

Ireland in Top 10 Most Sought-After Destinations for 2017



Secluded beach house one hour from Dublin

It's official! The Irish love holidaying on home ground! Ireland is one of the Top Ten Most Sought-After Destinations for 2017 by Irish HomeExchangers coming 6th, ahead of Greece, Canada and Australia (which doesn't make the top ten). France takes the top slot, followed by Italy, the USA, Spain and the UK.

Any of these on your wish list too? Then check out these fabulous properties in the top ten most soughtafter destinations by Irish HomeExchangers. There's no accommodation costs, and you get to experience your destination like a local. Just list your home with pictures and a description, find a property you'd like to stay in and start negotiating an exchange!

1. France



Magical **Côte d'Azur** Luxury villa with stunning sea views, swimming pool with electric cover and all around spacious garden terraces, perfect for enjoying the amazing view and a glass of chilled white wine!

2. Italy



Traditional character **home** with lots of charm and stunning sea views of the Amalfi coast. A day excursion from Capri, Pompeii, Ercolano and Naples with shops, restaurants and bars moments away.

3. USA



Unique **<u>coastal home</u>** with modern "zen feel", steps from the beach and with lovely ocean views and just half an hour from San Francisco. Chill out on the deck or let your worries melt away at the nearby beach and tide pools.



Spacious south facing oceanview villa in Mallorca with sun all day and stunning ocean views. Within walking distance of the beach and golf course and year close to the medieaval town of Alcuda

4. Spain

5. UK



Stunning contemporary home set in almost seven acres with lots of inside and outside space with uninterrupted views of Scotland's famous Loch Lomond and mountain views.

6. Ireland



Totally secluded <u>beach house</u> just 50m from the shore with private beach, and large, airy living space opening out to outdoor decking and balconys, just one hour from Dublin.

7. Greece



Three bed **traditional villa** with amazing views of the Acropolis of Lindos on the Greek island of Rhodes. Perfect location close to beaches, restaurants, shops and bars.

8. Germany



Spacious <u>country house</u> with beautiful garden and situated at the edge of a large wood. Great for hiking, bird watching, and collecting berries and only 30 minutes from the famous City of Heidelberg.

9. Iceland



5 bed family **home** on the beautiful Seltjarnarnes peninsula with wonderful views over the bay and mountains beyond. 5 minutes from downtown Revkiavik with its' many excellent restaurants.

10. Canada



Spectacular **mountain home** only 45 minutes from Vancouver, with the ocean, beach and car ferry just a ten minute walk away. Get up close to nature from the deck with views from every room in the house.

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