

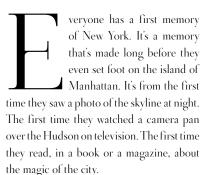




The City
The Characters
The Neighborhood
The Residences



An artist's playground, a playwright's muse. A romantic, electric dream. The definition of real character. New York City. Welcome.



peak. That's why so many people flock to New York each year: to see the reality of their dreams. Robert De Niro says, "I go to Paris, I go to London, I go to Rome, and I always say, 'There's no place like New York. It's the most exciting city in the world now.' That's the way it is. That's it." It's true that New York is a city with a pulse, from the hum of dimly lit speakeasy style jazz bars, to the soaring architecture. New York resonates on every level, making it a highly coveted destination.

At the center lies one of its best kept secrets: the neighborhood of Hell's Kitchen. A hub of metropolitan culture, Hell's Kitchen has been home to some of history's most iconic New Yorkers, including Robert De Niro, James Dean, Madonna and Larry David. It's where Anthony Bourdain got his start and Mario Puzo wrote The Godfather. Hell's Kitchen even bore witness to the birth of Neoplasticism and Modern Art in New York, where Piet Mondrian moved from Europe to pave the way for classic American artists like Robert Indiana and Andy Warhol. Being at the epicenter of such a vibrant city, Hell's Kitchen is the artistic heart of Manhattan.

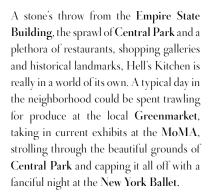


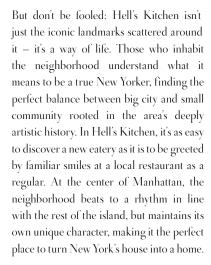
















Nobody knows the city like those who call it home.

Meet the inspirational personalities; the entrepreneurs, performers, creators & their boundless imaginations.



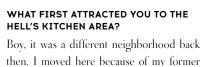
Matt Fox & Enrique Crame III's stylish gentleman's boutique, Fine & Dandy, is like taking a trip into a notso-distant, but more sophisticated past.

Matt Fox & Enrique Crame III

Specializing in men's accessories of their own design, Fine & Dandy had its humble beginnings in 2008 as an online store before taking up residence in Hell's Kitchen in November 2012.

Fine & Dandy is a store expressly catering to "dapper guys" — not somewhere for the fickle or trend obsessed — who are looking for the charm of timeless tailoring and perfectly matched pocket squares.

The pair's dedication to tradition and fine quality accessories is a rarity for both guests and residents of Hell's Kitchen alike. Their line of accessories are made in the United States, their store is a place for the modern man to find forever pieces inspired by classic Americana, from ties and handkerchiefs to suspenders, cufflinks and more.



career: I managed Broadway theatres for 12 years. I worked long hours so the proximity to Broadway initially attracted me, but then I immediately began to appreciate the small neighborhood feel of the area.

HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN IN THE AREA?

I have lived here since 1999 and Enrique since 2006. We started our business as an online shop out of our apartment in 2008 and opened our brick and mortar location in the neighborhood in 2012.

WHAT "HIDDEN GEM" HAVE YOU FOUND?

We love the sidewalk cafe of Il Baretto on 53rd & 11th. We've spent many summer nights enjoying a bottle of wine with small bites, watching the world go by.

WHERE IS YOUR FAVORITE PLACE

We love Gotham West Market. There is something for everyone. Our favorite is El Colmado. But there is so much great food in the area: El Centro, Briciola, Empanada Mama, and The Marshal. With choices like that, why cook?

FAVORITE STORE?

Domus (on West 44th Street, between 9th & 10th Avenue), a treasure trove of unique housewares you won't find anywhere else. Each year, the owners take a month off after the New Year and go on an amazing international buying trip. This year they went to Thailand. We always find something unique when we visit.

BEST COFFEE?

Kahve at 52nd & 9th. It's a tiny, neighborhoody kind of place.

WHAT'S UNIQUE ABOUT THE FASHION SCENE IN HELL'S KITCHEN?

The neighborhood is such a mix of people, which results in interesting style. Hell's Kitchen is incredibly diverse!

WHERE'S THE BEST PLACE FOR

We swear by our barber, Tony, at Erik's Barber Shop (47th & 10th). It's not fussy at all but very consistent (and cheap!).

WHAT SHOULD EVERY DAPPER GENTLEMAN HAVE IN HIS WARDROBE?

Once you have a few basic well-fitting suits in navy, chocolate brown, and charcoal, it's time to focus on the accessories. We always say that accessories are recession-friendly because a guy's wardrobe can seem quite extensive with a few suits and a variety of neckwear, pocket squares, socks, tie bars,









There's nothing quite like the smell of a warm loaf of bread to make you feel like you've arrived someplace special. No one knows this better than Amy Scherber, the owner and founder of famous Hell's Kitchen bakery Amy's Bread. Scherber is a Hell's Kitchen native, having lived in the neighborhood since 1985 and opened her business there in 1992. Specializing in sandwiches, sweets and everything in between, Amy's Bread has three outposts in New York City, making it not only a Hell's Kitchen destination, but a New York culinary staple.

Amy Scherber



two books, The Sweeter Side of Amy's Bread, and the cookbook, Amy's Bread. Widely recognized as a leader in her field by critics and customers, Scherber is touted by Dessert Professional Magazine as one of the 10 Best Bread Bakers in America.

Like so many iconic New Yorkers, Scherber

Like so many iconic New Yorkers, Scherber and her business grew from the heart of the city, Hell's Kitchen. We spoke to her about her deep ties with the neighborhood.

WHAT FIRST ATTRACTED YOU TO THE HELL'S KITCHEN AREA?

My first apartment was in Hell's Kitchen... it was the early 80's. When I went to culinary school I would walk to school, which was on 34th Street. I think because I love to walk, I would just explore the neighborhood from top to bottom. There were a lot of food places around there. There were two ravioli shops, a Greek bakery, an Italian bakery; I was just fascinated by all the food that was around there.

WHAT "HIDDEN GEM" HAVE YOU FOUND?

One place I really like is Bar Bacon, it's such a good place. The food is really good and they actually use our bread. I'm not just saying that though because I think their chef is really clever and their food is really excellent. We also go a little further over to the wine bar Ardesia. That's a fun place for relaxing; having snacks, a glass of wine; there's great ambiance in there.



Westerly. There's no question. I don't go anywhere except Westerly and the Farmer's Market, on 57th Street and 9th Avenue, it's open Wednesdays and Saturdays so you can get fresh produce from the local farms. And then Westerly has every ingredient that you need. It's natural, it's well chosen and even though it's a natural food store they have reasonable prices.

BEST COFFEE?

