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ATLANTA’S DINING SCENE BRINGS HIGH-END DOWN-HOME

Dining is one of the most popular pastimes for visitors and locals alike in Atlanta, and for good reason. Atlanta boasts everything from upscale gourmet cuisine to progressive variations of Southern staples and local, chef-driven restaurants.

But Atlanta’s dining story isn’t typical of Southern cities. What makes Atlanta’s dining scene special is its variety. Atlanta restaurants are relaxed and welcome diners with open arms. Eateries in Atlanta cater to each unique neighborhood and invoke the feeling of dining at a friend’s house, rather than a restaurant. Even the city’s most high-end restaurants dish out a down-home feel.

Atlanta’s chefs incorporate fresh, local ingredients to serve up the best in New South cuisine with creative twists on Grandma’s traditional Southern meals. One of Atlanta’s finest examples of the farm-to-table experience is One Eared Stag where chef Robert Phalen dishes out freshly picked and prepared food. Dig into some chow chow at Empire State South, take a bite of the pickled vegetables at Miller Union and sample deviled eggs with country ham at JCT. Kitchen & Bar. USA Today voted South City Kitchen’s fried chicken among the South’s very best, though versions at The Shed at Glenwood and Watershed on Peachtree also rank highly among locals.

Atlanta’s epicurean markets have a history of launching careers of local restauranteurs. Sweet Auburn Curb Market, Atlanta’s oldest public market, gave a home to businesses like Grindhouse Killer Burgers and Bell Street Burritos before they grew to occupy their own storefronts. Today, new epicurean markets serve as a gathering place for locals and visitors, as an incubator for new innovators and entrepreneurs, and as a showcase for established local chefs.

Prominently located along the Atlanta BeltLine Eastside Trail, Ponce City Market is a culinary hub connecting Atlanta’s most popular intown neighborhoods. Its Central Food Hall includes stalls from some of Atlanta’s popular James Beard Award-winning chefs including Anne Quatrano and Linton Hopkins. Krog Street Market is housed in a 1920s warehouse in Inman Park with stalls that sell fresh meats, produce and prepared food alongside Southern-grown restaurants and retailers. Across the street, Irwin Street Market is a community of artisan food-based businesses all located under one roof.
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**DOWNTOWN**
- Alma Cocina
- Big Kahuna
- Bone Lick BBQ
- Braves All-Star Grill
- Cuts Steakhouse
- Gus’s Fried Chicken
- Hard Rock Cafe
- Max Lager’s Wood-Fired Grill & Brewery
- Noni’s Bar and Deli
- Ray’s in the City
- Ruth’s Chris Steak House
- The Sun Dial
- Ted’s Montana Grill
- Tin Lizzy’s
- Trader Vic’s
- White Oak Kitchen

**MIDTOWN**
- Community Smith
- Ecco
- Einstein’s
- Empire State South
- Gordon Biersch Brewery Restaurant
- Lure
- Mary Mac’s Tea Room
- Publik Draft House
- South City Kitchen
- STK Atlanta
- Table 1280
- City Tap House Atlanta
- The Varsity

**BUCKHEAD**
- Atlanta Fish Market
- Bistro Niko
- Buckhead Diner
- The Capital Grille
- Chops Lobster Bar
- Davio’s Northern Italian Steakhouse
- Farm Burger - Buckhead
- Holeman and Finch
- Horseradish Grill
- Imperial Fez
- Kyma
- Maggiano’s
- Watershed on Peachtree

**WESTSIDE**
- Antico Pizza Napoletana
- Bartaco West Midtown
- Bocado
- Bone Garden Cantina
- Flip Burger Boutique
- JCT Kitchen
- La Fonda Latina
- Miller Union
- The Optimist
- Ormsby’s
- Six Feet Under Pub & Fish House
- Taqueria Del Sol
- West Egg Cafe
- Yeah! Burger

**EASTSIDE**
- BoccaLupo
- Bully Boy
- City Winery
- Fox Bros. BBQ
- Fritti
- Krog Street Market
- Ladybird Grove & Mess Hall
- PARISH
- Porter Beer Bar
- Rathbun’s
- Serpas True Food
- The Shed at Glenwood
- Sotto Sotto
- Two Urban Licks
- Venkman’s
- Vortex Bar & Grill