

50 Best Restaurants Boston

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Uni

370 Commonwealth Ave.,
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THE 50 Best Restaurants

*Our thoroughly researched, call-it-like-we-see-it ranking of the
restaurants that make Boston a true dining destination.*

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EVERYONE RIGHTFULLY RAVES about Uni's late-night menu, with its house-made ramen and street-food-inspired snacks like octopus tacos and puffed-rice-topped hot dogs. But you really need to visit Ken Oringer's sleek, subterranean sushi den during prime time, when sashimi chef Tony Messina's ambitious, risk-taking menu combines incongruous ingredients (fat slices of raw tuna with creamy *burrata*) and cross-cultural flourishes (Spanish lubina accented by North African *charmoula* and Italian *gremolata*) to astonishing effect. Sit at the sushi counter for the full experience—and if you time it just so, you can pad your stomach with an order of *tako* tacos on the way out.

Can't-miss dish: *Spicy tuna tataki with foie gras, raspberry, goat cheese, and black walnut.*

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