



SANTA MONICA



Universal Studios Hollywood
21 miles / 34 KM away



29 miles / 46.5 KM away

Griffith Park Observatory
24 miles / 39 KM away

Getty Center
7 miles / 11.5 KM away

Beverly Hills
8 miles / 12.8 KM away

Academy Museum
16 miles / 25 KM away

Walt Disney Concert Hall
15 miles / 24 KM away
DTLA
15 miles / 24 KM away

Getty Villa
5.8 miles / 9 KM away

North To Malibu
(5 Miles / 8 KM)

East To Downtown
(16 miles / 25 KM)

South To LAX
(8 miles / 12.9 KM)

SANTA MONICA


SoFi Stadium
12 miles / 19 KM away

LAX Airport
8 miles / 12.9 KM away



Other Area Attractions:

 **Disneyland**
42 miles / 67 KM away

 **Knotts Berry Farm**
38 miles / 61 KM away



Ultimate Southern California Experience
Base your LA stay beachside

- 8 Unique Neighborhoods
- 8 sq. miles / 21 sq. km
- 22 mile / 35 km beach path
- Free electric shuttle service via Circuit



Welcome



SANTA MONICA

SUMMARY

- 41 hotels
- 400+ restaurants
- 170+ street art murals
- 65+ museums & art galleries
- 8 miles / 13 km from LAX
- Perfect homebase for an LA stay
- Walkable destination
- 28 miles / 45 km of protected bike lanes



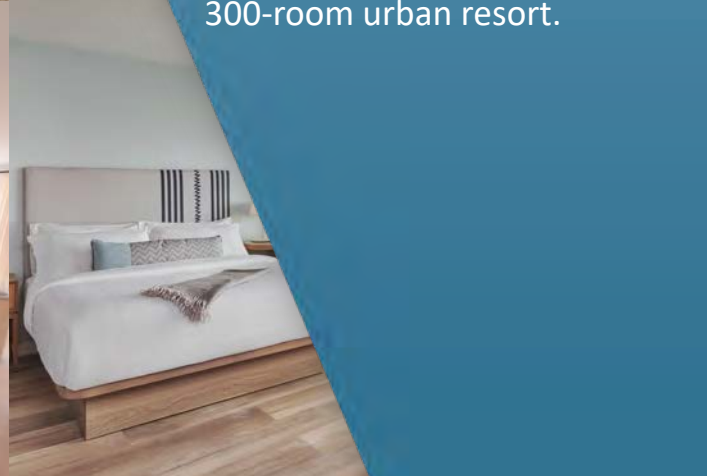


Stay

41 Hotels

Most within walking distance of the beach.

Experience our eclectic portfolio of hotels from a four-bedroom cottage to a 300-room urban resort.





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Incomparable Dining

400+ restaurants from Michelin-starred dining to toes-in-the-sand eateries.

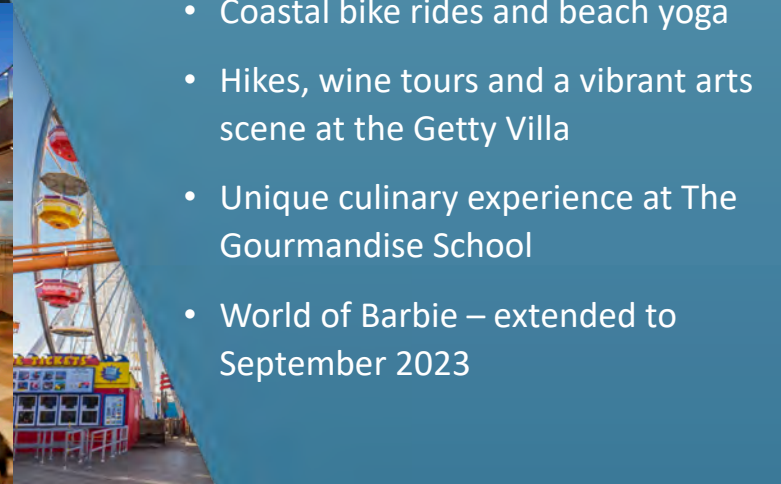
Experience al fresco dining beachside or treat yourself to an 18-course tasting menu.



