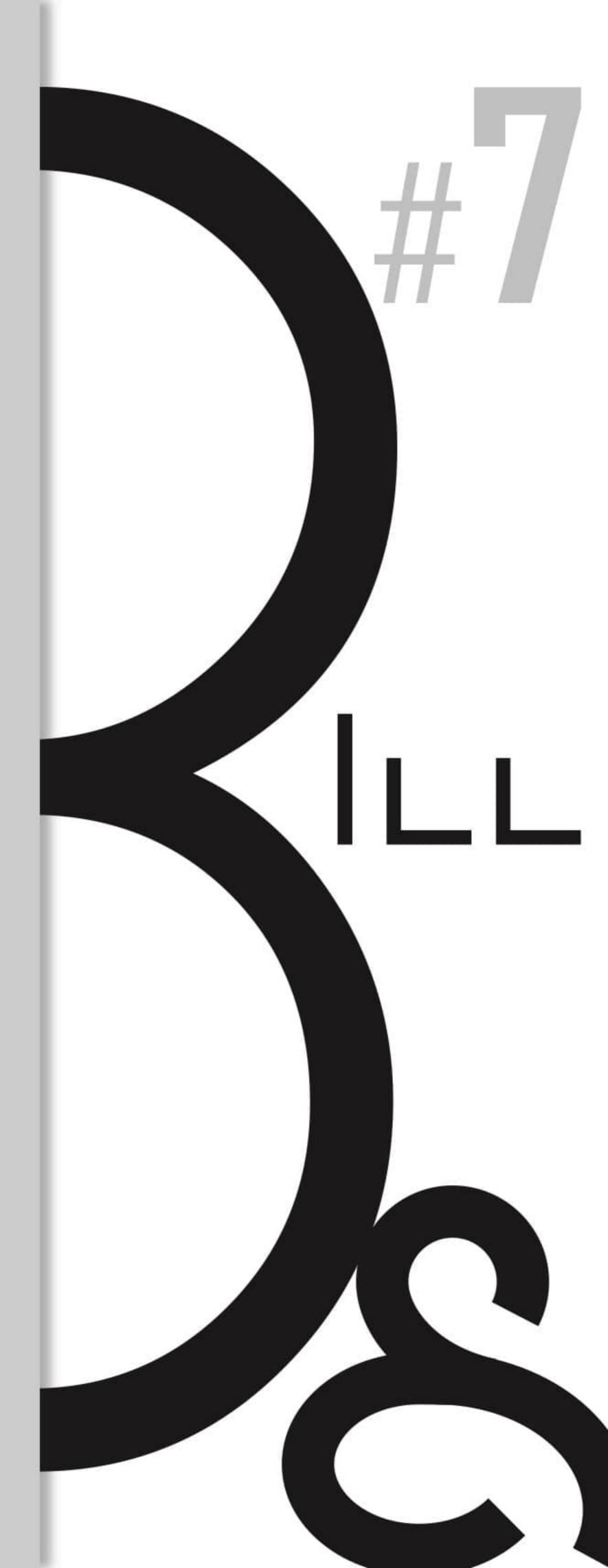
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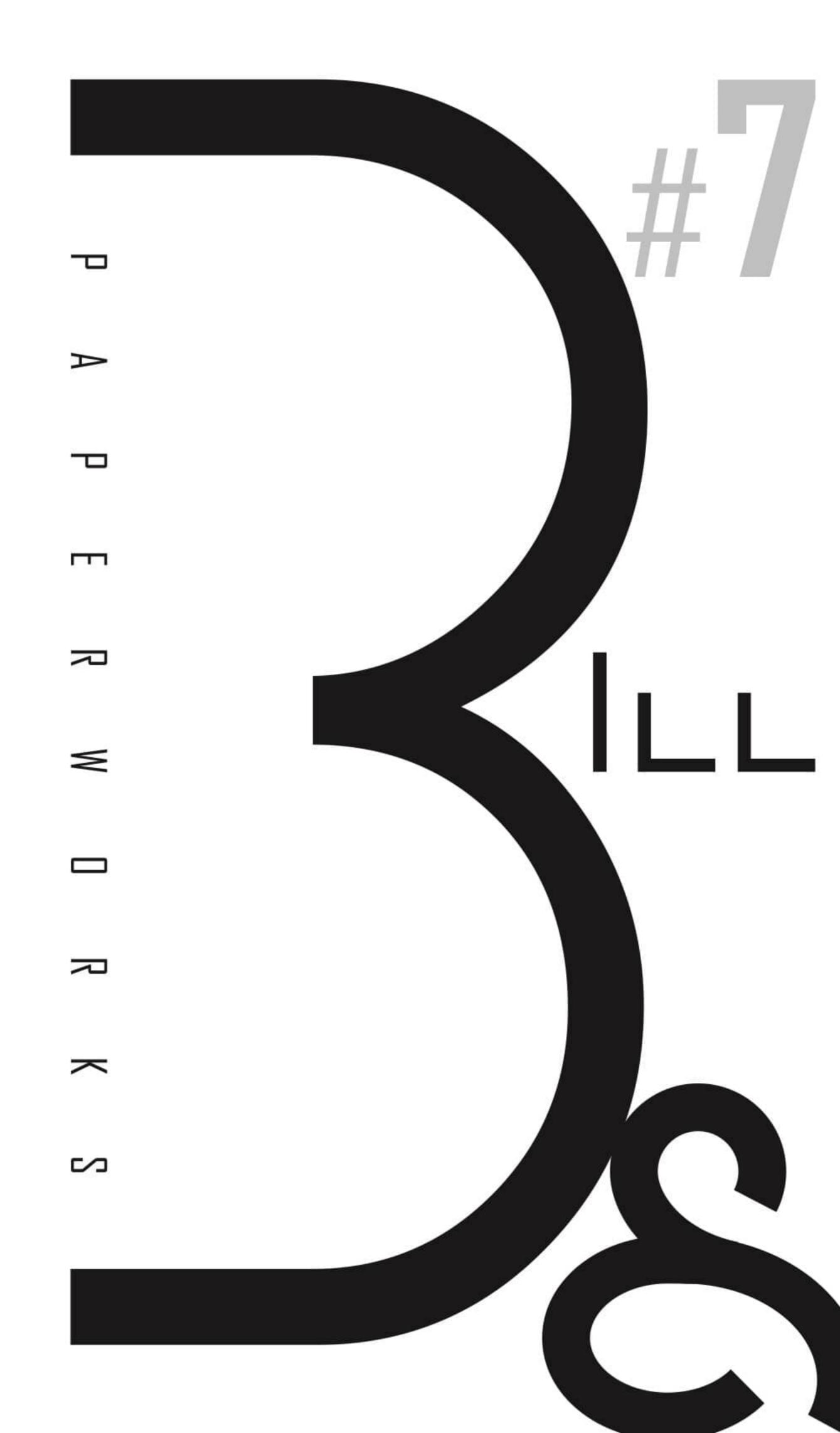












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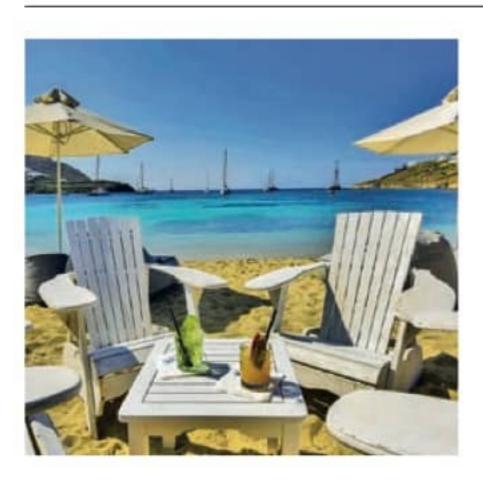
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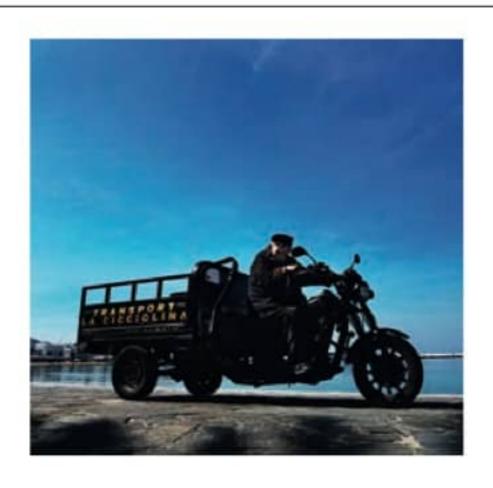
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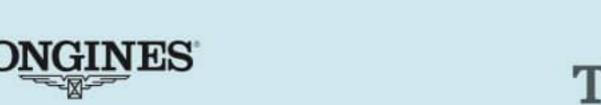


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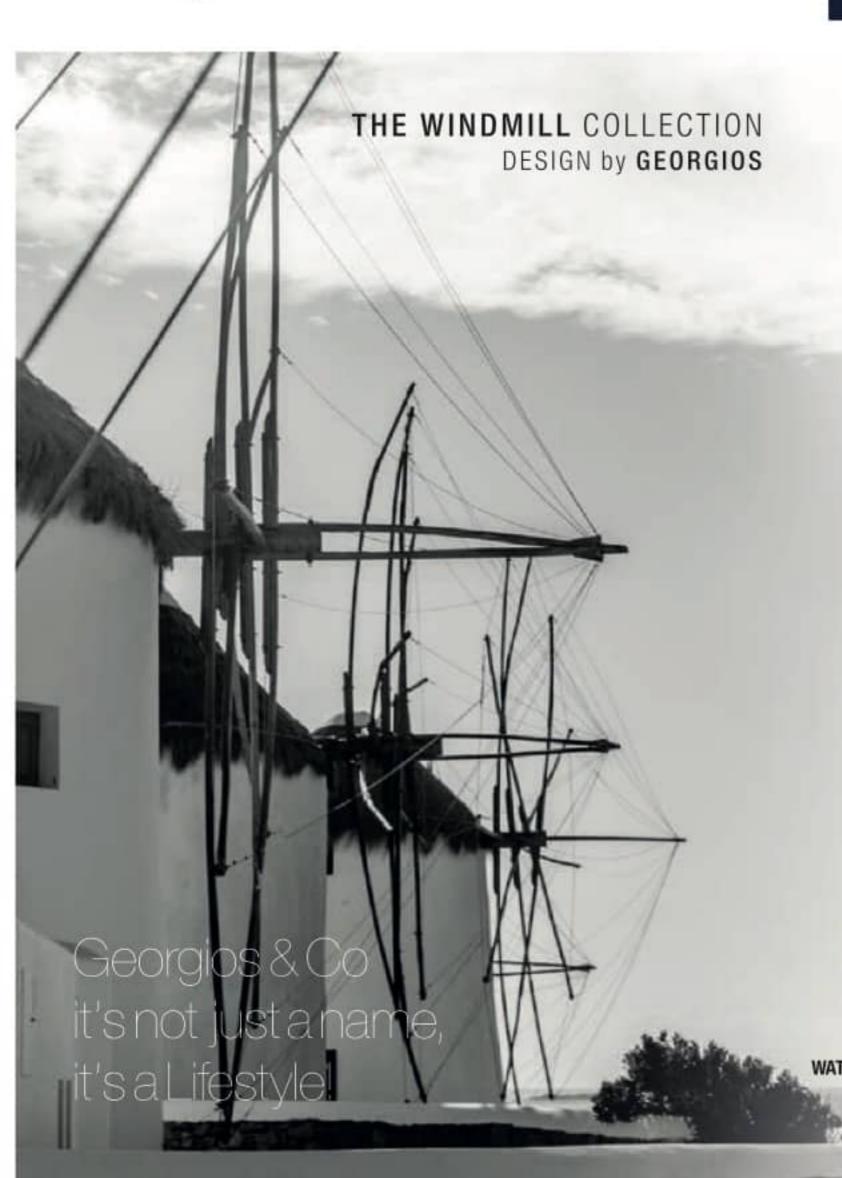


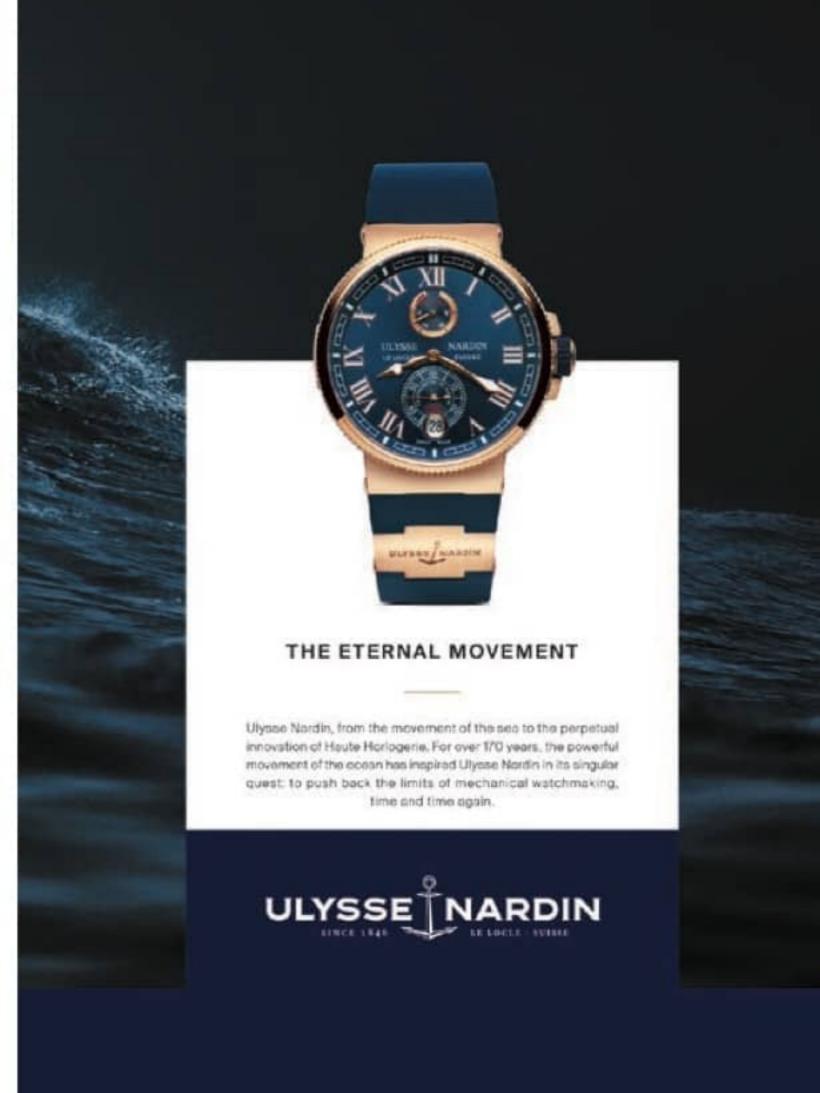












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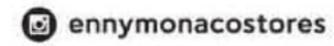
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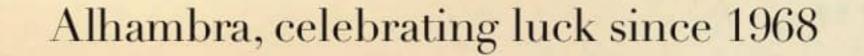
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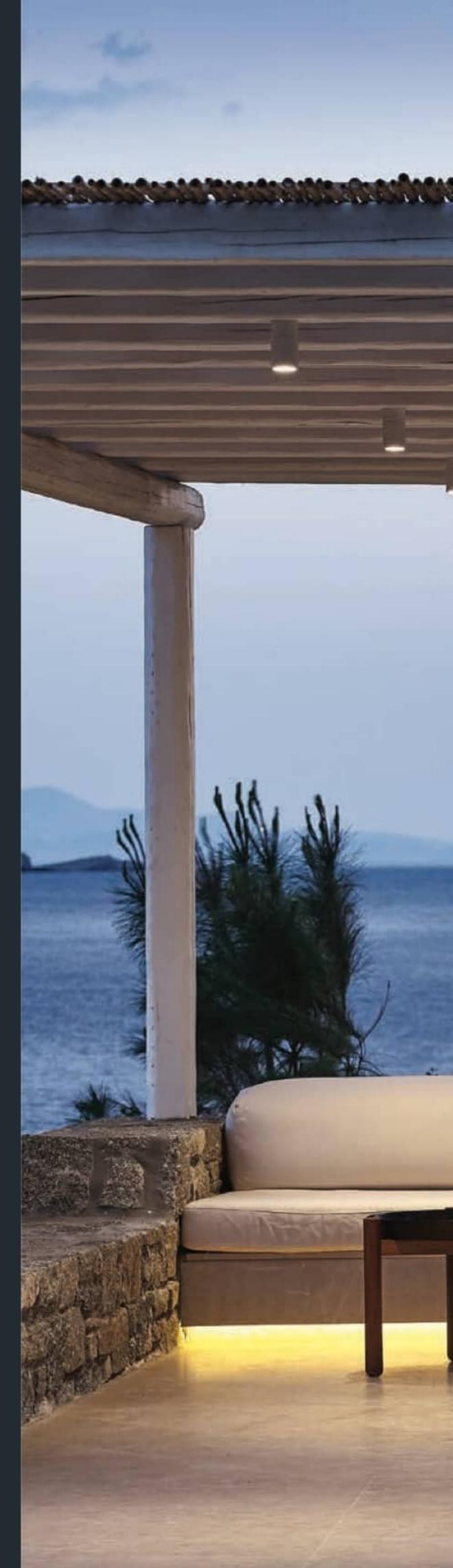
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### **EXHIBITIONS**

### MUNICIPAL ART GALLERY

UNTIL OCTOBER, ALL THREE VENUES

A summer full of interesting exhibitions for the Municipal Art Gallery. Highlights: Old Mykonos through the artists' eyes (3-31/7), Woman and jewelry through the ages by Eugenia Boni (1-15/10), Blossom in colours by Hawini (21-30/6), Artists of Mykonos (21-30/9) and Darling shine! (11-20/9). Visit them at Matogianni, Kalogera and Syrioti halls.



