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24 hours in Los Angeles: what to do? Where to eat? Or sleep?

Last month, I planned a few days of romantic vacation in Palm Springs, California. When I booked our flight tickets, I quickly realized that the Montreal-Palm Springs flight was very limited. There is an airport in this colorful desert city located 2 hours from Los Angeles, but the easiest (and cheapest) way to get there is to land in Los Angeles and rent a car. and, as long as you're at LAX, why not enjoy it a little?

After a hearty lunch, we head to the hotel for a few hours of rest and enjoy the weather. In Los Angeles, it is (almost) always beautiful, and we take advantage of it! In the City of Angels, everything is within driving distance. But, at the very cool [London West Hollywood hotel](#) , you can walk to Santa Monica Boulevard, where restaurants, shops and trendy cafes follow one another (a favorite spot for the [Salt & Straw](#) ice cream shop located a short walk from the hotel) . An excellent compromise!



London West Hollywood

This boutique hotel is unique for several reasons: first of all, the two mascots are ... English bulldogs who live permanently in the hotel. [Winston and Churchill](#) welcome us to the lobby on arrival and we will see them for the (short) duration of our stay. It's original, let's face it, pretty *cute* , and what other hotel can boast of two adorable dogs among their staff?



I particularly liked the rooftop pool at London West Hollywood which offers incredible views of the popular "Hollywood Hills". Also, big plus: the breakfast is included with the night (it should always be, in my opinion!) And the rooms are huge and all have a nice balcony to enjoy the weather and the view ... without to have to leave the comfort of his hotel room! I just love it. Also, I knew that the [Restaurant Boxwood on the Roof](#) had just opened on the roof of the hotel, right next to the pool. We serve everything we want to eat when the mercury climbs: ice cream, a huge variety of sundaes, cocktails, salads and a "raw bar".

