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The Thompson Chicago boasts some of the most unique event spaces for weddings and social events. The Chicago 7 Ballroom features floor to ceiling windows with unparalleled views of the stunning architecture of the historic Gold Coast neighborhood.

Voted as one of 2015's best events spaces by Crain's Chicago Business.



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## // *Menu Inclusions*

- + Selection of Four (4) Passed Hors d'oeuvres
- + Four (4) Hour Standard Bar
- + Champagne Toast
- + House Red & White Wine served with Dinner
- + Three (3) Course Dinner Menu to Include: Salad, Entrée & Dessert
- + Six inch Ceremonial Wedding Cake and Custom Sweet Table created by Executive Pastry Chef Amanda Rockman
- + Regular & Decaffeinated Intelligentsia Coffee & Assorted Teas

## // *Concessions*

- + Complimentary Loft Suite for the Couple on the night of the event
- + Complimentary upgrade to a Junior Suite for parents of the Couple
- + Special guest room rates for the wedding guests
- + Discounted parking rates for guests
- + Complimentary floor length linens and napkins
- + Complimentary custom up-lighting throughout event space
- + Votive candles on all guest tables
- + One Complimentary Menu Tasting for up to Four (4) guests



# SAMPLE WEDDING MENU

## // *Passed Hors d'Oeuvres*

- + Seared beef carpaccio on brioche with truffle crema
- + Tuna tartare with fennel and chive
- + Wild mushroom crostini with parmesan fonduta
- + Bolognese stuffed arancini

## // *First Course*

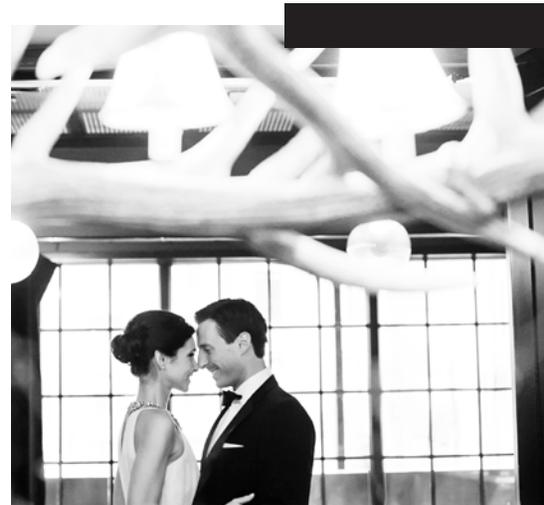
- + Gem Lettuce and Escarole Salad with crimini mushrooms, fennel and cara cara oranges

## // *Second Course*

- + **Beef:** Roasted beef tenderloin with truffle fondue, Nico crispy potatoes and mushroom sott'olio
- + **Fish:** Salmon (Market Fish) with braised greens, garbanzo beans in a caponata vinaigrette
- + **Vegetarian:** Wild mushroom risotto

## // *Third Course*

- + Assorted Mini Pastries Created by Nico Osteria Executive Pastry Chef Amanda Rockman
- + Nico Torte
- + Lemon Tart
- + Nico Tiramisu
- + Chocolate Budino
- + Coffee Walnut Tart
- + Buttermilk Pannacotta



# BRUNCH BUFFET

- + Fresh seasonal fruit platter
- + **Choice of four savory items:**
  - + Soft-scrambled eggs with seasonal vegetables
  - + Fontina and aged balsamic
  - + Market salad with seasonal vegetables
  - + Pancakes with honey, Burton's maple syrup, and jam
- + Antipasti platter of grilled & marinated vegetables
- + Shaved porchetta sandwich with fried egg, giardinera, & arugula
- + **Choice of two breakfast meats:**
  - + Maple bacon
  - + Low-fat turkey bacon
  - + Maple breakfast sausage or Cotechino verde sausage
- + **Choice of three pastry items:**
  - + Assorted cornetti (plain or chocolate)
  - + Bombolini with honey, fior de latte, & nutella
  - + Apple roman cake, or Seasonal crostada



# REHEARSAL DINNER

## // *Nico Family Feast*

### + **Antipasti Salad:**

- + Escarole, grilled treviso, & lettuces with PQM salami, pecorino Toscano, pickled peppers, and astelvetrano olives

### + **Antipasti (choose one):**

- + Olive-oil poached tuna with salsa verde, chickpeas, olives, and chili
- + Prosciutto with seasonal fruit & aged balsamic
- + Salumi platters with seasonal accompaniments
- + Cheese platters with seasonal accompaniments

