

# Global Grub Abounds at 'Voice' Choice Eats

The Village Voice's  
**Choice Eats**

featuring  
**handpicked  
restaurants**  
from  
Robert Sietsema's  
*Counter Culture*

tasting  
event

the puck building  
295 Lafayette St., NYC

**VOICE**

tuesday  
march 11<sup>th</sup>, 2008  
6:30pm - 10:30pm

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A portion of the proceeds will go to benefit the Academy of Hospitality & Tourism at Erasmus

Bring an atlas — and your appetite.

There's a lot to recommend the *Voice's* Choice Eats dinner, coming up on March 11 and taking rezziess now. For one thing, it's cheap: These kind of events are usually a small fortune, whereas this one costs \$25 in advance, and \$35 at the door. But more important, the restaurants represented are all ones searched out by the paper's xenophilic critic, Robert Sietsema. Sietsema's various West African stew houses and Uzbek kebab palaces tend to be more read about than visited and are spread far throughout the five boroughs. The event — a chance to eat at 30 of them at the same time (including Albert's Mofongo House, Yeti of Hieizan, and Peppa's Jerk Chicken) — amounts to a global-cheap-eats summit. No self-respecting New York gastronaut should consider doing anything else that night. You can buy tickets [here](#).

*The Puck Building, 295 Lafayette St., nr. Houston St.; Mar. 11, 6:30–11:30 p.m.*

**Problem**

*In the Magazine* 9:30 am

**This Week: New Fusion, New Coffee, Repurpo**

*Back of the House* 9:00 am

**South Beach Wine & Food Festival Comi  
Meatpacking**

**2/24/08**

*Foodievents* 11:16 am

**Bourdain Fends Off Angry Chefs at Batali**

**2/23/08**

*Back of the House* 11:30 am

**Shipwrecked With Padma Lakshmi**

*Foodievents* 11:11 am

**Unlimited BBQ and Champagne Brings Out t  
Chef at SOBE**

**2/22/08**

*Foodievents* 5:45 pm

**The American Lamb Board Rocks Out at**

*NewsFeed* 5:30 pm

**David Chang Triumphs Again; Richman Nam  
Bag at Golden Clogs**

*Celebrity Settings* 4:50 pm