BLOSSOM IN COLOURS, HAWINI

### MYKONOS RUN 2018

22/9

Out Loud is co-organising with the Municipality of Mykonos the road race on Saturday, 22 September 2018 under the name "Mykonos Run 2018". The race is planned in such a way that the participants run through important and historical places of the island. There are three race distances: 5km Road Race, 10km Road Race, Children's Road Race (Kids Run).

mykonosrun.com

### <u>Marck</u>

#### 5-25/6, RARITY GALLERY

The video sculptures by Swiss artist MARCK are more than a simple combination of video and sculpture: They are a logic consequence of his extensive examination with films and videos, multimedia based projects, performances, music and sculptural as well as kinetic objects. The many years he has been working with these media have showed him their limits and possibilities thus founding a basis for the body of works created since 2001. The examination of humans and their world of feelings is central to MARCK's oeuvre. It is based on the search for a combination of influence from the outside and inner conditions.. raritygallery.com





### DANCING GODDESSES

UNTIL 20/7, DIO HORIA

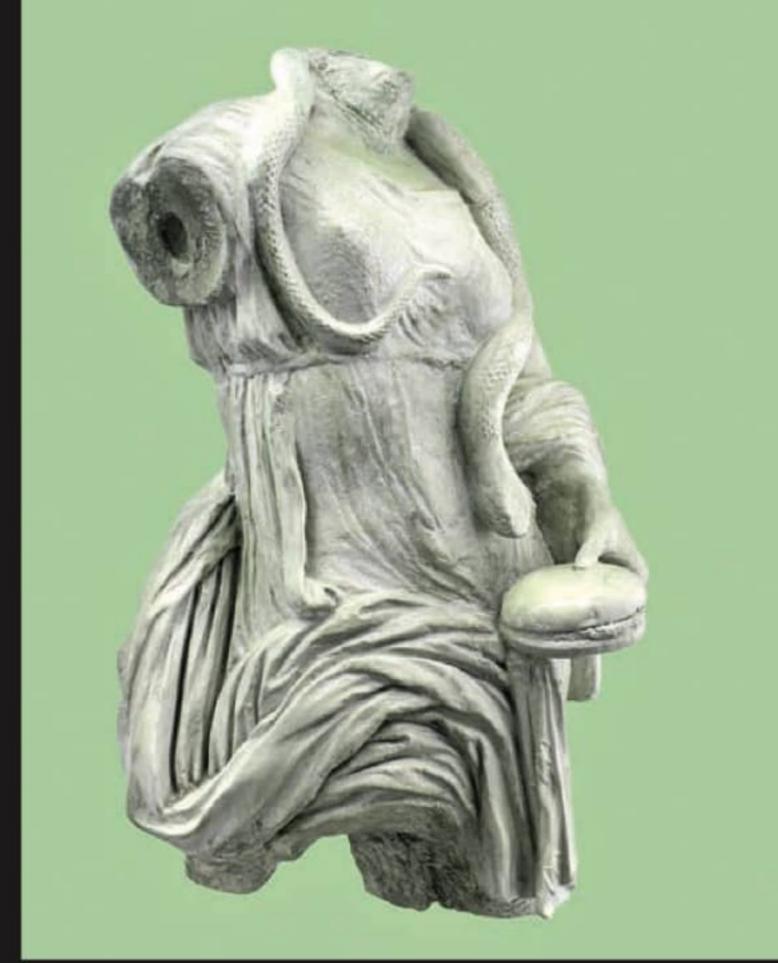
This is a group exhibition comprised of 16 international artists. The exhibition takes as its starting point a catalyzing episode that took place in the island of Delos that transformed the island's nature and defined its heritage. While embarking on a fragmented, almost surrealistic narrative, this exhibition focuses on the corrupting relation between civilization and nature. Through a multi discipline body of work, the exhibition uses light and rich colors to enhance its narrative of questioning political authority in western societies through the years, to this day. Specifically, in the works exhibited there is no human presence. Traditional landscapes, and 'Apollonian' sunsets, fill in the space and give form to an imaginative universe. A surrealistic world populated by a cast of animals, mythological figures and spirits spend the exhibition days and nights in Mykonos, only 2 km wide straight from Delos' current ruins, diohoria.com



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### ANTIQUITY 2.0

UNTIL 14/7/2018

After its successful European tour, the extraodinary exhibition of Micha Cattaui is presented in Athens.

What if ancient Greek philosophers, gods, heroes, and artists came alive today? What would they say? How would we perceive them? One can only admire the quality and craftsmanship seen in antique art; often rivaled, but never equaled.

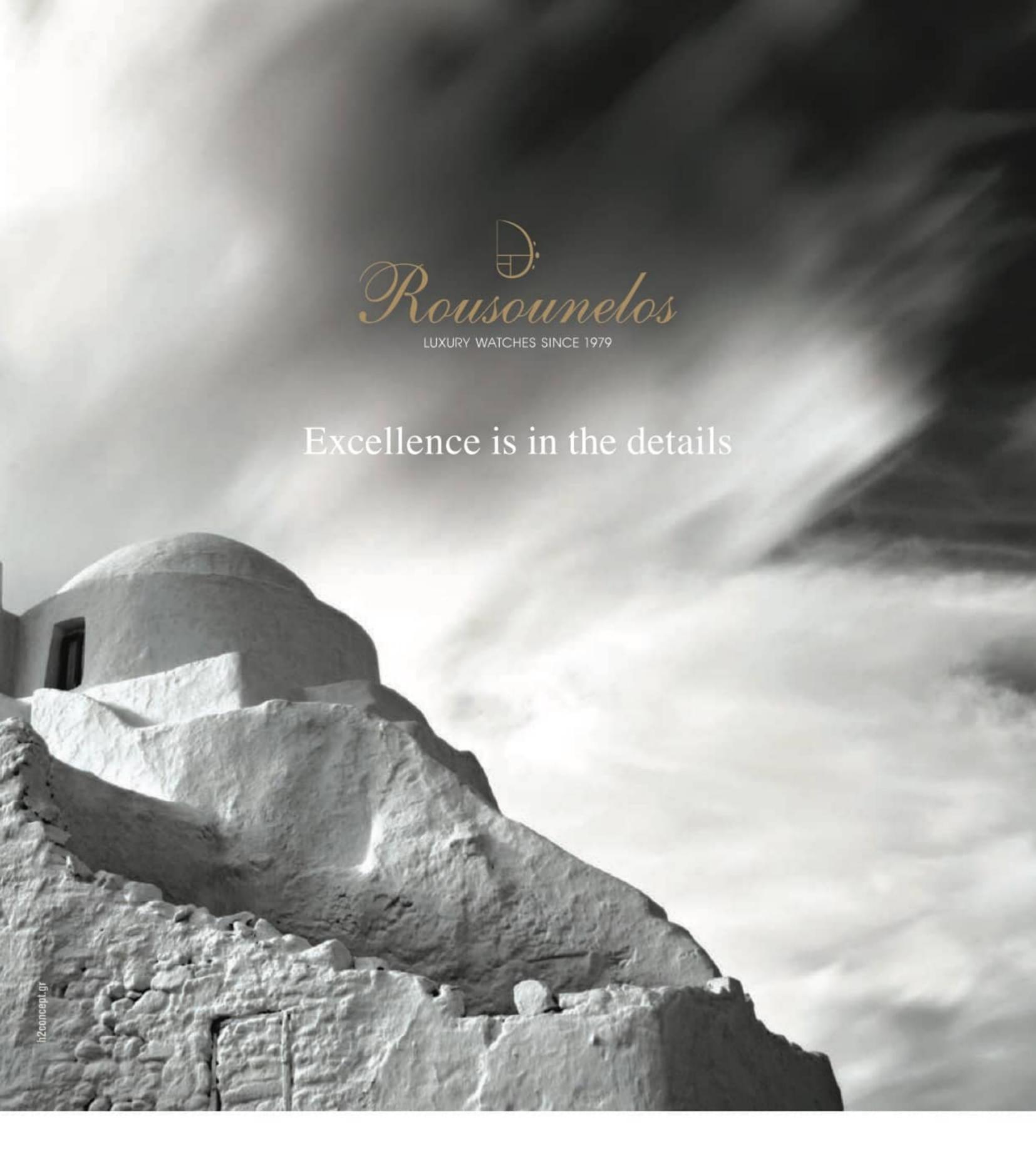
With Micha Cattaui's new works, the artist bridges that sense of artistic perfection seen in Ancient Greece and merges it with our modern society. DL Gallery presents a unique exhibition titled Antiquity 2.0 by Micha Cattaui, an avant-garde artist who focused on life in ancient Greece in all its manifestations. Antiquity 2.0 started its European tour in Monte Carlo, where Prince Albert II of Monaco inaugurated the opening, followed by an exhibition in Cologne, Germany, with Mirko Mayer gallery and finally is seen in DL gallery in Piraeus.

An important source of inspiration were the images on ancient vases depicting the life and thought of ancient Greeks.

Asked about the role of art, Cattaui notes: "I believe that art must be sceptical with regard to modern life and it should try to engage the viewer in a conversation. In ancient Greece, art and humour were applied on an almost industrial scale to objects such as vases. Over the centuries, it has become obvious that humour is the cornerstone of culture and a prerequisite of democracy."

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Clockwise from left: Black figure, 2018 acrylic UV printing, Isicia Omentata, 2018 Ink jet pastel paper, Prey, 2018 Ink jet pastel paper, Micha Cattaui. Wbat's on in Athens























# THE VISIONARY

His venture on the island of Mykonos met great success last summer proving that a brilliant entrepreneur should make excellent choices. And he did with Beefbar on the Coast in Mykonos.

### Wbat

### excites you in your work?

Creating, tasting, not copying and always getting inspired.

### What is inspiration for you?

I am lucky enough to travel a lot and I am inspired by new philosophies and I am

very clear about what I want to do. I have a clear direction of the cuisine I want to have. I am not a cook and I am not an architect, but I do restaurants and I do food concepts.

### What is your connection with Bill & Coo?

Luxury has changed and it is all about being able to understand what the new luxury is and my brand reflects that new luxury. It is very close to the philosophy of Bill & Coo Hotels. The hardest part is to really understand your customers.

### What new do you bring in dining industry?

it is not only about dining, it is about having an experience. People are not coming here just to eat; they come to live a complete experience. People do not want any more Michelin star-winning restaurants from gastronomy. A delicious nice burger appeals much more than having an amazing, beautifully-looking starter. I am not criticizing gastronomy, I am just saying that it is different. Having a delicious burger in a setting like Bill & Coo is the ultimate luxury you can have on holiday.

### Paris is the location for your upcoming restaurant. What is the greatest challenge you face during every opening?

Finding good people, that is the hardest thing. It is a very difficult industry and to find the correct people is always a challenge. I choose them over time, those that are close to our philosophy and are generally good catches. The kitchen staff is the hardest part though - finding good chefs is difficult.

What is different about the restaurant at Bill & Coo?

It is unique. The view, the size, again the energy. I like it because it is totally unexpected to have a meat restaurant on the sea. But if you think about it, it actually makes sense, as all the other places always offer the same type of seafood dishes, and maybe one day you feel like eating something different. The only place I will ever have – a beef bar.

### Always a beef bar?

Many new beef bars: in Paris, in Dubai, in Saudi Arabia as well, London, Rome... so a lot of openings, a lot of new concepts but always meat oriented.

### What determines good meat in your opinion?

Good meat is consistent. That is the most important.

### What is your favourite food?

I have so many, but I am very simple. A great pasta dish, a great pizza (I am Italian) and a great steak.

### In your opinion, what makes Mykonos stand out?

The energy, the wind, the light. You feel liberation and freedom. For me, it is most probably the best place on earth.

### What is your favourite part of the island? I like the quiet Mykonos.

### How would you express Bill & Coo in one word?

Peaceful!



### the guest

# LA VITA É BELLA

Mrs Vita Lambina is a dynamic woman, an entrepreneur, wbo travels around the world spending time in Mykonos and of course in Bill & Coo. Interview: IRA SINIBALIA

### Wbat

#### moves you most about Mykonos?

Mykonos is truly unique.

It's been on my list of places to visit for a while and when I came here for the first time I knew that I would come back again and again. You always look forward to going to your favourite

places on the island and discovering something new or hidden each time, like small tavernas or a beautiful local beach with no tourists.

### What makes a successful person?

What makes a successful person, is passion and the will to achieve. You are more likely to succeed when you love what you do.

### What's your favourite time of the day in Bill & Coo?

Every minute spent at Bill & Coo is special. My favourite time of day is spent watching the sunset, surrounded by good company, with the music playing in the background. The sunset is truly magical. It is a real show of nature.

### Has there been some trip that changed your life?

I really do believe that some trips can change your life but I haven't experienced this yet. To me every trip is memorable in different ways.

### One particularly memorable moment in Greece?

My most memorable moment was when I went to see the Anna Vissi concert in summer 2017. The energy of the audience was incredible! To me it was a real Greek experience!

### What should anyone know about Mykonos?

What I think everybody should know about Mykonos? Mykonos is an island where everyone can relax and have a great time. You can come for a few days or you can spent months on Mykonos and you will always be charmed by it's atmosphere, beautiful labyrinthine streets, delicious food, friendly people ... It's a time to recharge. You will definitely want to come back.

How would describe Bill & Coo in one word?

Paradise.

Do you have some saying that characterizes you?

In harmony with myself.

What does luxury mean to you?

Luxury for me is - when you can relax. Bill & Coo makes you feel relaxed. Beautiful place, exceptional service, a truly unforgettable experience.

Bill & Coo makes you feel relaxed. Beautiful place!

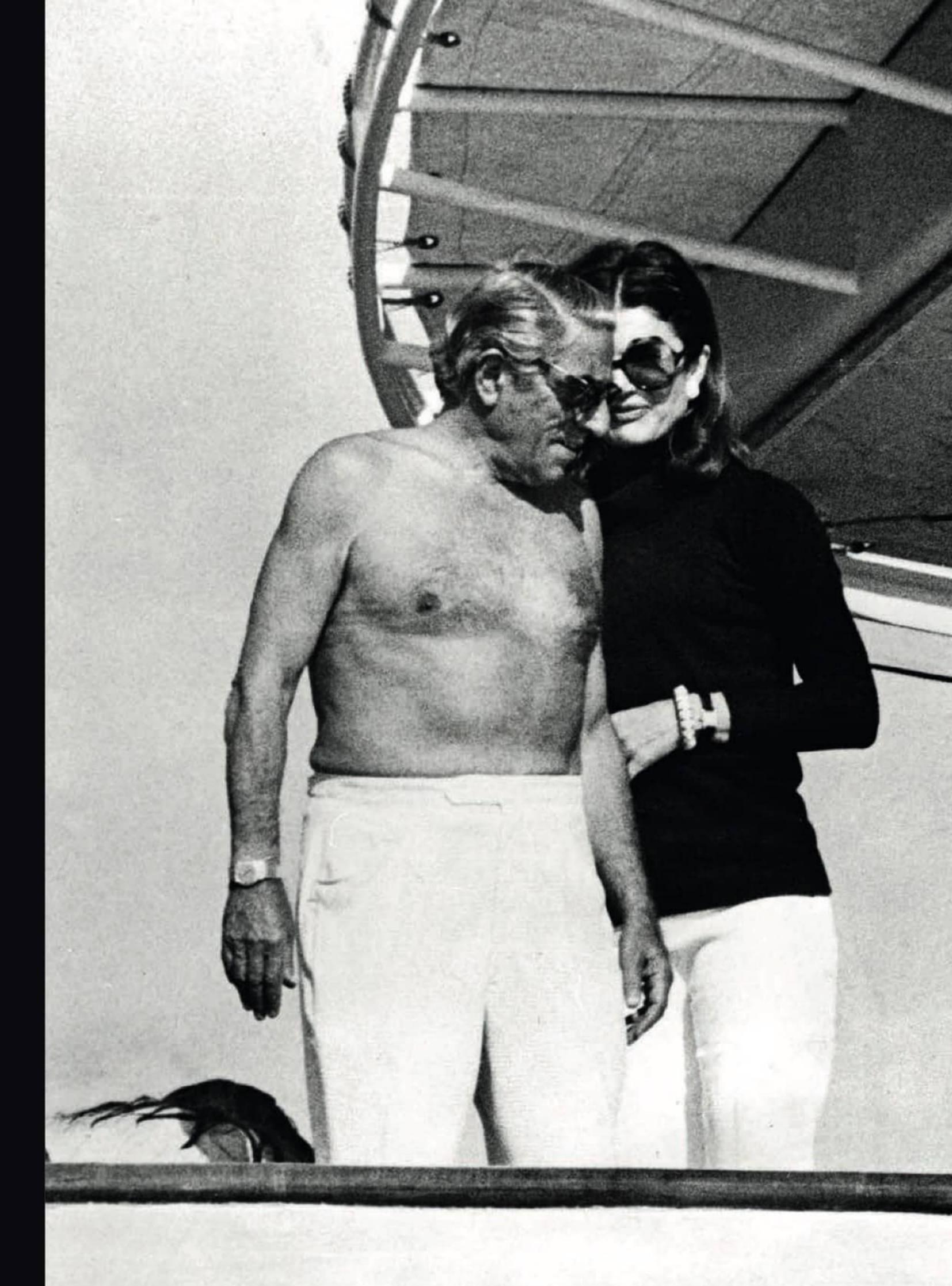


# #Decoding the Glory of Mykonos

THE ISLAND OF THE WINDS PROGRESSIVELY BECAME A MYTH AMONG THE INTERNATIONAL JET SET.
THE MAKING OF ITS GLORY WAS BUILD BY THOSE WHO LEFT THEIR TRACES MARKING AN UNQUENCHABLE HERITAGE.