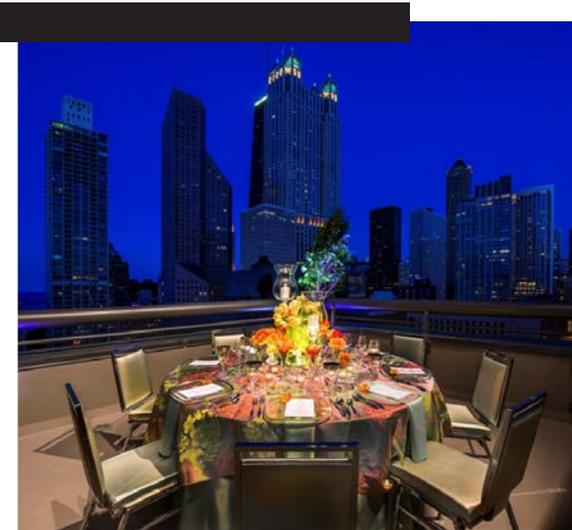
### + **Fett'unta by Nico (choose one)**

- + Marinated beets with bagna vert, feta cheese, and herb salad
- + Straciatella, Brussels sprouts, lemon, honey, and parsley

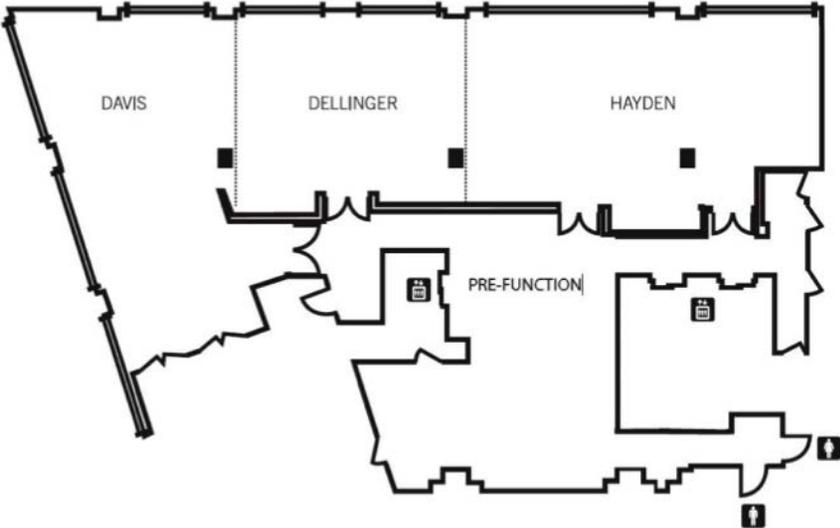
- + Porcini Rubbed Beef Tenderloin with roasted vegetables and polenta

### + **Plated Dessert (choose one):**

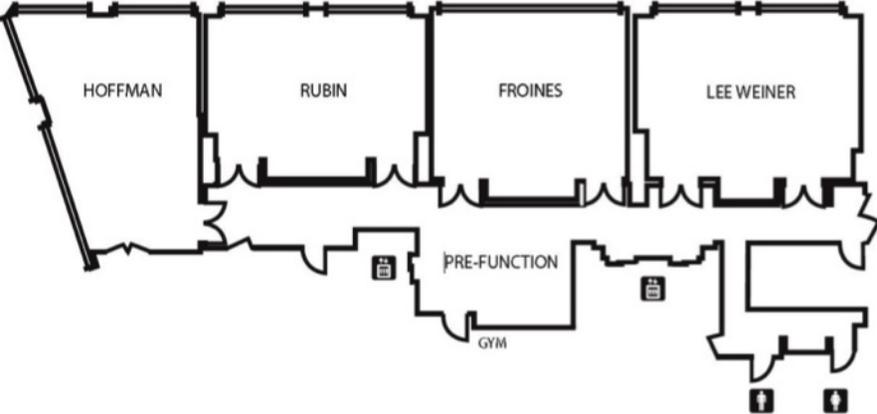
- + Chocolate budino: evoo, cocoa nib nougatine, salt
- + Chestnut honey semifreddo: apple, raisin, almond streusel
- + White chocolate cheesecake: seasonal fruit (rhubarb, strawberry, citrus, etc)
- + Nico tiramisu



# EVENT SPACE CAPACITY



*Top //* Located on the 3rd floor is our Chicago 7 Ballroom, consisting of the Davis, Dellinger and Hayden rooms. A spacious Pre-function space awaits outside of the room and can be used for buffets, breaks and receptions. Customizable digital signage and reader boards are located on both floors as well as the lobby.



*Bottom //* Located one floor up on the 4th floor are four separate rooms, Hoffman, Rubin, Froines and Lee Weiner. Both floors can be accessed by a private elevator from the lobby as well as two guest elevators.



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