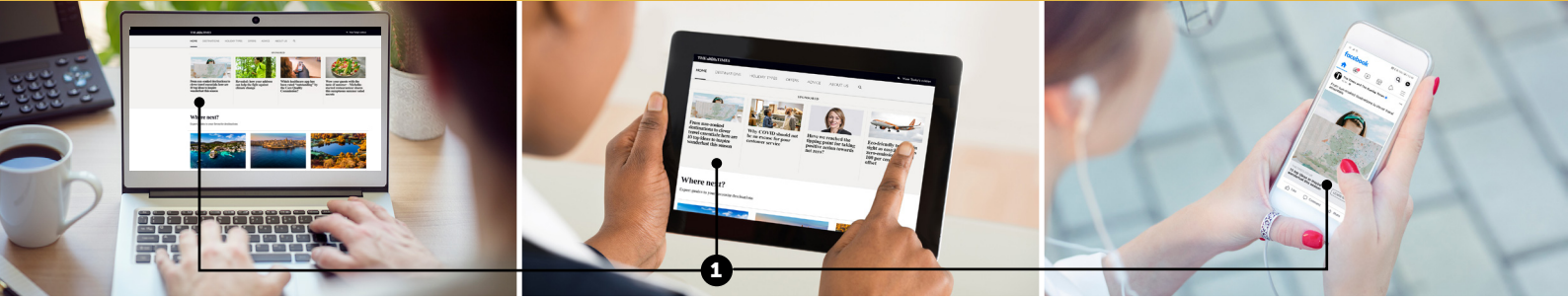


Travel: European City Breaks TOP 10 *checklist* ✓

GIVE IN TO YOUR WANDERLUST WITH 10 TOP BRANDS TO MAKE YOUR NEXT EUROPEAN CITY BREAK ONE TO REMEMBER
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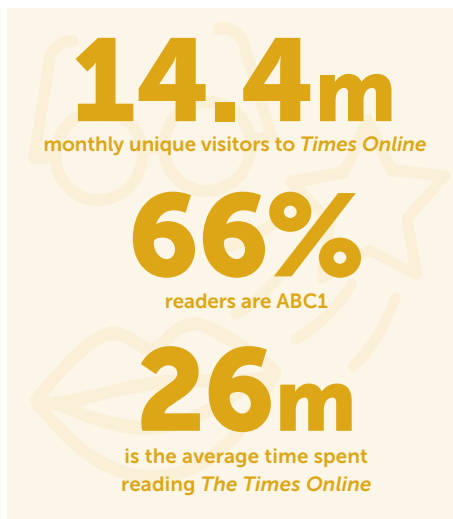
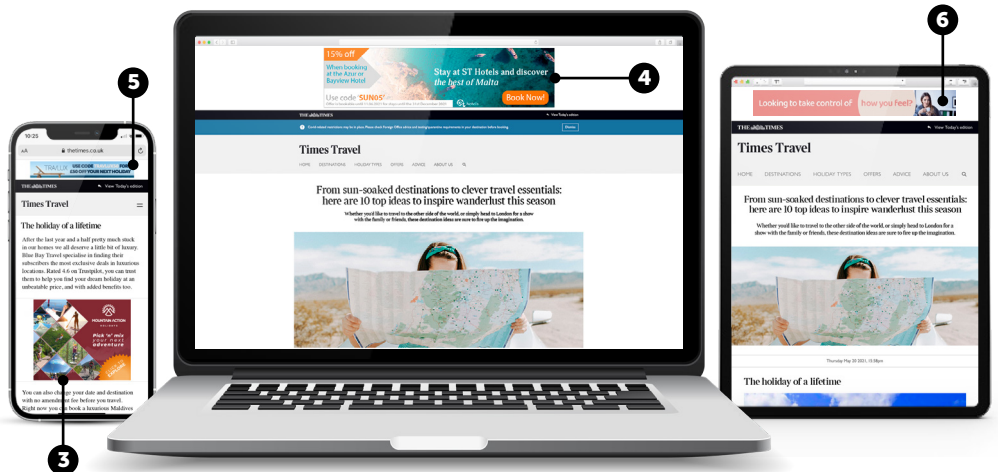
The Times Online reaches an audience of 9.5 million ABC1 readers across their digital platforms. Over half (51%) of these readers are influenced by news brands when planning a holiday. Travel: European City Breaks Top 10 Checklist therefore serves as the essential guide to help those looking for inspiration for their next urban trip in Europe.

