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Bucuti & Tara Recognized for Excellence by Forbes Travel Guide, US News & World Report, and Booking.com

EAGLE BEACH, Aruba – Feb. 26, 2025 – [Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort](#), Aruba, set the gold standard in upscale hospitality once again according to Forbes Travel Guide, US News & World Report and Booking.com. For the second straight year, the adults-only resort has earned the Forbes Travel Guide Recommended Award. It continues holding the status of Exceptional as the highest-rated Aruba hotel on Booking.com. Rounding out [these recent recognitions for globally recognized hospitality](#), Bucuti & Tara also continues its legacy of excellence by earning the prestigious Gold Badge from U.S. News & World Report in its 2025 Travel Awards. Once again, Bucuti & Tara has been named the [No. 1 Hotel in Aruba](#) and ranks among the [Top 25 Resorts in the Caribbean](#).



Bucuti & Tara named Recommended in Forbes Travel Guide's 2025 Star Awards

Forbes Travel Guide, the only global rating system for luxury travel, announced on Feb. 12 its 2025 Star Awards and for the second straight year, [Bucuti & Tara earned a Forbes Travel Guide Recommended award](#).

Forbes Travel Guide is the world-renowned authority on excellence in hospitality, and Bucuti & Tara joins this illustrious annual Star Rating list for the second year in a row.

“Forbes Travel Guide’s Star Award winners exemplify excellence in hospitality,” says Amanda Frasier, President of Standards & Ratings for Forbes Travel Guide. “This year’s list continues to reflect the changing landscape of luxury with properties setting the standard for authentic experiences while offering unparalleled amenities, enhanced well-being and delivering unforgettable moments. We are thrilled to recognize their dedication to creating truly world-class travel options for today’s discerning guest.”

Clinching the Gold with US News & World Report

Bucuti & Tara holds the longest reign as the [No. 1 Hotel and No. 1 Resort](#) in Aruba, according to US News & World Report. This coveted recognition highlights Bucuti & Tara’s unwavering commitment to world-class hospitality, personalized service and eco-conscious luxury. As



the Caribbean's first and only carbon-neutral hotel, the resort offers a truly unrivaled guest experience in Aruba, blending serene beachfront elegance with award-winning sustainability practices.

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No. 1 Hotel in Aruba by Booking.com

Joining this awards news, Booking.com recently awarded Bucuti & Tara the highest rating among properties in Aruba. With a consistent year-over-year rating of 9.6 out of 10, the Booking.com Traveller Review Awards 2025 places Bucuti & Tara at the Exceptional level for guests seeking assurance in their travel choices.

These most recent awards are a reflection of the dedication that the resort's staff gives in providing guests with one of the world's most sought-after travel experiences. In late Jan., 15 staff members were for milestone anniversaries. Of the 142 staff members, 53 have been there five or more years and of those, 70% have celebrated 10 or more years at Bucuti & Tara.

To learn more, visit [Bucuti.com](https://www.bucuti.com).

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