

C. New Orleans, LA Culinary Legacy Award

Hosts: Dames Stephanie Carter of Eater, Kristen Essig of Coquette, Liz Williams of the Southern Food and Beverage Museum, and Nina Compton of Compere Lapin.

This varied week in New Orleans will involve cooking, sourcing, restaurant ownership and entrepreneurship.

Fellow Dame/Chef Kristen Essig will host this Legacy Award winner at her restaurant Coquette. The experience will involve working with Kristen in the kitchen, as well as heading with Kristen to a small urban farm that supplies many of the restaurant's specialty products. Kristen is in the process of opening a second restaurant, so the winner will also get to learn a little about that process.

Dame Liz Williams, founder of the Southern Food and Beverage Museum, would provide a private tour and have lunch with the winner at Toups South in the museum.

Our chapter plans to take the winner to Compere Lapin, one of the most lauded new restaurants in the country (owned by fellow Dame Nina Compton).

Dame Caroline Rosen has a gorgeous Airbnb in the French Quarter for accommodations.