BY IRA SINIGALIA







### #CELEBRITIESINVASION

"(...) Traveler's fist impression is that Mykonos wasn't finally a big deal. A deserted half-finished pier, forgotten by God. The port's dark during the night and earthy during the day, with the meltemi raising clouds of dispersed dust that makes one feel like leaving before you have arrived. (...) Let it be. Maybe some day people would understand that everything in life is a stage effect creating an ambiance; a nice and pleasant ambience holding you close or a cold ambiance turning you away." These words belong to the Greek pioneer Zachos Chatzifotiou who came to know the island during the early 50's. He was an elegant "settler", a member of the bon viveurs clan of young dudes who invaded the island seeking a remoted and pristine place to be and to live. The Mykonians put up with the fancy crowd, the boys and the girls who were vividly strolling around the island, on its sandy beaches and in its white-washed narrow streets.

Over the years the rise of tourism brought on the construction of the first hotels: Apollo above Casarma and Delos, while in 1954 Leto was built, and in 1959 Xenia, designed by the well-known architect Aris Konstantinidis, opened its gates to visitors at Kato Myli. Some years later, the first «clubs» started tentatively cropping up. Rich and glamorous customers excelled one another in beauty, high spirits and good mood. Grace Kelly, sad Princess Sorayia, Melina with Dassin, Jean Moreau with Thodoros Roubanis, Brigitte Bardot, Melina with Pyrros and many others...Yachts are lined up at the port: Niarchos' «Creoli», Papagou-Horn's «Eros», Fix's «Isabella», Karella's «Thentara», Kostas and Heidi Goulandri's «Cinderella». Onassis would often drop the anchor of «Christina» off the coast and have Maria Callas, and later on Jackie Kennedy, taken ashore on speedboat. The former First Lady of America had been to Greece on a state visit in 1961. Jackie had come to see the Acropolis escorted by Amalia Karamanlis, had her picture taken next to the Charioteer at Delphi, and had sailed on a warship up to Mykonos. Her enthusiastic reception by the islanders lined up at the port for her arrival, the white-washed houses, Petros the pelican, who rushed to be photographed by her side, everyone's simplicity fascinated the star of the Kennedys. She would come back accompanied by her sister Lee Ratzuille. The rest of the jet set would soon follow. Galatis' and Maroulina's clientele would now feature Hollywood stars, princesses from the Orient and stunning beauties from Europe.

Giannis Galatis' house, frequently photographed by the International Press, at Platis Yialos, becomes the setting for legendary parties. A motley assortment of guests – Princes Kressi, Ard Von Krow, Efi Mela, Rika Dialyna, Prince Carl Von Furstenberg, Thomas Fritz, Ann Lomberg, Yehudi Menuhin, Dimitris Vittos, Elli Lampsa are all there. Queen of the island is Anna Veltsou, whose house is a stopover for celebrities arriving at Mykonos. There is dancing at Paralos, with Sobolas playing the guitar and Maria (who would be proprietress of Chez Maria's years later) singing along... One day

Onassis takes a seat at Kostis' café down the road from the Town Hall, favourite hangout of Melpo Axioti, a great Mykonean lady. Further down at Andreas' tavern, Mrs Maria was cooking for John Lennon, Agatha Christie or Werner Von Brown. Once Paul Newman, having enjoyed a delicious meal, picked up a felt tip pen and scribbled on the wall "Paul Newman had a meal here", but Andreas rushed to have it white-washed because it...spoiled the whiteness of the wall! In those days, a few good people knew about the island. This, however, has changed and that's what people moan about years later, as they watch tourism assume a completely different form with each passing decade. All the above is the proof that Mykonos accepts everything. It filters everything as I recently wrote. The island has this magic little wand that manages to change you, even a little as happened with all the frequents that gradually became "slaves" to its eternal rythm. Mykonos is one of the most vivid examples of transformation. It can bring out the best or worst self, as some people who've lived it deeply have said. Maybe both.

What difference does it make anyway?

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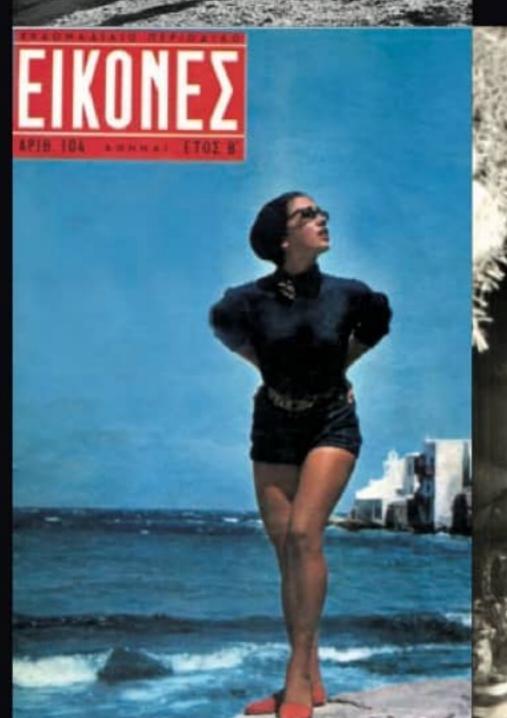


# #THEISLANDFARERS

By the early '70s, Mykonos had been fully conditioned for what was to follow. A land of extraordinary escapism. The road was open, literally, and the remote sandy beaches welcome the first nudists. The first ferries put in at the port. New hotels and shops are mushrooming all over. And all of a sudden the night-life of the island comes into existence. It is the age of disco and fabulous parties. It is also the age when the new arrivals will give the island its new identity. Pierro Aversa with the first gay bar on the island; Johnnie Reed with Vengera; Billy Bo, Takis Theodorakopoulos, Babis Passaoglou, Vicky Leandros, Zoe Laskari, Giannis Galatis, Angelos Droulias, Erikos Petilon.

Pierro Aversa arrives at the island from New York sometime in the middle of the '60s. He is the one who gives Paradise and Super Paradise beaches their names, and opens one of the world's most famous bars, the celebrated Pierro's. Pierro knew almost everyone there was to know, and very soon a whole world of art and entertainment, including in its ranks actors, singers, dancers, artists, designers, fashion models from the world over, started making their way to Mykonos. The choreographer Amadeo, close friend to Pierro Aversa, became the soul of the parties and of artistic pursuits such as the composer's Stavros Xarchakos "Children of the Universe" musical. Everyone is looking for something new, everyone finds on Mykonos what they are looking for. Absolute freedom... "Mykonos is a university, just like Athens and Berlin. The distinctive element is that I fell for Mykonos as if she were a woman" says Vassilis Theodoropoulos, one of the legendary Vengera bar souls. When Theodoropoulos brothers arrived at the island, at the beach in Paraga, the first hippies throw full moon parties. Higher society members sailed to Elia. Fabulous models lazed away in the sun on Psarou's sandy beach. Now the timing of the events has changed its course. Everything begins at night and... ends at night. Mykonos became a dream. And some people still manage to experience it!

Top right: the artist Minas. In the middle: The choreographer Amadeo, close friend to Pierro Aversa, became the soul of the parties and of artistic performances such as Stavros Xarchacos "Children of the Universe" Bottom right: a cover of a Greek magazine showcasing Little Venice in the background. Bottom left: Anna Veltsou became the queen of the island. Her house was a stopover for celebrities arriving at Mykonos.





# #ANDTHESTORYGOESON

Mykonos invites people in the initiation of the pleasures that summer defines. At the same time, life on a Mykonian beach becomes a ritual of liberation. It is the common link that connects Ben de Lisi, Jean Paul Gaultier, DSquared2, Giorgio Armani and many other famous people who became the modern wave of explorers mostly shaping up the new glory of Mykonos. Jean Paul Gaultier, the one time provocateur of French catwalks, used to turn up each summer on the "Aegean's most sparkling diamond" as he once said. You would find him walking around Matoyianni being photographed at well known venues till the wee hours. While Jean Paul Gaultier headed for new summer hangouts, the fashion twins Dan and Dean Caten, or the reclaimed DSquared2, still consider Mykonos and especially Bill & Coo a hideway: "is amazing; such beautiful energy, relaxation, and we simply love the staff. The design is beautiful and it is close to the water. We were considering having a house on Mykonos, but we preferred to stay here, we have all our comforts" they say.

For the independent fashion designer Neil Barret, Mykonos is an energy booster. He stocks up on strength from Delos mysticism and enjoys the sunset on the beach when everyone else is on the way back. One other devotee of Mykonos' natural beauty is Ben de Lisi, the influential American who took the British fashion scene by storm. He has developed a strong relationship with the island spending his day either on Elia or on Aghios Sostis' secluded beach. "Visiting Mykonos is like visiting a very good friend" he emphatically says.

In any case, those people confirm that the ecstasy we feel after the first dive in the sea, our liberation from clothes and our union with the blue universe, has no need to be accompanied by labels and rules. Our diffusion into liquid infinity happens simply, almost ritual.

Top right: the Italian fashion designer Alessandro dell' Acqua. In the middle: the Italian actress Ornella Mutti, friend of Giorgio Armani. Bottom right: the Canadian twins Dean and Dan or the reclaimed DSquared2 fashion duo. Bottom left: The master of minimalism Giorgio Armani is a frequent of Mykonos enjoying the nightlife that the island has to offer.







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#### the word hospitality mean to you?

Philoxenia (hospitality) is a value that characterises all Greeks. It is a unique interpretation of the generosity and kindness that our ancestors adopted, which has been incorporated into a unique element of our services.

It allows us to have a deep appreciation of our visitors, going the extra mile to offer memorable experiences.

#### What's your goal for Bill & Coo during your tenure?

Bill & Coo is one of Greece's best hotels! Following Theo's vision and with our team's passion for delivering world class hospitality, my goal is to continue the long, successful course and have Bill & Coo be included amongst the world's best hotels.

#### What makes Bill & Coo special in your opinion?

Our team, offering an exceptional atmosphere for our guests, so they can enjoy the property's luxurious and hip facilities.

#### Where do you see the hotel in a year's time?

A destination where our guests will enjoy genuine experiences, in simple and elegant surroundings! A haven for modern explorers, aiming to rediscover an eclectic selection of local and gastronomic experiences, reviving their senses.

#### Do you think that Bill & Coo could exist some place other than Mykonos?

In support of our aspirations, we can only say that the sky is the limit. There are endless opportunities, that may lead us to implement our vision elsewhere, for a successful growth of our portfolio.

What the greatest difficulty in your work overall?

The seasonal nature of operations in Mykonos can be a blessing and a curse! Every year is a new opening and while it's exciting to start fresh with a dedicated team, we also have to see many of our people move on, leaving us with bitter-sweet emotions!

#### What's your relationship to Mykonos and what do you like about the island?

From my memories as a teen to my arrival in Mykonos 12 years ago, I always felt that I would have a long-lasting relationship with the island! The fresh breeze, the sandy coasts, the rocky landscape, the colour of the sky, Mykonos has something for every season. I feel privileged to live in Mykonos and enjoy its beauties and its wonderful people!

#### When your day at the hotel ends, what do you do?

The days are equal to the nights on Mykonos... you can't define the best time to do something, what you like, but I keep on the move, expecting the unexpected, the spontaneous moment that will be the day's highlight! Not many places offer this opportunity! It always comes down to finding time for family, friendship and unforgettable moments that are the essentials in my life.

For Kostas Mavrogiannis, hospitality is an authentic Greek value allowing to Bill & Coo hotels' team offer memorable experiences to visitors.





#### premium standards

# A tailor-made way of life

IMAGINE A WORLD THAT ALL YOUR SUMMER DREAMS COME TRUE ENJOYING HIGH END SERVICES AND LUXURIOUS FACILITIES.

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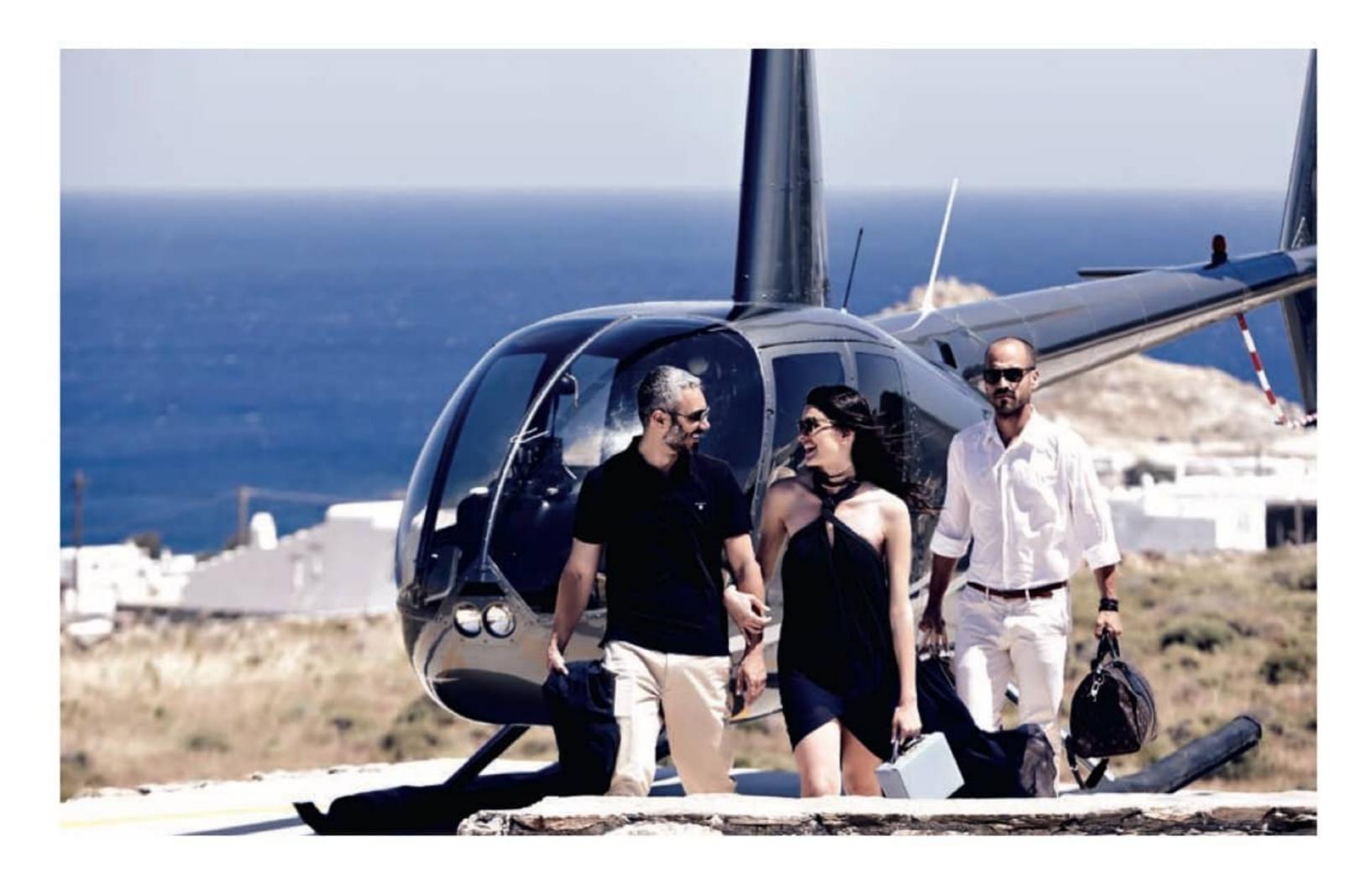
What does it mean to live your vacation to the fullest? Bill & Coo has the answer by taking the premium standards of hospitality a step further. Boasting experienced personnel and the best partners in terms of transportation, Bill & Coo Suites & Lounge and Bill & Coo Coast Suites offer everything you need to satisfy all your wishes and desires.

