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## The Attitude Hotels Brand Moves Out Into the World! And now in german, as well.

**Zurich – August, 22<sup>nd</sup> 2008.** Founded this spring around a core of 25 hotels and resorts in 15 countries, mostly in Europe, Attitude Hotels has built an international reputation for its attention to quality and style in gay, lesbian or straight-friendly lodging. Now Attitude Hotels has taken it to the next level, moving beyond Europe to add properties farther afield, starting with six new establishments in the United States, Costa Rica, and Thailand. And the website is now available in German as well. Here is a rundown of the newest stars in the Attitude heavens.

### UNITED STATES

**Tortuga del Sol**, Palm Springs (from 179 USD nightly). South of Los Angeles in Southern California's gay-popular desert playground, you'll love the vibe of this queer-owned, mostly male resort.

**Chelsea Pines Inn**, Manhattan, New York City (from 150 USD). A charming townhouse inn that's been recently renovated, it's right in the homo heart of the Big Apple, the always exciting "capital of the world."

### COSTA RICA

**Colours Oasis Resort**, San José (from 59 USD). In a city that's the gateway to spectacular ecotourism and beaches but also offers plenty of Gay and Lesbian nightlife, dining, and other fun in its own right, this co-ed gay resort is stylish, intimate, and well located.

**Las Aguas Jungle Lodge** (from 57 USD). Not far from the beach on the unspoiled southern Pacific coast, this is one mountain jungle lodge that doesn't stint on the amenities.

**Hotel Cuna Del Ángel**, Dominical (from 80 USD) For a small, luxe and elegant boutique resort in the jungle, mixed but very gay-friendly, "the angel's cradle" is atmospheric, romantic, and includes lots of great amenities, such as a picture-perfect spa.

### THAILAND

**Karmakamet Aromatic Hotel**, Koh Samui island (from 160 EUR) Opening in mid-August, this serene, Zenlike hideaway on one of Thailand's most exclusive vacation isles is indeed aromatic – you get to choose a different scent every day for your room. Smells like heaven.

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Launched in March 2008, Zurich-based Attitude Hotels is a rapidly growing international hotel and resort brand that currently covers over 35 hotels, resorts and guesthouses in 17 countries in Europe, North America, and Asia. Its properties, ranging from budget to super-luxe, are chosen not just for their impeccable standards of hospitality but also their superior treatment of and amenities for gay and lesbian guests. Attitude members are a varied mix of gay/lesbian-friendly, gay/lesbian-popular, and gay/lesbian-only. For more information, log on to [www.attitudehotels.com](http://www.attitudehotels.com)