

Charleston where



A pâté melt screams
"bite me!"

Meat Is for Sharing

Inspired by Cypress' meat-sharing program, which has spun 90-plus recipes for charcuterie and other cured meat, **Artisan Meat Share** offers an array of hot and cold sandwiches and freshly butchered cuts. Grab a spot at the 15-seat restaurant and order from a menu of cured, smoked or salami cuts, or take the meat or a homemade condiment (think bacon jelly, pimienta cheese) on home with you. 33 Spring St., 843.641.7299, artisanmeatshare.com

Downtown/Peninsula

BASIL—Asian.

offers some of the best in town, as well as a variety of appetizers and noodles. The prominent chef, Sunton, who

is trained in Thailand, France and Japan. L and D; no reservations accepted. www.eatatbasil.com. 460 King St., 843.724.3490. **Map 1: E-5**

BLOSSOM—Seafood. Graced with a light, outdoor feel with courtyard dining and stunning decor, this restaurant offers up simple, American seafood dishes with a bit of flare. If seafood's

not your thing, check out the wood-fire gourmet pizza oven. www.magnolia.com

five senses with all things gourmet and divine. Carry out or dine in on the



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meat-sharing program and Artisan Meat Shares, which is open 11 am-7 pm Mon-Sat.

by a varied wine list, gourmet coffees and Italian-inspired desserts. A newly renovated second floor accommodates parties up to 50. L, D daily. www.boccis.com. 158 Church St., near The Market, 843.720.2121. **Map 1: E-8**

CAVIAR & BANANAS—International.

This gourmet market and café is designed to indulge and gratify the

features a unique balance of Southern, French and cosmopolitan cuisine, which, along with local jazz favorite The Quentin Baxter Jazz Ensemble, creates an elegant, yet relaxed ambience. From the impeccable service to the nearly 1,300-label wine list, Charleston Grill is a favorite among locals. D



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