You can enjoy a private dining at Bill & Coo Coast Suites or a relaxing massage on the beach, have a personal assistant, experience island hopping by a helicopter and organize yacht cruises. Privacy and custom-made services are the keys here.

Exactly, what you will find in a romantic dinner under the moonlight of the Greek sky in the most secluded location at Bill & Coo Coast Suites on Aghios Ioannis beach.

A custom-made degustation menu prepared from the Executive Chef Ntinos Fotinakis, carefully paired with a wine selection proposed from the Sommelier awaits you for

Bill & Coo lavishes travelers with discreet service in plush refinement. Designed to provide the ultimate in convenience and privacy, for a unique stay, it is the perfect place for guests to escape the hustle and bustle of everyday life in a unique holiday ambience.





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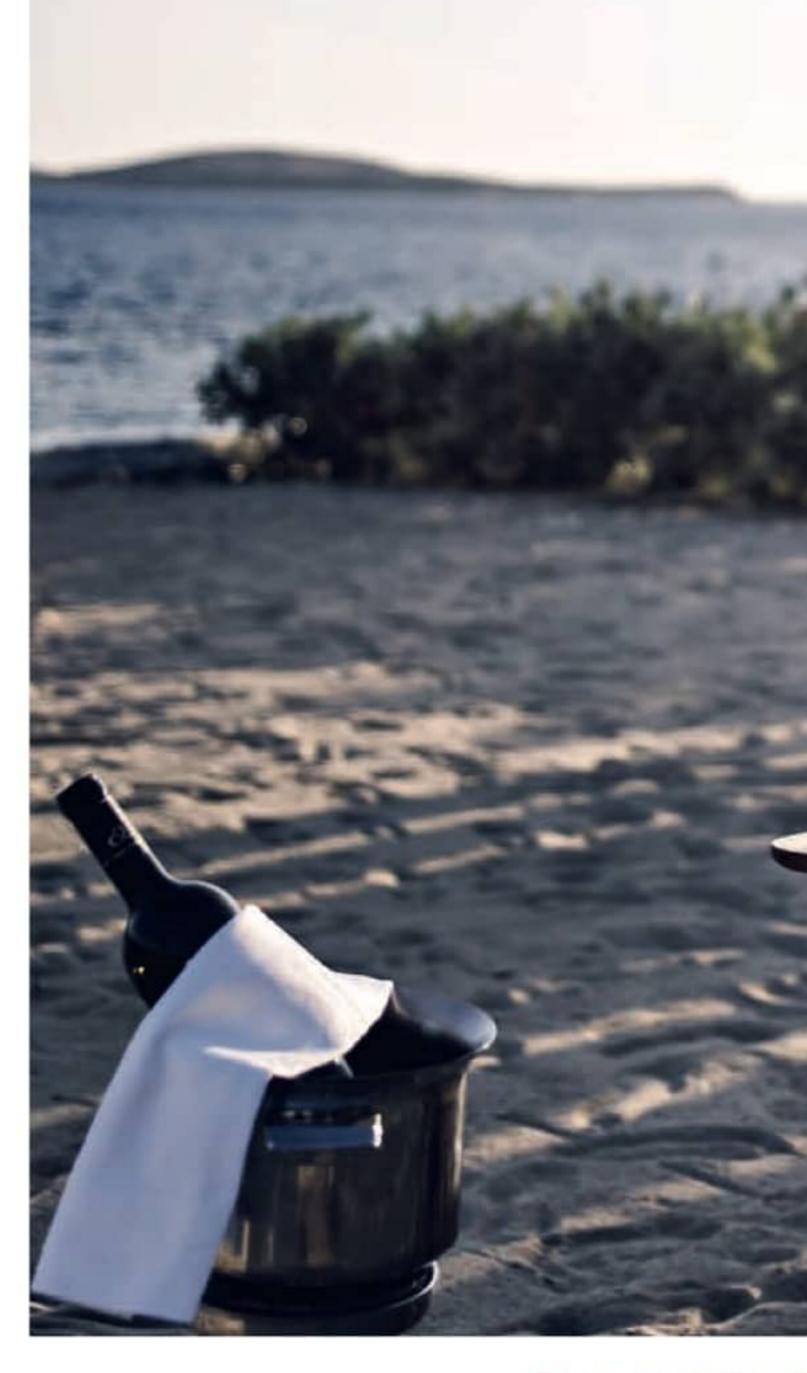


a unique culinary experience (reservations +30 6940458744). You should expect to feel so pampered every minute during your stay in both hotels. You will enjoy rides with our luxury BMWs, the official luxury hotels transportation vehicles for Bill & Coo and you will have your personal assistant who will follow up your requests on daily basis, communicate your needs to all hotel departments, deal with everyday routine tasks and help with event planning and shopping.

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Embrace it. And make the most out of it! #billandcoowayoflife

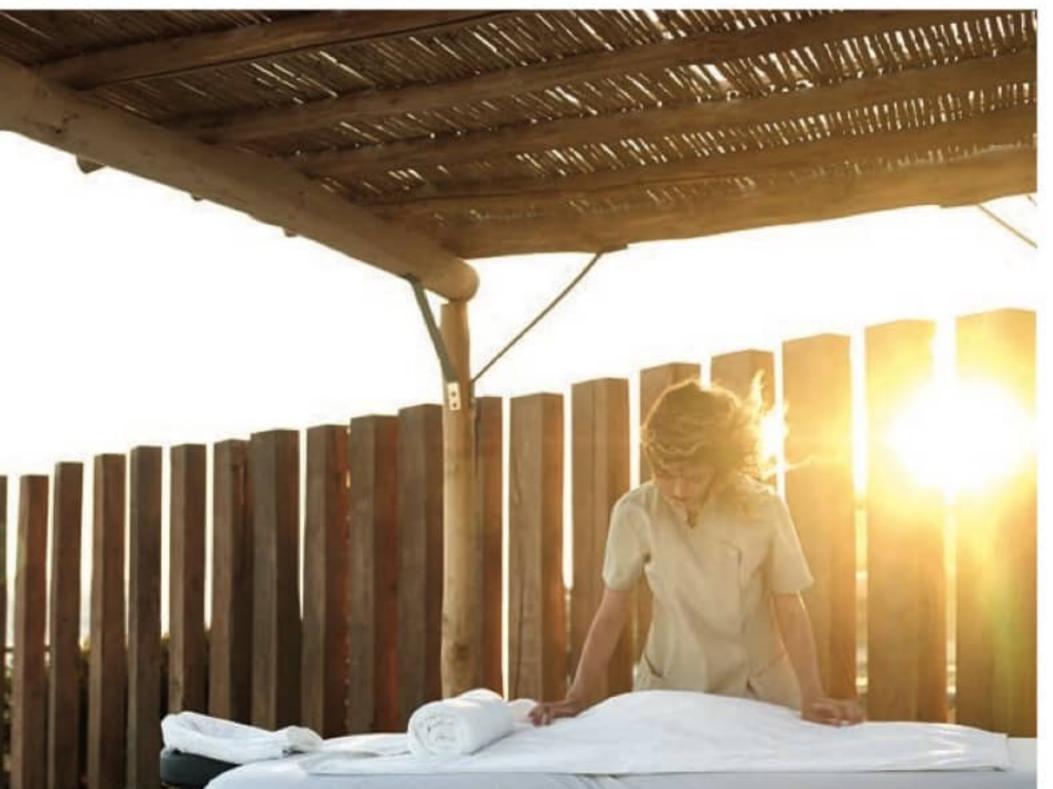
Enjoy comprehensive, state-of-the art facilities in a setting characterized by serenity, comfort and pleasure. Step into the Bill & Coo way of life and he part of our Well Being world with our Spa Suites Concept designed to touch you and elevate you..



Dedicated to providing you with incomparable personalized service.









Having adopted the lovers' expression, "to Bill & Coo", which means to be affectionate and whisper endearments, Bill & Coo luxury hotels on Mykonos are a heavenly sanctuary for couples.

#### the bosts



MEET CHRISTINA PLITHARA, HOTEL
MANAGER AT BILL & COO SUITES &
LOUNGE AND GEORGE LYRAS, HOTEL
MANAGER AT BILL & COO COAST
SUITES. THE TALENTED DUO THAT
PULLS THE STRINGS FOR A FLAWLESS
RECEPTION.

#### GEORGE LYRAS

#### It's your first year at the hotel. What was the Bill a& Coo Coast experience like?

Love at first sight. Love that you hope will last forever. An eagerness to explore every single corner and get memories from all of them. I fall in love with Bill & Coo Coast more and more, day by day.

The guests and the team create an additional vibe that makes the experience soar.

#### What do you love about your work?

The exposure to people from all corners of the world has fascinated me since my first induction

training.

Personally contributing provides a memorable holiday to people you didn't know until they arrived.

Having people connect your name with a destination.

In other words, to be the ambassador of the destination as well as of the hotel.

#### Experiencing the hotel from inside, share with us, three words that represent it.

Entirely Mykonian flair.

Sacred vibe from Delos,

The place's brightness reflecting on your soul.

#### Tell us about a beautiful moment that you've lived here.

Talking with Skariotis about the swimming pools and with Mitsos about the pergolas (ha, ha, ha)!

#### What makes the hotel stand out?

The complete privacy, reserved for residents only.

A big hosting team, dedicated to personalised service, making people feel at home, living the complete Greek summer experience.

That there are only 15 suites, on the ground level or the coast level, creating the feeling that you're in your own private country house.

#### What do you like about Mykonos?

The fact that it offers contrasting options:

Serenity and loudness, traditional and trendy tendencies, simplicity and extravagance, local tavernas and internationally branded restaurants, Greek family hotels and multi-national chains.

White buildings in contrast with suntanned faces.

Three things brighten the island, the sun, the moon and the big smiles of locals and visitors.

#### OHW 21 OHW

He has appointed Hotel
Manager at Bill & Coo
Coast Suites this year. A
fanatic of travel, theatre
and cinema, George
Lyras studied Hotel
Management in Athens
and Australia and worked
for almost 20 years in
different hotels in Greece
and abroad.



#### CHRISTINA PLITHARA

#### It's your second year at the hotel. What was the experience of Bill & Coo Suites and Lounge like?

The 2017 season was a magical experience, where I had the chance to appreciate the beauties of Mykonos and experience, together with my team, what #BillAndCooWayOfLife really means and how this is achieved with team work and personalised service, so that all the visitors can experience it. We all had beautiful and special moments, together with our visitors and I'm very happy that we acquired new friends that consider Bill & Coo their "home in Mykonos". Of course, I had the pleasure of meeting the repeat clients, that have been visiting us for so many years and through my conversations with them, I understood what Bill & Coo means, something that I'm committed to support.

#### What do you love about your work?

Even in our field, creation is very important and is achieved through team work, with the goal of creating unique experiences for each of our visitors individually. In the modern age, hospitality has found its true meaning in the hotels and beyond a nice Greek word, it has become a reality. Every visitor lives and experiences Greek hospitality and every time he visits a hotel, doesn't just get a clean room with ordinary service, but lives, tastes, feels and builds a new, beautiful memory! So this is what I love and I collaborate with my team, to build beautiful and joyful memories, for all those who honoured us with their visit.

#### Experiencing the hotel from the inside, share three words with us that represent it.

Experiences, views, tastes.

#### Tell us of a beautiful moment that you've experienced here.

I will never forget the wedding that we organised for a couple, where I had the honour of being the officiant and perform their wedding in a wonderful, romantic setting, that we created just for them at Bill & Coo Coast Suites. It was an honour to be a part of the most important day of their lives and I felt happy, as we managed with our team to organise a wonderful event.

#### What makes the hotel special?

I'll just mention what our visitors convey... it's personal for each one individually!

#### What do you like about Mykonos?

Mykonos is an island that offers everything, beautiful beaches, night life, haute couture shopping. It's world renowned for its unique summer lifestyle, through its amazing service, that's offered to all the visitors. I always relax with a drink in Little Venice, with a view of the Windmills or taking walks in the narrow, charming alleys. But there's also the other side of Mykonos, which I equally enjoy! For example, to savour a walk to the Mykonos lighthouse and gaze at the blue Aegean, find a magical spot of the island for incredible sunsets or relaxing in the beautiful Fokos beach.

#### WHO IS WHO

If languages were suitcases, she has been very well prepared for a travel full of challenges and recognition. After her studies in International & Balkan Studies and Russian Language, she took off for her successful career and after 9 years of hotel experience, she has appointed Hotel Manager at Bill & Coo Suites and Lounge.





#### baute gastronomie





#### As executive chef what impact do you want to have?

My goal is that through my flavours, memories will awake from the aromas and the more simple, homely but substantive tastes.

#### How does the local Mykonian cuisine influence your dishes?

When you go to the annual winter pig slaughter or when you visit a home and they treat you with onion pie. When they offer you the marvellous loutza or the Mykonos mostra and their wonderful casseroles, then it's impossible not to be inspired by these flavours. This is what we're trying to accomplish this year.

#### What new gastronomically speaking, will we see this year?

You'll taste fresh fish from the Cycladic seas, such as sea bream grilled on fig leaves, with beans and wild greens and our Cycladic tart, with white Santorini eggplant and Mykonos sour cheese.

What does Mykonos mean to you, from what you've experienced of the island? Inspiration, wackiness, attitude.

#### What do you think is the cause of Bill & Coo's successful gastronomic impact?

I believe it's clearly because of the owner, who has the passion and the love for good food, the perception of what high gastronomy means, giving us, the chefs, the ability to create.

#### What gives you pleasure in your work?

As you know, our profession demands long work hours, enormous pressure, a lot of patience.

All this is rewarded by just one moment... a client's satisfied smile.

"You'll taste fresh fish from the sea such as sea bream grilled on fig leaves"









Who's behind the excellent desserts of Bill & Coo Restaurant? Pastry chef Angela Simou is undoubtedly the sweetest presence at Bill & Coo. As hotel pastry chef for the fourth consecutive year, Angela conceives of, experiments with and creates all the original desserts featured on the menu.

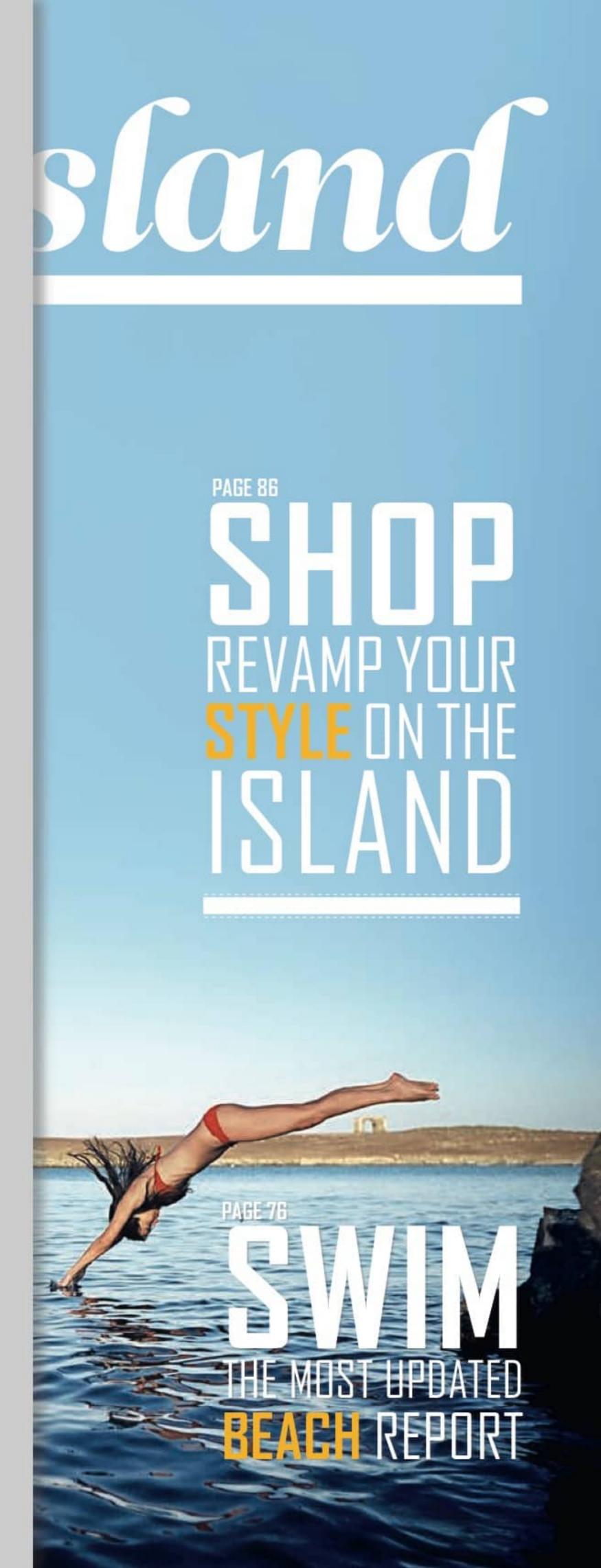
Dedicated to her work, she creates different sweet delicacies to offer in all the suites every day, while her updated dessert options on the menu follow the tone set by fresh, seasonal fruits. She loves the combination of chocolate and fruits, and her favourite ingredients are aromatic herbs—rosemary, thyme, mountain tea—which she blends harmoniously in her desserts for delightfully yummy results.

