

Nordic APIs Guide to Stockholm



Wine, dine, and fika like Stockholmers do. We give you tips to the best restaurants, bars and Cafés in Stockholm, which you might not find in a regular tourist guide. These are the best places according to us.

In this guide you'll also find info about some popular tourist attractions in Stockholm.

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BREAKFAST, LUNCH & FIKA

Fika is a Swedish concept where you drink coffee or tea and eat something sweet like a cinnamon bun, Kladdkaka, Cookie etc. You can fika and only drink coffee or tea, but it's more common to eat something sweet as well.

VETE-KATTEN

Vete-katten is a bakery which has been written about, spoken about and visited by most Stockholmers. There's not much more to say about this place except that they offer quality bakeries. It's the ultimate place for fika. They also sell breakfast packages between 07.30-10.00, and lunch is served 11.00-14.00.

Area: City

Address: Kungsgatan 55

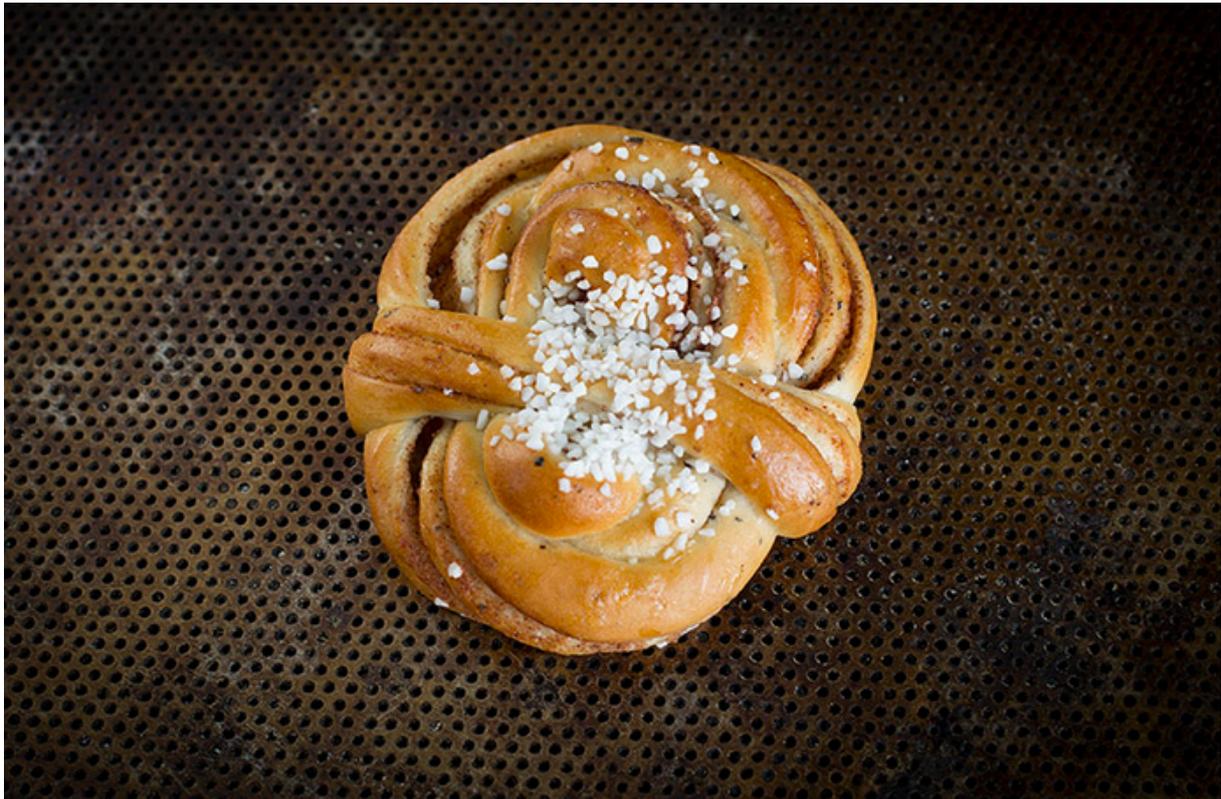
Visit their website [here](#).



BRÖD & SALT

Bröd och Salt offer both lunch and fika, but we'd recommend that you go here and buy coffee and a cinnamon bun, or even better – an almond bun. Their stores are located all over Stockholm and even though they might not be very cozy they do serve the best buns in town.

For more info and location of their stores, visit their website [here](#).



