

*Student cooking competition and scholarship fundraiser kicks off in March with  
Culinary Arts and Hospitality Students*

Video Highlight of a 2019 Dinner: <https://bit.ly/2OqBXKy>

San Francisco (February 19, 2020) – Ten students in Culinary Arts &  
Hospitality Studies have been chosen to participate in the annual Culinary Clash at the  
[Luce](#) restaurant and

so proud and impressed with the students who take part in the program and grateful to the hotel culinary teams for giving them a unique experience outside of our classrooms.”

The Culinary Arts and Hospitality Studies Department at CCSF was founded in 1936 and is one of the longest running culinary programs in the country. Its graduates have gone on to own and operate renowned restaurants in the Bay Area and include Jeff Hanak (Nopa, Nopalito, Liholiho Yacht Club), Belinda Leong (b. Patisserie) and Sam Mogannam (Bi-Rite).

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CCSF students are invited to submit menus and recipes to their advisors and the hotel team. They are asked to prepare them to fit within a particular price point and style to mimic a working kitchen environment. The selected students are then organized into teams of two and work closely with the chefs at [Luce](#) at the InterContinental San Francisco or [Nob Hill Club](#)

Culinary Clash, please visit [www.intercontinentalsanfrancisco.com](http://www.intercontinentalsanfrancisco.com) or [www.intercontinentalmarkhopkins.com](http://www.intercontinentalmarkhopkins.com).

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Located in San Francisco's urban SOMA district, the InterContinental San Francisco is a 4-star luxury hotel adjacent to the recently expanded Moscone Center and within a short, scenic stroll of the city's financial, entertainment and shopping districts. The InterContinental San Francisco offers 556 guest rooms, including 14 suites, featuring a stunning duplex Presidential Suite with sweeping city skyline and San Francisco Bay views. The Hotel's 43,000 square feet of meeting and function space includes two spectacular ballrooms and 21 meeting rooms on the 3rd, 4th and 5th floors, where flexible configurations provide for events requiring 400 to 1,600 square feet. Establishing new standards for design, luxury, amenities, and commitment to guest satisfaction, the Hotel offers the Michelin-starred Luce Restaurant and lobby level Bar 888, in addition to a state-of-the-art fitness center and indoor heated lap-pool. InterContinental San Francisco is located at 888 Howard Street in San Francisco. [www.intercontinentalsanfrancisco.com](http://www.intercontinentalsanfrancisco.com) or 415-616-6500

Located on the top of prestigious Nob Hill at the intersection of California and Mason Streets, the InterContinental Mark Hopkins, a historic landmark, is a regular stop on the California Street cable car line. Just minutes away from the financial and theatre districts as well as Union Square and Chinatown, this hotel is also home to the Top of the

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