She began her studies as a pastry chef at Le Monde, where during her second year she completed her work experience at the St'Astra restaurant with chef Herve Pronzato, with whom she continued working with at the Danai Beach Resort in Chalkidiki. After graduating, she began working with chef Lefteris Lazarou at the awarded with Michelin star Varoulko, while she also attended specialized pastry seminars led by French pastry chefs. In 2008 she joined the Spondi team - holder of two Michelin stars - where after two years she assumed the role of pastry sous chef beside executive pastry chef Gilles Marchall. She then pursued her professional training at Noma in Copenhagen under chef Rene Redzepi, and in 2015 took over as pastry chef at Bill & Coo.

Her desserts follow the tone set by fresh, seasonal fruits.



# BILL&COO





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## The island

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SHAMP YOUR STYLE ON THE LAND







One of the Human Deeds of Mykonos, Kyriakos Papoutsas, sowing at Ftelia photographed by Vassilis Vrettos.

#### bidden mykonos

unique Mykonos is salvaging through the pages of Vassilis Vretos's photographic issue "Human Deeds". These images testify that people have always found the way to survive. "In Vassilis Vrettos' photos, people's trouble is permeated by sunlight and the breath of air. The images that his lens brings to life are images uncontaminated, unburied as if they were thrown out from his grandmother's chest" points out mrs Adrianni Koufou, President of KDEPPAM.

In fact, this issue is an anthropological study on how the past insistently survives through the rituals, the memories and the every day life of a society facing a sweeping change in all of its aspects. "The heroes of the pages that follow, inhale the winds of the island, pursue its wildness, rebuke its gods, cultivate its soil, sail its seas. They know each other with their little names, nicknames and bodily scars" says mrs Iris Kritikou, art historian and indepedent curator confirming that the work of Vassilis Vrettos is strongly connected to history as a "longue duree social process" according to the historian school of Annales and its methods as set by Fernand Braudel, Lucien Febre, Marc Bloch and many others.

"Having worked for many years professionally with the photographic recording of people at their jobs and having at the same time an obsessive interest in the backstage capturing of things, in the slow and painful process behind the final and sometimes short-lived result, Vassilis Vrettos discovers dozens of unknown aspects of time and place. By silently building a parallel universe and by revealing the possibilities of an island that, despite the very affinity of the world, keeps its steep and mysterious sides and preserves charmingly unknown active points" continues mrs Kritikou.

The lives of ordinary people replace the lifestyle of celebrities with a photograpic inquiry into climate, demography, agriculture, as well as mentalities as a microstudy of an island with an international influence on tourism industry.

"The inhabitants of Mykonos and Delos introduce themselves during work. Without make-up and pre-setting, with their simple day-to-day outfits. Taking care of their daily duties, following the seasons peacefully and honoring each tradition of this small part of land they defend. Inviting us in the metallic depths of the ancient mines. Walking us amongst the olive trees, the wheat fields and the maturing vineyards.

Gently holding a newborn lamb or silently watching the sunset behind the last ox of their herd. Milking the cows in cool stables and curdling the cheese under the shade of the afternoon.

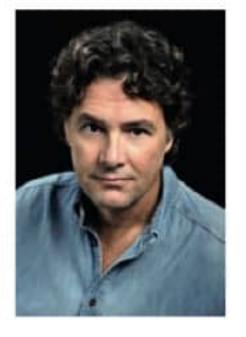
Sprinkling the local almond sweets with flower-water and the Byzantine icons with myrrh. Weaving primordial symbols on the loom and skillful palm crosses on lime sidewalks. Caulking the traces of winter and carving handmade music instruments.

Traveling with legs open, all-weather balancers, at the wheel of their boats. Taking care of the sleepless statues of Delos, writing deck calendars of the ancient soil, tenderly protecting its uninhabited days and nights" adds mrs Kritikou.

Furthermore, in Vassilis Vrettos' work prolonged beliefs investigated in terms of the time they were actually believed. It is almost a study of the "collective illusions", the collective memories, the structures of feeling and thought, the reading of nowness backwards. In Vrettos' work one can easily note that time moves at different speeds, dividing time into geographical, social and individual, respectively corresponding to the frameworks of structure, conjuncture and event. Although the present seems dominating over the past, long stretches of time in the form "the structures of everyday life" sustain showcasing life as a whole, as well as habit. And this is the "slow and powerful march of history" according to the great historian Fernand Braudel as pointed out in his book Mediterranean World. At this point "The Deeds of the People, imprinted with the gracious wisdom of Vassilis Vrettos, articulate the bright primacy of this place and unveil its hand-made days. By rescuing the labors and deeds and by enriching the core of memory. By introducing us without quotations to the island's timeless guts. Bringing us back to Mykonos behind Mykonos and to the small sacred Delos" concludes mrs Kritikou.

Therefore, Vassilis Vrettos' work offers a whole new way of looking at the Mykonian life, re-creating a hidden reality through a feat of imagination based on the research and the talent as well. And this is a precious tool to all of those wishing to immerse in the original universe of the island.





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Photographer Vassilis Vrettos has founded ACCENT since 1994 which has undertaken numerous photographic projects. He has collaborated with the Benaki Museum (Athens) and he has also worked with the Cultural Organization of the City of Athens, with the Unification of the Archaeological Sites of Athens, with the Cultural Foundation of Pireus Bank, with the Greek Ministry of Culture and the New Acropolis Museum. His book "Marble Crafters of the Acropolis" is published by Agra Publications while his book "Mise en Abyme" (June 2015) was published under the auspices of Athens Festival.





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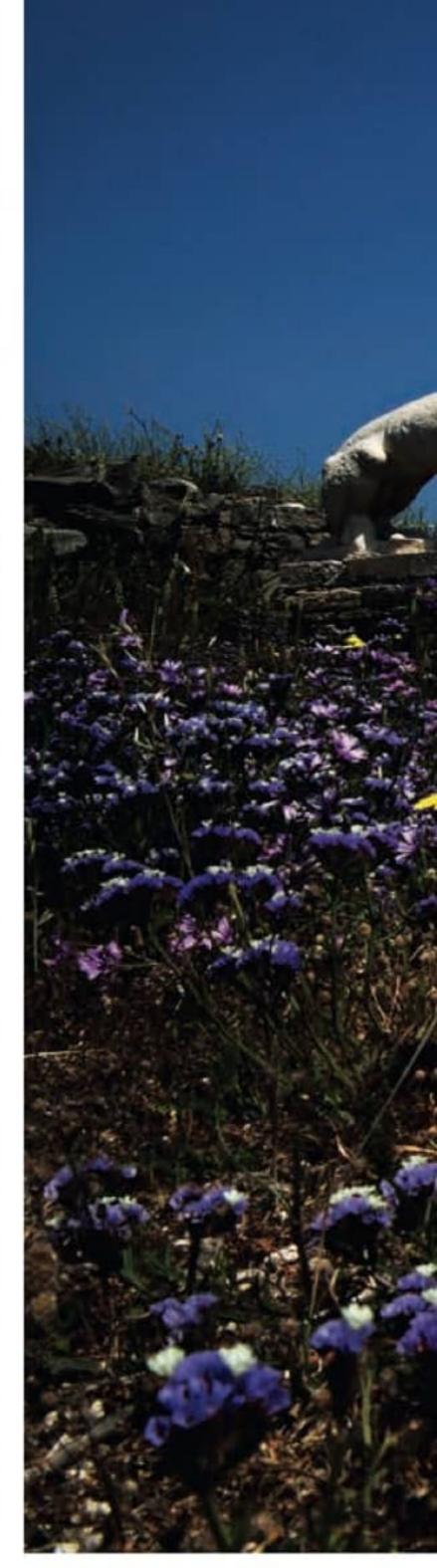




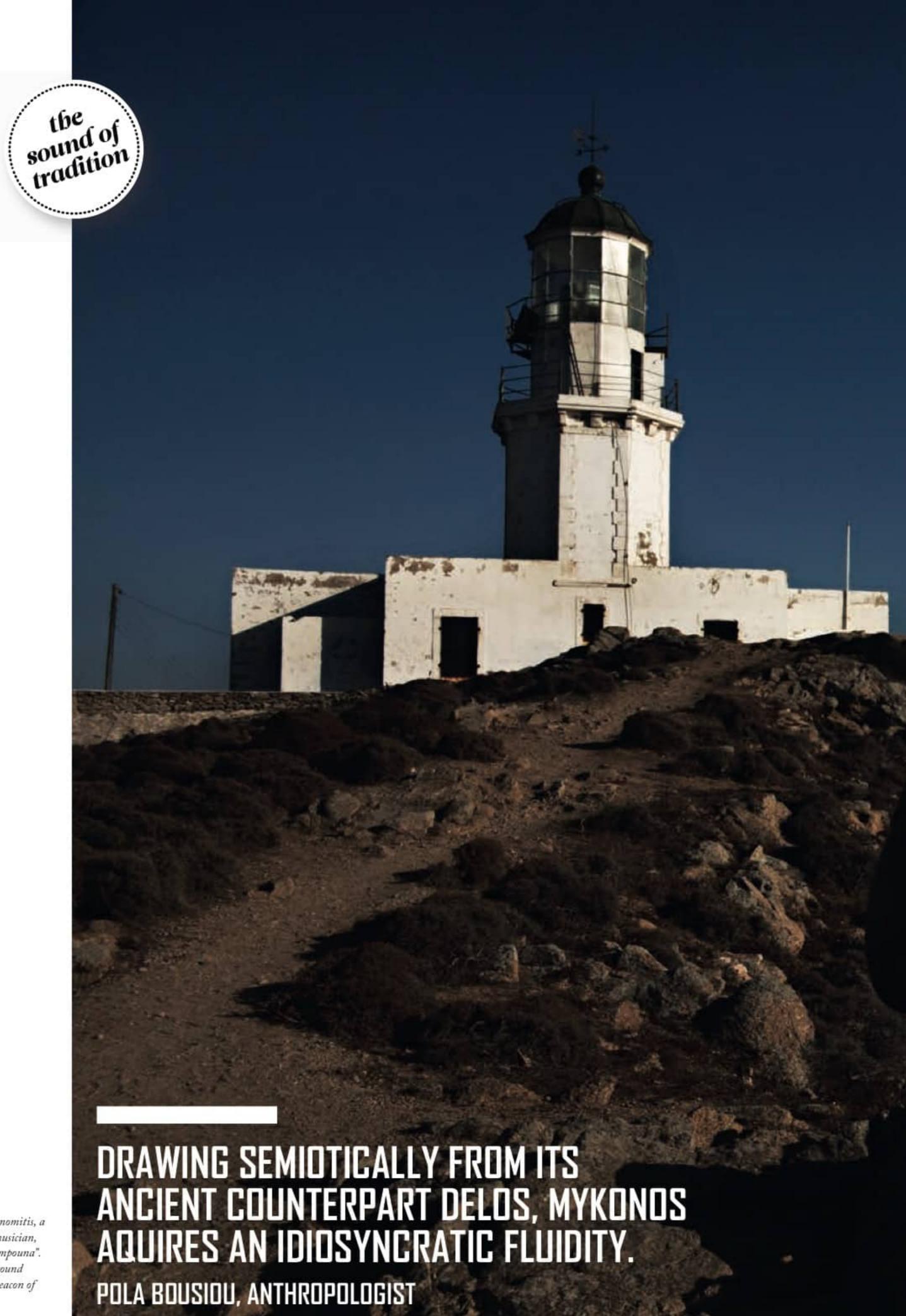
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Myriam Fincker,
architect-archaeologist
(CNRS, France).
Right: Mantha
Malliou. Right page:
a man working next
to the reclaimed Lions
of Delos.

## THE ISLAND OF RUINS AND FLOWERS. THE ISLAND OF MUTILATED MUSEUM GODS (THE SMALL KOUROS).

ALBERT CAMUS, WRITER







Yiannis Assimomitis, a traditional musician, plays his "tsampouna". In the background appears the beacon of Mykonos.

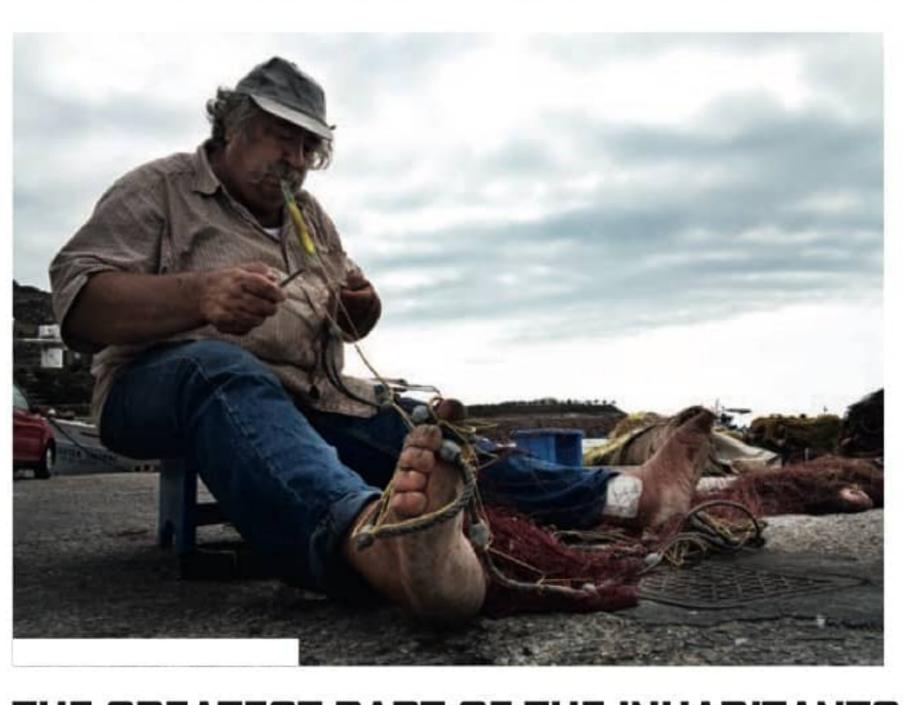


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Panayiotis Faroupos
(Asylogistos, a greek
word for a thoughtless
person). This page,
George Nikou (the
Red).

# THE GREATEST PART OF THE INHABITANTS ARE PYRATS AND THIS PLACE IS A GREAT STABLE FOR THEIR PRAY.

GEORGE WHELER, EXPLORER









## bidden mykonos





Clockwise from left: a woman milks a cow, Petroula Xidakis, Ekaterini Georgiou.

SOMETIMES I THINK THE MAN FROM THE CYCLADES. HE MADE THESE SUPERB THINGS DELIBERATELY IN THAT FORM.

PABLO PICASSO, ARTIST



## beach report

Cosmopolitan, relaxed, family, alternative and sporty, you will be enchanted by the Mykonian beaches.



#### AGHIOS IDANNIS

The beach is recommended for those who want to relax in their vacations. Protected from both northerly and southerly winds, the beach is divided in two by some gentle rocks and boasts a stunning sunset. It is also known for its famous festival, Ai Yannis at the end of September. Among the beach's strong points is the interesting seabed towards the right, ideal for snorkeling, the very fine pebbles that are perfect for natural reflexology and the new dishes of the chef Ntinos Fotinakis at the enchanting Taverna at the Bill & Coo Coast.(bill-coo-hotel.com)

#### **PANORMOS**

This ex hippy and nudist haunt is reminiscent of old Mykonos, while it has a wild beauty with its colours changing throughout the day. Don't miss the August full moon party here; an unforgettable experience.
And the chance to spend
a day at the Principote
Mykonos nestled on the
breathtaking beachfront
(principote.com)

#### KALO LIVADI

One of the island's best organized beaches with a strong cosmopolitan feel, covers every entertainment and taste expectation on a long blonde sandy beach with green-blue clear water, abundant umbrellas, sunbeds and watersports. This is the place to be for those who want a comfortable life by the sea.

#### **PSAROU**

It is ideal for swimming even when most of the beaches experience a strong wind. It has been experiencing glory days since the 1980s, setting the summer's trends and defining the concept of luxury living on Mykonos. It boasts warm waters even from the early spring. The road is quite narrow with sharp turns and requires attention. This is where you come in order to see and be-seen.

#### ELIA

It has many advantages, as
the spacious parking and
water-sports school that
offers a lot of choice for
more active beachgoers. Do
not forget that it is one of
the bigger sandy beaches
on the island and that it
keeps a bohemian feeling. It
is better to visit it on days
with a north wind for calm
waters.

#### KAPARI

A ten-minute walk from Aghios Ioannis and you will arrive at one of the island's last havens. Nudists and old Mykonos devotees gather here daily, while the concept of organization is completely absent. Dive into the sea from the smooth rocks





Top left: Spilia Seaside in Kalafatis beach On top: Aghia Anna Kalafatis

at the end of the beach and seek your privacy.

#### FOKOS & MYRSINI

Even though buses don't reach this beach, it still attracts quite a crowd. Picturesque and calm with the island's coldest waters, Fokos still remains an untouched treasure. Located right after the artificial lake of Marathi, the beach is quite seriously affected by the north winds. Next to it, Myrsini with crystal-clear green waters, is another small, sandy gem that takes you away from the island's cosmopolitan vibe.

