

## Celebrity Chef Michael Mina Set To Open Pabu Restaurant In Boston

Sushi bar set to come to downtown Boston in the fall of 2016.

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Michelin-starred celebrity chef Michael Mina and sushi chef Ken Tominaga will be bringing a sushi bar restaurant called Pabu to downtown Boston in the fall of 2016. It is slated to open at Millennium Downtown Boston.

The latest development in the long-time partnership between Mina Group and developer Millennium Partners sees Mina venturing into New England for the first time and building on a thriving culinary scene. A Pabu restaurant is currently open in San Francisco.

Diners are taken through a traditional izakaya experience at the Japanese restaurant bar. Seafood is flown in fresh from Japan's famed Tsukiji market and the beef menu offers a wide selection of cuts, including Japanese and US Wagyu. From robatayaki and tempura to rice, noodles and soup dishes, sharing items are also available.

For a more immersive culinary experience, diners can go for chef Tominaga's omakase nigiri menu with the option to add a saké pairing. The saké is part of the beverage menu and features premium saké from Japan's top breweries.

Mina said: "I am so humbled to join Boston's incredibly vibrant food scene and be a part of the transformation of downtown Boston. Since my very first restaurant Aqua, I've always had a strong desire

to be in Boston because of the region's access to such great seafood and product. We have a lot of guests, as well as great industry friends, who reside in the city so we know the bar is set high."

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