

NICOLE KARR

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EXPERIENCE

Sept. 2012 - Present

My Cooking Party

25 West 26th St. New York, NY.

Lead Chef Instructor & Catering Chef

Menu Execution

Special Events Catering

Private Lessons & Group Classes

May 2012 - Sept. 2012

Amuzae Catering

New York, NY.

Catering Chef

Delegating Responsibilities & Tasks

Kitchen & Staff Management

Menu Execution

June 2011 - Sept. 2011

64 Main

64 Main St. Vinalhaven, ME.

Executive Chef

Delegating Responsibilities & Tasks

Kitchen & Staff Management

Staffing & Scheduling

Ordering & Inventory

Menu Development & Execution

Nov. 2009 - May 2011

Glenmere Mansion (Relais & Chateaux)

634 Pine Hill Road Chester, NY.

Sous Chef

Delegating Responsibilities & Tasks

Kitchen Management & Training

Staffing & Scheduling

Ordering & Inventory

Menu Development & Execution

July 2008 - Present Pure Catering
New York, NY.
Chef/ Owner
Delegating Responsibilities & Tasks
Kitchen & Staff Management
Purchasing, Budget & Inventory Analysis
Menu Development & Execution
Special Events Catering & Planning
Private Lessons & Group Classes
Personal Chef
Supper Clubs

June 2008 - July 2008 Ristorante Al Pirata
Ferrara, Italy
Line / Prep Chef
Menu Preparation & Execution

April 2008 - Dec. 2008 Cafeteria
119 7th Ave New York, NY.
Line / Prep Chef
Menu Preparation & Execution

Feb. 2008 - April 2008 Morimoto
88 10th Ave New York, NY.
Line / Prep Chef
Menu Preparation

EDUCATION

2008 The New York Restaurant School
Culinary Arts
New York, NY.
Quarterly Honor Roll

2006 Orange County Community College
Criminal Justice
Middletown, NY.

2003 Bayside High School
Academic Diploma
Bayside, NY.

HONORS

July 2012 Food Network's Chef Wanted with Anne Burrell
Final 2
Competed for the Executive Chef position at David Burke
Fromagerie in Rumson, NJ.

June 2008 - July 2008 Studied Abroad
Parma / Otranto / Ferrara, Italy
Completed cooking courses at Academia Barilla.
Prepared typical dishes of different regions.
Gained knowledge of the traditional food & wine, rural territory
& culture.

Culinary Competition
1st Place
Monroe College; Bronx, NY.

Serv - Safe Sanitation & Safety Certification

New York City Food Handler's License

VOLUNTEER WORK

Ronald McDonald House
Step Up-Modeling for a Cause
Footings Inc.
Night of Hope