I think ours is the best frankly. I love our coffee. It's really excellent. We make really great cappuccino. And we have cold brew iced coffee, we use a Brazilian roast, which is such a delicious coffee, and we have it cold brewed for 24 hours so it has a really nice, smooth taste.

WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE THING TO ORDER AT AMY'S BREAD?

I love a lot of our products actually! I'm a big fan of one of my favorite breads, which is a peasant wheat with toasted seeds. It comes in a loaf and it comes in rolls. I also love our oatmeal scones, they're totally delicious and one of my favorite things to have.

AMY'S BREAD 672 9TH AVENUE BTWN 46TH & 47TH





Lauren Hanna

Being at the center of New York, you wouldn't expect Hell's Kitchen to have much respite from the hubbub of city life. Lauren Hanna, Director and Founder of Sonic Yoga, an oasis for calming the mind and body in the middle of it all. Lauren has been practicing yoga since the early 1990's, and is committed to creating serenity for those who live in this busy city.

Holding yoga surf retreats as locally as Montauk (where Lauren lives with her family and commutes to Hell's Kitchen from) and as far as Morocco, Lauren still calls Hell's Kitchen home for her studio. Sonic Yoga opened in 2001, it boasts two large studios, a yoga library and retail area in its environs, and includes Vinyasa flow classes, yoga workshops and teacher training programs. Hanna's studio is very much a sanctuary for all those who practice there, a real community of staff and students where no one is a stranger and anyone could be a new friend.

We spoke to Hanna about her home away from home and the birthplace of Sonic Yoga, Hell's Kitchen.

WHAT FIRST ATTRACTED YOU TO THE

We were looking for a neighborhood that was up-and-coming, and Hell's Kitchen has an amazing community because of the Broadway community and the musical community and the dance community, so there are a lot of creative people there and a lot of artists. There are not that many neighborhoods like that left in New York City. Hell's Kitchen still has a lot of actors, dancers and musicians and we thought there was a really creative community that would be served really well by a yoga studio.

WHAT "HIDDEN GEM" HAVE YOU FOUND?

I love to go to the river. If you walk down 52nd Street and you go straight across, there's a little dock over there and a little park. Sometimes we bring students there to do meditation, or practice outdoors on the river. There's also a little park on 48th and everyone in the neighborhood gets a key to that park. It's like a community garden.

WHERE IS YOUR FAVORITE

There are so many restaurants. I love Pam Real Thai. I also love the wine bar that's around the corner from the studio, Briciola.

WHAT IS THE BEST WAY FOR SOMEONE NEW TO YOGA TO BECOME INVOLVED?

At Sonic we have a beginner workshop, which I think is the best way. It's not intimidating, it's more of a workshop environment, so there's one teacher with a small amount of students and there's usually an assistant as well. So you can be more interactive and ask questions and the teacher breaks everything down for you.

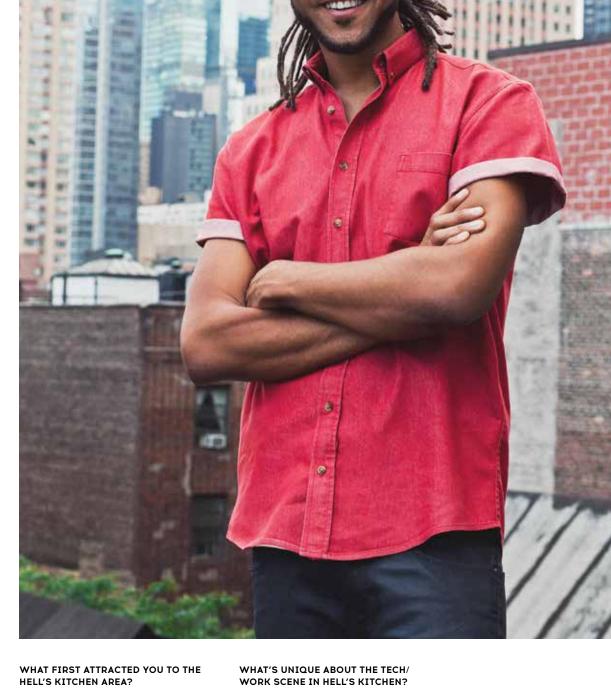


Jason Mante

Jason Mante is Head of Culture at the viral video app Vine by day. Outside work his personal pursuits in music, art and photography show his strong passion for creativity. It's that creative drive that makes him the perfect resident of Hell's Kitchen, a neighborhood that thrives on a deep history of cultural practice. Choosing the neighborhood for its centrality—being close to his work and the sights, sounds and tastes of Manhattan — Mante has fallen in love with the neighborhood, which he uses as both inspiration for and subject of his video and photo shoots.

A typical day in the life of Jason Mante involves him going to work at the Vine's offices, before coming home to work on his self-proclaimed "groovy electronic music", which he self-publishes, online. With a new record release on the horizon, Mante spoke to us about Hell's Kitchen and the everyday inspirations of the neighborhood.





Mostly how central it is, but also just having a really great vibe. I love the particular area that I'm in because it's so close to so many of the train stops and near the water, so there's a lot of facets.

WHAT 'HIDDEN GEM' HAVE YOU FOUND?

Nothing specifically, I just really like all the little streets and nooks and crannies where I can take photos.

WHERE IS YOUR FAVORITE

There's this Mexican place called Patron Mexican Grill, which is pretty good. My favorite thing though is the chocolate chip and berry pancakes at Gaucho Steak Co.

It's interesting, and this applies to New York in general, but particularly in Hell's Kitchen it's just such a mix of people who are working in different industries. The neighbors here are pretty awesome.

WHERE'S THE BEST PLACE FOR AFTER WORK HAPPY HOUR?

If I'm ever looking for a place to chill out after work I normally just walk a couple of blocks over to the pier and hang out by



SONIC YOGA

754 9TH AVENUE BTWN 50TH & 51ST



Seamus Mullen



El Colmado is one of Hell's Kitchen's culinary treasures. Artfully tucked away in a nook of the Gotham West Market, the Spanish tapas restaurant and wine bar is the creation of Chef Seamus Mullen. Like Hell's Kitchen itself, El Colmado is a quiet respite from the world surrounding it, a romantic oasis where one can slow down, sip wine, and enjoy the tastes of Spain in the middle of the city.

Mullen has created a local institution, known for its modern take on Spanish food. Having cooked in Spain, Mullen's expertise with the cuisine is nothing less than exceptional. Add to that a childhood spent on an organic farm in Vermont, giving him an appreciation of real, wholesome produce, there's no questioning the genuine care and quality that goes into Mullen's menu.

Approaching Spanish food with a zealous authenticity, El Colmado still manages to be unpretentious and approachable, just like its captain. Mullen has many accolades to his name, from his award winning restaurants Boqueria and Tertulia to his appearances on television's The Next Iron Chef and Chopped, as well as publishing a cookbook, Hero Food, and yet he still maintains a prideful hands-on approach at El Colmado.

