in Fortitude Valley, Brisbane. The new hotel will be a sophisticated meeting spot for travellers and locals to grab a drink or for a night out.

Once open the property will have 175 rooms with private balconies, blackout blinds and Bluetooth sounds bars. 9 suites and 2 premier suites.

Multiple restaurants, bars and entertainment spaces will be available to give guests options. One restaurant will be poolside. A bar in the lobby and a ballroom for up to 500 people will also be available.

- ▶ **Opening:** 10 September 2018
- ▶ **Rooms start from:** TBA, bookings begin mid-April
- ▶ **Book:** [The Calile Hotel](#)