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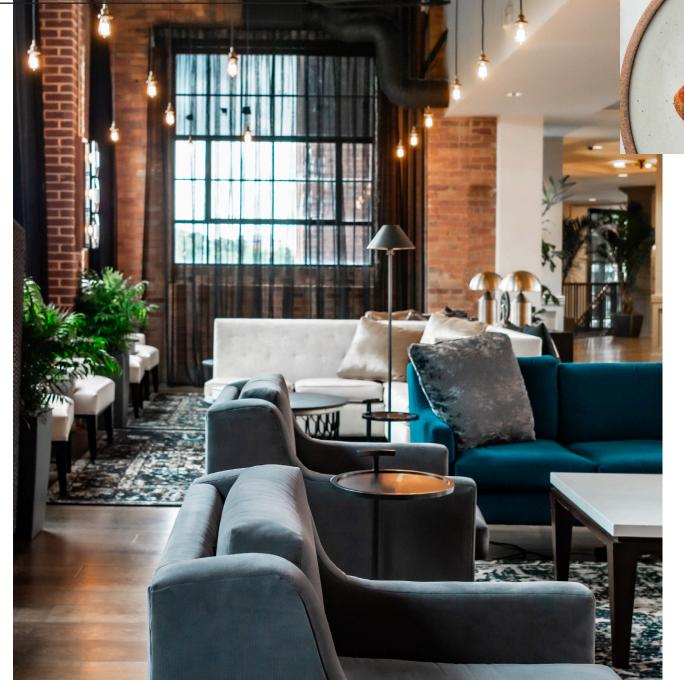
#### ART IS THE LIFEBLOOD OF ASHEVILLE, NORTH

Carolina, connecting visitors and locals through music, culinary and visual arts. Take an artist-led tour of the thriving River Arts District then visit the newly remodeled Asheville Art Museum for a deeper understanding of the city's creative roots. Admire the historic Biltmore Estate, built by George Vanderbilt, and discover the natural environment that inspires many creators with a hike in the majestic Blue Ridge Mountains. -AMBER GIBSON

### Stay THE FOUNDRY

Adapted from a 20th century steel foundry, this 87-room boutique hotel is the newest luxury property in town, part of Hilton's Curio Collection and a celebration of both Appalachian culture and the block's historically Black community. A manicured bocce lawn, fire pits and rocking chairs welcome guests to gather in the outdoor courtyard each evening before retreating to spacious guest rooms for a restful sleep. In-room amenities highlight local partners like Asheville Tea Company and French Broad Chocolate.

Signature restaurant Benne on Eagle serves Southern cuisine with a light, modern touch, reimagining collard purloo with black rice and lemony yogurt and accenting North Carolina red shrimp with smoked ham heart and fresh persimmons. Beyond the Foundry's sturdy brick walls, you're just a few blocks from many of the city's most celebrated restaurants and breweries. Plus the chauffeured Tesla Model X house car can whisk you anywhere else you wish to go.



#### Do SAUNA HOUSE

Asheville's cool mountain air and lush forests have made it a wellness haven dating back to the late 19th century, when doctors would prescribe some time here as the cure for fatigue, respiratory illnesses and other Gilded Age maladies.

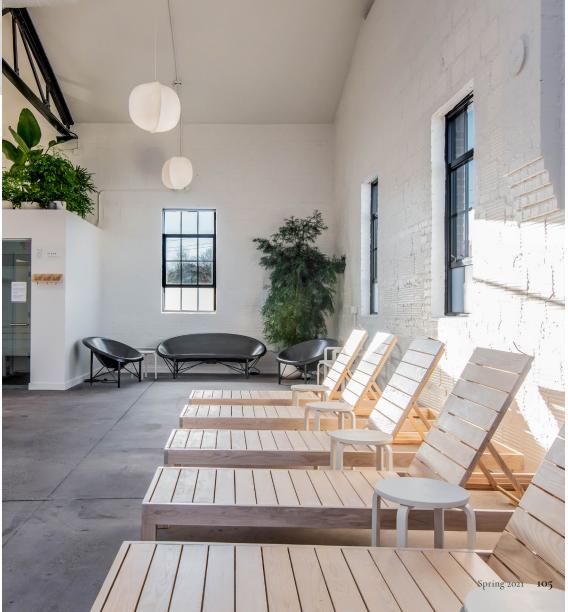
Sauna House is the latest in the city's global palette of wellness experiences, specializing in Nordic hydrotherapy in a social atmosphere. This unassuming bathhouse offers three saunas, a cold plunge pool, heated furniture and cold showers for a contrasting hot and cold circuit. You can book out the infrared sauna, plus the massage therapists do excellent deep tissue work. Bring your bathing suit for a couple rounds of the Sauna House cycle: 15 minutes in the sauna, a few minutes in the cold plunge, then 15 minutes lounging and rehydrating. This Scandinavian tradition is thought to boost circulation and immunity while relieving stress, pain and inflammation.