WHAT FIRST ATTRACTED YOU TO THE

I was excited to be part of a neighborhood that is changing in such a big way. Where we are, over on 11th Avenue, it's one of the last frontiers in Manhattan, and it was a fantastic opportunity to be a part of a growing and evolving neighborhood. I'm happy we've created a great space to eat and drink

WHAT "HIDDEN GEM" HAVE YOU FOUND?

I found a lovely community garden tucked away on 51st Street and the corner of 11th Avenue — I discovered it one day when visiting my friend Lior at his shop around the corner. It's called the Juan Alonso Park & Community Garden. I grew up in rural Vermont but I've been in the city for a long time, and sometimes I forget how much I crave nature and greenery. I love how there are more and more green spaces and gardens like this around the city.

WHAT'S UNIQUE ABOUT THE FOOD SCENE IN HELL'S KITCHEN?

I think just the sheer variety of food options in Hell's Kitchen is what makes it really unique. You have 9th Avenue in the 40's with its incredible stretch of ethnic restaurants—Ethiopian, Peruvian, Turkish, Caribbean, you name it.

You have wonderful, sophisticated but laidback wine bars like Ardesia and Casellula; and then excellent higher-end options like Esca and Print. And of course, Gotham West Market!

WHERE IS YOUR FAVORITE PLACE TO EAT (OTHER THAN EL COLMADO)?

Ilove **Danji**, Hooni Kim's Korean restaurant on 52nd Street. I think our ethos are very similar-taking very traditional flavors (in his case, Korean, and in my case, Spanish) and interpreting them our own way. The space feels modern and fun, and the food

> EL COLMADO 600 11TH AVENUE BTWN 44TH & 45TH

FAVORITE STORE?

Can I give two answers? One of my favorite stores is my friend Lior Lev Sercarz' spice shop La Boîte, on 51st and 11th Avenue. Lior is a chef and the master of spices just ask any chef in the city — Lior is the go-to guy. He makes incredible blends from spices he gets from all over the world - I use them at home and my restaurants all the time. My second answer is not a store technically, but I love the Hell's Kitchen Flea Market. I've unearthed some great gems there over the years.

Definitely Blue Bottle Coffee at Gotham West Market!

WHAT WOULD YOU RECOMMEND AS THE PERFECT EVENING OUT IN

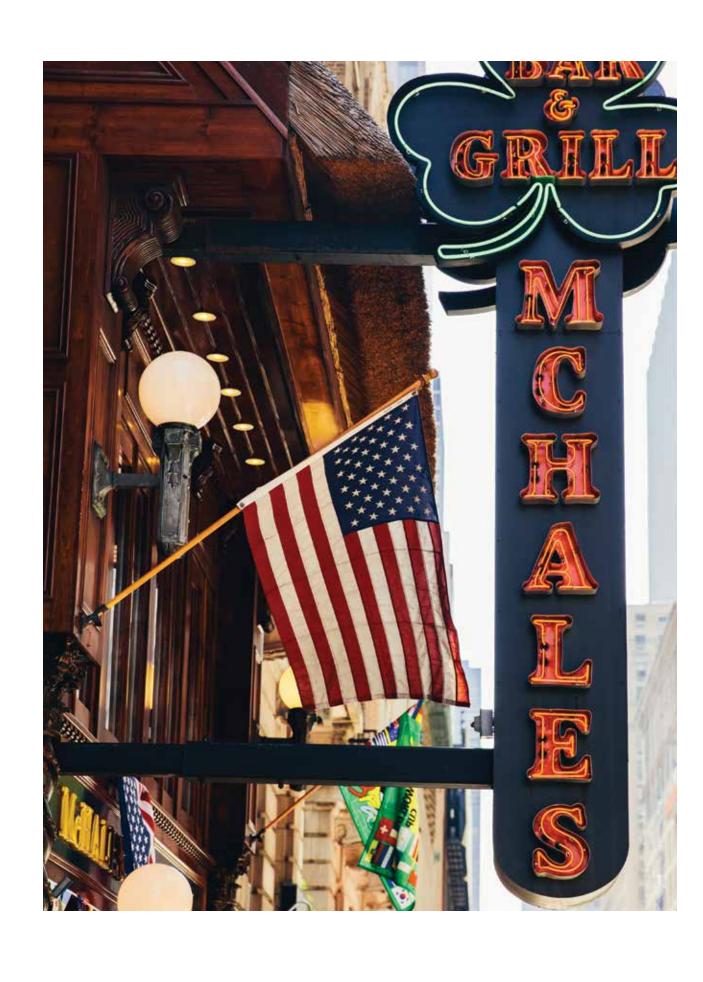
My idea of a perfect evening out in Hell's Kitchen would be cycling with my wife up the West Side around early evening. We'd head to Gotham West Market and valet our bikes at NYC Velo (how awesome is that!), and grab a pre-theater dinner at the Market. We would probably get a few dishes to share from The Cannibal, Choza Taqueria and our tapas bar El Colmado. Then we'd walk over to the Theater District and catch a play or a musical. If we're feeling peckish afterwards, we might walk over to Casellula or Ardesia for a late night glass of wine and some cheese and charcuterie.

