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# MIAMI

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## TRANSPORTATION

- 1. Amtrak Miami** ([www.amtrak.com](http://www.amtrak.com)) - Your Connection to more than 500 stations in 47 States. Information and train schedules call 1-800-USA-Rail, 800 N Alameda St, 8303 Northwest 37th Avenue, 305-835-1221, B-3
- 2. Bike and Roll** ([bikeandroll.com](http://bikeandroll.com)) - Bike Rental Includes: Helmet, Lock and Map, M-F: 9-5, Sa,Su: 9-7, 210 10th St & 401 Biscayne Boulevard, 866-736-8224, H-7, F-8
- 3. Miami - Dade County Transit** ([miamidade.gov/transit](http://miamidade.gov/transit)) - For Bus and Rail Transit Info Visit this website or call 305-891-3131

## POINTS OF INTEREST

- 4. Adrienne Arsht Center** ([arshcenter.org](http://arshcenter.org)) - Mission is to Enlighten, Educate and Entertain the Miami Community Through Transformational Art and Cultural Experiences, 1300 N Biscayne Blvd, 786-468-2000, F-7
- 5. Art Deco Walking Tour** ([mdpl.org](http://mdpl.org)) - The Miami Design Preservation League Coordinates a 90-minute Guided Walking Tour of the Historic District, Tu,W,F,Sa,Su: 10:30, Th: 6:30 PM, 1001 Ocean Dr, Miami Beach, 305-531-3484, I-7
- 6. Bass Museum of Art** ([bassmuseum.org](http://bassmuseum.org)) - Exhibitions of Cutting-Edge Contemporary Art, 19th Century Tapestries, W-Su: 12-5, 2100 Collins Ave, Miami Beach, 305-673-7530, I-6
- 7. Everglades Alligator Farm & Airboat Ride** ([everglades.com](http://everglades.com)) - Family Attraction Features an Airboat Tour that Showcases Alligators, Crocs, Snakes and More, Daily: 9-5:30, 40351 SW 192nd Ave, Homestead, 305-247-2628, A-12
- 8. Frost Art Museum @ FIU** ([thefrost.fiu.edu](http://thefrost.fiu.edu)) - Resource for Scholarly Research and Interdisciplinary Collaboration, Special Exhibits, Tu-Su: 10-5, Su: 12-5, 10975 SW 17th St, 305-348-2890, A-9
- 9. History Miami** ([historymiami.org](http://historymiami.org)) - 10,000 Years of History, Seminole Indian Homes, One Million Photos, 1920's Trolley, Tu-F: 10-5, Sa,Su: 12-5, 101 W Flagler St, 305-375-1492, E-8
- 10. Jewish Museum of Florida** ([jewishmuseum.com](http://jewishmuseum.com)) - Located in 2 Former Synagogues, Features Include Historical Exhibits, 80 Stained Glass Windows, Mosaic Exhibit, Research Center, Daily: 10-5, 301 Washington Ave, Miami Beach, 305-672-5044, H-8
- 11. Jungle Island** ([jungleisland.com](http://jungleisland.com)) - Lush, Tropical Jungle with Birds, Monkeys and Rare Creatures, Daily: 10-6, 1111 Parrott Jungle Trail, 305-400-7000, F-7
- 12. Lowe Art Museum** ([lowemuseum.org](http://lowemuseum.org)) - 5,000 Yrs of World Art From Classic to Contemporary, Glass & Studio Arts, Tu-Sa: 10-4, Su: 12-4, 1301 Starford Dr, Coral Gables, 305-284-3535, A-11
- 13. Margulies Collection at the Warehouse, The** ([margulieswarehouse.com](http://margulieswarehouse.com)) - An Extensive Collection of Contemporary and Vintage Photography, Video, Sculpture and Installation, Nov 10 to April 30, W-Sa: 11-4, 591 NW 27th St, 305-576-1051, E-6
- 14. Miami Art Museum** ([miamiartmuseum.org](http://miamiartmuseum.org)) - World-Class Exhibitions Brings Together Different Cultural Traditions, Tu-F: 10-5, Sa,Su: 12-5, 101 W Flagler St, 305-375-3000, E-8
- 15. Miami Children's Museum** ([miamichildrensmuseum.org](http://miamichildrensmuseum.org)) - Fun-Filled Interactive Environment with Hundreds of Things for Kids To Do, Daily: 10-6, 980 MacArthur Causeway, 305-373-KIDS, F-7
- 16. Miami Seaquarium** ([miamiseaquarium.com](http://miamiseaquarium.com)) - Exciting Shows, Great Exhibits and Educational Presentation, Daily: 9:30-6, 4400 Rickenbacker Causeway, 305-361-5705, G-10
- 17. Miami Science Museum** ([miamisci.org](http://miamisci.org)) - Interactive Exhibits, Laser Music Shows, Wildlife Rehab Center, Planetarium, Daily: 10-6, 3280 S Miami Ave, 305-646-4200, D-9
- 18. Museum of Contemporary Art/North Miami** ([mocanomi.org](http://mocanomi.org)) - The Museum "Where Art is Discovered", Internationally Recognized In Defining New Trends & Directions in Contemporary Art, Tu, Th, F, Sa: 11-5, W: 1-9, Su: 12-5, John Lehman Bldg, 770 NE 125th St, North Miami, 305-893-6211, D-1

