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Much Ado at the Maison

The summer sizzles at Kelly Wearstler-designed boutique hotel **Maison 140** with French-inspired jazz and silent film nights at the intoxicating Bar Noir. 140 Lasky Dr., 310-281-4000; maison140beverlyhills.com. J.M.H.



Parisian chic meets Far East at Maison 140.

RITZY RINGERS The bandwidth on sparkle widens as Vertu's new boutique features the latest in luxury cell phones. 214 N. Rodeo Dr., 310-385-7647; vertu.com.



Susan Casden

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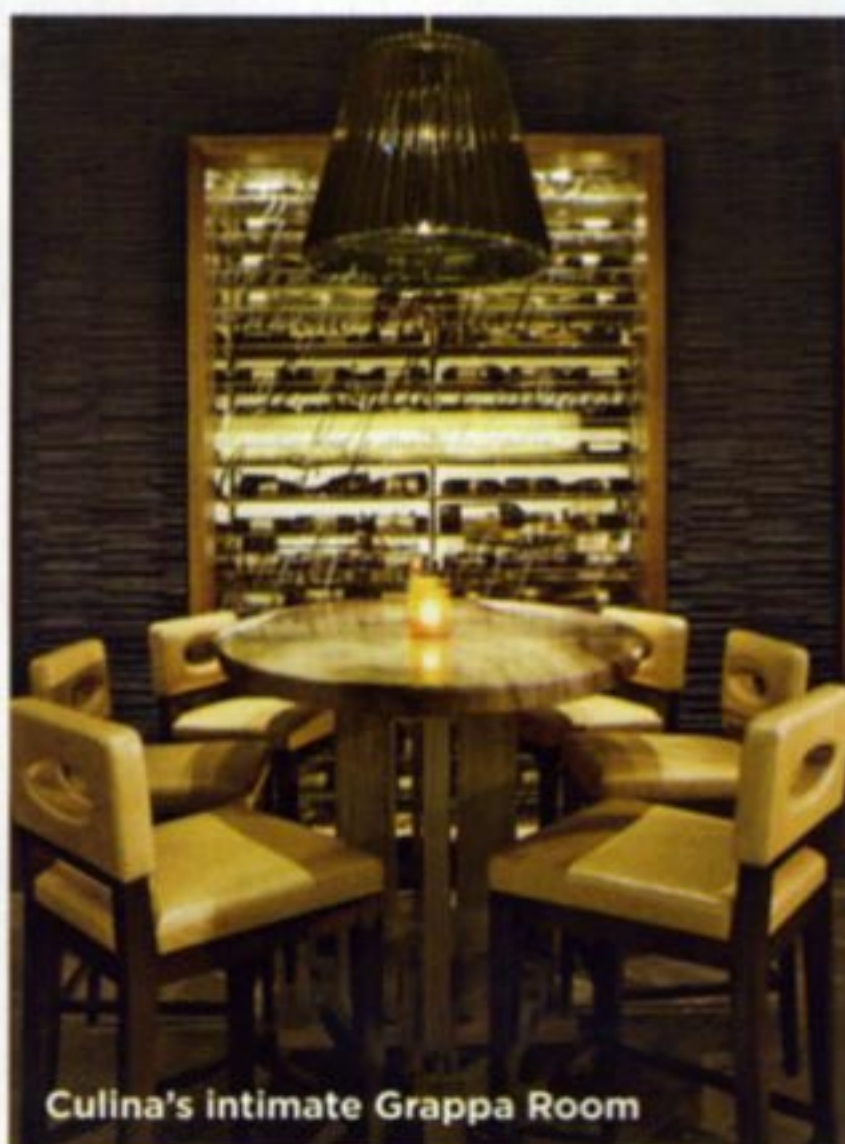
AN INSIDER'S BEST BETS IN BEVERLY HILLS

A jet-setting fund-raiser and philanthropist, Susan Casden is most at home in Beverly Hills. **WILLIAM ERNEST BROWN PAPERIE** "Everything for your stationery wardrobe." 310-278-5620. • **CHANEL** "My all-time favorite designer boutique." 310-278-5500. • **CUT** "The Nebraska dry-aged sirloin is my favorite steak." 310-275-5200. • **THE PENINSULA** "The best service and a well-equipped Spa." 310-551-2888. J.M.H.



A Season to Taste

Pushing the hotel restaurant forward, the Four Seasons on Doheny Drive has Beverly Hills abuzz with the newly reopened **Culina**. Modern in its clean, pared-down approach but rooted in the classic Italian emphasis on pure flavor, Culina's rotating menu offers standout delicacies—from a deftly turned out branzino to the most finely executed spaghetti alla chitarra in town. 300 S. Doheny Dr., 310-860-4000; culinarestaurant.com. N.C.



Culina's intimate Grappa Room

Va Va Vintage

Two years after launching **V Vintage**, Jill Garland is expanding her original high-end accessory trove by taking her well-sourced discoveries to a larger space downstairs. Fave finds: Fendi clutches, Art Bas belts and impeccable costume jewelry. No appointment necessary. 427 N. Cañon Dr., 310-786-8277; vvintage90210.com. A.S.