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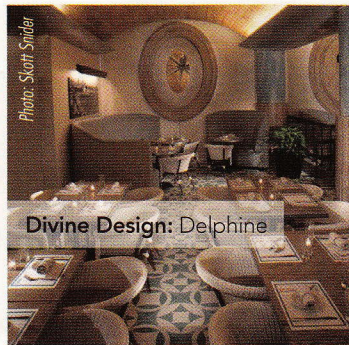
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THE HAUTE LIST —KELVIN SEAH

GENLUX SETS OUT IN SEARCH OF ESTABLISHMENTS THAT PROVIDE GREAT FOOD AND GREAT SERVICE IN A GLAMOROUS ENVIRONMENT. HERE, WE PRESENT OUR LIST OF LA'S TOP RESTAURANTS.



Sexiest Restaurant: Sur



Divine Design: Delphine



Best Mexican Food: Red O



Our favorite Italian: Il Forno Caldo



Best Hotel Dining: Culina

CRUSTACEAN

Chef Helen An (or Ma-ma, as she's affectionately referred to by staff) continues to serve superb dishes reflecting her Vietnamese-French history at this fabled location. 9646 Little Santa Monica Blvd, Beverly Hills, 310-205-8990

CULINA

The Four Seasons, Chef Vic Casanova, a divine combination...enough said! Four Seasons, 300 S. Doheny Drive, LA, 310-860-4000

DELPHINE

Chef Sascha Lyon works magic with seafood. Check out the organic kale salad with Soledad goat cheese, crisp pita with citrus dressing. W Hotel, 6250 Hollywood Blvd., LA, 323-798-1355

FIG & OLIVE

Luxe Mediterranean dining in an open, airy atrium. Strategically tucked away at the end of a slew of luxury-label stores, it boasts more than twenty deluxe varieties of olive oils. 8490 Melrose Place, LA, 310-360-9100

IL FORNO CALDO

Solid Italian food and an eye-popping wine list make this tucked-away spot a Genlux favorite. 9705 S. Santa Monica Blvd., Beverly Hills, 310-777-0040

LEXINGTON SOCIAL HOUSE

The crowd swells on Fridays and Saturdays. The ambience encourages fine dining in a relaxed mode. 1718 Vine Street, LA, 323-461-1700

MARIPOSA

You can shop till you drop on the upper decks, but no matter how many times you've been to Mariposa, there's simply no resisting lunch amid the Birkin-clutching crowd. Neiman Marcus, 9700 Wilshire Blvd, Beverly Hills, 310-550-5900

MORTON'S THE STEAKHOUSE

Morton's continues to be the go-to place for red meat, serving up cuts of exclusive prime beef. 435 S. La Cienega Blvd, LA, 310-246-1501

NINETHIRTY

We gulped down the very exhilarating NineThirty Mojito...it was beyond! W Hotel, 930 Hilgard Avenue, LA, 310-443-8216

PHILIPPE CHOW

Luxury-priced Chinese food amid modern Louis XIV furnishings. 8284 Melrose Avenue, LA, 323-951-1100

RED O

High-end fundidos, taquitos, and enchiladas designed by Chef Rick Bayless...oh, and 75 varieties of tequila. 8155 Melrose Avenue, LA, 323-655-5009

ROSÉ

Rosé invites you to glamorously come feast, frolic, sip, and play. 861 N. La Cienega, LA, 646-270-0136

ROCKSUGAR

A fusion of various Asiatic regions, the cuisine is Indonesian and Malaysian and Thai and... Westfield Century City, 10250 Santa Monica Blvd, LA, 310-552-9988

SUPPERCLUB, LOS ANGELES

With outlets in Amsterdam and London, a four-course dinner is served with unique entertainment. 6675 Hollywood Blvd, Hollywood, 323-466-1900

SUR

Sexy sums it up. An amalgam of French and Argentinian cuisine. 606 N. Robertson Blvd, West Hollywood, 310-289-2824

TIATO

The An family strikes again. This time in Santa Monica with healthy, delectable Vietnamese dishes served with West Coast panache. 2700 Colorado Ave, Santa Monica, 310-866-5228

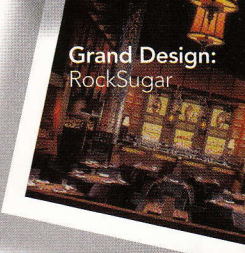
VAMPIRE LOUNGE & TASTING LOUNGE

Looking for a great spot for drinks (only) in Beverly Hills? Try the Vampire Lounge. 9865 S. Santa Monica Blvd, Beverly Hills, 310-826-7473

Best Mojito: NineThirty



Drink up: Rosé



Grand Design: RockSugar

Meet for drinks: Vampire Lounge & Tasting Room

Cool crowd: Lexington Social House

Best Steak Place: Morton's The Steakhouse

An Again: Tiato