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# It List 2021: Our Editors' Picks of the Best New Hotels in the World

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## Hew & Draw — Newfoundland, Canada



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In the western Newfoundland mill town of Corner Brook, the Hew & Draw Hotel takes its inspiration from Canada's logging industry. While that may not sound like an obvious design concept for a boutique hotel, the family owners (who themselves run a logging company) made it work by rebuilding a former Woolworths store from 1912 into a 36-room inn with a rustic, industrial vibe. There's plenty of natural wood, of course, from the hickory floors in the minimalist guest rooms to the Douglas fir furnishings in the taproom. The wallpapers, from Ontario-based designer Kate Golding, feature tuckamore trees, caribou, and other regional flora and fauna. And what else would loggers—or hotel guests—need after a busy day, whether you've been kayaking on the Bay of Islands or adventuring through the Blow Me Down Mountains? A soak in the hot tub on the rooftop patio, and a pint of Wild Bologna IPA from the on-site Boomstick Brewing Co. [hewanddraw.ca](http://hewanddraw.ca); doubles from \$136. — Carolyn B. Heller