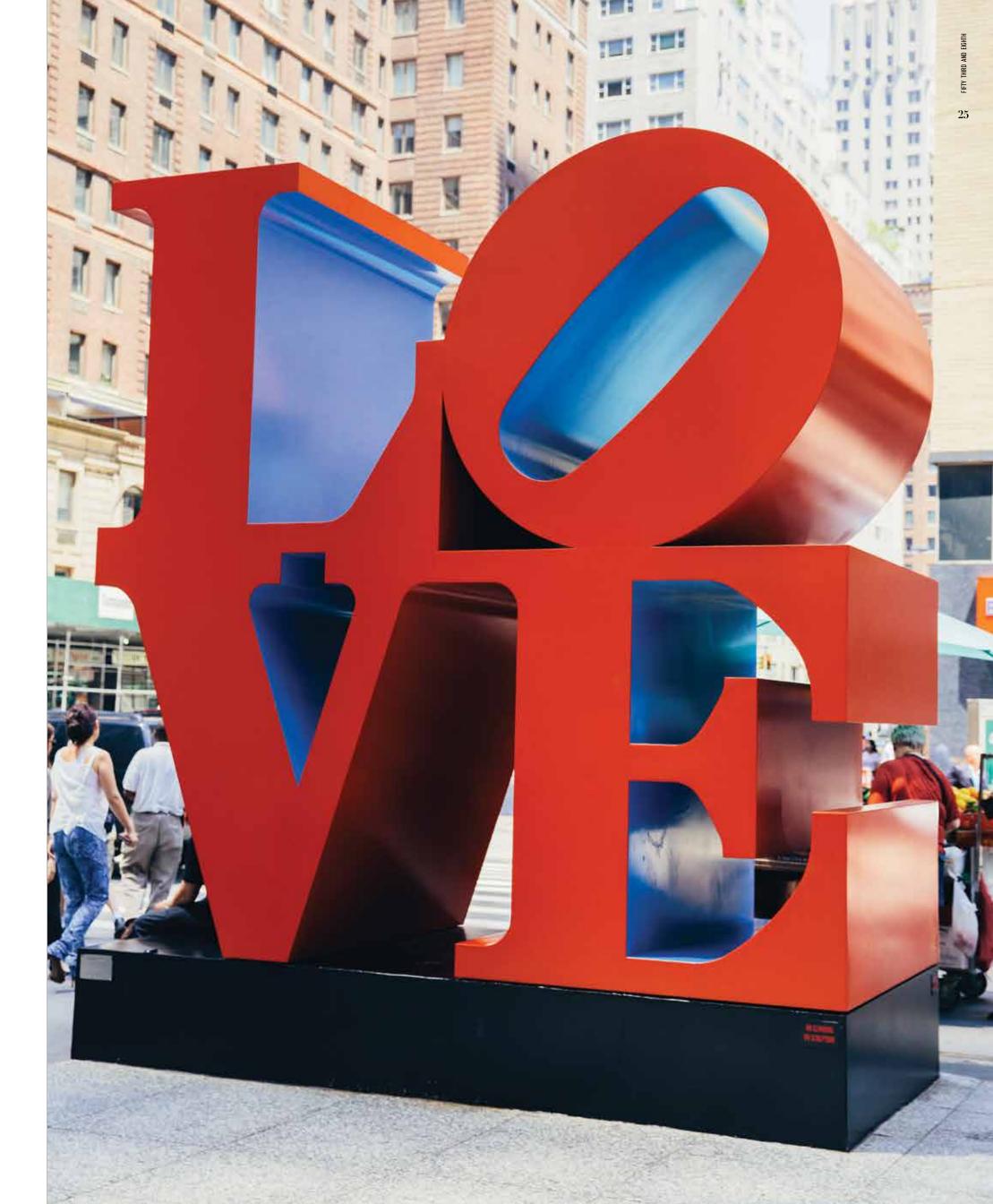




He had the true
New Yorker's secret
belief that people living
anywhere else had to be,
in some sense, kidding.

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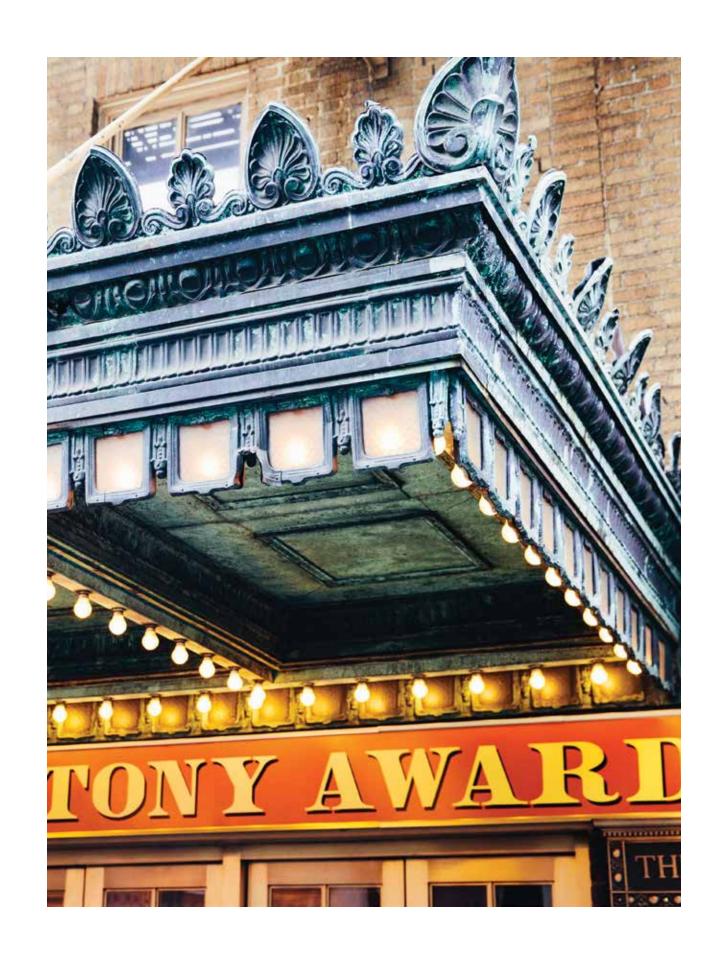


