Restaurants Amsterdam

Nearby VU University

● URBAN OCEAN

Urban Ocean is a passionate dream to make great food delivered with excellent service and create lasting memories. The idea was born two years ago by the owners Manolis & Helen. They wanted to create a restaurant where our guests can have a wide palette to choose from, simultaneously also entertaining guests that do not eat fish, but enjoy meat and pasta. Fish is healthy and nutritious and at Urban Ocean it will be a mix of South African and Mediterranean influences. Urban Ocean strives in the continuation of improving our fish selection and will only support suppliers that have an accredited authorization for fishing through ecological responsible methods and during the legal fishing seasons.

Average menu price: € 27,50
Wine of the house: € 18,50 (bottle) / € 3,90 (glass)

Amstelveenseweg 156
1075 XN Amsterdam
Tel (020) 672 00 18
http://www.urban-ocean.nl/

Open on Monday until Saturday from 17:00 – 23:00 hrs.
Public Transport: Tram 2 Stop: Zeilstraat / Amstelveenseweg

● OLIVE 63

The feeling of authenticity! More than 90.000.000 olive trees are cultivated in Greece today. Not only do they cover the needs of the inhabitants, but large quantities are exported abroad. The Cretan is well familiarized with the consumption of olive oil. Even in traditional Cretan sweets, neither butter nor refined oil, nor seed oil is used, only olive oil. This oil is even used for frying. Recent studies have shown how sensible this is, as olive oil can resist heat at high temperatures much more than other wines and it does not become oxidized, but remains healthy. At OLIVE 63 you will find a mix of Mediterranean and Cretan influences. Modern “tapas” with an international touch, but not forgetting our Greek roots! Olives and olive oil are extremely healthy and that’s also one of the reasons we have chosen to prepare all meals with the famous “Cretan Olive Oil”.

Average menu price: € 19,50
Wine of the house: € 17,50 (bottle) / € 3,00 (glass)

Amstelveenseweg 63
1075 VV Amsterdam
Tel (020) 673 87 97
http://www.olive63.nl/
● DESA

Back in Indonesia, Desa originally means 'village'. It is well-known in Indonesia, that meal from village is very tasteful because of its freshness and genuine. From 'Desa' philosophy, our chefs provide traditional and original Indonesian selected dishes with its fresh and best ingredients. We offer various menus, from rijsttafel to rames, from wine to banana ice. You named it, we got it. With a perfect combination of delightful meal and comfortable atmosphere, you will surely hang smile on your face and coming back for more.

Average menu price: € 20,00
Wine of the house:  € 15,00 (bottle) / € 3,00 (glass)

Ceintuurbaan 103
1072 EX Amsterdam
Tel: (020) 671 09 79
http://www.restaurantdesa.com/

Open on Monday until Sunday from 17:00 – 23:00 hrs.
Public Transport:  Tram 2 Stop: Zeilstraat / Amstelveenseweg

● STEFANOS

Many people recognize in the interior the wall paintings and iron sculptures of Herman Brood. Stefanos Tapas Bar offer a great diversity of small dishes, based on the Mediterranean kitchen.

Average price tapas:   € 4,00
Wine of the house:  € 18,50 (bottle) / € 2,80 (glass)

Roelof Hartstraat 27
1071 VG Amsterdam
Tel: (020) 470 68 87

Open on Tuesday until Sunday from 17:30 – 22:30 hrs.
Public Transport:  Tram 3 and 12 Stop: Hobbemakade ; Tram 24 Stop: Roelof Hartplein
• ORIENT

From delicious soups and starters, such as ‘soeto bakso ikan’ and ‘kaki kodok’, to individual main courses and rice meals. Orient, where you are welcomed hospitable in an ambience in which you can taste the Indonesian culture.

Average menu price: € 17,00  
Wine of the house: € 16,00 (bottle) / € 3,25 (glass)

Van Baerlestraat 21  
1071 AN Amsterdam  
Tel: (020) 673 49 58  
http://www.restaurant-orient.nl/

Open on Monday until Saturday from 18:00 – 22:30 hrs.  
Public Transport: Tram 3 and 12 Stop: van Baerlestraat ; Tram 2 and 5 Stop: Stedelijk Museum

City Centre

• BIHP

BIHP offers great food and wine in an artistic setting, in a great location. The cuisine is international with a fusion twist, the house wines have been carefully selected and the walls display original works of art. BIHP is located in a beautiful old building overlooking the canal on the Keizersgracht in heart of the Nine Streets area Amsterdam.

Average menu price: € 29,50  
Wine of the house: € 19,50 (bottle) / € 4,00 (glass)

Keizersgracht 335  
1016 EG Amsterdam  
Tel: (020) 622 45 11  
http://www.bihp.nl/

Open on Monday until Sunday from 18:00 – 22:30 hrs.  
Public Transport: Tram 1, 2, 5, 14 and 17 Stop: Dam

• NOMADS

Lounge restaurant Nomads has been inspired by the Arabian Nomad culture. In the Jordaan, the team has produced a super stylish oasis with kilims and Moroccan lamps. On the menu there are authentic mezzes such as couscous and orfali kebab. And this place stays open late: the DJ mixes Arab music with Western dance music and, now and then, a belly dancer makes an appearance.
Average menu price: € 30,00  
Wine of the house: € 23,00 (bottle) / € 4,00 (glass)

Rozengracht 133  
1016LV Amsterdam  
Tel: (020) 344 64 01  
http://www.restaurantnomads.nl/flash/

Open on Monday until Sunday from 18:00 – 22:30 hrs.  
Public Transport: Tram 6, 10, 13, 14 and 17 Stop: Rozengracht / Marnixstraat

• VIJAYA

Indian restaurant Vijaya is located near the Amsterdam Central Station. Guests will enjoy vast Indian cuisine in a cozy friendly atmosphere with hollywood music. From famous Indian dishes like tandoori chicken, lamb tikka masala, prawn rogan josh to our chef's specialties, you will find famous Indian hospitality during our service.