Play

Quintessential SoCal

- Family fun and rides at Pacific Park
- Curated beach picnics
- World-class shopping at Santa Monica Place
- Coastal bike rides and beach yoga
- Hikes, wine tours and a vibrant arts scene at the Getty Villa
- Unique culinary experience at The Gourmandise School
- World of Barbie – extended to September 2023





MIRAMAR HOTEL & BUNGALOWS
SANTA MONICA
A FAIRMONT HOTEL



Location. Location. Location.





NEARBY ATTRACTIONS

- Third Street Promenade 1 block
- Santa Monica Pier 4 blocks
- Venice Beach 3 miles / 5 km
- Beverly Hills 8 miles / 13 km
- Hollywood 15 miles / 24 km
- Malibu 16 miles / 26 km
- Universal Studios 19 miles / 30 km
- Disneyland 41 miles / 66 km



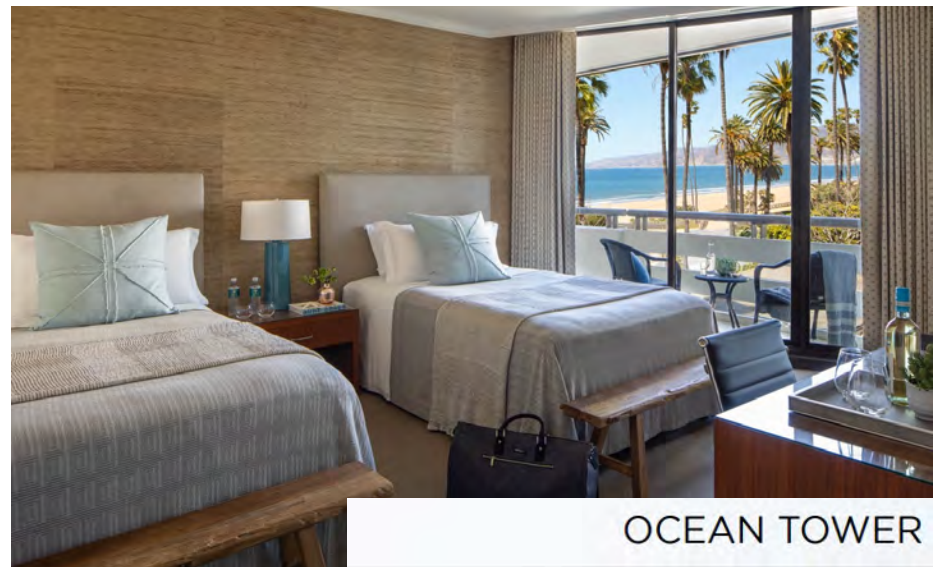
Night Market

EVERY THURSDAY
THIS SUMMER

FOOD • DRINKS • ALL SUMMER LONG



THE PALISADES



OCEAN TOWER

MIRAMAR GARDENS



LUNETTA

RAPHAEL LUNETTA

OWNER / PARTNER AND CHEF PROPRIETOR

LUNETTA & LUNETTA ALL DAY

Santa Monica, Ca

MEET RAPHAEL LUNETTA



CHEF

FATHER

AVID SURFER

BUSINESS OWNER

COMMUNITY LEADER

WRITER

CHEF RAPHAEL LUNETTA IS ONE OF THE MOST TALENTED AND WELL-KNOWN CULINARY FIGURES IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CONTINUES TO SOAR AS ONE OF SANTA MONICA'S PREMIERE CHEFS AND PERSONALITIES.

RAPHAEL GREW UP IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, IN A BICULTURAL AND BILINGUAL HOME WHERE COOKING PLAYED AN INTEGRAL ROLE IN FAMILY LIFE.

