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South Korea's capital pulses with nonstop energy.

TEMPLES RUB SHOULDERS with skyscrapers in this city that truly never sleeps. STYLISH STAY Unpack at RYSE, a boutique hotel channeling the Hongdae district's buzzy, bohemian vibes. It boasts stellar design—pink resin floors, plush velvet touches—plus retail, dining, an underground skate park and a rooftop vinyl and cocktail bar.

SHOP TALK After stocking up on K-Beauty products in Myeongdong—at stores such as Innisfree and Åland—wander Garosu-gil's tree-lined promenades, filled with artists' shops and open studios.

INSTAGRAM-WORTHY STOPS Check out Common Ground, a former shipping container that now houses pop-up boutiques and food trucks. Then snap a shot among a sea of millennial pink at Korean fashion brand Stylenanda's hotel-themed flagship. — MADELINE NACHBAR

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Geo-T track jacket (\$198) and wide-leg track pants (\$158) by Tory Sport. torysport.com ② Wind Wind sunglasses by Gentle Monster, \$260. gentlemonster.com ③ Clean It Zero Cleansing Balm Original by Banila Co., \$19. banilausa.com ④ Lipdraw matte lipstick in modern beige by Banila Co., \$10. banilausa.com ⑤ Shake & Shot rubber soothing mask by Dr. Jart+, \$12. us.drjart.com ⑥ Tech fabric bag by Ganni, \$115. ganni.com ⑦ R Trunk Lite suitcase in ivory by Rawrow, \$249. en.rawrow.com ⑧ ZZN Pony Shooter sneaker by Pony, \$49.58. spris.co.kr