





Clockwise from top left: Zoid, by LevenBetts, at the sculpture park Art Omi; rooms at the Maker are decorated with sumptuous fabrics and locally sourced antiques; home goods at Minna.



It's All Happening in Hudson

Or so say beauty entrepreneurs turned hoteliers Lev Glazman and Alina Roytberg, the owners of the town's most stylish new stay. BY JOHN WOGAN

> TWO HOURS NORTH of Manhattan, the town of Hudson continues its ascent as upstate New York's creative hub with this month's opening of the **Maker** (themaker.com; doubles from \$395). An 11-room hotel occupying a collection of renovated early-20th-century buildings, it's the culmination of a five-year labor of love by owners Lev Glazman and Alina Roytberg (who founded the skin-care line Fresh in 1991) and Damien Janowicz, their business partner. In 2016, the trio opened the beloved bakery and café Bartlett House, in the neighboring town of Ghent. With the Maker, the concept is rooted in the arts: the guest rooms celebrate cultural pursuits that range from literature to architecture and gardening, and the result is an eclectic mix that embodies the town's quirky spirit. It's also meant to be a meeting place for locals, with a restaurant, café, and lounge that spotlight the seasonal bounty produced by surrounding farms. Read on for Glazman and Roytberg's list of favorite spots in the town of Hudson and the surrounding valley.

BASILICA HUDSON

Lev Glazman: "A breathtaking multidisciplinary art space cofounded by musician Melissa Auf der Maur, Basilica offers unique and diverse programming that includes film, food, and music events." basilicahudson.org.

ART OMI

Alina Roytberg: "This nonprofit organization in Ghent incorporates artists' residencies, educational programs, and a year-round sculpture park that covers more than a hundred and twenty acres. It's one of the most incredible escapes in the areawe like to go and get lost in art and nature." artomi.org.

LG: "You'll find a great selection of restored and original home goods here, especially unique mid-century items such as credenzas and benches. Owners Michael Hofemann and Andrew Arrick just opened Finch Clubhouse across the street with a selection of Japanese contemporary menswear and a barbershop." finchhudson.com.

MINNA

AR: "This home décor store carries contemporary furnishings and personal accessories made by artisans from South America and Mexico, as well as ceramics from Sin, a pottery studio in Brooklyn." minna-goods.com.

CA'MEA

LG: "Many planning dinners for the Maker took place at this Italian restaurant on Warren Street, the town's main drag. I usually order the classic penne al pomodoro or linguini with shrimp and calamari."camea restaurant.com; entrées \$18-\$37.