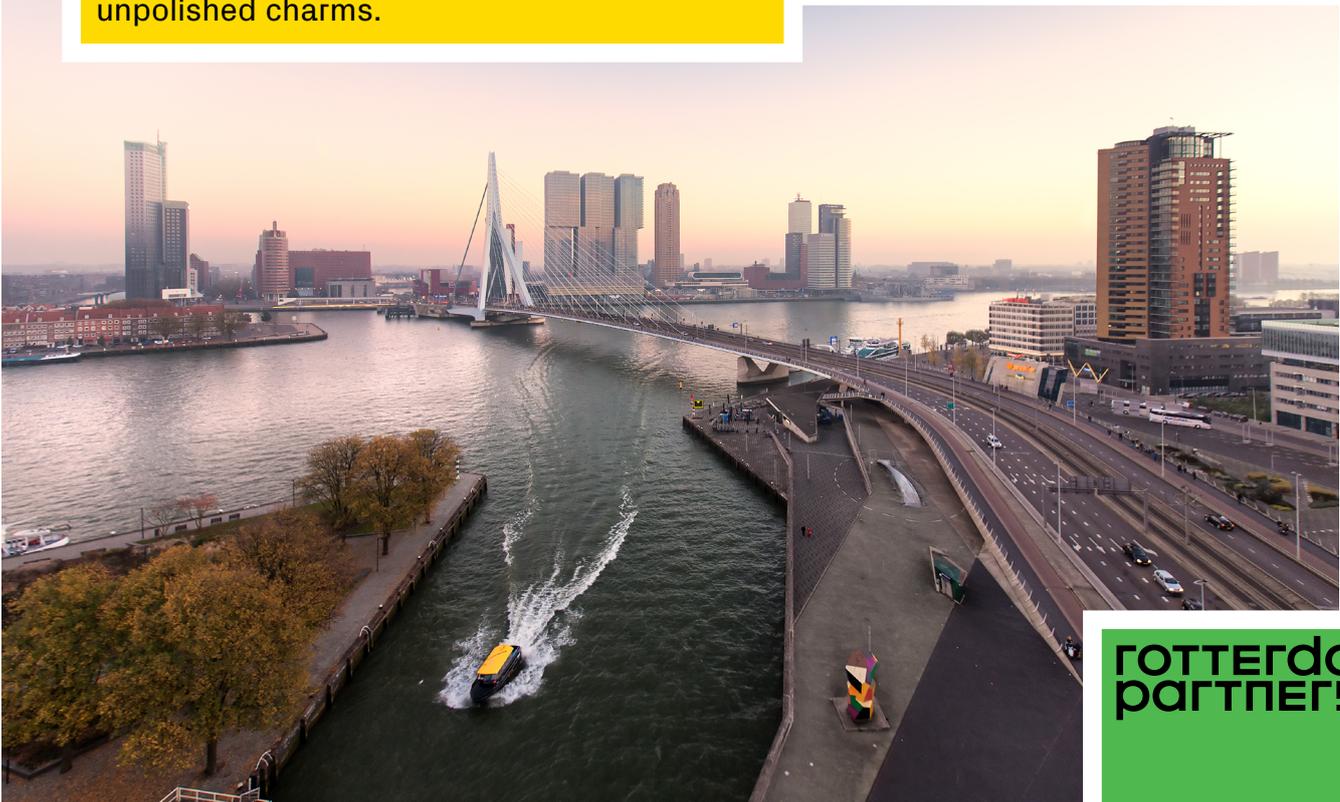


# Hotel factsheet Rotterdam

Rotterdam is a young, dynamic metropolis which keeps developing rapidly. Sparkling skyscrapers, an impressive port, hip restaurants and food markets, renowned museums, special attractions and awesome festivals are the direct result of the can do mentality of the people of Rotterdam. Rotterdam is considered the most modern city of the Netherlands. Atypical in its own country, internationally renowned for its passion for innovation and its unpolished charms.



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The hotel market in Rotterdam has lots to offer. From luxury hotel suites and long-stay apartments to cosy hostel dorms. In all, the city centre has 5,780 rooms while the region has 8,360 beds. Rotterdam has four five-star hotels, including the new Tribute Portfolio The Slaak which opens in November 2018. Its 22 four-star accommodations include nhow Rotterdam, citizenM and Inntel Hotels Rotterdam Centre. The city has also unique boutique hotels like Stroom, Quartier du Port and Suitehotel Pincoffs. There are 18 three star hotels, like The James and The Student Hotel. For the budget traveller, Rotterdam has 11 accommodations, including the hostels ROOM, Ani & Haakien and King Kong.