Curated by an experienced team of *The Times Online* copywriters, Travel: European City Breaks Top 10 Checklist showcases a high-quality selection of 10 top highlights of European travel, ranging from destinations, hotels and resorts, tours, tourist attractions, museums and art galleries, restaurants, bars and more – this is the space to promote the best that European cities have to offer.

Travel: European City Breaks Top 10 Checklist is the perfect shop window for brands and organisations looking to benefit from *The Times Online's* robust editorial environment, a mass readership focused on family holidays and travel, and crucially the gravitas of being featured on one of the most popular news websites.

PARTICULARLY CONSIDERING

- 72% of *The Times* readers are looking forward to a holiday
- 35% of *The Times* readers are already researching their next holiday
- *The Times* readers have an average budget of £3,308 per person for their holidays



SPONSORED ARTICLE EXAMPLE

The Hague, Netherlands



This coastal city oozes culture. Perfect for a short break to rejuvenate body and soul, it has a world-class art offering. In fact, here you can spot The Big Five – five Dutch masters on permanent display.

An easy stroll takes in a host of incredible arts spaces. At Mauritshuis, Kunstmuseum Den Haag, Escher in The Palace and Museum Panorama Mesdag you can see works such as Vermeer's *Girl with a Pearl Earring*, Rembrandt's *Anatomy Lesson of Dr Nicolaes Tulp*, Mondrian's *Victory Boogie Woogie*, Escher's mind-bending *Belvedere* and the sweeping *Panorama of Scheveningen* by Hendrik Willem Mesdag.

Beyond art, the historic city centre, royal palaces and boutiques are waiting to be explored, as is a dynamic restaurant scene, from world flavours to fine French dining. All this and a walk on the beach just minutes away.

The Hague is easy to reach from Amsterdam Airport Schiphol with direct trains taking 30 minutes. Or get there by train from London St Pancras.

See why *The Hague* is a must-visit destination for art lovers at denhaag.com

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Sponsored article and banner package £12,000

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Video upgrade £1,000

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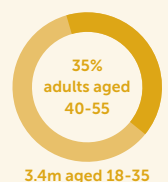
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- Available nationwide