- 19. Museum of Discovery and Science (mods.org)** - Hang out with Bats, Turtles and Sharks or Take a Ride to Mars or Jump in a F-18 Cockpit, M-Sa: 10-5, Su: 12-6, 401 SW 2nd St, Ft Lauderdale, 954-467-6637, E-1
- 20. Rubell Family Collection/Contemporary Arts Foundation** ([rfe.museum.com](http://rfe.museum.com)) - 45,000 Square Foot Space in a Former Drug Enforcement Agency, Was Created to Expand the Collections Public Mission Inside the Paradigm of a Contemporary Art Museum, Dec 1 to Aug 26: W-Sa: 10-6, 95 NW 29th St, 305-573-6090, E-6
- 21. Vizcaya Museum and Gardens** ([vizcayamuseum.org](http://vizcayamuseum.org)) - Gardens are a Subtropical Forest, The House is Filled with World Treasures, Built During America's Gilded Age, Daily: 9:30-4:30, 3251 S Miami Ave, 305-250-9133, D-10
- 22. Wolfsonian-FIU Museum, The** ([wolfsonian.org](http://wolfsonian.org)) - Modern Art and Design From Mid-19th to Mid-20th Centuries, Vast Collection Explores the Active Roll of Design, Th,F: 12-5, Sa-Tu: 12-6, 1001 Washington Ave, Miami Beach, 305-531-1001, H-7
- 23. World Erotic Art Museum** ([weam.com](http://weam.com)) - Largest Collection of Fine Erotic Art in America, M-Th: 11-10, F, Sa, Su: 11 to Midnight, 1201 Washington Ave, Miami Beach, 305-532-9336, H-7

## RESTAURANTS

The following restaurants have been carefully chosen to represent the best of Miami's cuisine. Our listing includes the website and the ratings are a compilation of local and national critics, chefs, and notable foodies. We always suggest making a reservation but if your plans change be sure to cancel it.

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| ★ Good                  | \$ Nominal       |
| ★★ Very Good            | \$\$ Moderate    |
| ★★★ Excellent           | \$\$\$ Expensive |
| ★★★★ OTT (Over The Top) | \$\$\$\$ OTT     |