FORMATIVE YEARS; COOKING THROUGH FRANCE

EVERY SUMMER, RAPHAEL'S FAMILY SPENT TIME AT HIS AUNT'S 18TH CENTURY FARMHOUSE IN THE SOUTH OF FRANCE. TOGETHER, THEY ENJOYED LARGE FAMILY DINNERS COOKED OVER OPEN FIRES USING FISH-CAUGHT FRESH FROM THE OCEAN AND VEGETABLES PICKED FROM THE GARDEN.

IT WAS DURING THIS TIME THAT RAPHAEL LEARNED THE SIMPLE ELEGANCE OF FRENCH COOKING AND DEVELOPED HIS DEEP APPRECIATION FOR LOCAL, SUSTAINABLY HARVESTED INGREDIENTS.

IN 1986, RAPHAEL FOLLOWED HIS PASSION FOR FOOD AND MOVED TO EUROPE TO BROADEN HIS KNOWLEDGE OF THE RESTAURANT INDUSTRY.

HE WORKED IN PARIS AT CAFÉ PACIFICO, LA PERLA AND LA POSTÉ.



FRANCE TO SANTA MONICA & BEYOND; A PILLAR OF THE RESTAURANT INDUSTRY

AFTER TWO YEARS WORKING IN FRANCE, RAPHAEL RETURNED HOME TO LOS ANGELES AND COOKED HIS WAY THROUGH SOME OF THE CITY'S TOP KITCHENS, INCLUDING THE ESTEEMED PATINA, CAPRI IN VENICE AND JACKSON'S BEVERLY HILLS. IN 1997, HE OPENED JIRAFFE IN DOWNTOWN SANTA MONICA, WHICH BECAME A PILLAR OF THE RESTAURANT COMMUNITY FOR ALMOST 20 YEARS.

IT WAS DURING THIS TIME THAT HE GAINED NATIONAL MEDIA ATTENTION, EARNING HIMSELF THE 1997 BEST NEW CHEF AWARD FOR *FOOD AND WINE MAGAZINE*.

HE PARTICIPATED IN THE ASPEN FOOD AND WINE CLASSIC, A JAMES BEARD FOUNDATION DINNER AND WAS A CELEBRITY GUEST CHEF FOR CHRYSTAL CRUISE'S VOYAGES IN THE BLACK SEA (1997), AUSTRALIA PACIFIC CROSSING (2000), AND ALASKA (2011).

RAPHAEL HAS MADE DOZENS OF APPEARANCES ON *FOOD NETWORK* SHOWS, WAS A JUDGE ON BRAVO'S *TOP CHEF* AND APPEARED ON *BEAT BOBBY FLAY* IN 2014.

THE “SURFING CHEF”

RAPHAEL IS WIDELY KNOWN FOR HIS SECOND PASSION - SURFING - AND HAS GAINED THE TITLE “THE SURFING CHEF” AS HE IS OFTEN SEEN ON SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA BEACHES SPENDING TIME IN THE WATER.

AS AN AVID SURFER AND WATERMAN, HE HAS DEVELOPED A DEEP RESPECT FOR THE OCEAN AND SPENT A YEAR TRAVELING THE WORLD ON THE ASSOCIATION OF SURFING PROFESSIONALS (ASP) TOUR.

IN BETWEEN WAVES, HE SPENT FREE TIME IN KITCHENS AND RESTAURANTS, IMMERSING HIMSELF IN THE LOCAL CULTURES AND CUISINES. HIS CONTRIBUTIONS CAN BE FOUND IN THE BOOK “*FIRST WE SURF, THEN WE EAT: RECIPES FROM A LIFETIME OF SURF TRAVEL.*”





LUNETTA;
LUNETTA ALL DAY



LET'S EAT;
BON APPÉTIT

THANK YOU
- CHEF RAPHAEL

