

WHERE TO DO BUSINESS IN...

...Paris

EAT

Le Duc

EN Restaurant Le Duc in the 10th district is considered the best fish restaurant in Paris. It serves monkfish carpaccio as well as freshly grilled sea bass that is filleted at the table. Each dish is paired with an appropriate wine. The service here is classically French: helpful waiters in white shirts and black waistcoats rush around providing flawless service and helpful recommendations. This traditional, long-standing establishment has wooden panelling and ship's portholes that give it a maritime touch. By the time the waiter rolls the dessert trolley to your table, you'll barely have the energy to weigh anchor.

◆ www.restaurantleduc.com

SLEEP

Hotel Baume

Hotel Baume has a prime

location in Saint Germain in the 6th district, not far from the left bank of the Seine. Despite the abundance of restaurants and bars nearby, this hotel in a quiet side street remains a true haven from the city noise. Its rooms are small but recently refurbished. The new rainwater showers are luxury-spa standard.

www.baume-hotel-paris.com

MEET

Café Amorino

You would probably assume that Europe's best ice-cream parlour is in Rome, not Paris. Yet the small Café Amorino nestled in a side street north of the manicured Jardin du Luxembourg makes its own ice cream to great acclaim. The gourmet flavours available include basil and lemon, as well as dark chocolate with caramelised sea salt. The queues are well worth it.

◆ www.amorino.com



Links: Hummer im Le Duc. Im Uhrzeigersinn von oben: Soho House Istanbul; seine Dachterrasse; Alex's Place; Frühstück im Van Kahavaltı Evi

EN Below left: lobster at Le Duc. Clockwise from top: Soho House Istanbul; its rooftop terrace; Alex's Place; Breakfast at Van Kahavaltı Evi



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