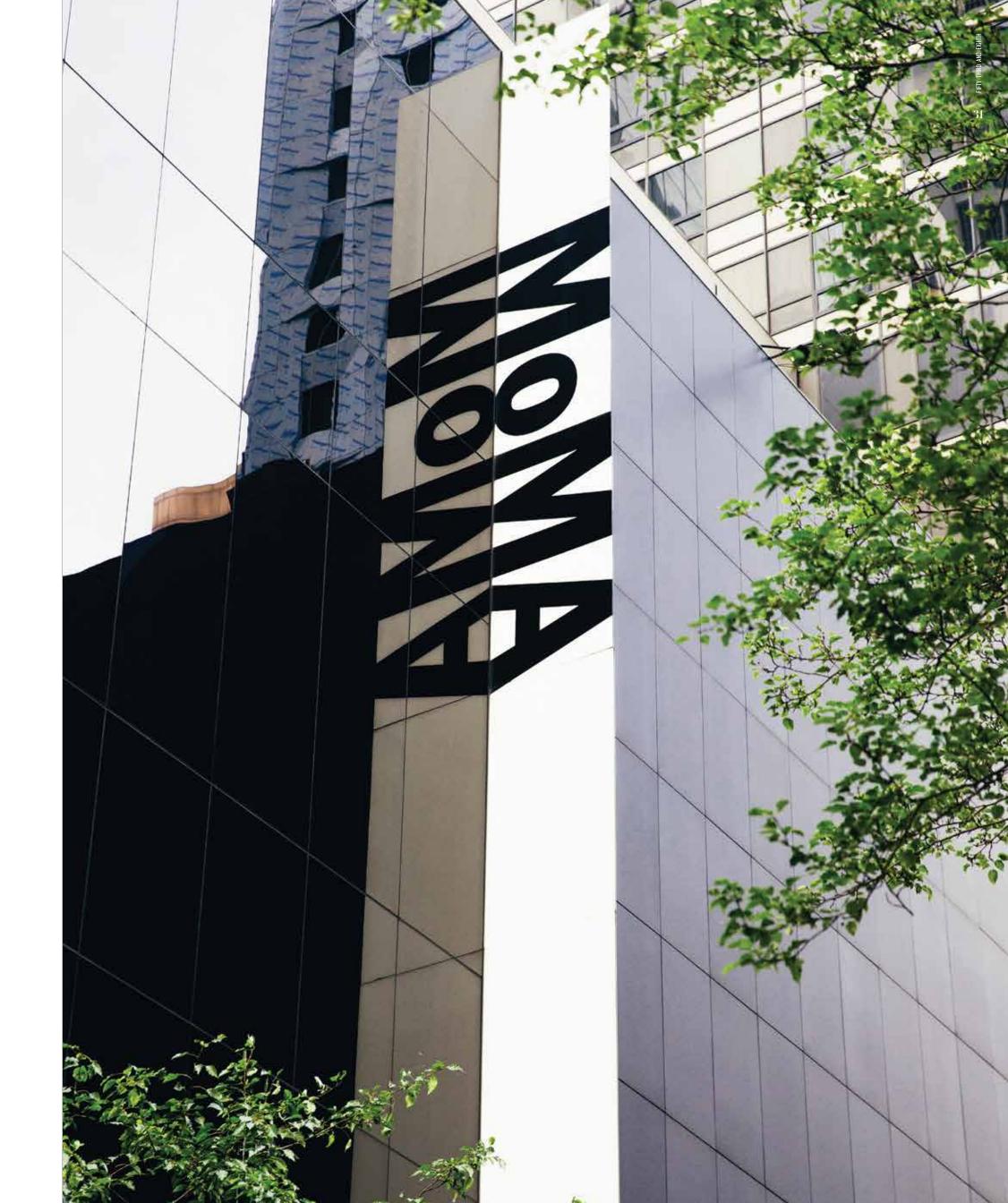


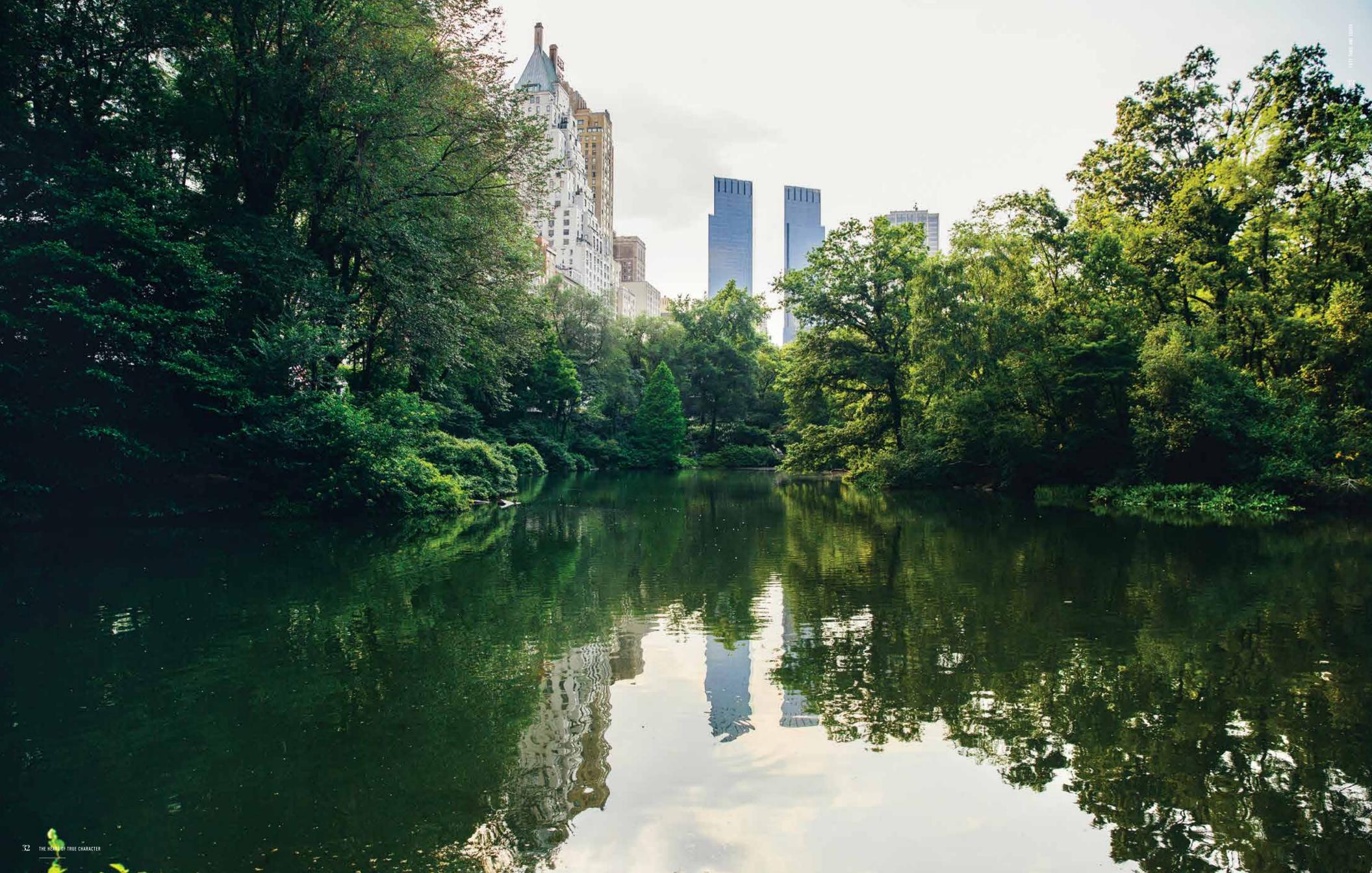














The vibrancy of DINING & HOSPITALITY the Theater District. 10. SULLIVAN STREET BAKERY A short stroll to the iconic Central Park. The Hell's Kitchen neighborhood galleries, restaurants