#### Dine CÚRATE

Restaurateur Katie Button is Asheville's most renowned chef, and Cúrate is her flagship eatery. This modern Spanish tapas bar is inspired by her time working with Ferran Adrià at his esteemed elBulli. The design and service evoke the relaxed conviviality of pintxos bars in San Sebastián, with a menu driven by simple preparations of seasonal ingredients. From charred radicchio with garlicky romesco sauce to wild mushrooms sautéed with sherry to head-on Mediterranean prawns served with large flakes of sea salt, all the meant-for-sharing fare pairs beautifully with the Spanish wine, cider and local beer on offer here.

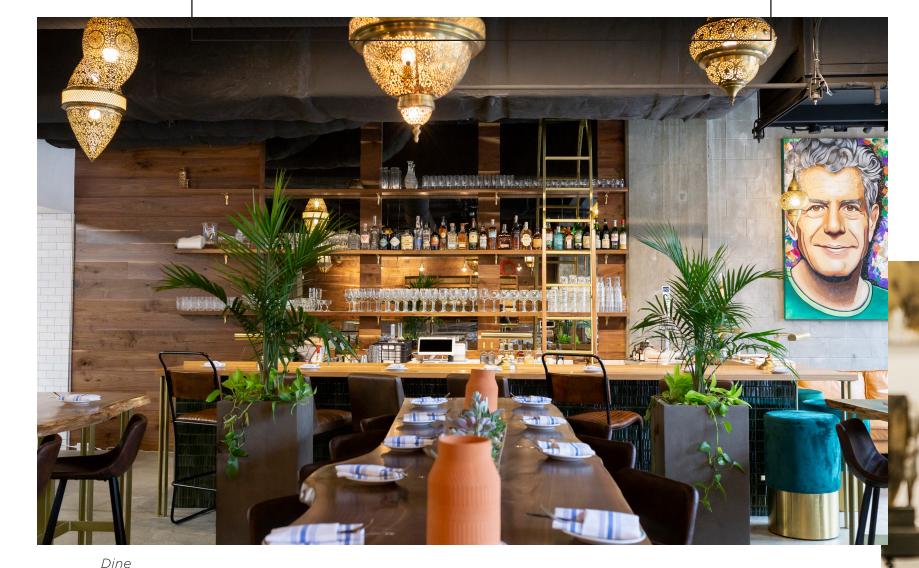
Last year, Button also launched Cúrate at Home, a nationwide delivery service for Spanish specialty foods and ingredients like gazpacho, albondigas (meatballs) and housemade Spanish-style sausages crafted with North Carolina pork that lets diners recreate their favorite dishes.



## **INDIANAPOLIS**

#### HOOSIER HOSPITALITY, AFFORDABLE ATTRACTIONS

and a strong sports culture are just a few reasons to love Indiana's capital city. Bike or walk the eight-mile Cultural Trail to take in the public art, craft breweries and local boutiques before zipping around the Motor Speedway with a professional racecar driver at 180 mph. And check out the Garage, a new marketplace and food hall in the vibrant Bottleworks District, for all of Indy's coolest independent dining and shopping under one roof. -A.G.



#### Stay **BOTTLEWORKS HOTEL**

A terra-cotta art deco building that was once Coca-Cola's largest bottling facility has been transformed into a chic 139-room hotel along trendy Massachusetts Avenue. Original terrazzo tile floors, doorways, millwork and brass railings have all been carefully restored to their 1930s splendor. The rotunda, with its spiral staircase and effervescent sodainspired ceiling detailing, is the best spot for Instagram snaps. Larger-than-life black-andwhite portraits line the property's spacious hallways, and the rooms themselves are equally sumptuous, pairing neo-industrial design with luxe finishes.

Snack on local sweets from the minibar like Newfangled Confections then saunter over in your plush robe to Woodhouse Day Spa next door (the only hotel spa in Indianapolis) for a high-tech HydraFacial and a relaxing snooze in a heated zero-gravity pink Himalayan salt chair. And be sure to catch an indie film at Living Room Theaters across the promenade after dinner at the Garage Food Hall.