## Recently opened

### CityHub

The innovative hotel concept CityHub on the popular Witte de Withstraat does not offer rooms but sleeping units. Each Hub has a king size bed, with personalised light and Bluetooth music boxes. CityHub focuses on travel-savvy millennials, the lobby and bar is digital first and guests can pay with their personal wristband. In addition, travellers have exclusive access to the CityHub app with city information and the possibility to connect with other guests.

### The James

The new The James is a 3\* design hotel in the centre of Rotterdam. The hotel has 144 stylishly designed rooms and the front desk staff can give you the best tips for exploring the city. The self-service food market in the communal lounge is open 24/7.

### Room Mate Bruno

Pakhuismeesteren, a former tea warehouse on the Wilhelminapier, now houses the luxury boutique hotel Room Mate Bruno. The hotel has a breakfast-only restaurant and spacious lounge bar as well as various meeting rooms and 450 m<sup>2</sup> which can host multifunctional events..



## Upcoming

### The Slaak Rotterdam – opening November 2018

Autumn 2018 will see the opening of The Slaak Rotterdam in the Slaakhuys, a national monument and originally a printing works for a daily newspaper. A luxury boutique hotel which is part of Marriott International's Tribute Portfolio. The Slaak Rotterdam has 74 hotel rooms, a restaurant and a cocktail bar.

### Hotel Chicago – start construction end 2019

The new hotel Chicago, part of WestCord Hotels is opening on the Wilhelminapier. Hotel Chicago will consist of two five and eight storey buildings, connected by a 'floating' swimming pool. The hotel will have 182 rooms, including 18 long stay apartments. There will also be a roof terrace, wellness spa and a bakery.

### Ahoy hotel - opening 2020

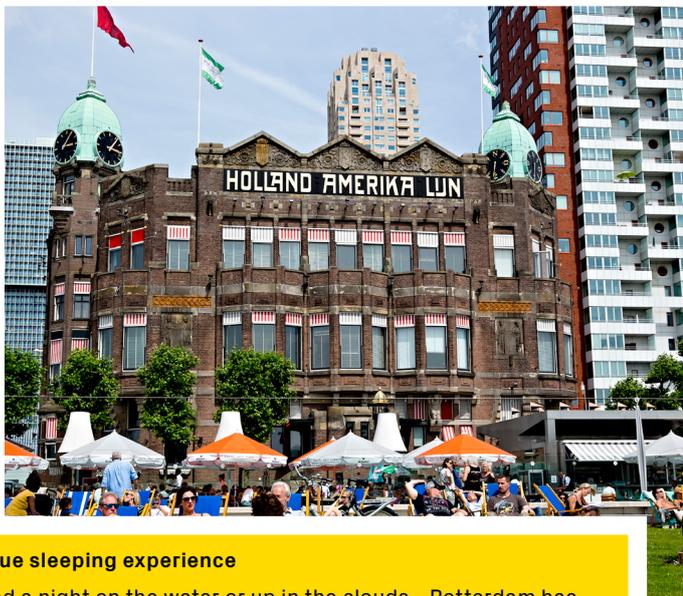
In 2020, the Rotterdam Ahoy Convention Centre and the RTM concert hall will be opening. This new venue will also house a hotel. With 250 rooms, the hotel will be able to host conference participants, VIPs, speakers and visitors.

### Sofitel Rijnhaven Rotterdam – expected opening end 2020

Next door to the new Bay House apartment complex in Rotterdam's Rijnhaven, a luxury lifestyle hotel is being built for Accor. This high-end hotel is part of Sofitel, a global chain comprising four and five star hotels. Sofitel Rotterdam will offer 200 hotel rooms and various bars and restaurants, from a rooftop and finger food bar to a signature restaurant and coffee & bakery corner.

### The Sax MVRDV - opening end 2022

The newest tower block on the Wilhelminapier will be De Sax, designed by Rotterdam-based architects MVRDV, whose work includes the famous De Markthal. De Sax consists of two 70 and 150 metre tall apartment blocks, which are connected by a vertical high-level walkway. Here a hotel with 150 rooms and a restaurant will be opening. At the top of the bridge, 80 metres high, there will be a terrace.



### Unique sleeping experience

Spend a night on the water or up in the clouds - Rotterdam has some unusual options. The Wikkelboat is a bed & breakfast in a tiny floating house made of cardboard located in the Wijnhaven. Or wake up 100 metres in the air in one of the suites at the top of the Euromast observation tower. Other special locations like the Cube houses, the ship ss Rotterdam and Hotel New York also offer unique sleeping experiences.

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