

# YOU ATE. NOW VOTE.

We know you've been busy eating and drinking your way through the city. Now's the time for you to share your opinion: Vote for this year's standouts in *Time Out Chicago's* fifth annual Eat Out Awards. It's easy—just pick your favorites in the categories below, and vote online. Ballots must be cast by 9am on March 9. The 15 Readers' Choice winners will be announced in *TOC's* April 14 issue, along with 15 Critics' Picks.



## AND THE NOMINEES ARE...

### BEST NEW RESTAURANT

Arami  
Girl & The Goat  
Lillie's Q  
Owen & Engine  
Ruxbin

### BEST NEW BAR

Bangers & Lace  
The Boiler Room  
Curio  
Haymarket Pub & Brewery  
Maria's Packaged Goods  
& Community Bar  
WaterShed

### BEST NEW BEVERAGE PROGRAM

Chizakaya (*sake*)  
Duchamp (*cocktails*)  
Henri (*wine*)  
Owen & Engine (*beer*)  
Sable Kitchen & Bar (*cocktails*)

### BEST LOCAL COFFEE ROASTER

Asado Coffee Co.  
Bridgeport Coffee Co.  
Dark Matter  
Intelligentsia  
Metropolis

### CHEF OF THE YEAR

Grant Achatz (*Alinea*)  
Dirk Flanigan (*The Gage, Henri*)  
Sandra Holl (*Floriole Café & Bakery*)  
Stephanie Izard (*Girl & The Goat*)  
B.K. Park (*Arami*)

### BREAKOUT CHEF OF THE YEAR

Matthew Eversman (*Saigon Sisters*)  
Edward Kim (*Ruxbin*)  
Guy Meikle (*Nana*)  
Bai Ming Wu (*MingHin Cuisine*)

### RESTAURATEUR OF THE YEAR

Kevin Boehm & Rob Katz  
(*Boka, Perennial, Girl & The Goat*)  
Scott Harris (*Francesca's  
Restaurants; Purple Pig*)  
Tony Hu (*Lao Sze Chuan, Lao Beijing,  
Lao You Ju*)  
Billy Lawless (*The Gage, Henri*)  
RJ & Jerrod Melman (*HUB 51,  
Paris Club*)  
Brendan Sodikoff (*Gilt Bar,  
Maude's Liquor Bar*)

### BEST NEW BAKERY

Cookie Bar  
Floriole Café & Bakery  
La Boulangerie  
Sprinkles

### BEST NEW STEAKHOUSE

Benny's Chop House  
Chicago Cut  
Epic  
Mastro's

### BEST DESSERT TRUCK

Flirty Cupcakes  
More Mobile  
Sweet Miss Giving's  
Sweet Ride

### BEST FOOD TRUCK

Gaztrowagon  
Happy Bodega  
Hummingbird Kitchen  
Meatyballs  
Simple Sandwich  
Tamalespaceship

### BEST NEW PUB GRUB

Blokes & Birds  
Leopold  
Owen & Engine  
The Southern  
Three Aces

### BEST NEW BARBECUE

Brand BBQ Market  
Chicago Q  
Lillie's Q  
Pork Shoppe  
Smokey Bears BBQ House

### BEST NEW ITALIAN

Davanti Enoteca  
Donatella Mediterranean Bistro  
Due Lire  
The Florentine  
Three Aces

### BEST NEW PATIO

Big Star  
D.S. Tequila Co.  
Epic Sky  
The Portage  
Purple Pig

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