

# NYC's 20 best rooftop bars for cooler weather

NYC's best fall rooftop spots have retractable roofs, warming cocktails and fireplaces.

Some might assume that sky-high imbibing is a spring and summertime affair, but it's always [rooftop season](#) in NYC. Even during rain, wind and lower temperatures, we simply swap the sunshine and [frozen drinks](#) for [fireplaces](#) and [hot cocktails](#) while still soaking up the [skyline view](#). So grab a sweater and set your sights on the stars at the best cooler weather rooftops in NYC this fall.



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## 7. Ophelia

Bars

Cocktail bars

Midtown East

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Ophelia's Art Deco design is stylish all year 'round, and it's also been known to [transform](#) into a "snowglobe in the sky" a little later in the season. We're keeping an eye on this year's developments over classic martinis and riffs on old favorites.

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