### GALLERY PASTRY BAR

After beginning as a wholesale bakeshop in Broad Ripple, Gallery Pastry opened an all-day cafe and dessert lounge downtown across from Bankers Life Fieldhouse last year. Brunch — complete with bottomless mimosas — is the name of the game here. Cinnamon crème brûlée French toast, silky omelets, and eggs Benedict with Smoking Goose jowl bacon and roasted red pepper pesto are all tempting choices whether you're craving something sweet or savory. A colorful portrait of Anthony Bourdain gazes down approvingly as plate after plate of mouthwatering fare is delivered from the bustling open kitchen.

Chef Ben Hardy's croissants, breads and macarons are delectable, particularly the foie gras macarons adorned with caviar. The salads are a surprise hit and a light yet flavorful way to strategically save room for dessert. Glossy entremets and petite cakes, meanwhile, beckon from the pastry case.





#### Do CIRCLE CITY INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX

Home to more than 100 artists and makers, this sprawling complex is both a maze and a treasure trove of unique, beautiful and delicious finds. Some tenants, like 8th Day Distillery, Centerpoint Brewing and Fowling Warehouse (a bowling and football mash-up) are open daily, while others have limited hours or are available by appointment only. This is the best place in town to discover emerging artists creating works across all genres, from paint to metal to woodwork. Unleash your inner creative at Indy Fused Glass, where you can design abstract art or colorful mosaics on a variety of glass objects.

First Friday is an especially good time to visit, when artists open their studios and galleries to the public in a festive atmosphere with live music and dance performances. Stop by SoChatti's new single-origin chocolate tasting room to enjoy luscious liquid chocolate on tap.

## **PARK CITY**

#### PARK CITY, UTAH, HAS BECOME A YEAR-ROUND

destination for outdoor enthusiasts, with sunny spring skiing and 60 acres of action sports at Woodward Park City. Venture just outside city limits to soar through the sky on the world's longest zipline course followed by an afternoon snack of award-winning cheese and freshly churned ice cream at Heber Valley Artisan Cheese. For the perfect locally made nightcap, pair bean-to-bar Ritual Chocolate with High West Distillery whiskey. -A.G.

#### Stay THE ST. REGIS DEER VALLEY

A funicular ride with panoramic slopeside views heightens anticipation before you check into Park City's most luxurious resort. Facials at Remède Spa incorporate cult-favorite European skincare brands Biologique Recherche and Natura Bissé while soothing massages and lounging beside the heated, split-level outdoor pool are sure to lull you to peaceful sleep. Wake up just in time for celebratory nightly Champagne sabering on the mountain terrace followed by dinner at RIME. Beloved local chef Matthew Harris has crafted an exquisite ingredient-driven menu focused on simply prepared local meats and sustainably caught seafood.

Guest quarters here are elegantly appointed, with marble bathrooms, deep soaking tubs and private balconies overlooking the surrounding sylvan paradise. The St. Regis also boasts 34 private residences, including nine new homes at Snow Park, situated at the base of the funicular. Priced from \$2.7 million to \$7.2 million, these exquisite homes feature professional kitchens, multiple fireplaces and other luxurious amenities.





#### Dine **RIVERHORSE ON MAIN**

Riverhorse also operates nearby Park City Provisions, a specialty grocery store and deli that's ideal for a healthy breakfast or lunch to fuel outdoor adventures. Plus the kitchen team is available to create fully customized menus for catering and private events, from intimate family dinners to micro weddings.

#### Shop CAKE

Since its 2008 debut, Cake has been Park City's premier women's clothing boutique. Owner Katie Hammond has the contemporary mountain chic look styled to perfection, including warm sweaters, heavenly soft tees and functional yet fashionable denim. She hand selects favorite pieces from coveted brands like Isabel Marant, IRO, Vince, and Rag & Bone for a wardrobe that embodies the effortless lived-in luxury this destination is known for.

"Anything goes in Park City, but when in doubt, reach for denim and boots," Hammond says, describing the local uniform. "And don't forget a sweater or lightweight jacket, even in the summer when the sun goes down, temps drop big time."

In recent years, Cake has expanded its selection of apothecary and skincare goods as well, with a focus on high-end natural beauty brands such as Goop, Joanna Vargas, Susanne Kaufmann, Vintner's Daughter and the like.

One of the oldest and most distinguished restaurants on historic Main Street, Riverhorse dishes up delectable cuisine and refined service in a rustic setting, including an artfully prepared amuse-bouche to begin your meal. Signature offerings such as buffalo short rib and macadamia-crusted Alaskan halibut are accompanied by seasonal produce. For a quintessential Utah experience, try the wild game trio, featuring elk, buffalo and venison with a port reduction, huckleberries and scalloped potatoes. Executive Chef Seth Adams shows off his global imagination with dishes like scallop and shrimp tom kha over saffron risotto with lemongrass coconut cream.