KAFFEVERKET

Kaffeverket has received White Guides recommendation as one of the best cafés in Sweden. And it really is good. Their coffee is the best we've tried in Stockholm and you get as many refills as you like. Their breakfast and lunch menu is just as good. We recommend that you try the beetroot salad with chèvre cheese for lunch!

Area: Vasastan and Östermalm

Address: Sankt Eriksgatan 88 and Snickarbacken 7.

Visit their website [here](#).



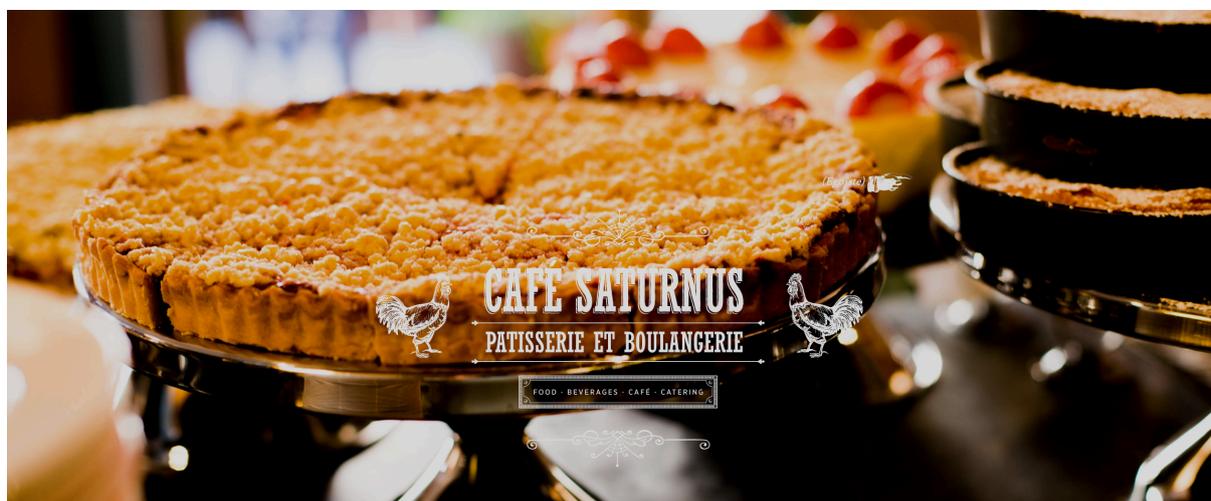
CAFÉ SATURNUS

Café Saturnus serves some of the best fika in town and also equally delicious breakfast, lunch and brunch. The portions here are very generous so it might be a good idea to share a pastry.