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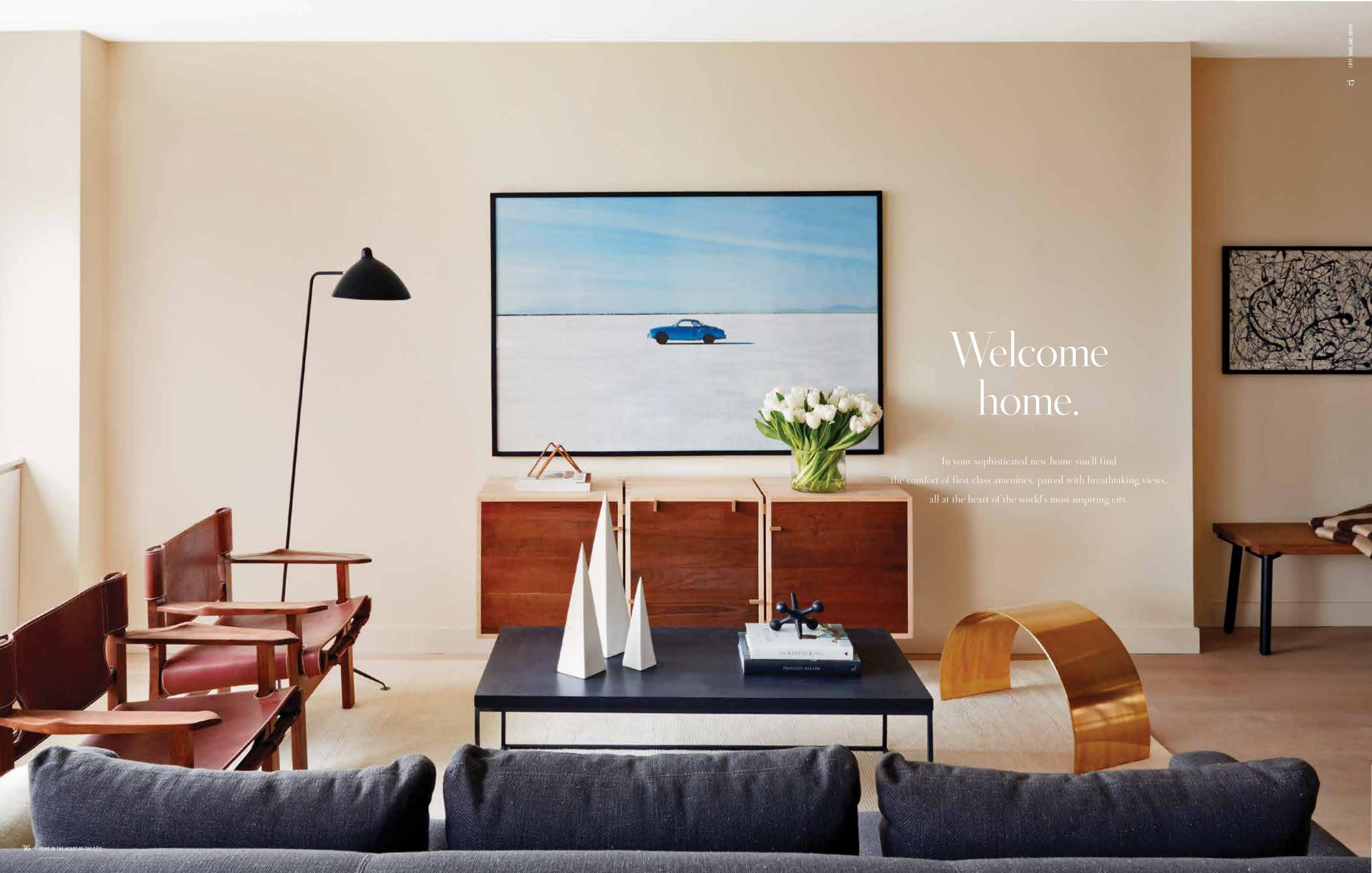
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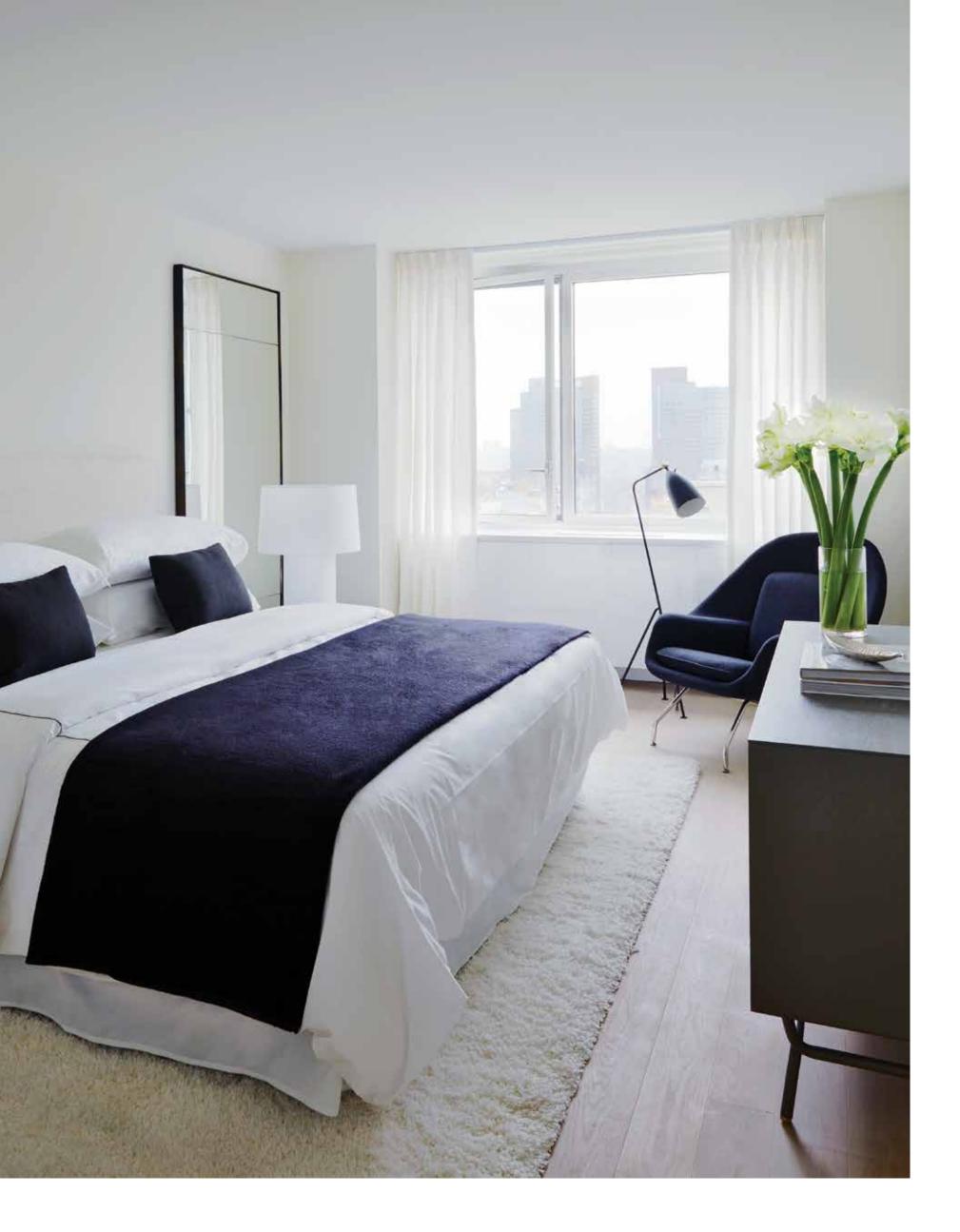
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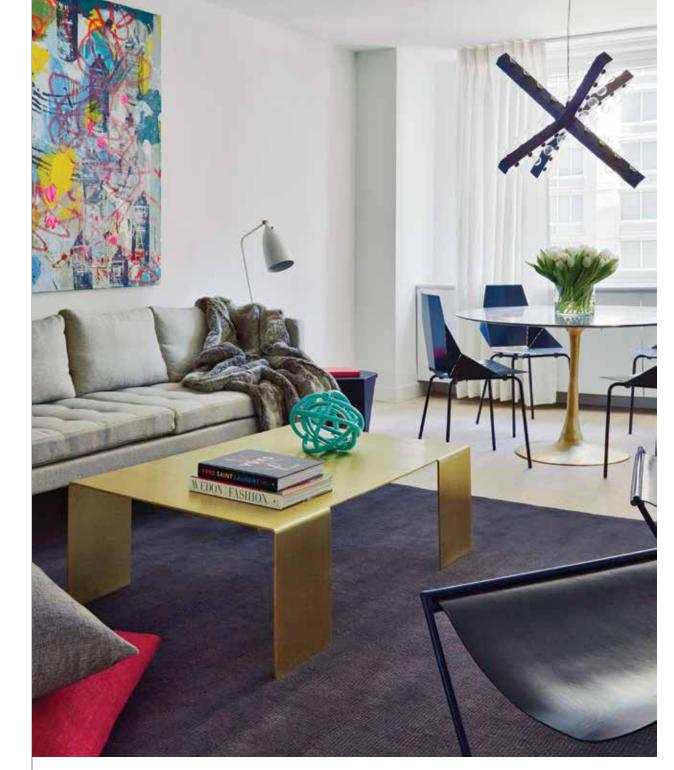
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The One Bedroom Collection

