

SECRET MIAMI

19 Exceptional Sushi Restaurants In Miami That Are On A Roll!

Whether you're looking for the freshest sashimi or the ultimate omakase experience, these mouthwatering sushi spots have taken the city by storm. 🍣

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Listen up, sushi lovers! You know that Miami's sushi scene does not disappoint. There are plenty of options to choose from, from the highest quality sushi to authentic Japanese cuisine and Latin fusions. Whether you're in the mood for a traditional roll or something a bit more adventurous, we've got you covered. Here are some of the best sushi spots in Miami, so grab your chopsticks and prepare to let the good times roll!

1. Makoto, Bal Harbour

Bal Harbour Shops is not your average mall and Makoto is not your average Japanese cuisine. Named for Iron Chef Makoto Okuwa, this chic modern restaurant presents innovative takes on Asian classics. Perfect for a [romantic date](#), [special occasion](#) or lunch with friends, Makoto sits up to 200 people in an **elegant dining room and patio** while highlighting its main attractions — the sushi bar, selections of sake and bincho-charcoal robata grill.

Find it at 9700 Collins Ave, Miami Beach, FL.

2. Uchi Miami, Wynwood

Japanese for “home,” Uchi presents a non-traditional take through its delicately designed menu, from **dishes separated by serving temperatures** to its **omakase** based on seasonal items to a **vast selection of beets, wines, spirits and sakes**. You can witness chefs in action from the sushi counter, and dine in Uchi's sophisticated floorpan or take a seat on the outdoor wraparound patio, all while delighting in thoughtfully prepared dishes.

Find it at 252 NW 25th St., Miami, FL.

3. Sushi by Bou, multiple locations

This popular spot is committed to the “omakase” method. It’s all about leaving it up to the chef as they prepare a timed 12-piece omakase. If you’re wondering what a timed omakase is at Sushi by Bou, it’s either a 30-minute or 60-minute meal at the sushi counter where sushi lovers can enjoy delicious food and have a fantastic time in the company of the restaurant’s experienced chefs.

And if you are a foodie looking to experience even more culinary adventures, Dining in the Dark: Sushi “Omakase” Edition is definitely for you. As well as tasting a 12-course sushi menu, you’ll be experiencing an elevated meal thanks to the use of a blindfold. Put your taste buds to the test this season!

They have four locations in South Florida: Palm Beach Gardens, Boca Raton, West Palm Beach and Fort Lauderdale.

4. Wabi Sabi Miami, Upper Eastside

Of course, we’re not going to bring you a list that doesn’t feature authentic Japanese food, so here’s one that offers a fresh, high quality selection of sushi and donburi that come in plates **resembling works of art**. In fact, works of art just like the decorative colorful origami cranes all over their wall. From traditional rolls to hand rolls, omakase platters, vegetarian bites and even private dining experiences, there’s truly **something for everyone** at Wabi Sabi.

Find it at 851 NE 79th St., Miami, FL

5. Pubbelly Sushi, multiple locations

Blending Chef Jose Mendín’s inventive and flavorful **Latin take on Pan-Asian classics**, this hip eatery serves dishes like **grilled short ribs, spiced sashimi and sushi rolls** stuffed with whatever you can think of. Take a bite of their heat roll; spicy tuna, nori tempura flakes, albacore, garlic ponzu and aioli; and their Wagyu beef tartare roll; gochujang mustard, avocado, sesame, truffle poached egg.

They have five South Florida locations: Aventura, Brickell, Miami Beach, Dadeland and Pembroke Pines.

6. Sushi | Bar

Boasting a **delightful selection of nigiri** and **speakeasy-like charm**, it's no wonder Sushi | Bar is one of the best restaurants for omakase in the city. Tucked away in the paseos of the Esmé Hotel, this place brings an **intimate dinner setting with only 12 seats** where you'll sit right up to the chef's cutting boards. Their offerings shift quite often and exquisite add-ons like caviar and truffle are available.

Find it at 1438 Washington Ave, Miami Beach, FL.

7. Moshi Moshi, multiple locations

In Japanese, "moshi moshi" is a casual greeting used when picking up the phone, and we can't think of a more welcoming sushi restaurant than this **neon-lit, late night sushi spot**. They serve traditional Japanese dishes like sushi, sashimi, fried rice, ramen and teriyaki. And in multicultural Miami fashion, they also have **homemade ceviches and tiraditos**. With a **24-hour menu**, you can count on them whenever you have a sushi craving.

They have three locations: Brickell, the MiMo District and South Beach.

8. KAE Sushi, Coral Gables

Take a walk down Giralda Avenue where you'll come across Chef Efra Landa's KAE Sushi. This is not only a Japanese restaurant, it **fuses Peruvian and other exotic flavors** that will delight any palate. Chef's recommendations include their toro & caviar roll, with nori, avocado, shrimp tempura, toro, truffle caviar, ahi amarillo and yuzu ponzu; a sashimi platter with 4 pieces of raw salmon, tuna and hamachi; as well as a 5-piece guava roll, including nori, tempura shrimp, scallions, guava, cream cheese and eel sauce.

Find it at 143 Giralda Ave, Coral Gables, FL.

9. Chotto Matte, Miami Beach

Helmed by renowned restaurateur Kurt Zdesar, Chotto Matte **blends Japanese and Peruvian culinary traditions** to celebrate the very best of innovative cuisine. The elaborate menu includes a wide selection of **à la carte shareables** for the entire table to enjoy such as their dragon roll filled with shrimp tempura, salmon, avocado and unagi sauce, as well as their Wagyu foie gras Gunkan with A5 sirloin.

