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AZUL, THE PEARL OF MANDARIN ORIENTAL, MIAMI

Mandarin Oriental, Miami, located on upscale Brickell Key, is home to Azul, the city's top dining destination. The Five-Star intimate, elegant waterfront restaurant exemplifies Mandarin Oriental's commitment to providing impeccable dining experiences to hotel guests and local residents. When it opened its doors on December 15, 2000, Azul became a destination in its own right. Designed by world-class restaurant designer Tony Chi, the 120-seat restaurant offers breathtaking views of Biscayne Bay and the Miami skyline. At the helm of the restaurant is Chef William Crandall. Chef Crandall has created a delectable French-Asian menu that reflects Miami's international cultural influences.

The moment guests enter Azul, they find themselves at the pulse of the restaurant with views of the magnificent white marble-clad open kitchen. To the left, there are dramatic wine cabinets featuring Mandarin Oriental, Miami's fine wine collection. Floor-to-ceiling windows on three sides envelop the senses, ensuring all diners are treated to dramatic bay and city views. Several tables are located on Azul's outdoor terrace overlooking the bay. A private chef's table makes the ultimate dining experience. New wine pairings are prepared with each week's degustation menu, matching each course with a unique flight of wine.

Azul's diverse cuisine features an inventive, eclectic menu beginning with a fine caviar and raw bar selection. Starters, priced from USD 13 to USD 30 include "Smoked Lyonnaise Salad" with Black Truffle, Pickled Vegetables, Gruyere Hen Egg and Iberico, and "Steak & Eggs Tartare" with Wild Mushroom, Gouda, Parsley and 63-degree Quail Eggs.

Main Courses, USD 37 to USD 65, feature "Black Angus Short Rib" with Hon Dashi, Worcestershire, Cauliflower, and Butternut and "Turbot Grenobloise" with Sudachi, Egg Yolk Pomme Puree and Meuniere Powder.



Azul's brilliant wine program, designed by wine director Todd Phillips, features more than 700 world-class wines. The award-winning wine list encompasses a mix of current releases, to classic vintages from the finest producers, with the latest boutique wineries worldwide. Phillips's approach with guests is one of opening their minds and palates to sample the many fruits and tastes of the globe in a friendly and genuine manner.

At Azul, a thoroughly trained staff ensures that each individual receives the foremost in comfort and service. Pashminas in a wide array of colors are offered to keep guests warm and reading glasses are available in a variety of strengths.

Azul is located at Mandarin Oriental, Miami, 500 Brickell Key Drive. Dinner is served from 7:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday, and Azul Bar is open from 6:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Reservations are suggested at +1 (305) 913 8358. Valet parking; all major credit cards accepted.

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