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America's Best Rooftop Bars

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More than a dozen top-notch hotel bars to linger in—before, after, and while the sun sets.



Courtesy The James Hotel

Jimmy, New York

For arty Manhattanites (and Gotham visitors who don't venture above 14th Street) this indoor/outdoor space, which opened atop the 18th floor of Soho's James Hotel in 2011, epitomizes creative cool. Lounges around the teak-decked pool offer stunning views of the historic Woolworth Building and the Brooklyn Bridge; artisanal ingredients infuse the cocktails. Small plates from in-house restaurant David Burke Kitchen are equally delicious. *15 Thompson St.; 212-201-9118; jimmysoho.com.* — *Adam Graham*