Find it at 1666 Lenox Ave, Miami Beach, FL.

10. Negroni Bistro & Sushi Bar, Midtown

As we all know, Negronis are timeless, refreshing Italian cocktails. This bistro named after the drink not only serves them, but it also features many international foods on its menu. And heading on over to their **nikkei sushi bar**, they offer a special selection of rolls, nigiri and more. Guests are also **welcome to bring their furry** friends (just ask a server for the doggie menu) to relax on the outdoor patio.

Find it at 3201 Buena Vista Blvd, Miami, FL.

11. Sushi by Scratch

You're in for an absolute treat at Sushi by Scratch, an **unconventional omakase spot** inhabiting the historic Stirrup House in Coconut Grove. Often **described as a theatrical dinner, diners** can expect **17 courses** of pure deliciousness, manned by a team of three talented chefs and one bartender, as they observe and participate in the show. Reservations do go fast and there are **only 10 seats**, so you better act fast!

12. Kosushi Miami Beach

Located in South Pointe, this hotspot is known for its authentic yet contemporary take on traditional **Japanese cuisine with Brazilian flavors** created by Michelin Star Award-winning Chef George Koshoji. For all salmon lovers out there, try the salmon truffle maki filled with whitefish, salmon, avocado, truffle dressing and micro greens. This dish goes great paired with their **selection of sakis** such as the Joto nigori sake.

Find it at 801 South Pointe Dr, Miami Beach, FL.

13. KAO Sushi & Grill, Coral Gables

A true miracle located on Miracle Mile with **Buenos Aires roots**, KAO will satisfy your taste buds with its light full flavors of Japanese food infused with warm Peruvian touches. Take a seat in this modern, yet chic setting and bask in the **creative presentations of each plate**. We recommend their colorful volcano roll, which includes rice, seaweed, crab with spicy mayonnaise and eel sauce, avocado, sesame seeds, togarashi and tempura red flakes which gives the unique appearance of a fiery volcano eruption.

Find it at 127 Miracle Mile, Coral Gables, FL.

14. The Den at Sushi Azabu, Miami Beach

Let's talk about a real hidden gem, and one that has been **awarded a Michelin star**. This **exclusive omakase room** is tucked behind a sliding door in the Stanton South Beach Hotel. There, you're face-to-face with Tokyo-trained chefs serving you an elevated sushi dinner. **Fish is flown in directly from Japan**, making you feel as if you've been transported to a fish market without ever leaving Miami Beach. We have to warn you: Michelin-starred dining spots can be pricey. You want to check out their menu before reserving a spot on their waitlist.

Find it at 1601 Ocean Dr, Miami Beach, FL.

15. Hiden, Wynwood

This is another **Michelin-starred restaurant** that's also "hidden" (hence the name) and you want to check out their price point before reserving. Have you ever walked into a taco shop but never ended up ordering tacos? Inspired by the tales of small secret omakase restaurants in Japan, Hiden is found through a secret door **inside of casual eatery The Taco Stand**. Oh, and we should mention that there's only eight seats. From the menu, the Michelin guide recommends their "beautiful slabs of tuna, sweet botan ebi, and generous portions of uni."

Find it at 313 NW 25th St., Miami, FL.

16. PLANTA Queen, Coconut Grove

Let's go over to Coconut Grove for **vegan, plant-based eats**. And **that includes sushi**. However, don't be alarmed if you're a meat lover expecting a ton of vegetables on a plate — these dishes do not skip out on the flavor. This Asian-inspired cuisine by Chef David Lee reimagines plant-based meals as a means for bettering health, our communities and our overall planet. PLANTA's rainbow roll features ahi watermelon, slaw, avocado, gachujang and peanuts; and their baked crab roll features hearts of palm, spicy mayo and ponzu.

Find it at 3015 Grand Ave, Coconut Grove, FL.

17. Zuma, Downtown

An exceptional view elevates any experience, especially when you're dining on sushi in a chic Japanese hotspot **overlooking the Miami River**. Located in the heart of downtown Miami, Chef Rainer Becker brings an internationally-acclaimed style of

modern izakaya dining from the robata grill and kitchen to your plate. The menu features a variety of delicious sashimi and sushi dishes that range from Hokkaido uni (Japanese sea urchin) to Wagyu Gunkan (Wagyu beef sushi, daikon and fresh black truffle).

Find it at 270 Biscayne Blvd Way, Miami, FL.

18. Sushi Garage, multiple locations

First opened in **what was once a car body shop**, Sushi Garage is a casual yet sleek sushi spot filled with a **sea of koi fish sculptures** and **natural hues of greens and natural wood finishes**, giving the space a modern and organic feel. Expect menu items like sushi, nigiri, **tempura dishes, grilled fish in every variety, noodles, soups and salads**. If you're in the mood for classic Japanese flavors, then this is the spot for you.

They have three locations: Miami Beach, Coconut Grove (Cocowalk) and Las Olas.

19. Queen Miami Beach

For those seeking a **more lavish, yet equally delicious** sushi experience, Queen Miami Beach is the perfect choice. Upon arrival at the historic Paris Theater, make your way to the second floor lounge, whose curtains open to reveal the speakeasy-style enclave known as Queen Omakase. The personalized omakase experience here offers a **13- to 15-course journey** led by third-generation sushi virtuoso, Chef Max Kamakura, and is limited to two seating options on Tuesdays through Saturdays.

Find it at 550 Washington Ave, Miami Beach, FL.

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