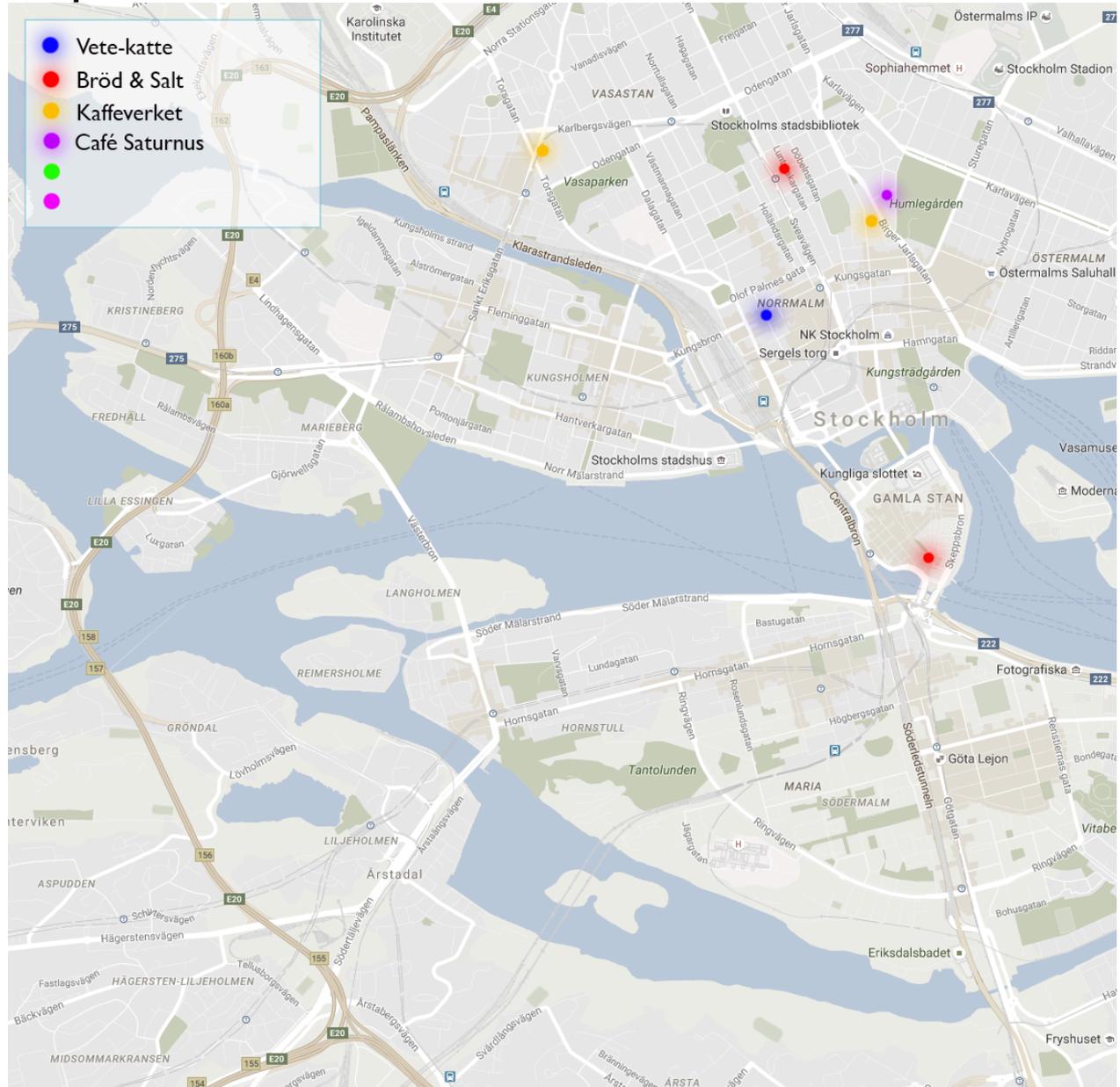
Area: Östermalm

Address: Eriksbergsgatan 6

Visit their website [here](#).



Map – Breakfast, Lunch & Fika Recommendations



BRUNCH

GREASY SPOON

The hot spot Greasy Spoon serves breakfast and brunch all day, everyday. This place doesn't do reservations, and on weekends their peak hours are between 11.00-14.00 when they operate a waiting list for tables. The most popular dishes are their versions of eggs benedict.

Area: Södermalm

Address: Tjärhovsgatan 19, 116 28

Visit their website [here](#).



STOCKHOLM BRUNCH CLUB

This is a very popular spot right now and just like Greasy Spoon they don't do reservations, so you might have to wait a while to get a table during rush hours. They are busiest during weekends between 10.30-14.30 when they operate by a waiting list. It's supposed to be well worth the wait though.