For the Manhattan dweller, The One Bedroom Collection, also available in open plan, is the perfect place to entertain or be entertained, a comfortable space in which to host guests for a dinner party or conveniently access the city's rich culture.

Stylish and uncluttered, each one bedroom residence features the finest modern touches, including sleek white lacquer and polished chrome finishes, a Bertazzoni gas range, Quirky Aros air conditioning, contemporary appliances and a luxury bathroom.

Close to work and transportation, an urban professional's dream, the west facing onebedroom residences boast river views and daily sunset magic.





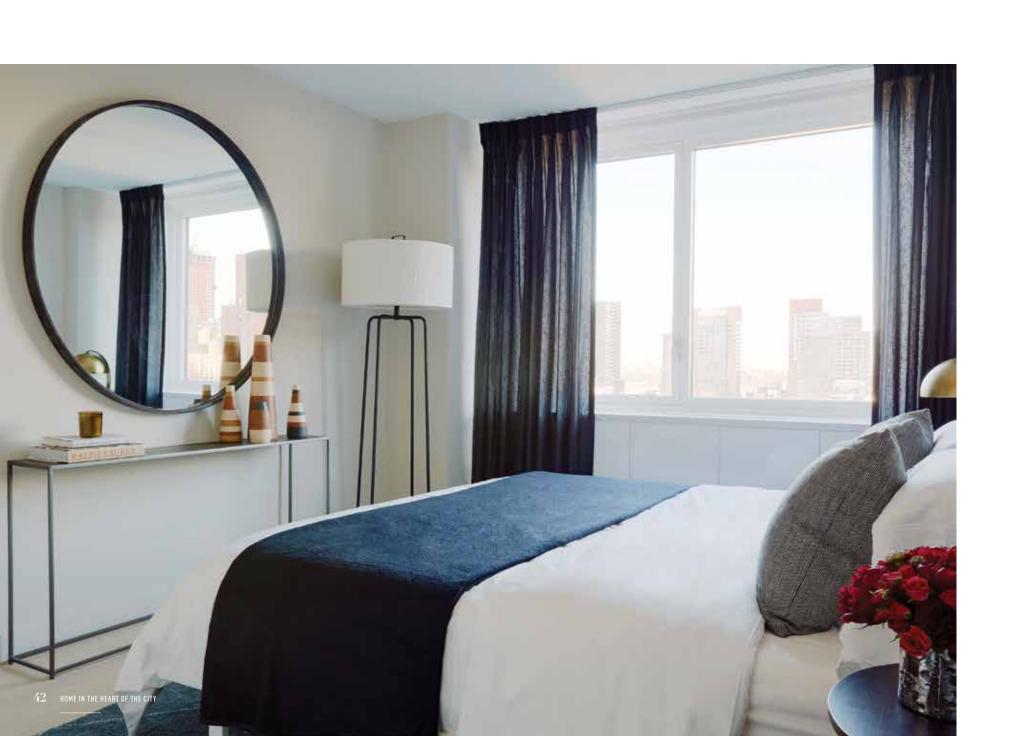


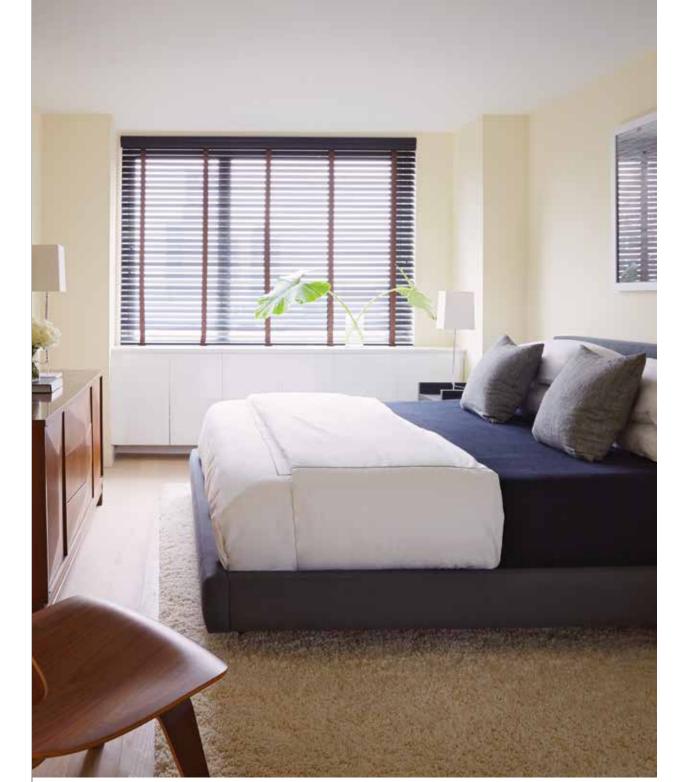


Whether you're looking for a place to call home or a comfortable pied-a-terre, the two bedroom collection is a modern dream, with contemporary fixtures, a 30" Bertazzoni gas range, 24" Bosch washer/ dryer and Quirky Aros air conditioning.