- 24. 1500 Degrees** ([1500degreesmiami.com](http://1500degreesmiami.com)) - ★★★★★ "Creative, Vibrant Cuisine", Jumbo Lump Crab Fritters with Cilantro Slaw, Whole Fried Yellow Tailed Snapper with Bok Choy, Rotisserie Chicken with Rice, Chorizo, Balck Bean Puree, L & D: Daily, Eden Roc, 4525 Collins Ave, Miami Beach, 305-674-5594, I-5
- 25. Abokado** ([abokadosushi.com](http://abokadosushi.com)) - -- "Loved the Fusion Mix Between Japanese and Latin", Deep Fried Sea Bass Dumplings with Chili Garlic Sauce, Spicy Crab Mix and Chorizo Stuffed Calamari, Skirt Steak and Chimichurri, L & D: Daily, 900 S Miami Ave, #133, 305-347-3700, F-8
- 26. Altamer Restaurant** ([altamerrestaurant.com](http://altamerrestaurant.com)) - ★★★★★ "Food, Service and Value was Great", Beef Liver Pate with Foie Gras, Tomato and Onion Chutney, Seafood Pot with Local Fish, Braised Short Rib with Swiss Chard, Mozzarella and Tomato, D: Nightly, 1233 Lincoln Rd, Miami Beach, 305-532-3061, H-7
- 27. Area 31** ([area31restaurant.com](http://area31restaurant.com)) - "Flavors are Clean and Sophisticated", Chorizo-Potato Croquettes, Mackerel Ceviche, Sirlon Strip with Peppered Polenta and Braised Greens, L & D: Daily, 270 Biscayne Bay Way, 16th Fl, at Epic Hotel, 305-424-5234, F-8
- 28. Azul** ([mandarinorientalmiami.com](http://mandarinorientalmiami.com)) - "Beautiful Setting and Great Wine List", Seafood Platter, Grilled Quail Salad with Egg, Grilled Lamb with Harissa and Smoked Eggplant, D: Nightly, 500 Brickell Key Dr, 305-913-8254, F-8
- 29. Bin No 18** ([bin18miami.com](http://bin18miami.com)) - "Pared Down but Elegant", Chipotle Lentil Soup, Open Face Ciabatta with Pulled Pork, Onions, Pickles and Swiss Cheese, Bolognese with Boiled Egg and Cheese, L: M-F, D: Nightly, 1800 Biscayne Blvd, 786-235-7575, F-7
- 30. Casa Juancho** ([casajuancho.com](http://casajuancho.com)) - "Live Music, Great Food", Black Cod with Sweet Onions, Red Snapper with Garlic Vinegar Sauce, Grilled Prime Beef with Roasted Peppers, L & D: Daily, 2436 SW 8th St, 305-642-2452, C-8
- 31. Christy's** ([christysrestaurant.com](http://christysrestaurant.com)) - "Excellent Steak & Fish, Great Caesar Salad", Crab Cakes with Grilled Tomato, Seared Snapper Filet with Spinach, Aged Beef Your Way, Prime Rib, L & D: Daily, 3101 Ponce de Leon Blvd, 305-446-1400, B-9
- 32. Cvi Che 105** ([cevche105.com](http://cevche105.com)) - "Super Good Food and Friendly Service", Marinated Seafood Swimming in Tiger Milk, Tiradito Slice of Fish Marinated in Lemon and Yellow Pepper Cream, Ceviche in Peruvian Pisco, D: Nightly, 105 NE 3rd Ave, 305-577-3454, F-8
- 33. Delicias de Espana** ([deliciasdeespana.com](http://deliciasdeespana.com)) - ★★★★★ "Delicious, Authentic Spanish Cuisine", Seafood and Ham Soup, Octopus Sautéed in Garlic, Mixed Grill, B,L,D: Daily, 7384 SW 40th St, 305-266-5529, A-10
- 34. El Carajo International Tapas & Wine** ([elcarajointernationaltapasandwine.com](http://elcarajointernationaltapasandwine.com)) - "This Citgo Station Has Great Food and Wine", Hot Tapas Platter with Ham, Sausage and Cheese, Piquillo Peppers Stuffed with Codfish and Sausage in Spanish Cider Sauce, L & D: Daily, 2465 SW 17th Ave, 305-856-2424, D-9
- 35. Gibraltar** ([groveisle.com](http://groveisle.com)) - "Food Was Very, Very Good, Terrific Ambiance", Lump Crabmeat Crab Cake with Lobster Sauce, Sea Scallop with Black Taglione, Double Lamb Chop with Tabbouleh, B, L, D: Daily, 4 Grove Isle Dr, 305-857-5007, D-10