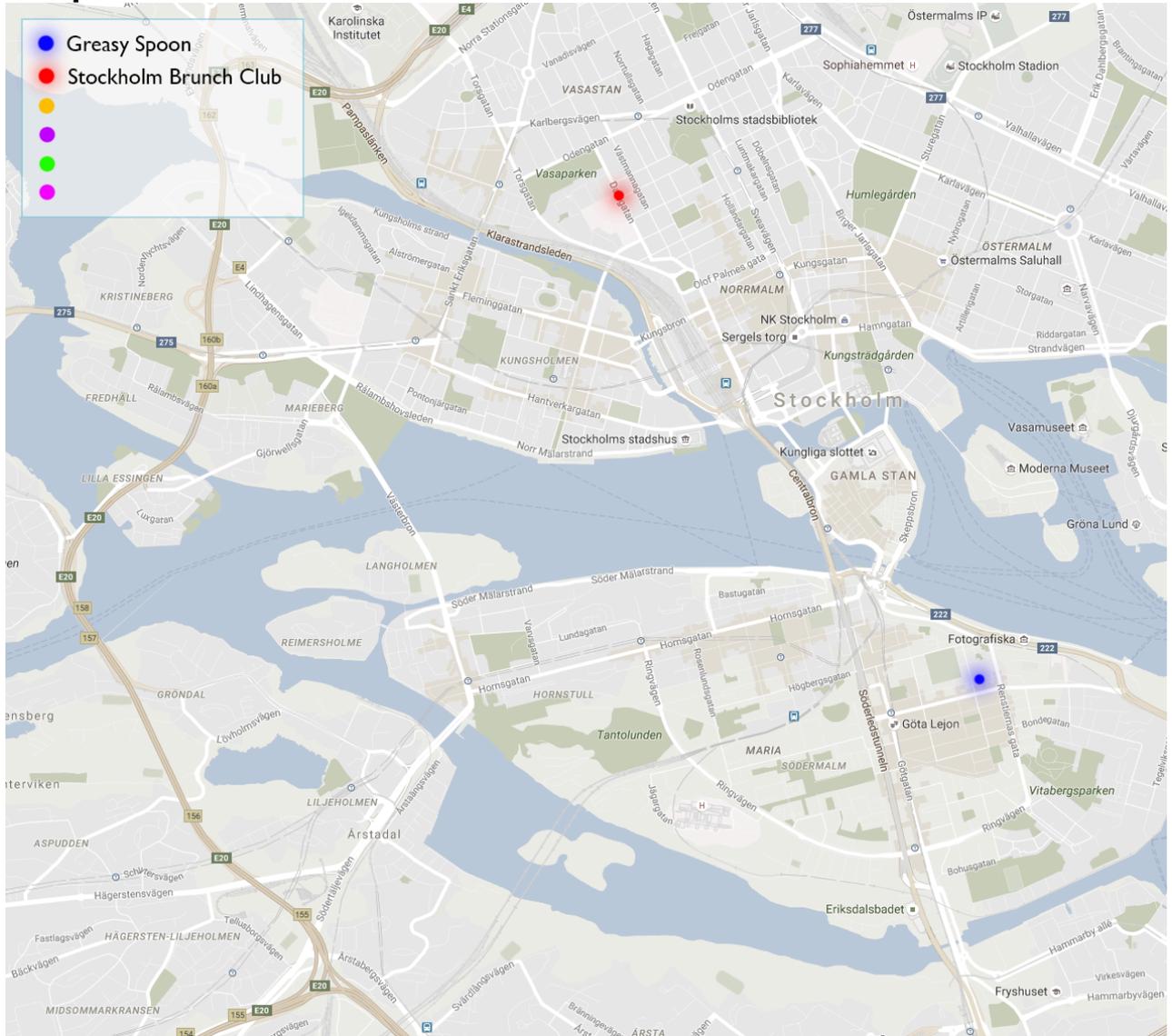
Area: Vasastan

Address: Dalagatan 24, 113 24

Read more and visit their website [here](#).



Map – Brunch Recommendations



LUNCH & DINNER

SHANTI GOSSIP

This is an Indian like restaurant serving Bengali Street Food. It's small, a bit noisy, and delicious. They also have a great selection of beer, and the place isn't too pricey. If you want to be sure to get a table, you should call in advance.

They also have [four other restaurants](#) with slight variations to the menu, but all with the Indian cuisine in common.

Area: Södermalm

Address: Skånegatan 71

Visit their website [here](#).



MINH MAT

If you like Vietnamese food – even if you don't like Vietnamese food – this is one of the best restaurants in Stockholm. The focus is well-prepared traditional and modern dishes of Vietnamese cuisine with an emphasis on really good street food and a rich selection of vegan dishes. Good ingredients, good beers and organic wines. We were not surprised when this place got recommended by White Guide. Be sure to book a table here.

Area: Vasastan

Address: Odengatan 94

Visit their website [here](#).



NYBROGATAN 38

The kitchen is inspired by southern European and Swedish cooking. The atmosphere is very homey yet elegant, and the pricing is often around 200 SEK. We can almost guarantee that everybody will find something of liking here. They offer a luxurious variant of the traditional Swedish meatballs with mashed potatoes, brown sauce and lingonberries.

If the restaurant is full you can also try **Nytorget 6** (Södermalm) or **Österlånggatan 17** (The Old Town) which are sister restaurant with basically the same menu.

Area: Östermalm

Address: Nybrogatan 38

Visit their website [here](#).



BRASSERIE BALZAC

Brasserie Balzac serves dinner all days of the week from 17:00. Mondays to Fridays they open for lunch from 11:00, and the weekend brunch is available Saturdays and Sundays 11-15:30. They are inspired from the French cuisine and offer a mixture between rustique countryside cuisine and urban bistro dishes.

Area: Vasastan

Address: Odengatan 26

Visit their website [here](#).



PHIL'S BURGER

Even though Phil's Burger have 4 restaurants in Stockholm it's not your typical fast food burger place. The burgers are made from scratch with quality meat, with bread baked in their own bakery in Sundbyberg every morning. Their restaurant near Stureplan is the nicest, and we strongly recommend you try the Truffle Burger, with an Oreo Milkshake as dessert. They also offer vegetarian and gluten free options.

Area: Östermalm, Kungsholmen, Gärdet and Sundbyberg.

