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The 10 Best Rooftop Bars in the U.S.

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Well-made cocktails and Instagram-worthy views go hand in hand at our favorite hotel rooftop bars around the country.



The Nest at Thompson Seattle, Seattle, Washington

Seattle's highest hotel bar tops the Thompson Seattle hotel, promising prime views of the downtown skyline, Elliott Bay, and the Olympic mountains. Signature craft cocktails are named after and inspired by different birds. Take the Flamingo, for instance—a pink-tinted punch spiked with lime, pineapple, and Perrier-Jouët and served in a massive copper flamingo. Arrive early to grab a table near the outdoor fire pits and indulge in the new summer menu, which includes salmon collar with a Korean wing sauce and confit boar ribs.