The best travel movies of all time

Movie theaters around the world have closed amid the coronavirus outbreak. Fortunately,

there's never been a better time to catch up on classic oldies and cherished favorites. Below,

read our picks for best travel movies:

'Grand Budapest Hotel' (2014)

Budapest 布达佩斯

It's one of the most satisfying films of director Wes Anderson's *oeuvre*. Set in a luxury ski

resort in the fictional East European Republic of Zubrowka in the 1930s, the plot is anchored by a

murder investigation peppered with stolen art, prison escapes and a secret concierge society.

oeuvre 全部作品

anchor 固定;锚;新闻主播

Though the hotel doesn't actually exist, much of the film was shot in the beautiful German

town of Goerlitz, famed for its medieval streets.

'Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone' (2001)

When Harry Potter runs through a *column* at King's Cross railway station in London to get to

Platform 9 3/4, we know it isn't real. And yet we want to visit.

column 列; 专栏; 圆柱

robe 长袍;礼服

The movie's locations are inspired by real places, as graduates of English private schools will

tell you: Black *robes* for formal hall dinners, darting down narrow old streets to visit tea houses

and sandwich shops, discovering books that are hundreds of years old.

'Roman Holiday' (1953)

Equal parts bittersweet and *enchanting*, 1953 *fairy tale* "Roman Holiday" features a doe-eyed princess (Audrey Hepburn) and a dashing newspaperman (Gregory Peck) in a romantic caper that has them strolling the Spanish Steps and ripping through the streets of Rome on a Vespa.

enchanting 迷人的; 妩媚的 fairy 虚构的; 仙女; 小精灵

tale 故事;传说

In a time when those streets are *eerily* quiet, the film might serve as a reminder that they will eventually spring to life again.

eerily 怪诞的;可怕的