#### AGHIOS SOSTIS

No make-up, bars, shops, tourist enterprises or sunbeds. With wonderful deep blue water, it favors snorkeling fans. Here you will see celebrity and anonymous nudists, as well as locals. Best from May to mid-July and then in September; avoid the August meltemi winds which make conditions unwelcoming.

#### **FTELIA**

Starting from Chora, take a right turn at the crossroads to discover the ideal surfing destination and admire a performance offered by the virtuoso surfers. When it is not windy, the landscape is reminiscent of a lagoon and the beach is frequented by a number of locals and artists.

#### KALAFATIS

This is one of the island's biggest beaches and even when crowded, it offers a sense of space which is ideal for families. Sports lovers would not change it for the world; you can try



Clockwise from top left: Kalafatis beach, Ornos beach, Aghios Stefanos beach, riding horses on Fokos beach, surfing on Ftelia beach.

## beach report



Top and right: SantAnna is a meeting point and an extraordinary place boasting its own VIP islands.





everything from jet skiing and banana boat rides, to parachuting and diving. The sand is quite pebbly.

#### LIA

A small bay with deep crystal waters protected from the strong northerly winds which is ideal for snorkeling. This is the alternative preferred by celebrities who arrive by boat. For a more secluded experience walk over the rocks to reach the neighboring Tigani beach. Visiting both of them, you can make it a day of privacy feeling that you swim on your own beach.

#### AGHIA ANNA (KALAFATIS)

Drive a bit further past Kalafatis or walk a few

minutes to find the somewhat hidden little beach. With clean, emerald waters and sand that continues some distance into the sea, the beach is embraced by ancient Divounia, which act as wind breakers for its calm and velvet sandy beach. Don't forget the farm-to-table Greek Island cuisine served at the Nesaea restaurant with the philosophy of Nice n' Easy restaurants (+30 22890 72130).

#### AGHIA ANNA (PARAGA)

A sandy beach wedged between Paraga and Platis Gialos, Aghia Anna is a good choice for those who want some seclusion. It still maintains, to a degree, the image of a quiet, family beach, functioning as a discharging point from its two noisy neighbors. The beach faces southwest and gets the sun until late, offering the opportunity for long-term sunbathing. If you have always dreamed of your own island, this is your chance to experience it on one of the private VIP islands at the SantAnna (+30 22890 25805, santannamykonos.gr)

#### SUPER PARADISE

If you feel young in heart, then this is your spot. A landmark holiday destination for every teenager, "Super" has nurtured generations with frenzied parties and never-ending fun. Access by car is good, while the last incline before the parking is difficult. You will meet here those who yearn for exhilarating beats.

#### **AGRARI**

For some, it is a bit inconvenient to reach. For some others, it is a heaven on earth. On the south side of the island, Agrari introduce its charm and calmness. It has sun loungers and water sports and can also be accessed by small boats from Platis Gialos. The beach's right-hand side, by the rocks, is ideal for diving and playing games in the clear blue water.

#### PLATIS GIALOS

Protected from the winds of August and beautiful albeit packed, Platis Gialos is fairly developed. Its big plus is its sporty character and the plethora of restaurants and hotels that line the sandy beach. Do not miss out on the opportunity to learn how to water ski on its calm waters. Check your jet ski exercises here.

#### PARAGA

It is the first beach on the island to open and the last to close, since its favorable orientation guarantees warm days from May to October. There is easy parking at both entrances: from Aghia Anna and just before Paradise. Enjoy a traditional experience of orzo cuttlefish after bathing and a gorgeous view as long as you want. Chora is not far for you to have your next drinks there.

#### MEGALI AMMOS

Free of umbrellas and sun loungers, the beach is ideal

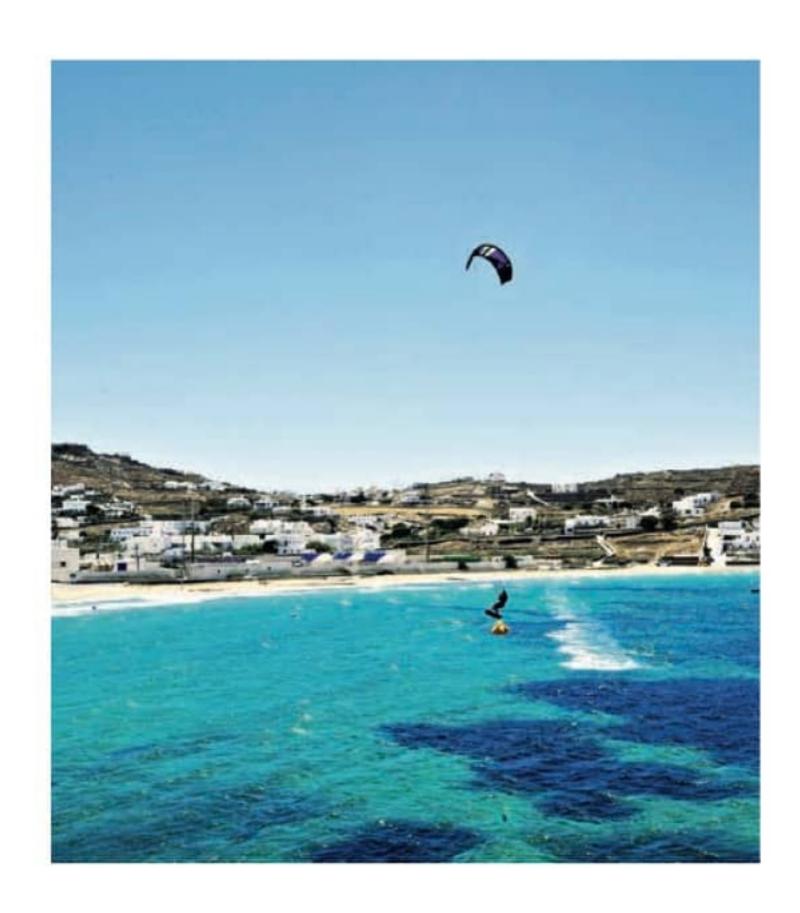
for a quick dip for those who want to keep within a safe distance from the Chora. Accessible even on foot, the golden beach with fine sand and northerly winds is also a great place for windsurfing. And dining. So, take your seat at Bill & Coo Restaurant, one of the best hotel restaurants on the island and enjoy a luxurious life by the sea. (bill-coo-botel.com).

#### AGHIOS STEFANOS

This long golden beach is ideal for those who wish to avoid high society, admire the magnificent views of the Small Delos islands and enjoy a magical sunset with the locals. If you feel like adventurous, keep driving towards the protected Houlakia beach. Swim to the small cove behind the rocky shoreline and benefit from this idyllic location despite the strong winds. You will love it whether you are a romantic or not. For sure.

#### ORNOS

The island's most popular family beach attracting all types of tourists, Greek families and quite a few locals. The natural barrier created by the settlement's houses blocks the strong north wind which often pounds the island, while the south wind does not affect the sea since the bay, while large, is closed and protected. Ornos' long sandy beach has numerous restaurants and café-bars with tables all the way to the sand. You should be an early bird in order to secure a set of umbrellas.



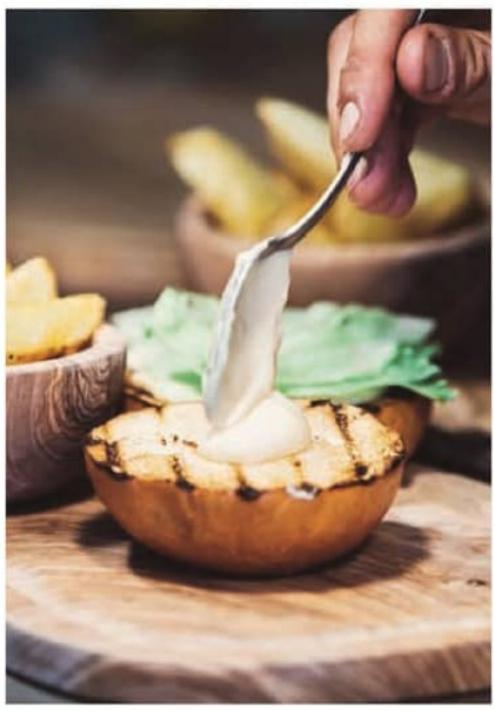














# FLAVOUR PARADE

#### BAKALÒ

Next to a traditional well is located a patio that fills you with a sense of recognizable peace, a delicious heaven you want to share with a select few. Even when full of visitors, the restaurant's warm, homey atmosphere gives the impression that the kitchen creates dishes bursting with the flavours and aromas of Greece, such as grilled squid stuffed with spinach rice and tarama vinaigrette. Just like dinner on your veranda at home.

Lakka, +30 22890 78121, bakalo.gr

#### BEEFBAR ON THE COAST IN MYKONOS

Beefbar breaks tradition with the rigid codes of high end steakhouses. Riccardo Giraudi envisioned a destination for discerning carnivores with a modern feel. The concept works on contrasts: unpretentious food yet extremely high quality products. The architecture is both sober & luxurious. These are the general characteristics, but Beefbar on the Coast in Mykonos also breaks tradition with all the other Beefbars, as it is the only located next to the sea. So unique, so different, so Beefbar on the Coast in Mykonos. Agbios Ioannis, +30 6956600169, 22890 77865, mykonos.beefbar.com

#### BILL & COO GATSRONOMY PROJECT

Here, in this wonderful, cosmopolitan space with the divine view of the ocean, where all the senses soar, flavour is one of the restaurant's greatest advantages. Aromas, smells and flavours that marry East and West, through the inspired recipes of chef Ntinos Fotinakis, based always on the Greek, organic products of the beloved island.

Bill & Coo Suites & Lounge, Megali Ammos, +30 22890 26292, bill-coo-botel.com

#### CATARI

Its retro patio has become a reference point for all fans of authentic Neapolitan pizza, the one with the extremely thin crust and delicious toppings, homemade pastas and fresh fish. Groups of friends gather at this old town house that boasts impressive retro tiles, home to the only "Authentic Italian Restaurant" on Mykonos, as certified by the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Aghia Anna, Chora, +30 22890 78571, catari.gr

#### KOURSAROS

In a pirate setting, in Chora, near Little Venice, the simple yet imposing restaurant, takes you on a journey with its design, atmosphere and particularly with its special flavours. Specialising in fish and seafood, the famous restaurant has devoted followers, that never pass a chance to check in. And for those that love Asian flavours, here they'll find their hangout! *Meletopoulos Sq.*, +30 22890 78140

#### MAIVEZELO

A restaurant different than all the rest. Why? Because here, the environment has the feeling of a Sunday family gathering and mother's food. Fragrant authentic Mykonian meatballs, baked chicken, beans casserole, giouvarlakia and also, not to be missed, pancetta in red sauce with sour cheese and the divine kapama veal with zucchini. Maivezelo's tradition is going strong and also does home deliveries! Vougli, +30 22893 00932

#### OTI APOMEINE

A totally relaxing and calm environment, that takes you back to the good old days and the authentic tavernas. The passion for traditional Mediterranean cuisine and the fresh ingredients, produce an excellent result and dishes that make the senses soar. The zucchini balls, the salads, the spicy cheese spread, the pittas, but particularly the roasts and especially the piglet, are famous in Mykonos for decades. Before you leave, try the spoon sweets, with the amazing

Left page clockwise from left: Koursaros, Bill & Coo Gastronomy Project, Spilia Seaside, Spala. Below: Oti Apomeine.



#### taste zone

aromas of local fruits. The very good prices and the flawless service are the extras. Ano Mera, +30 22890 71534, otiapomeine.gr

#### PRINCIPOTE MYKONOS

For zen situations and princely moments, there's no better choice that Principote in Panormos. In a bohemian chic atmosphere, with the wooden decor prevailing in the details and the refined flavours of the restaurant's kitchen, you'll feel as if you're at your "seaside" home. With inspired flavours from the Mediterranean countries, the creative menu will amaze you, as the original dishes with subtle ethnic touches, combined with wine and high quality cocktails, will enchant you, while the view of the bay stretches before you. A brief tour of the excellent and up-to-date boutique that's in the adjoining space is a must.

Panormos, +30 22890 77184, principote.com

#### REMEZZO

If you're a demanding connoisseur that's interested in clean, authentic flavours, ethnic food and an up-to-date international wine list, then Remezzo is your only choice.

In a unique space with an expansive view of the Aegean blue, the restaurant has been the meeting point of many visitors for decades, who naturally remain loyal devotees. Its cuisine is influenced by the culture of many countries, but based on fresh seafood. For those who love meat or are vegetarian, the chef will surprise them

Clockwise from right: Sale e Pepe, Bakalò, SantAnna, Remezzo, Beefbar on the Coast in Mykonos. with his choice recipes. Can you think of a better way to enjoy a sunset in Mykonos?

Polikandrioti Str., +30 22890 25700, remezzo-mykonos.com

#### **SALE E PEPE**

The restaurant has associated itself with Mykonos, bringing Italian cuisine even closer to the Island of the Winds. Its story has been infinitely flavourful, since the first day it opened for business on the island, becoming a delicious myth. The restaurant's idyllic space will bestow to you unforgettable summer evenings, with gastronomic events and intense Mediterranean flavours that delight the palate. The beloved Sale e Pepe is inspired by Italian tradition and composes unique recipes of organic ingredients and fresh aromatic herbs that will impress you. There's also a special space with a romantic view for your private gatherings. 34 Artakinou Str., +30 22890 24207

#### SANTANNA

In an architecturally excellent, Cycladic seaside building, the restaurant of multi-space











SantAnna functions as a place for relaxation and enjoyment of unique flavours, that approach Mediterranean flavours, through imaginative recipes. The flavour choices don't stop there, since you can indulge in the sushi & raw menu or lounge on the beach, waiting for a juicy burger from the space's taverna. Seasonal dishes are based on the farmto-table philosophy, with select offers. SantAnna also hosts events, in the ideal Aegean landscape. Paraga, +30 22890 25805, santannamykonos.com

#### **SPALA**

Spala has come to stir things up in the waters of Little Venice, with a brand new surf and turf restaurant, that will be discussed in the island's gastronomic circles. It's the new creation of the Nice n Easy group, that brings the harmonious coexistence of meat and fish or seafood on the table, in the same dish. Organic products, seafood varieties, lobsters and fresh fish, are the basic ingredients that the personnel has at its disposal, to make imaginative recipes. As Spala is an all-day restaurant, don't miss the incredible breakfasts made with fresh products and excess artistry, like the quinoa flour pancakes, with Corinth raisins and forest fruits. Alefkandra Sq., niceneasy.gr

#### SPILIA SEASIDE

Forget what you knew up to now about seaside restaurants and beach bars and enter into a pirate mood, as the natural setting of Spilia Seaside alludes to corsairs and treasures. The food in this majestic environment is living sea urchins, coming to your plate directly from the sea and the seafood flavours tempt you to taste them all. An ideal place to have an evening drink in the embrace of Spilia and the Aegean. *Kalafati beach*, +30 6949449729, spiliarestaurant.gr

# BAR-STRONOMY

#### **ASTRA**

It welcomes you to its 31st summer proving its classic presence in time and style. Its history has been written in its consistent characteristics, and in its famous guests, such as the rock legend Keith Richards and Monaco's young royalty Andrea Casiraghi. And it is still receiving great success with its hip music, the rock influences, the special events and fashion evenings which attract among others, Greek and foreign showbiz personalities. Chora, +30 22890 24767, astra-mykonos.com

#### BEEFBAR ON THE COAST IN MYKONOS

Boasting a select wine and champagne list from Greece, France, Italy and Germany, Beefbar is your new destination for quality drinks and a night full of music and entertainment. Apart from the classic cocktails, what about a BeefBar Sunrise, a Peruvian Soul or a Fallen Star cocktail? Wait, there's more; you can make your personalized cocktail here. All you need to do is let the mixologists know your favourite flavours and they will design your own cocktail. Aghios Ioannis, +30 6956600169, 22890 77865, mykonos.beefbar.com

#### **BILL & COO LOUNGE BAR**

Blend the energy of summer with mouth teasing flavors and quench your thirst with exotic tastes in extraterrestrial scenery. The light and refreshing signature cocktails of Bill & Coo Lounge Bar are served within a stylish, cosmopolitan yet unpretentious and relaxed ambience by the pool. Bill & Coo Lounge Bar prepares an array of cocktails and light snacks, perfect for those Mykonian sunsets with a stunning sea view. Bill & Coo Suites & Lounge, Megali Ammos, +30 22890 26292, bill-coo-botel.com

#### CAVO PARADISO

World famous for its parties, the most celebrated club in Greece attracts thousands of people to the island every summer that will come to enjoy some of the greatest dj sets in the music industry, while all party fans wait impatiently for its full moon party in August. Whenever you may visit it, there is always a good reason to celebrate a night full of music and dance. Note that you can choose its new space upstairs to organize your special event. Paradise, day phone: +30 22890 27205, club phone: +30 22890 27205, reservations of the day: +30 6948504989, cavoparadiso.gr

#### **GALLERAKI**

Head at the historical bar, with the sea literally at your feet, for the delicious cocktails made only with the freshest fruit. After 28 successful years, Galleraki is widely known and appears in the most famous holiday sites in the world. You can enjoy the scenic setting sun sipping various cocktails, such as frozen daquiries or the legendary "Katerinaki cocktail" for which Galleraki is famous. Choose your favorite drink from the inspired menu and share your Galleraki moments in the

double-storied building with your company and everybody else.

