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NEW ORLEANS COCKTAIL GUIDE

Business District

Couchon (930 Tchoupitoulas St.)

Skip the wait for a table and belly up to the bar for one perfect old fashioned and a little green monster (don't ask; just order).

Seaworthy (630 Carondelet St.)

This cozy cocktail bar is quaint, inviting, and serves up a killer menu of unique creations.

Garden District/Uptown

Cure (4905 Freret St.)

The gorgeous back-lit wall of liquor bottles is reason enough to visit this haunt; the cocktails are reason enough to stay.

Bywater

Bacchanal (600 Poland Ave.)

Ok, this isn't a cocktail bar, but it is a must-visit. Order a bottle of vino from the bottle shop at the front of house, then park it in the garden full of string lights and the kind of live music NOLA is known for.

French Quarter

Cane and Table (1113 Decatur St.)

Though this spot is known for their incredibly unique tiki selection, their takes on the classics are equally as impressive.

Latitude 29 (321 N. Peters St.)

I missed this spot, which was a huge mistake, as it's probably one of the most renowned tiki bars in the country.

French 75 (813 Bienville St.)

Still on my list, but supposedly serves one of the best gin-and-sparkling cocktails, which gave the bar its name.

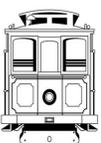
Carousel Bar (214 Royal St.)

Yes, it's a little touristy. And yes, it will be probably be busy. But the rotating bar is just as magical as you'd expect it to be.

Bar Tonique (820 N. Rampart St.)

This spot boasts a menu full of creative cocktails, and a rotating list of specials featuring NOLA staples like the Pimm's Cup.

BEYOND THE SIP!



Ride the street car down St. Charles, stopping at St. Roch Market for oysters and chicory coffee.



Venture outside of NOLA's city limits for a can't-be-missed swamp tour through the bayous of backcountry.



Bike through the Garden District, taking in the beautiful homes, eerie cemetery and lush greenery.



Go antiquing on Magazine Street, ending the day with the 5-course chef's menu at the lovely Coquette.