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## Morning Meetings On-Trend

With time and efficiency at the forefront of business leaders' minds, business breakfast meetings are trending as an effective tool for teams to brainstorm, connect and network, with the added bonus that everyone gets back to the office for a productive day.

  
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Meeting for breakfast can save time, and also encourages a different type of engagement among staff. Busy coffee shops or noisy breakfast joints aren't always conducive to productivity with their wait times and background clamor. Bistango restaurant in Irvine offers an alternative, opening early for groups that reserve the space, providing a perfectly quiet, intimate setting to hold morning events, complete with Wi-Fi, AV capability, and amenities that are conducive to doing business.

Food is important – that's why you've moved from the boardroom to the dining room. The expert culinary staff arranges a perfectly simple, but elevated, continental breakfast, with coffee, tea and juice.

Still a lunch person? Bistango has been the go-to spot for business lunches in Irvine and Orange County for decades, and also offers private, semi-private and a private outdoor patio space for midday meetings or parties.

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## Genuine Hospitality. Extraordinary Cuisine. Patina Restaurant Group.

Celebrate your next event with the Patina Restaurant Group in Downtown Disney®! With four unique dining experiences conveniently located in Anaheim, our restaurants offer something for everyone at Tortilla Jo's, Naples Ristorante, Catal Restaurant and the festive outdoor Uva Bar.

Exciting changes are coming to Naples Ristorante! Renovations are scheduled to be completed this winter, and our restaurant will have a modern, European feel featuring clean lines and bold Italian-inspired patterns. Be among the first to host a group event on our newly renovated patio and enjoy an authentic taste of Southern Italy on our updated outdoor terraces.



Located on the ground level, a new modern patio offers guests a place to sit back, relax, and enjoy a delicious dish or beverage. Signature menu offerings include specialties from Campania, Piemonte and Toscana which pair well with a wide selection of regional wines. With a new outside bar as well as additional seating, the eatery is just a few steps away from the theme park esplanade. Venture upstairs to see the lush green foliage that decorates the balcony space and a fountain that provides a focal point to anchor the area, making it the perfect place for al fresco dining.

Twinkling lights strung from wooden beams above give the garden-like atmosphere a warm and inviting glow, providing onlookers with an unparalleled dining experience. The picturesque setting will instantly transport visitors to the Italian peninsula, overlooking the crystal blue waters of the Mediterranean with the majestic Mt. Vesuvius standing guard overhead.



Whether it's on a balcony overlooking the Disneyland fireworks or in one of our private rooms, Catal Restaurant has the perfect space for your next meeting or event. Celebrate with Mediterranean inspired appetizers, superb steaks or seafood, an award winning wine list and outstanding desserts.

Enjoy the amazing Southern California weather with cocktails and hors d'oeuvres at the Uva Bar & Café. There is no better place to dine al fresco than in the heart of Downtown Disney®! You can bask in the sunshine during the day and enjoy the sounds of live entertainment in the evenings.

It's not just an ordinary dinner when you dine at Tortilla Jo's, it's an experience to remember. For groups of 18 to 1200, we can customize an authentic menu for your event. Our menus offer an assortment of upgraded specialty "stations", great Mexican lasagna, traditional Arroz Con Pollo and more.

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## Andrei's Conscious Cuisine & Cocktails: A Hidden Gem in the Heart of Irvine

Located a stone's throw from John Wayne Airport, at the corner of Jamboree and Main Street in Irvine, treat your visiting guests and clients to an unforgettable dining experience at Andrei's Conscious Cuisine & Cocktails. Crafting our menu from only the finest local, seasonal ingredients, we've focused on creating a dining experience like no other in Orange County for the past nine years and remain dedicated to serving naturally raised meats and sustainable seafood.



Chef Porfirio Gomez sources from local farms and ranches to invent dishes that delight the senses. Andrei's seasonal menu options abound, from items like rainbow beets salad and braised short rib, to wild-caught lingcod and winter vegetable ragu. The bar subscribes to the same philosophy, using only fresh juices, fruits, herbs and liquors to develop a tantalizing array of specialty cocktails and a wine list that is equally thoughtful and diverse.

Whether you are coming for a small, intimate gathering or organizing a large corporate reception, Andrei's will create the perfect setting to accommodate you and your guests in our upstairs dining area or downstairs event space. Starting with the two-story granite and limestone lobby and waterfall, follow the stairs to the second floor restaurant to discover a distinctly contemporary and warm atmosphere. The large open windows reveal glimpses of Andrei's private citrus & herb garden terrace and some of the area's most beautiful high-rises, providing a cosmopolitan dining experience in Irvine. The sustainable pecan floors, central granite bar and large open floor plan create an ideal environment



for a cocktail reception or elegant dinner.

If you're looking for off-site catering, Andrei's or its fast-casual sister concept, Dandelion Café + Catering, can also come to you and help create the perfect culinary spread at your office or home.

Presenting friendly and professional service with

artfully-presented cuisine is Andrei's focus and it will surely leave a lasting impression on your guests for any occasion. For event facility information and reservations, please contact Jennifer Simmons at (949) 387-8750 or [Jennifer@andreisrestaurant.com](mailto:Jennifer@andreisrestaurant.com).

Opened in 2009, Andrei's concept was created by Natalia Ostensen as a tribute to her late brother Andrei who was a strong proponent of eating natural, local and sustainable food. He was also a philanthropist with a passion for helping children, particularly those affected by vision impairment and other disabilities, and organizations dedicated to protecting the environment. In order to help further his legacy, 100 percent of the restaurant's profits are donated to the Andrei Foundation ([www.andreifoundation.com](http://www.andreifoundation.com)), which supports a number of related local charities.

Andrei's is located at 2605 Main Street in Irvine at the corner of Jamboree and Main, with convenient access to the 405 and 5 Freeways. The restaurant is open to the public Monday through Friday 11:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. and Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. and can be reached at (949) 387-8887 and [www.andreisrestaurant.com](http://www.andreisrestaurant.com)



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Building on more than 30 years of culinary excellence on the Orange County dining landscape, Prego Mediterranean has settled into its new home at The District at Tustin Legacy. Long-time supporters and new guests have been enjoying the lively bar area and grand dining room at the new location, where Chef Ugo Allesina continues to lead the culinary team. With two decades of experience at Prego, Chef Ugo has brought back signature items and has added new Mediterranean-focused dishes to the menu. The kitchen continues to focus on utilizing seasonal ingredients, the best meat and seafood, and freshly made pastas.



Prego owners Ruth and Tony Bedi

New Mediterranean-focused dishes include Seasonal Hummus of mushroom and truffle, sundried tomato and roasted garlic basil, served with house-made rustic flatbread; Golden Beet Salad with mixed baby greens, yellow beets, goat cheese and caramelized onions tossed in a balsamic reduction; and Lobster and Shrimp Stuffed Sole in a white wine, garlic, lemon and caper sauce.

Adding a splash of Mediterranean color to California, Prego Mediterranean features a lively exhibition kitchen, allowing diners to view the artful chefs creating their delicious dishes. With a capacity to seat more than 250 guests, Prego features al fresco dining, full bar, private dining and catering services.

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#### DINNER GALA & AWARDS PROGRAM

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## West Coast Aviation Services Celebrates Over 30 Years of Success

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