

2016 Editorial Calendar

In each issue, Travel 50 & Beyond presents a themed package of stories.

WINTER THEME ISSUE: EMBRACING THE ARTS

Travel 50 & Beyond salutes visual and performing arts as well as film and television, graphic design, mixed media and more with these cultural escapes.

Up-and-Coming Arts Towns. You know New York and Santa Fe, NM, but what about hidden havens like Berea, KY; Ridgeland, MS; or Chautauqua, NY?

Garden Variety. Trade your afternoon walk among the flowers for these routes through innovative sculpture gardens. Size up bronze statuary on the National Mall in Washington, DC; celebrate the work of artist Charles Umlauf in Austin, TX; and commune with author Beverly Cleary's characters in Portland, OR.

Emerging Exhibits. These new (or newly expanded) spaces include the Audain Art Museum of Whistler, British Columbia; a 15,500-square-foot photography center at the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art; and added performance space for the Speed Art Museum of Louisville, KY.

The Old World Art Scene. This roundup highlights festivals and special exhibitions throughout Europe.

On Set. Tour Hobbiton (on New Zealand's North Island), King's Landing (actually Dubrovnik, Croatia) or the jungle backdrop of "Jurassic Park" (the equally verdant Hawaiian isles) on these getaways for movie buffs.

SPRING THEME ISSUE: A WORLD OF ADVENTURE

Try something new this season with one of these thrilling escapes.

Wandering the Wild West. Rodeos and dude ranches, ghost towns and Gold Rush country, the rough-riding history and enduring Native American cultures — these destinations make the most of their iconic backdrop.

> **Companion piece: Thrilling Western Train Trips.** *Railroads played a major role in opening the Western frontier. Forge your own way through the Rocky Mountains, forbidding desert and wide-open plains with these rides around the U.S. and Canada.*

A Scenic Centennial. The National Park Service celebrates 100 years of preservation in 2016, and you can survey its work on these outdoor escapes.

Once in a Lifetime Trips. Take the plunge and finally embark on that dream trip: a cruise around the Galapagos, an African safari and more.

SUMMER THEME ISSUE: GREAT AMERICAN ROAD TRIPS

You can pack the car or hire someone else to do the steering as you explore...

Florida Keys beaches

> Cap off a drive around the islands with a stay in Key West.

East Coast history

> Dive into the past at Mount Vernon, Gettysburg and more.

Dynamic Southeast

> From the mountains to the beaches in the Carolinas and Georgia

Midwestern delights

> Where the Mississippi River serves as your "road"

Rugged Texas

> Travel from the vineyards of the Hill Country to the craggy terrain of West Texas.

Southwestern canyon lands

> Explore Grand Canyon, Bryce Canyon and Zion national parks.

Pacific Northwest scenery

> Steer I-84 through Oregon's Columbia River Gorge, I-5 from Seattle and beyond.

The "mother road," Route 66

> Embrace the nostalgic charm and unique towns of this American icon.

FALL THEME ISSUE: SEASONAL HARVESTS

Travel 50 & Beyond's annual food and wine issue devours field-fresh goods around the country.

Farmers Market Towns. These spots go above and beyond for shoppers and diners.

Where to Wine. This "crush season" roundup seeks the best in sipping vacations.

Farm-to-Table Fare. Dig into these recipes collected from our favorite resort chefs to take advantage of locally sourced ingredients.

Retirement relocation feature. Harvest homes – moving into an agrihood.

IN EACH ISSUE:

Great American Escapes: Our photo feature highlights scenic destinations from coast to coast.

> **Winter:** Grant County, NM

> **Spring:** Into the Carolinas

> **Summer:** Northwest haunts [WA, OR or ID]

> **Fall:** mountain hideaways [CA, UT, CO or NV]

Road Trips: This handy drive planner explores regions that are ideal for retirement relocation.

> **Winter:** Northern Florida

> **Spring:** Nevada West

> **Summer:** North Carolina mountains

> **Fall:** Central Washington