

# 6 Latin Restaurants to Visit During Hispanic Heritage Month

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A variety of dishes from Celeste

With restaurants on every street corner of Boston, a taste of Latin culture isn't too hard to find. In celebration of Hispantic Heritage Month (September 15 - October 15), here are 6 Latin Restaurants that you can visit to get a taste of the authentic culture beyond the empanada stands at the Boston Common.

### **Toro Boston**

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James Beard award-winning chefs Ken Oringer and Jamie Bissonnette, holds an assortment of Barcelona-inspired small plates, coupled with cocktails and a carefully selected wine list. *Toro-restaurant.com* 

### Celeste

Creating a shared experience with its customers is something that's very important to Celeste in Somerville. The restaurant celebrates the Peruvian culture's art and music while pairing it with the ancient Peruvian and Andean recipes that have been passed down from generations. Have some warm, cilantro lamb soup while you sit back and enjoy the evening's curated mixtapes that feature cumbia, salsa dura, merengue and vallenato. *Celesteunionsquare.com* 

#### **Tres Gatos**

Known for being Boston's first full-service restaurant, book and music store, Tres Gatos was founded on the central belief that the essence of a happy life is through sharing these simple pleasures with one another. Head over to the Jamaica Plains restaurant and sit down for a selection of Spanish tapas and wine. Before leaving, check out their collection of rare vinyl releases. *Tresgatosjp.com* 

## **Gustazo Cuban Cafe**

The word *gustazo* means *great pleasure* in Spanish, which is a promise that this vibrant Cambridge restaurant lives up to. Gustazo Cuban Cafe couples modern interpretations of traditional Cuban dishes with a festive environment. Enjoy a variety of their Cuban far

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<u>cubancafe.com</u>

# Oliveira's Restaurant

Since 2004, Oliveira's Restaurant has added some Brazilian flavor to the Boston restaurant scene. Serving one of the most popular styles of barbecue in Brazil, known as Rodízio, servers bring a variety of fireroasted meats on skewers to be carved at your table.

Oliveirasrestaurantboston.com

## **Lolita Mexican**

Located in Back Bay on Dartmouth Street, Lolita Mexican attracts locals and visitors alike thanks to beckoning gothic doors. Head inside for more luxe-goth decor and a variety of tequila cocktails. Plus—end each meal with a cloud of green apple cotton candy. *Lolitamexican.com* 

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