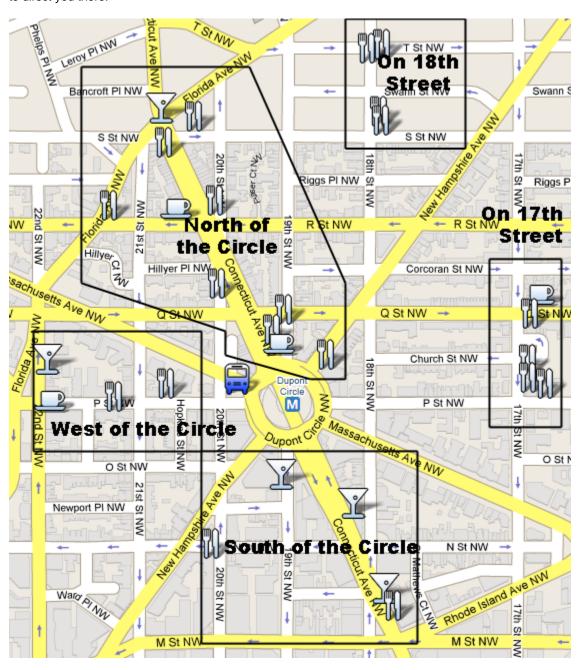
# **Restaurants near Dupont Circle**

This list describes some of the many restaurants, bars, and cafes around Dupont Circle.

**Getting to Dupont Circle**: From the Mowatt Lane Parking Garage, turn left and follow Mowatt Lane and Guilford Road to US Route 1 (Baltimore Ave). Turn right (south) onto US 1. Once on Route 1, drive south for about 7 miles all the way down town. (Its name will change to Rhode Island Ave after a couple of miles.) As you get closer to down town, you will drive through one traffic circle, Logan Circle at P and 13<sup>th</sup>. Go straight through Logan Circle (exiting onto Rhode Island Ave.) In a couple of blocks you will come to a second traffic circle, Scott Circle at N and 16<sup>th</sup>. At Scott Circle take the second exit onto Massachusetts Ave. In a few blocks you will come to Dupont Circle. Park anywhere in the area. You can hunt for a spot on one of the side streets. If you get impatient, you can opt for a parking garage in the area. If you get lost, Dupont Circle is at P and 19<sup>th</sup> Streets NW. Any pedestrian should be able to direct you there.



Price estimates: Annotations:

\$: less than \$10 options V: Vegetarian friendly

\$\$: \$10 - \$20 entree options VV: Vegetarian and vegan friendly

\$\$\$: greater than \$20 entree options K: Kosher

#### West of the Circle:

Brickskellar (22nd between P and Q): Laid-back bar with a giant selection of beer. \$

SoHo Coffee Shop (22nd and P): Coffee shop with good food. Open very late. \$

Uni: A Sushi Place (P between 21st and 22nd): Laid-back sushi restaurant with good but not great sushi. VV \$\$ (202) 833-8038

Pizzeria Paradiso (P between 20th and 21st): Excellent brick oven pizza place. Very small and can have a long wait during peak times (no reservations), but worth the wait. Soy mozzarella available. VV \$\$ 202-223-1245

# North of the Circle:

Starbucks (Connecticut and the circle)

Dupont Grill (New Hampshire on the circle): American cuisine. Casual. \$\$\$ 202-939-9596

Afterwards Cafe at Kramer Books (Connecticut between the circle and Q): Varied American and fusion options and outdoor seating. Take a look around the bookstore too. \$\$ (202) 387-1400

Raku (19th and Q): Asian fusion restaurant with outdoor seating. VV \$\$ 202-265-7258

Zorba's (20th near Connecticut): Greek restaurant without table service. Outdoor seating. VV \$ (202) 387-8555

Teaism (R between Connecticut and 21st): Excellent tea house with a nice selection of food as well. VV \$

La Tomate (Connecticut and R): Italian bistro. 202-667-5505

Restaurant Nora (Florida and R): Organic upscale restaurant. VV \$\$\$ 202-462-5143

**Bistro du Coin** (Connecticut near S): A nice French place. It gets pretty crowded and probably needs a reservation. Very good mussels. \$\$\$ (202) 234-6969

Russia House (Connecticut and Florida): Upscale vodka bar. \$\$

**Thaiphoon** (S between Connecticut and 20th): Trendy Thai restaurant especially popular for cocktails. VV \$\$ (202) 667-3505

## On 18<sup>th</sup> Street:

**Mandu** (18th near S): Korean restaurant with some outdoor seating and laid-back atmosphere. Good happy hour deals. VV \$\$ (202) 588-1540

Rosmary's Thyme Bistro (18th and S): Mediterranean Bistro (202) 332 3200 http://rosemarysthyme.com/

Straits of Malaya (18th and T): Very good Malaysian/Chinese food. Casual \$\$ 202-483-1483

Lauriol Plaza (18th and T): Very popular trendy Tex-Mex restaurant with a nice outdoor seating area. \$\$ 202-387-0035

# On 17<sup>th</sup> Street:

**Java House** (Q near 17th): Considered by many to have the best coffee in the neighborhood. The gazpacho is excellent. Outdoor seating. \$

Trio Restaurant (17th and Q): Upscale diner food. Nice outdoor seating. Can get loud in the evenings. V \$\$ 202-232-6305

Komi (17th between P and Q): Award-winning Greek inspired restaurant. \$\$\$ (202) 332-9200

Sushi Taro (17th and P): Entrance to the left of the CVS. Upscale sushi restaurant. \$\$\$ (202) 462-8999

Skewers (P between 17th and 16th): Mediterranean restaurant. VV \$\$ (202) 387-7400

### South of the Circle:

Eli's Restaurant (20th and N): Kosher deli offers the usual deli sandwiches, hamburgers, and matzo ball soup. K \$\$ (202) 785-4314

Buffalo Billiards (19th below the circle): Bar with pool tables, dart boards, etc. \$

Cafe Citron (Connecticut near N): Latin bar. \$

**Lucky Bar** (Connecticut between N and M): Salsa dancing and lessons starting at 8pm on Mondays. Dress code is business casual. \$

Julia's Empanadas (Connecticut between N and M): Take-out only empanadas. A local chain. VV \$ (202) 861-8828

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