Little Venice, +30 22890 27188

#### QUEEN CHAMPAGNE & COCKTAIL BAR

And yes, you found the only bar which is dedicated to champagne – and to unforgettable fun. Queen of Mykonos is an ideal setting for enjoying the vibrant local scene while sipping on your favourite cocktail and snacking on delicious appetizers. Queen is a champagne and cocktail bar, a great meeting point to mingle and sip exotic handcrafted cocktails while soaking in the cosmopolitan island vibes.

Enoplon Dinameon Str., +30 6949 078018

#### REMEZZO

Boasting new spectacular events, it welcomes you to a great Greek dinner under the sunset and to the party which always comes next. Then head at the historical restaurant and cocktail bar and make your own unforgettable memories in its renovated and exquisite scenery totally in white. This is a place for the art of entertainment offering special guest DJs and parties for over 170 people in a magnificent spot with stunning views. So, make sure that you will be part of Remezzo's legendary nights.

Polikandrioti Str., Chora, remezzo-mykonos.com

#### SANTANNA

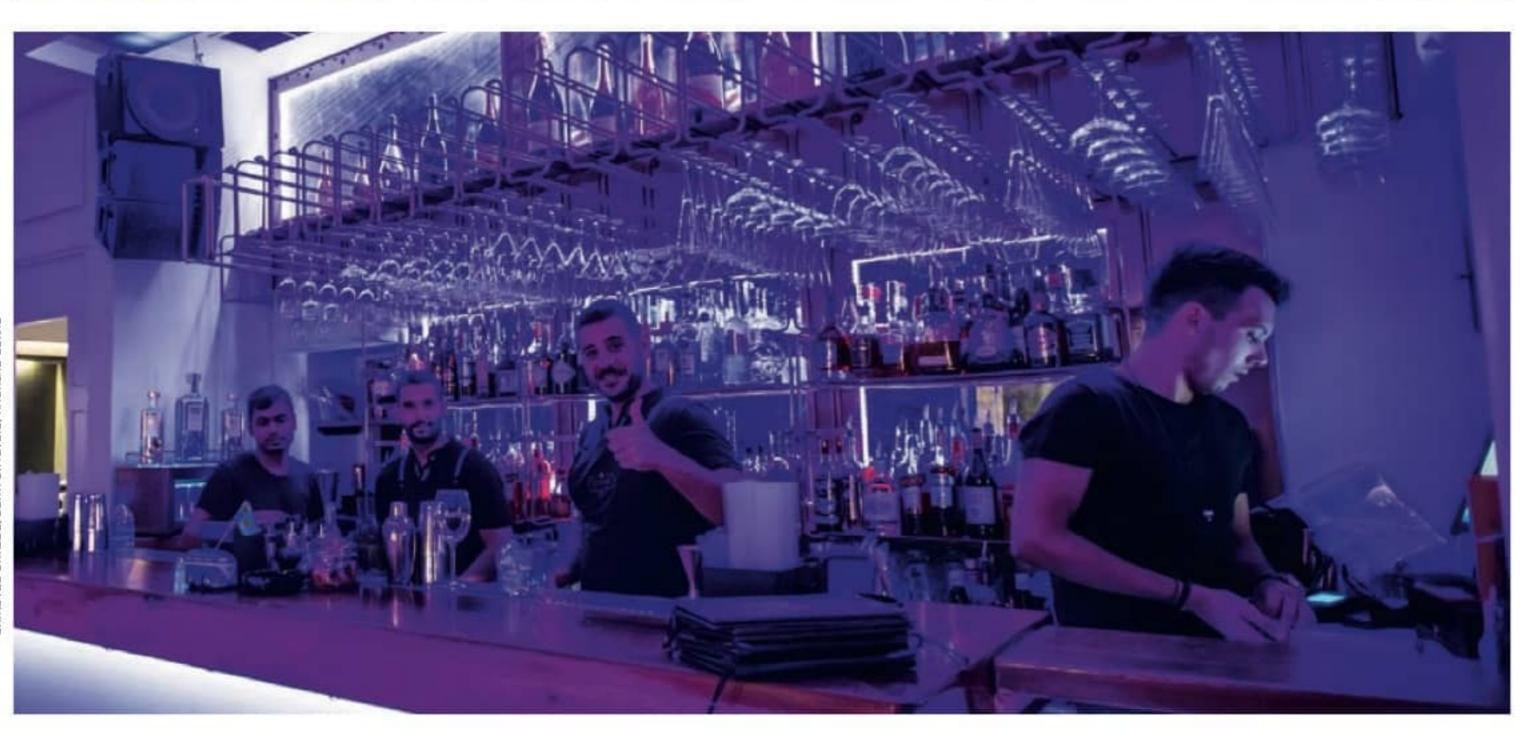
You have loved it from the first day it "emerged" as a group of individual islands on the beach. Now, you will enjoy them even more with the new stone sofas and the big tables creating an even cozier atmosphere. With the largest seaside seawater pool in Europe, "VIP islands" are the perfect setting to live the experience of top musical events and a line-up of the world's greatest musical names. Boasting also a restaurant with the Nice n' Easy organic DNA, a Sushi and Raw Bar Restaurant, an all-day pool menu from its Tavern, inventive cocktails and a boutique with big fashion brands, beauty and spa services, there is nothing that you will miss here. Paraga, +30 22890 25805, niceneasy.gr

Clockwise from left:
Preparing imaginative
cocktails at Bill & Coo
Lounge, Remezzo is also
known for its creative
and fruity cocktails,
Queen of Mykonos is the
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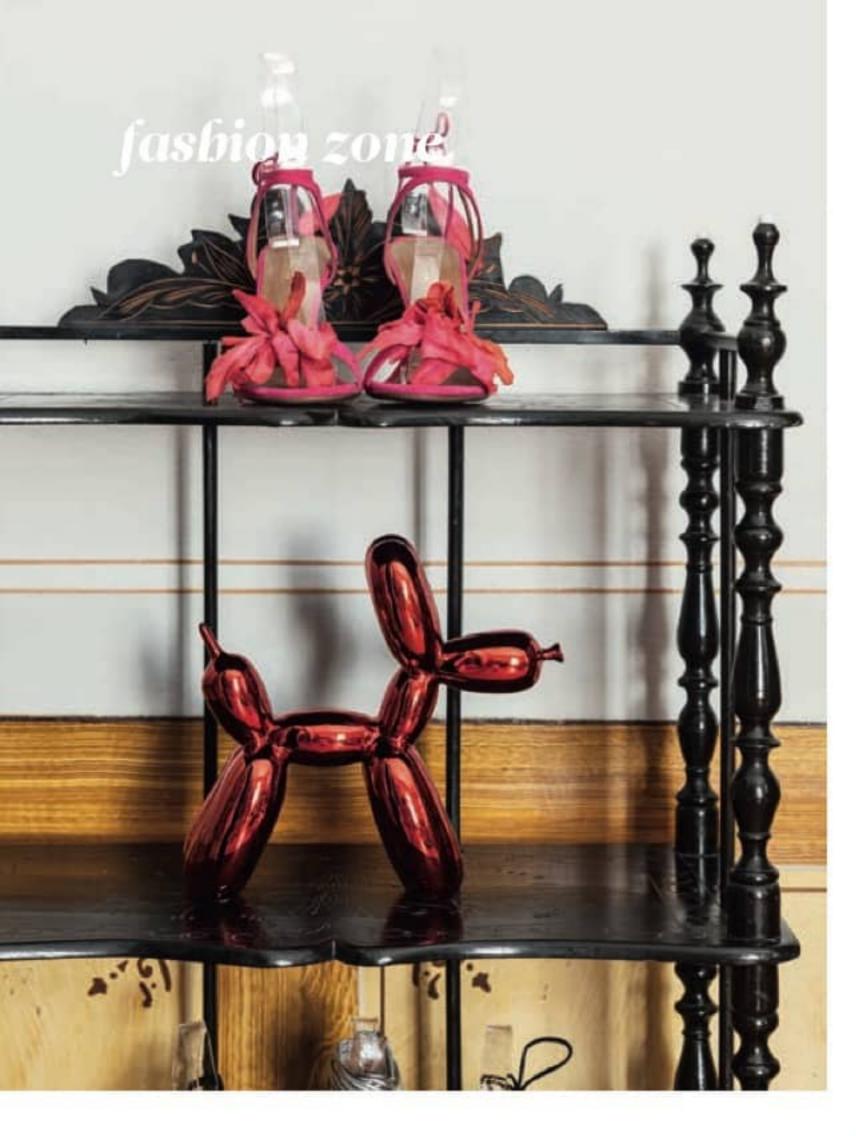












installation on the roof. This brand new space -the new venture of Enny Monaco- is now a magnet for the brand's devotees and all those who want to see the new, fabulous models, with the inspired designer's seal. The characteristic red of his shoes, remains the trademark of his designs. Come all ye faithful! Nammos Village.

#### D.S. GOLD JEWELLERY

In this store, jewelry is a family affair. For more than two decades, the owners design and make high quality jewellery, which are suitable for all tastes and budgets. Knowhow, specialisation and aesthetics meet with the precious materials in a jewellery shop that has something for everyone. What will you choose? Aghia Anna, Chora, +30 22890 25251, sahasgold.com

#### EMMANDUELLA'S

It will become - if it isn't already - the secret of your most brilliant appearances. Airy, girly designs, romantic creations, uniquely imprinted on wonderful fabrics, that show off the body and perfectly match with the shoes and the handmade jewellery that you can also

Clockwise from left: Enny Monaco Pop-Up Concept Store, Georgies & Co, Christian Louboutin Pop Up Store, D.S. Gold Jewellery.

#### AUDEMARS PIGUET BOUTIQUE

This is where technology "talks" with precision terms and elegance with the great beauty of a unique watch, having its history "carved" on its screen. Audemars Piguet is the oldest watch making company, that's still in the hands of the founding families (Audemars and Piguet). Since 1875, the company has continued to write history in the watch design sector, combining luxury, elegance and precision. In its amazing Mykonos shop, you'll find the right watch for you or for making the most brilliant gift. 12B B. Zorzi & Enoplon Dinameon Str., +30 2289306726

#### CHORA ART HOME & DESIGN

The awarded for its interior design shop with special home and decoration items captures the eye and your interest when it comes to the renewal of your space. Decorate your walls with unique pieces that lead you to a different dimension. Maximum of intensity with the minimum of means. It is this, that leads the artists to give to painting a character of even greater barrenness. And it is the same power that leads you to adorn your space with artistic objects, as well as a variety of elegant furniture, dining items, mirrors, handmade lucky charms and of course paintings. Aghios Taxiarchis, +30 22890 71107, 6973 492324 & 43 Florou Zouganeli Str., +30 22890 79363, mykonoschora.gr

#### CHRISTIAN LOUBOUTIN POP UP STORE

2018 Arrival It's the name of the brand that many wanted to hear "landing" on the island. And it happened. The object of desire for every woman, a pair of Christian Louboutin shoes, has found its own place on the Island of the Winds, in one of the most cosmopolitan spots, Nammos Village with a unique







find here. The clothes, as well as the jewellery, are exclusive designs by Manos Chalaris, from his personal collection. The luxury shop offers designs by other talented creators as well. 21 Kalogera Str., +30 22890 77970.

#### ENNY MONACO POP-UP CONCEPT STORE

It made its impressive debut last year connecting fashion with art. A very successful mixing that combined the couleur local of Venieris Mansion with the enviable Deloudis furniture and the creative direction of Greek interior designer Marilyn Katsaris. The perfect setting for an extraordinary fashion spot on the island signed by Enny Monaco. And here comes its second year. The multi-brand store, Enny Monaco, takes its high-end aesthetics a step further this June by "exhibiting" fashion in its own unique way. Wait and see...

Mat. Andronikou & Kalogera Str., Matoyianni

#### ENNY MONACO

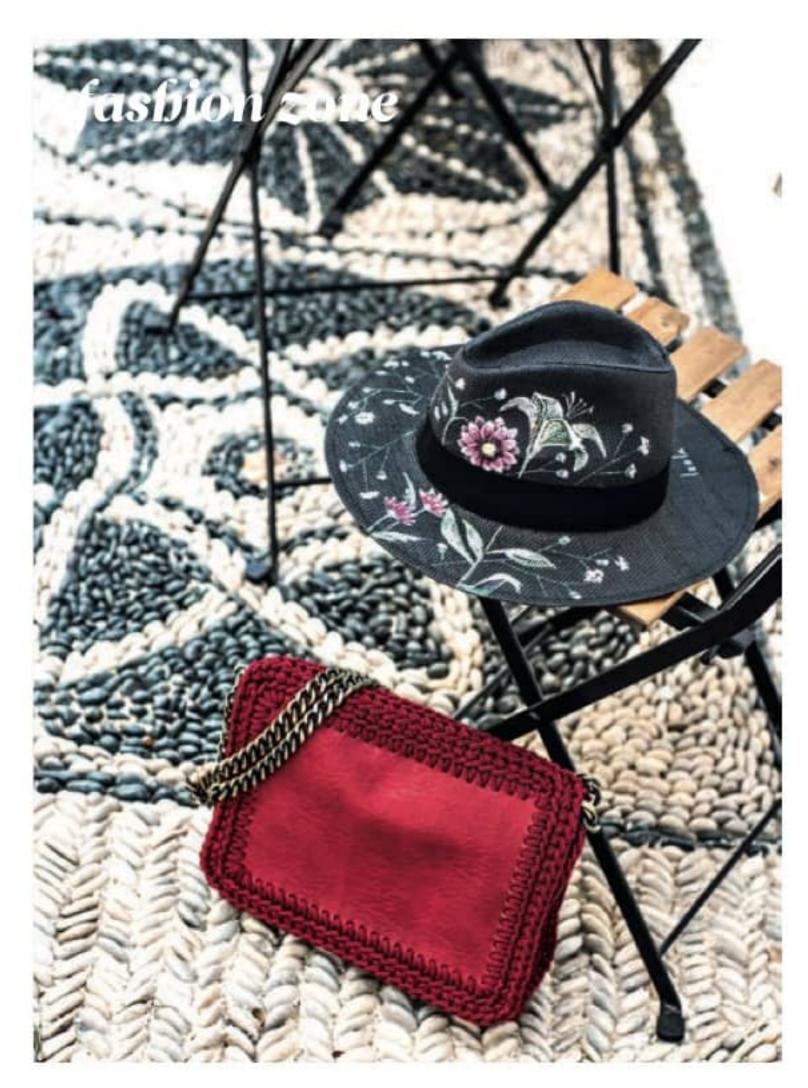
Let's talk about colours, vivid prints, sensational designs and premium quality. In other words, let's talk about your next visit to Enny Monaco. Have a glance at Aquazzura's exotic mules and stunning sandals, the Gianvito Rossi chunky heels, the elegant hats by Eugenia Kim, the wonderful Christian Louboutin wedges, high heels and espadrilles, the absolute summery Mark Cross bags and the innovative items of Maison Alaïa. Take your time, there are even more stylish choices for you to make the greatest impression on the island.

Tria Pigadia, +30 22890 77100, ennymonaco.com

#### GANT

It's not an accident that they're adored and have traveled to many countries. They're distinguished for their quality and endurance, the









result of the right choice of materials and the science team of the parent company. They come in a great variety of colours and are ideal for all hours. There's a lot of advantages, but you can add one more. Inside the Mykonos shop, you'll find great offers and new models. Kouzi Georgouli Str., +30 22890 28004

#### **GEORGIOS & CO**

Here, everything has been revolving around handmade jewellery for thirty years. The sun, the sea, the sand, the ancient Greek tradition of Mykonos and Delos, are the sources of inspiration of the great designer Giorgio, who serves jewel making loyally and consistently and has loyal fans of his creations from all over the world. Elegant masterpieces from silver, gold and precious stones, become temptations for every visitor of the Mykonos shop. Mykonos waterfront, +30 22890 22097

#### **GOFAS JEWELRY**

With more than 40 years of dynamic presence in jewelry and fashion watch industry, it is considered to be a classic spot of elegance, high aesthetics and luxury. Next to its valuable creations that stand out for their design and excellent quality, you will find models of bigger names in haute horlogerie,

Clockwise from left: Jardin of Mykonos, Gofas Jewelry, Karat.

such as Vacheron Constantin, Piaget, Hublot, Zenith, Baume & Mercier, Omega and others. 43 Matoyianni Str., +30 22890 24521, gofas.gr

#### JARDIN OF MYKONOS

Defining elegance and style. A reference point in the heart of island's fashion scene with unique exclusive creations. Exquisite dresses and coverups that will have you looking effortlessly stylish on the beach and on the island. Jardin Resortwear Bohemian Concept Store, offers a highly curated selection of handcrafted creations by Greek designers and many other, all over the world. Names like, ROSSINI HATZI using the finest natural fabrics, HERSE limited edition luxury silk scarves, NIDODILEDA unique dresses, MISS JUNE beachwear, PARK HOUSE handmade leather bags, handpainted panama hats by the Mykonian designer EMMANUUELA KOUMPAROU, are some of many more. Definitely, Jardin -The Garden-, is the store that offers eclectic fashion experience for day-to-night outfits and unique swimwear creations. In Jardin.. get set.. to Jet Set..