- 36. Gigi** ([giginow.com](http://giginow.com)) - "Hiptomatic and Fresh", ★★★★★ BBQ Ribs with Pickled Chilis and Cilantro, Shiitake Mushroom Buns with Sticky, Icky Sauce, Tempura Fried Eggplant with Spicy Aioli, L & D: Daily, 3470 N Miami Ave, 305-573-1520, E-6
- 37. Grass Restaurant and Lounge** ([grasslounge.com](http://grasslounge.com)) - "Fun Atmosphere and Great Drinks", Greek Style Mezze, Artichoke Hearts Stuffed with Goat Cheese and Topped with Sun Dried Tomatoes and Pine Nuts, Shrimp and Scallop Red Thai Curry, D: Nightly, 12 NE 40th St, 305-573-3355, E-6
- 38. Hakkasen** ([hakkasan.com](http://hakkasan.com)) - "Delicious, Inventive and Light Chinese Food", Peking Duck with Osetra Caviar, Wok Fried Crab Claw with Ginger and Spring Onion, Stir Fry Ostrich in Yellow Bean Spicy Sauce, L: Sa,Su, D: Nightly, Fontainebleu Resort, 4441 Collins Ave, Miami Beach, 786-276-1388, I-5
- 39. Ideas Restaurant** ([ideasrestaurant.com](http://ideasrestaurant.com)) - "This Is An Amazing Find", Octopus Potato Salad, Paella Valenciana, Flamenco Show on Friday and Saturday, L: M-F, D: M-Sa, 2833 Bird Ave, Coconut Grove, 305-567-9074, C-10
- 40. Il Gabbiano** ([ilgabbiano.com](http://ilgabbiano.com)) - "Great Quality, Superb Service", Veal Chop Stuffed with Foie Gras, Fontina & Prosciutto, Chicken and Sausage Sautéed with Garlic and Wine, Scampi Fra Diavolo, L: M-F, D: M-Sa, 335 S Biscayne Blvd, 305-373-0063, F-8
- 41. La Cofradia** ([lacofradia.com](http://lacofradia.com)) - "Best Fusion Cuisine Ever", Seafood Fried Rice, Shrimp Black Lasagna with Leeks, Creamy Shredded Chicken with Peruvian Pepper Sauce, Pecans and Olives, 160 Andalusia Ave, Coral Gables, 305-914-1300, B-9
- 42. La Riviera Restaurant** ([larivieramiami.com](http://larivieramiami.com)) - ★★★★★ "French Cuisine & Mediterranean Flavors Unite", Foie Gras with Wine Poached Pears, Veal Tenderloin with Polenta and Mushroom Ragout, Sea Scallops with Saffron Risotto & Pepper Coulis, B,L,D: Daily, Sofitel Hotel, 5800 Blue Lagoon Dr, 305-264-4888, A-7
- 43. Las Culebrinas** ([culebrinas.com](http://culebrinas.com)) - "Nice Flavors and Great Staff", Top Sirloin Steak Stuffed with Cassava, Pork, Beans and Plantains, Skirt Steak with Chimichurri, Potatoes & Salad, Pork Chops with Beans and Cassava, L & D: Daily, 2890 SW 27th Ave, Coconut Grove, 305-448-4090, C-10
- 44. Las Tapas de Rosa** ([no website](http://no website)) - "Quaint, Authentic Spanish Restaurant", Calamari, Zarzuela de Mariscos, Tortilla Espanola with Chorizo, L & D: Daily, 449 SW 8th St, 305-856-9788, E-8
- 45. Mai Tardi** ([maitardimiami.com](http://maitardimiami.com)) - "Amazing Food, Location and Atmosphere", Breaded Green Olives Stuffed with Assorted Meats, Risotto with Sea Scallops and Leeks, Quinoa Pasta with Eggplant, Goat Cheese and Mint Pesto, L & D: Daily, 163 NE 39th St, 305-572-1400, E-6
- 46. Meson Ria De Vigo** ([no website](http://no website)) - "Service is Outstanding, Good Deals on Spanish Wine", Fried Sardines, Ossobuco with Sherried Mushrooms, Codfish Croquettes, Green Plantains and Shrimp, L & D: Tu-Su, 1363 SW 22nd St, 305-854-7222, D-9
- 47. Michael's Genuine Food and Drink** ([michaelsgenuine.com](http://michaelsgenuine.com)) - "Coolest Place in Miami", Chilli Chicken Wings with Cucumber, Duck Confit with Lemon Glaze and Spiced Pumpkin Seeds, Wood Oven Pizza, L: M-F, D: Nightly, 130 NE 40th St, 305-573-5550, E-5