Average menu price: € 24,00  
Wine of the house: € 15,00 (bottle) / € 3,00 (glass)

GelderseKade 23  
1011 EJ Amsterdam  
Tel: (020) 420 52 25  
http://www.vijaya.nl/home.php

Open on Wednesday until Monday from 16:00 – 22:30 hrs.  
Public Transport: Nearby Central Station Amsterdam

• SOHO SUSHI

Soho Sushi is located in the historical centre of Amsterdam, nearby the Leidseplein. The restaurant is established in a monumental building with characteristic and trendy design. Their style is fusion and the menu consists of sushi and warm dishes.

Average menu price: € 24,50  
Wine of the house: € 18,50 (bottle) / € 3,00 (glass)

Lange Leidedwarsstraat 33  
1017 NG Amsterdam  
Tel: (020) 428 58 58  
http://www.sohosushi.nl/

Open on Monday until Sunday from 16:00 – 01:00 hrs.  
Public Transport: Tram 1, 2, 5, 7 and 10 Stop: Leidseplein
• ROSE’S CANTINA

Would you like to eat Mexican in Amsterdam, then you should come to Rose’s Cantina. This nice restaurant, located in Amsterdam’s most popular night life streets is since the opening in 1980 famous for its Mexican food and cocktails.

Average menu price: € 17,00
Wine of the house:   € 15,00 (bottle) / € 2,50 (glass)

Reguliersdwarsstraat 38/40
1017 BM Amsterdam
Tel: (020) 625 97 97
http://www_rosesamsterdam.nl/

Open on Monday until Sunday from 17:00 – 23:00 hrs.
Public Transport:   Tram 1, 2 and 5 Stop: Koningsplein

• RANCHO ARGENTINEAN GRILL

If you enter this restaurant you will experience the South American ambiance with cowboy influences. Rancho Argentinean Grill is an enjoyable restaurant with both modern and traditional dishes where only the best ingredients are used.

Average menu price: € 18,00
Wine of the house:   € 17,75 (bottle) / € 3,25 (glass)

Spui 1-3 / Korte Leidsedwarsstraat 36, 71, and 101-103 / Reguliersbreestraat 37
Tel: (020) 611 91 19
http://www.dobson-uzcudun.com/grill/rancho.htm

Open on Monday until Sunday from 16:00 – 23:00 hrs.
Public Transport:   Tram 1, 2 and 5 Stop: Spui or Leidseplein

• UMI

Umi, a Japanese sushi and grill restaurant with modern interior and top quality located on the Leidsedwarsstraat that offers a great place to eat with family, friends or colleagues.

Average menu price: € 17,50
Wine of the house:   € 17,50 (bottle) / € 3,20 (glass)

Lange Leidsedwarsstraat 71a
1017 NH Amsterdam
http://www.umisushi.nl/
Open on Monday until Sunday from 14:00 – 23:00 hrs.
Public Transport: Tram 1, 2, 5, 7 and 10 Stop: Leidseplein

● THALASSA

In this restaurant ‘the new Greek cuisine’ is served; food as such men eats today in Greece. The Greek kitchen has a rich tradition and is full of variations and refined tastes. Thalassa has an extensive menu with original, varied and delicious dishes prepared daily with fresh ingredients.

Average menu price: € 20,00
Wine of the house: € 19,50 (bottle) / € 2,80 (glass)

Oudezijds Kolk 69
1012 AL Amsterdam
Tel: (020) 420 01 11
http://www.restaurantthalassa.nl/

Open on Monday and Wednesday until Sunday from 17:00 – 23:00 hrs.
Public Transport: Every tram and metro that stops at Central Station

● ALFONSO’S

Found in the popular Utrecht Street (Utrechtestraat) in Amsterdam is Alfonso’s; an authentic Mexican restaurant situated in monumental premises since 1986. In both a lively and friendly atmosphere you can enjoy one of our many famous Mexican specialties. Alfonso’s menu includes many different tasty dishes such as fajitas and tortilla dishes, like tacos and burritos. To accompany this you will naturally find one of those cool Mexican beers here as well as various flavours of margarita and tequila. You conclude your dinner with a sweet course or, for devotees, a strong Mexican coffee.

Average menu price: € 16,00
Wine of the house: € 15,50 (bottle) / € 2,75 (glass)

Utrechtestraat 32
1017 VN Amsterdam
Tel: (020) 625 94 26
http://www.alfonsosrestaurant.com/indexEN.htm

Open on Monday until Sunday from 17:00 – 23:00 hrs.
Public Transport: Tram 4 Stop: Keizersgracht; Tram 9 and 14 Stop: Rembrandtsplein
VINOMIO

Vinomio real Italian wine and food formula is based on own-label / own-made authentic Italian tasting experience. Smell before you eat their focaccia, pizza and dolci freshly real Italian bakery-style, made on location.

Average menu price: € 17,50
Wine of the house: € 18,00 (bottle) / € 4,00 (glass)

Keizersgracht 465
1017 DK Amsterdam
Tel: (020) 420 43 30
http://www.vinomio.nl/

Open on Wednesday until Sunday 12:00 – 24:00 hrs.
Public Transport: Tram 1,2 and 5 Stop: Keizersgracht.