23 Mitropoleos Str., +30 22890 27451

#### KARAT MYKONOS

With the motto "Jewellery for the soul", the new Mykonos shop makes its entrance with luxury, handmade jewellery by young as well as established Greek designers, made with silver and gold, impressively merging the traditional with the modern. Some adopt baroque elements, some Byzantine and some are made to order. A broken jewellery piece of the Minoan period, was the motive for the talented designer Spiros Kanakis, to design exclusively for Karat, an interesting composite from 18K gold, platinum and diamonds Meet it there! 14 Mitropoleos Str., +30 22890 77949.



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#### KESSARIS - ORA KESSARIS

The art of jewelry has kept its rendez-vous with haute horlogerie in one mythical place: at Kessaris in Chora for decades. Now, this excellent connection can also be found at the new store in Nammos Village. Here you can highlight yourself with exquisite Kessaris creations and you can also admire the creations of the firms BVLGARI, De Grisogono, Loree Rodkin, Aaron Basha, Pippo Perez, Roberto Demeglio, Rolex, A.Lange&Sohne, Harry Winston, Richard Mille, Panerai, IWC, Jaeger-LeCoultre, Zenith, Tudor, Longines, Tissot, Tag Heuer, U-Boat, GaGa Milano, Omega and Wintex, as well as the finest office supplies and watch accessories. Kessaris Mykonos: 58 Mat. Andronikou Str., +30 22890 22880, Kessaris in Nammos Village Psarou, +30 22890 22376, kessaris.gr

#### MARIKA'S BOUTIQUE

A love at first sight, a shop that will make you join the island style. Cotton linen and silk dresses at their best expressions made by Join Clothes will definitely satisfy your

Clockwise from left: Minas, Kessaris in Nammos Village, Marika's Boutique, Kessaris-Ora Kessaris.



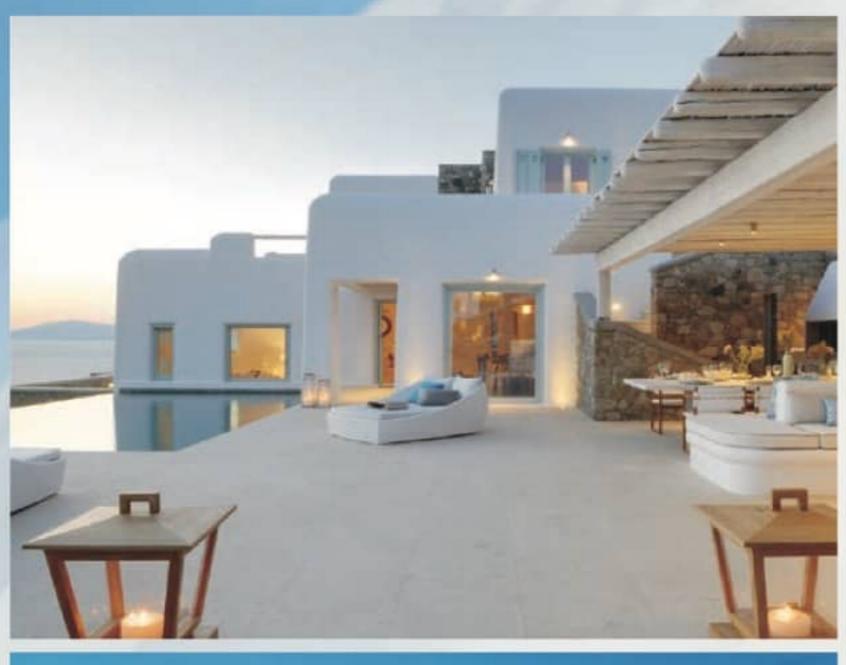






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cravings and you will find them exclusively here. You can choose from accessories, caftans beachwear and selected menswear all inspired by the island's breeze, while Marika's team will make your shopping a unique experience. 39 Kouzi Georgouli Str., +30 22890 22285

#### MINAS

If the island was a jewel, it would have been a masterpiece created by Minas, the most famous jewelry designer on Mykonos. From the Jolly Roger and the Girl from Rio, to the double star every design by the talented Minas is, literally, a small work of art. And do not forget, the creative items and decorative pieces which add another artistic touch at home or as a gift to a loved one. Fortunately, his sons seem to have inherited his talent which means that the shop that looks like a gallery, is expected to be a reference point on the island, for many years to come. Aghias Kyriakis Sq., + 30 22890 27320, shop.minastudio.com

#### ROUSOUNELOS

Want to see the new Rolex and Cartier collections? You have no choice but to come

Clockwise from left: The Jars of Brands, Rousounelos, Tyto.







to Rousounelos shop. Here visitors come to Mykonos, loyal fans of luxury, to see the collections of their favourite watches. The hospitable shop also exposes more world-class treasures, such as Vacheron Constantin, Audemars Piguet, Patek Philippe, Breitling, Tudor and TechnoMarine.

32 Matoyianni Str., +30 22890 22797, rousounelos.com

#### THE JARS OF BRANDS

With a renewed concept and special offers for men's and women's clothing, The Jars of Brands welcomes you to its stylish space. For a seventh straight season in the Kalogera alley, the island's new shopping destination, the small boutique that many fashionistas have come to love, continues to amaze with brands such as Dondup, Crossley, Blue de Genes, Gabba Jeans, Tigha and D'Blanc glasses. Discover creations by famous Greek designers (such as Rita Attala) and adopt the shiny island look with the Ten Twelve collection. Choose unique jewellery from the imaginative collections that the boutique offers, such as Soul 22 and K. And all that made of silver and gold. 41-43 Kalogera Str., Chora, +30 22890 78955, thejarsofbrands.com

#### TYTÒ

2018 Arrival Shoes and sandals, bags and hats, also airy dresses, colourful kaftans and embroidered shirts for your summer look. Your goal agrees with the shop's philosophy: refined choices. All in the service of an enchanting boho ensemble or for many items that will attract appreciative eyes. With timeless designs and endless choices, you'll definitely need a lot of time to choose.

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With more than 20 years of expertise, the company leads a high-quality fleet and offers personalized services to all customers. The experienced and qualified personnel guarantees the best of service in a 24/7 basis, as well as high safety and security standards. At this very moment Mykonos Yachting owns 9 yachts and the personnel will be next to you before your trip and throughout your cruise to make sure everything runs smoothly and seamlessly. Do not forget the glassbottom cruises: Having as a starting point Platis Gialos Port, you will cruise very close to the famous beaches of Paraga, Paradise, Super Paradise, Agrari, Elia, Kalo Livadi, Aghia Anna, Kalafatis, Lia and Fragkia.

Platis Gialos, +30 22890 28660, mykonosyachting.gr

#### MYKONAILS

Whether building a nail or a business you have to begin with a solid foundation and products you can trust. In Mykonails, they believe in the excellence of their products combined with the expertise of their skilled professionals. Inspired by the islands' unique mix of tourist and local culture, the goal is to turn their clients into regulars, providing high-end nail services in the cosmopolitan island of Mykonos. Embracing the islands' history, using a part of it in their signature logo, the Mykonian pelican waits to welcome you and polish you to perfection!

19 Aghias Kyriakis Str., Chora, +30 22890 77992

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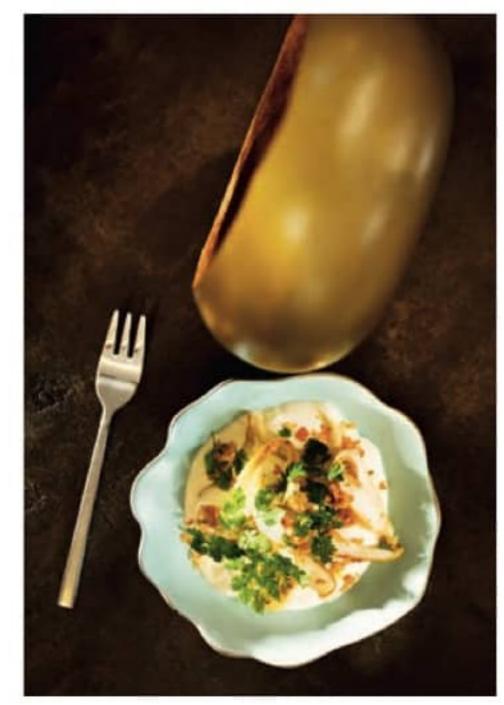




The Athenian summer is pulling us south, where you can smell the sea breeze. The following places will take you on a journey through the Athenian Riviera. And a bit beyond.







To taste Athens in the summer, you'll need to pass through Glyfada, Mikrolimano and Vouliagmeni and reach Sounio. This will afford you the knowledge of the beaches and beach bars, the seafood flavours of the restaurants and the view that most of these places generously provide. You'll admire the natural beauty of the Vouliagmeni lake, you'll drink coffee at the Yacht Club of Greece in Piraeus with the sea spread out in front of you (ycg.gr), you'll stroll in the shopping district of Glyfada with the luxury stores, such as the Ensayar boutique (ensayar.gr), you'll try the excellent fish dishes of chef Lefteris Lazarou in Mikrolimano and the awarded with one Michelin star, Varoulko Seaside restaurant (varoulko.gr). You'll sunbathe in Yabanaki, in the central Varkiza beach, or if you're more athletically inclined, you'll test your stamina in Anavyssos with water skiing. For creative dishes based on seafood, you'll reserve a table in the high profile restaurant Ithaki in Vouliagmeni (ithakirestaurantbar.gr), while for more classic flavours you'll go to the flagship of Dourambei in Piraeus (29 Akti Dilaveri, +30 210 4122092). You'll enjoy the temple of Poseidon during the sunset and you'll pass the night at Island in Varkiza (islandclubrestaurant.gr).

Clockwise from left: Relax on a sunbed and swim at Yabanaki, a creatice dish at Bites & Wine, the new venture of chef Lefteris Lazarou, the park of SNFCC with the concert area, fish delicacy at Varoulko Seaside, the Ithaki restaurant, the Vouliagmeni lake, the dining area of the Island.

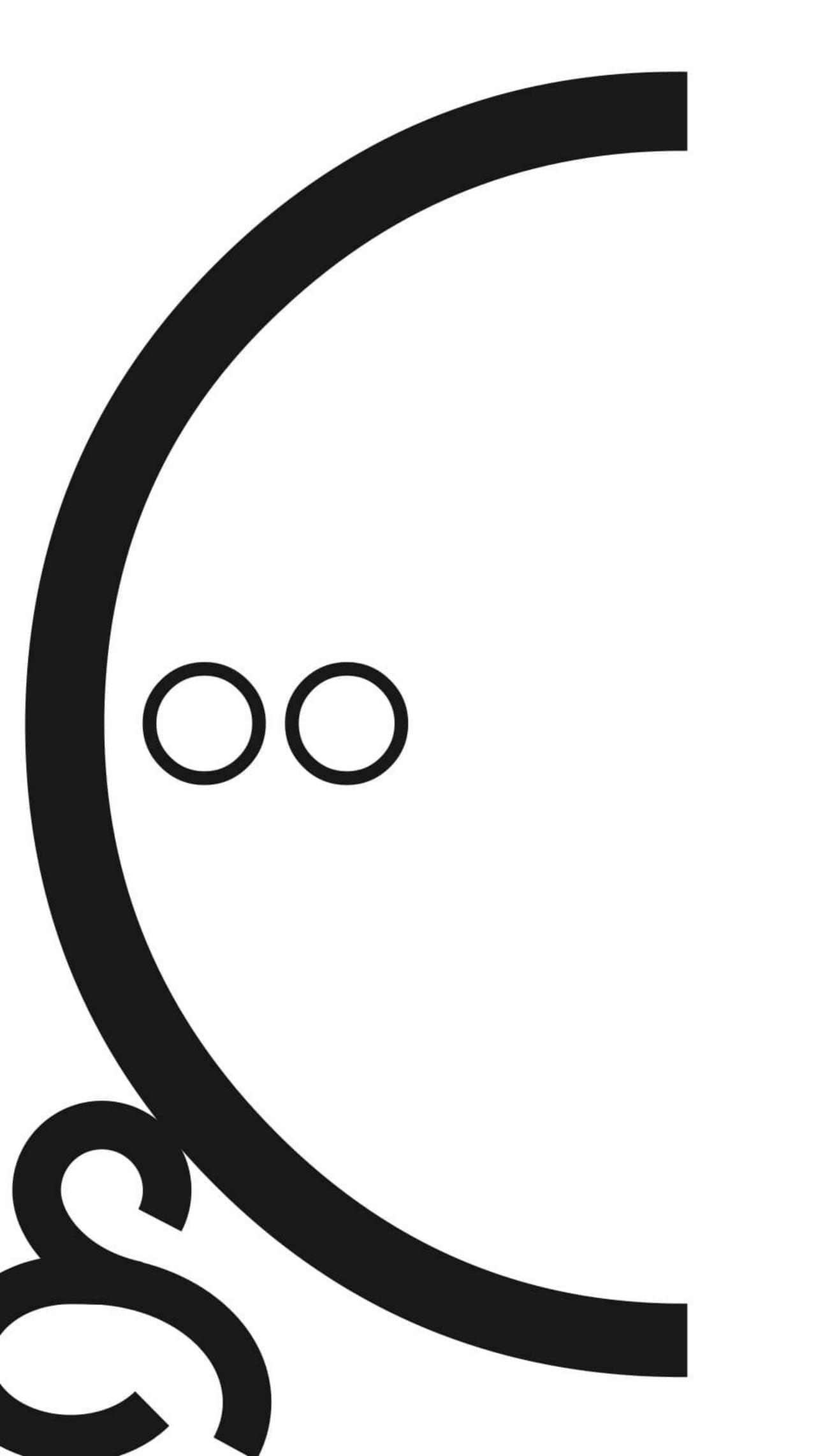












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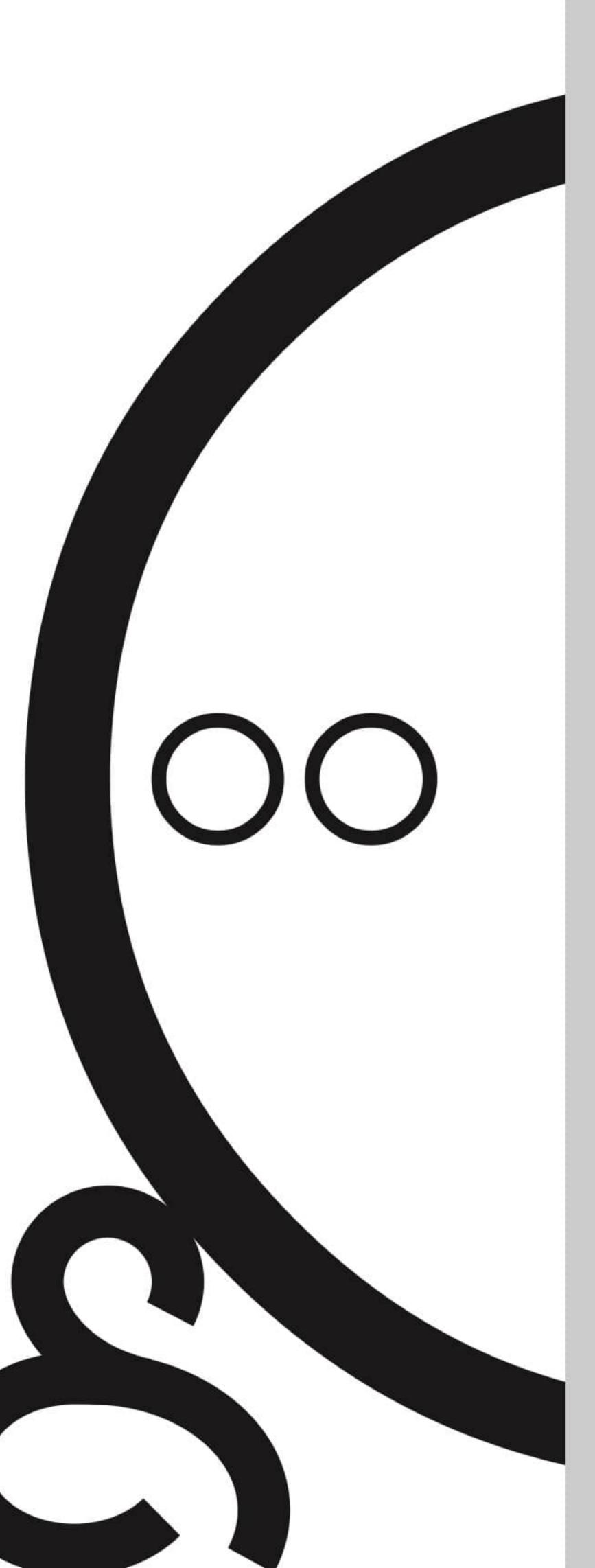
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