

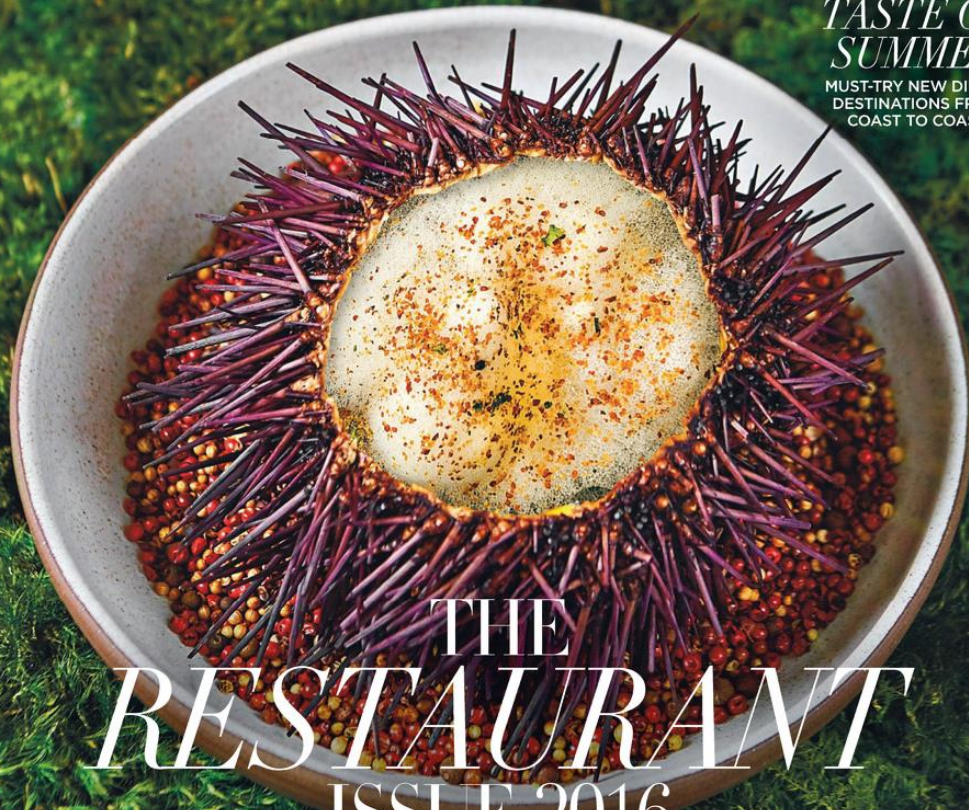
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Act Two Debut at El Tucán
1] The audience enjoying the cabaret's new show
2] El Tucán co-owners Mathieu Massa and Michael Ridard



“We're very excited to share our new show. It's our way



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Caviar Russe opening at Four Seasons Tower
3] Kasey Kopf
 Panchernikov
 Goldentayer



ICA Benefit at John Varvatos
5] ICA director Eilen Salpeter
6] Artist Emmett Moore and Sarah Newberry