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- 48. Michy's (michysmiami.com)** - "The Appetizer Really Made the Meal", White Gazpacho with Almonds, Greens and Cucumbers, Chicken Cassoulet with Apple Sausage, Tomatoes and Carrots, Seared Halibut with Mushrooms, Salsify Ragout, D: Nightly, 6927 Biscayne Blvd, 305-759-2001, F-4
- 49. Por Fin Restaurant (porfinrestaurant.com)** - "Great Spanish Restaurant", Codfish Fritters with Romesco Sauce and Aioli, Crispy Potato Wedges and Brava Sauce, Porcini Risotto and Shallots, L & D: Daily, 2500 Ponce de Leon Blvd, 305-441-0107, B-9
- 50. Pubblely (pubbely.com)** - "Top on My Hit List and It Delivered", Crispy Cod Brandade with Coconut Aioli, Dates and Chorizo Spicy Tomato Bacon, Scallions and Goat Cheese, Oxtail and Porcini with Ramps and Asparagus, D: Tu-Su, 1418 20th St, Miami Beach, 305-532-7555, H-7
- 51. River Oyster Bar (therivermiami.com)** - BYO, "Dinner Was Great As Usual", Oysters and Ceviches, Chili Spiced Crispy Hominy, Whole Yellow Tail Snapper, Lobster Pot Pie, L: M-F, D: Nightly, 650 S Miami Ave, 305-530-1915, E-8
- 52. Royal Restaurant, The (raleighhotel.com)** - "Imaginative Food in Lovely Setting", Grilled Baby Octopus with Olives and Fennel, Chicken Under a Brick with Pancetta, Onions and Apple, Local Mahi with Rice Pilaf, B,L,D: Daily, Raleigh Hotel, 1775 Collins Ave, Miami Beach, 305-534-6300, I-7
- 53. Sra Martinez (sramartinez.com)** - "Spanish Wine List is Diverse Yet Affordable", Sweetbreads with Sticky Oranges and Scallions, Crispy Artichokes with Lemon Coriander Dip, White Beans with Foie Gras Duck Sausage and Port Wine, L & D: Tu-Su, 4000 NE 2nd Ave, 305-573-5474, F-5
- 54. Timo Restaurant (timorestaurant.com)** - "Wonderful Food and Service Italian Style) - Crisp Oyster Salad with Cannelloni Beans, Frisee and Pancetta, Stuffed Whole Dorado with Tomato, Peppers and Black Olives, Tagliatelle with Giant Veal Meatball, L & D: Daily, 17624 Collins Ave, 305-936-1008, I-1
- 55. Villa By Barton G, The (thevillabybartong.com)** - "Notable Wine List, Special Occasion Place, View", Soy Cured Big Tuna with Cucumbers and Mushrooms, Whole Dover Sole with Carrots and Potatoes, Rack of Lamb with Eggplant, Harissa and Basil, D: Nightly, 1116 Ocean Dr, Miami Beach, 305-576-8003, I-7
- 56. Zuma Japanese Restaurant (zumarestaurant.com)** - "Excellent Creative Japanese Fusion", Rice Hotpot with Wild Mushrooms and Vegetables, Barley Miso Corn Fed Chicken Roasted on Cedar Wood, Rib Eye Steak with Garlic Chips, L: M-Sa, D: Nightly, 270 Biscayne Blvd Way, 305-577-0277, E-8