

Chef Spotlight

Celebrating Foods of the World

Thompson Hospitality Welcomes
Kamal Rose, Executive Chef



Chef Kamal's rise to Executive Corporate Chef at Thompson Hospitality is an inspiring story of talent, persistence and hard work. Kamal moved to New York from St. Vincent and The Grenadines at age 15. While a high school senior, he interned at Tribeca Grill, where he worked his way from garde manger and tournant to head of banquets and then to sous chef. In 2009, he won a \$20,000 scholarship in a national cooking competition and earned a diploma in Culinary Arts from the Institute of Culinary Education. Kamal was promoted to executive chef in the summer of 2012. Next, he worked at Harlan Publick as the executive chef from 2014 to fall 2018. Kamal has cooked at many noteworthy events including the James Beard Foundation, Kristen Ann Carr Fund, City Harvest, Share Our Strength, Taste of the NFL, and the LA Food and Wine Festival.