Two-bedroom residences feature flexible layouts and large, natural light-filled rooms that are perfect for entertaining.
Come home to a luxurious king-sized master bedroom, with the option to convert the second bedroom into a guest room, office space, or a cozy den.

The two-bedroom residence is also offered as a corner unit, which features double as a corner unit, which features double exposure, split bedrooms, a living space surrounded by expansive windows with a separate dining area. All west-facing two-bedroom residences have first class views of Manhattan, the Hudson River, and glorious sunsets over both.

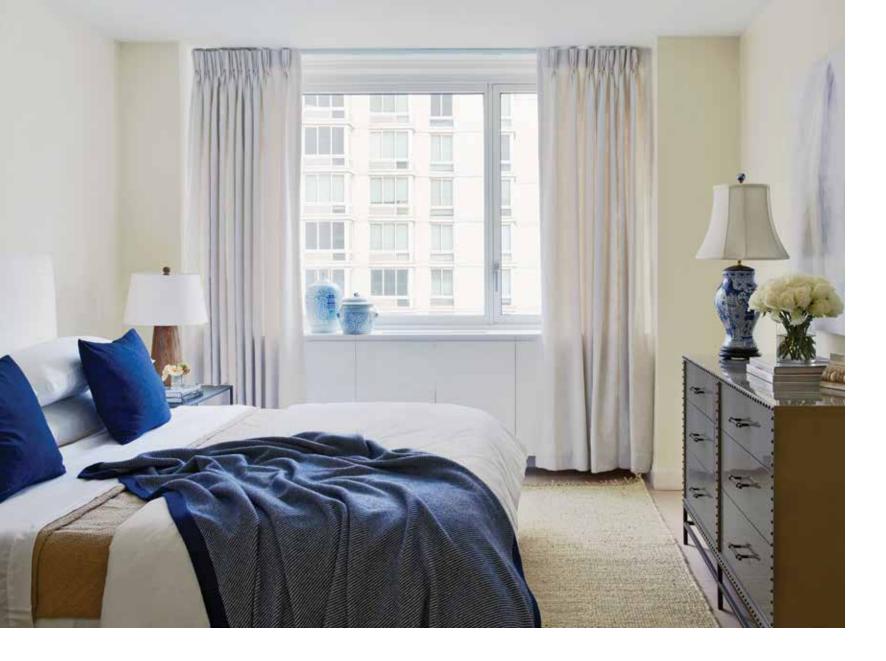




The Two Bedroom Collection









The
Three Bedroom
Collection





If you're looking to make a commitment to a neighborhood you love, three bedroom residences are the perfect investment for the consummate Manhattanite.

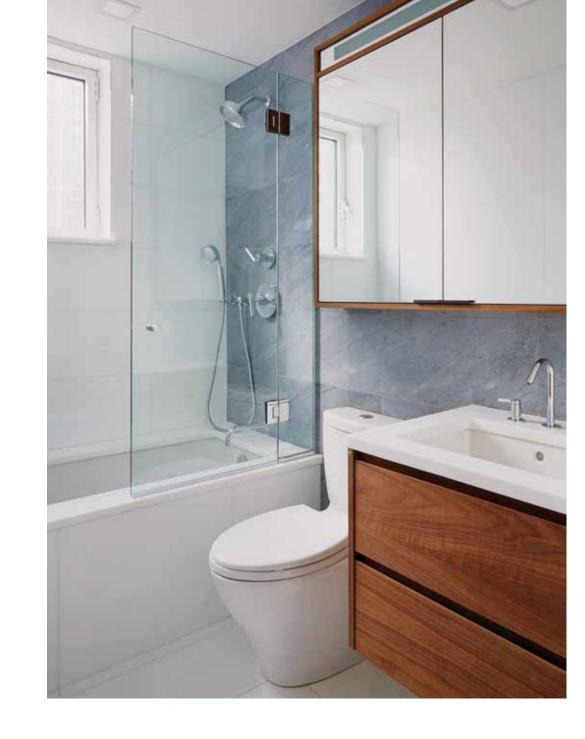
Ideal for couples or families, the three bedroom collection is as sleek, modern and as fitted with first class appliances as its one and two bedroom counterparts, including 30" Bertazzoni gas range, microwave, dishwasher and washer/dryer by Bosch, and Quirky Aros air-conditioning with the added luxury of two full bathrooms. These extra baths are windowed and the master bathroom boasts a spectacular Bardiglio marble feature wall.

The three bedroom collection is offered as corner residences, with functional, open layouts, and is perfect for active couples and families seeking to create a home in the exciting central hub of the city. Accessible to work, entertainment, culture and child friendly, the three bedroom is a portal to improving upon an already rich lifestyle.





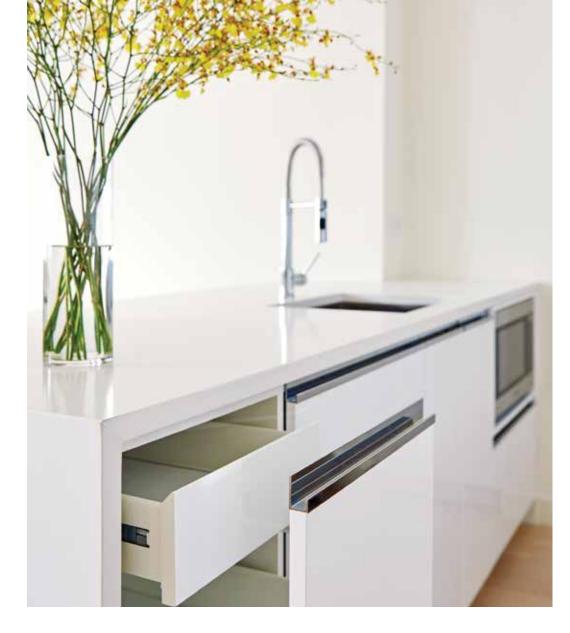




Bathrooms



All residences come with beautiful, luxury bathrooms featuring a custom vanity and medicine cabinet fitted with Kohler fixtures, Glassos white marble floors, a spectacular mosaic tile accent wall and ecofriendly dual flush Toto toilets. The three bedroom collection exclusively features a second bathroom with a Bardiglio marble feature wall.



Kitchens



All residences come with state-of-the-art kitchens with simple, chic, contemporary fixtures. With sleek white lacquer and polished chrome cabinetry, white quartz countertops, a Bertazzoni gas range, and microwave and dishwasher by Bosch, these kitchens will make cooking and entertaining a breeze.

All appliances are built-in to create a streamlined, clutter-free environment, and all closures are pneumatic to ensure harmoniously quiet living.