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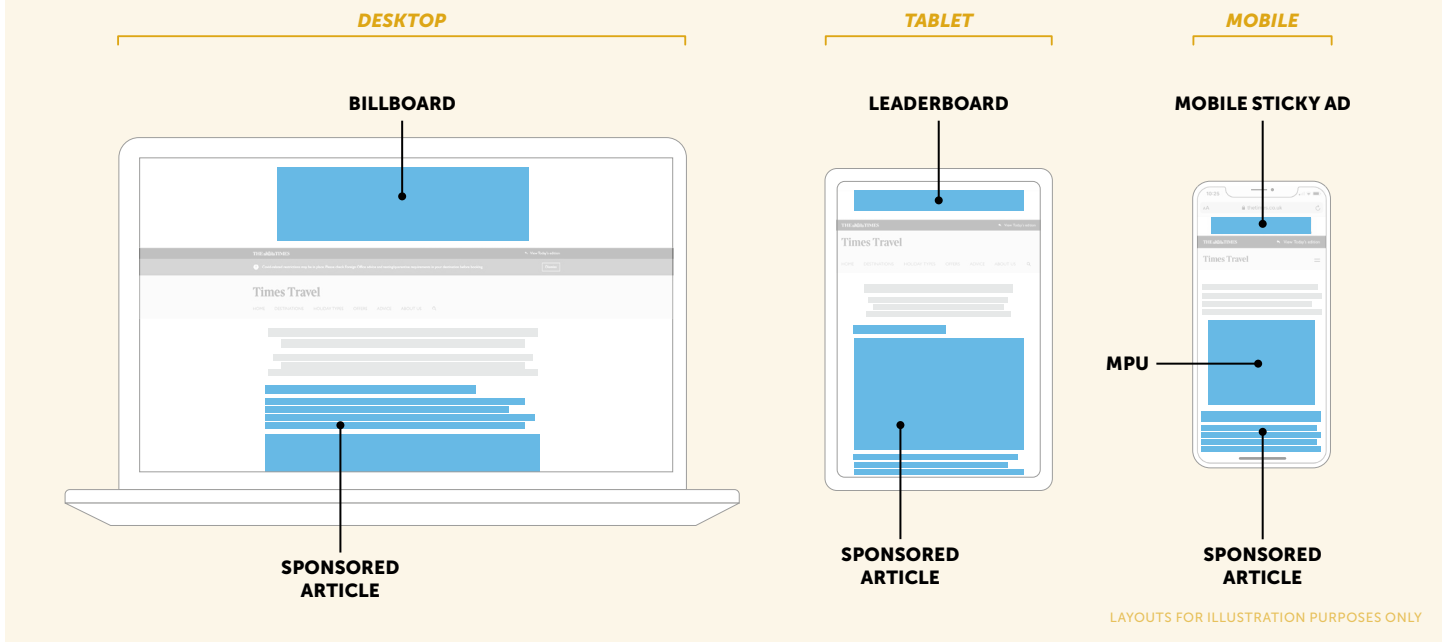


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SPONSORED ARTICLE SPECS

COPY SPECIFICATION

- **Word count:** 150 words
- **Headline:** Written by *Times Online*
- **Contact information:** Your website

IMAGE SPECIFICATION

- **Image size:** 1000px (w) x 667px (h)
- **Format:** RGB JPEG or PNG
- **Resolution:** 72 dpi

Images should be high quality lifestyle photographs promoting your product or service. In case of a video upgrade, that should be supplied as a *Vimeo* link or MP4 file.

DISPLAY AD SPECS

BILLBOARD

- Displays on desktop only
- **Size:** 970px (w) x 250px (h)

LEADERBOARD

- Displays on tablet only
- **Size:** 728px (w) x 90px (h)

MOBILE STICKY AD

- Displays on mobile only
- **Size:** 320px (w) x 50px (h)

MPU (MID PAGE UNIT)

- Displays on mobile only
- **Size:** 300px (w) x 250px (h)

SUPPLYING CONTENT

PLEASE NOTE: The full content specification and artwork deadline will be given after booking.
Your content can be emailed to production@hurstmediacompany.co.uk

CREATION, PROOFING & APPROVAL

CREATION PROCESS

- After receiving your content, Hurst Media Company will review and forward to *Times Online*.
- Copy for advertorial features will be subedited by *Times Online's* editorial team to meet their house style.

PROOFING & APPROVAL PROCESS

- Hurst Media Company will supply a proof to you.
- After sending a proof, we require either your approval to publish the article or any factual copy corrections.
- If you have any copy changes, you have the option of two rounds of corrections before final approval is required.
- Please ensure any amendments are clear and concise.
- Approval is required within 48 hours unless advised otherwise.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

- Travel Top 10 Checklist is advertorial content compiled by Checklist who takes sole responsibility for the content, but is published on *Times Online*.
- All bookings are made subject to our Terms & Conditions of advertising, which are available [here](#).
- We reserve the right to convert images to meet the technical specification if they are not supplied as such.
- Image use and copy are subject to *Times Online's* editorial discretion.
- Ads must adhere to the Advertising Standards Authority's (ASA) UK Code of Non-broadcast Advertising and Direct & Promotional Marketing (CAP Code), which can be read [here](#).

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