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these beauty products and treatments will make you an international beauty star—without packing your bags.

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### raising brows

When I traveled to India last year, I was introduced to threading, Southeast Asia's secret to beautifully sculpted brows. Little did I know, eyebrow threading is a service now offered at spas in New York City. I made an appointment at Shobha Spa in Soho to get more information on the service and, of course, experience it for myself. According to Jennifer Pesce, Shobha's marketing associate, the thread works as a mini lasso, specifically pinpointing and removing the stray hairs. Aside from the process being painless and efficient, the string acts a linear focal point, creating precise definition of the brow. "We strive for symmetry—that's our philosophy," Pesce says. All in all, it took about five minutes to reshape my brows and even the shortest hard-to-pluck hairs in my arch were gone. Truly an eye-opening experience!

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