Adress: Birger Jarlsgatan 34, Fleminggatan 49, Sandhamnsgatan 1, Sundbybergstorg 1

Visit their website [here](#).



SVENSKA HAMBURGERKÖKET

Svenska Hamburgerköket might not have the most central location, but we dare say that they serve the best burgers we've ever tried. This place doesn't do reservations and they're usually pretty full, but if you have the time to wait about 40 minutes it is absolutely worth it.

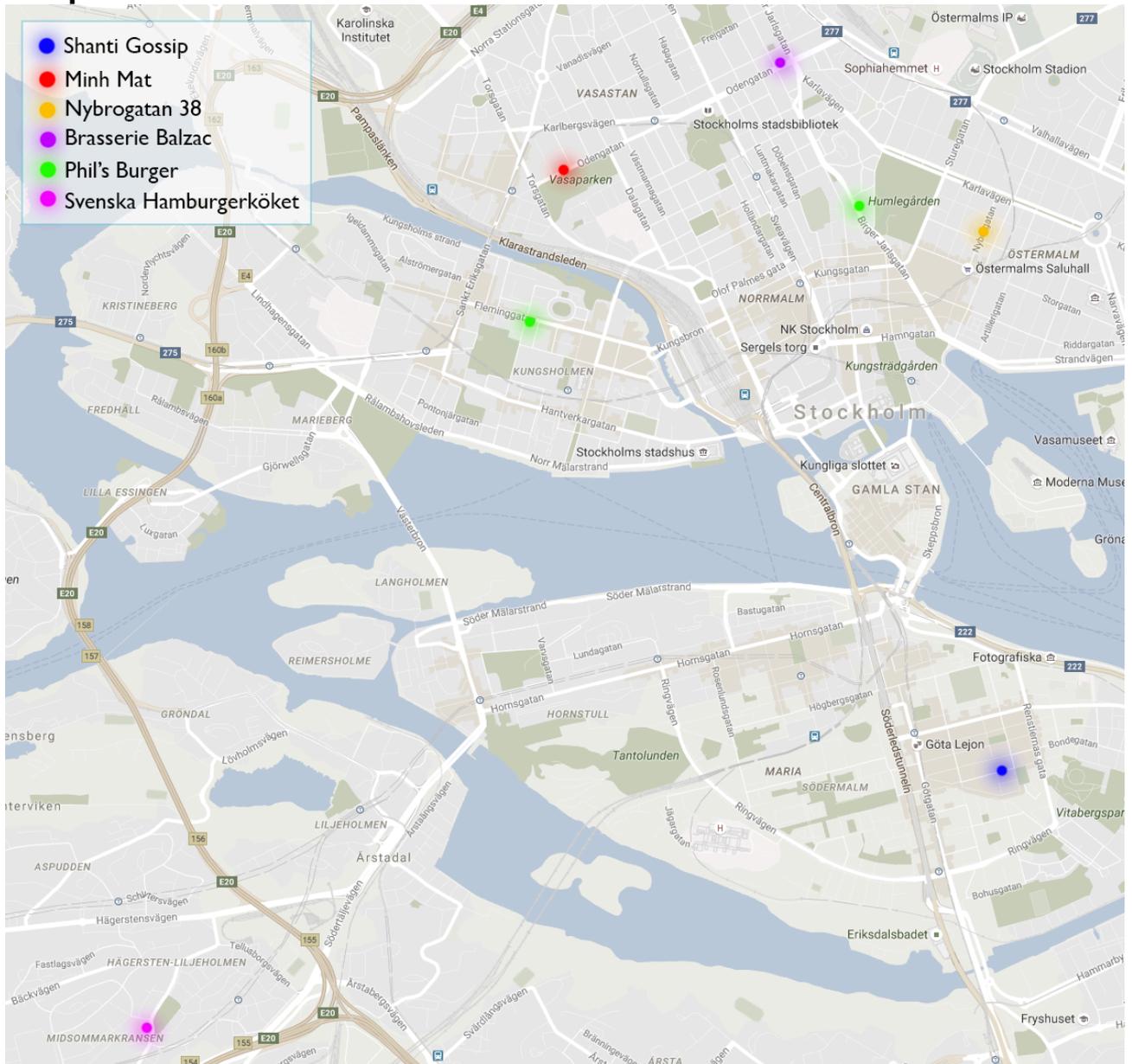
Area: Midsommarkransen

Adress: Tellusborgsvägen 78

Visit their website [here](#).



Map – Dinner Recommendations



DRINKS

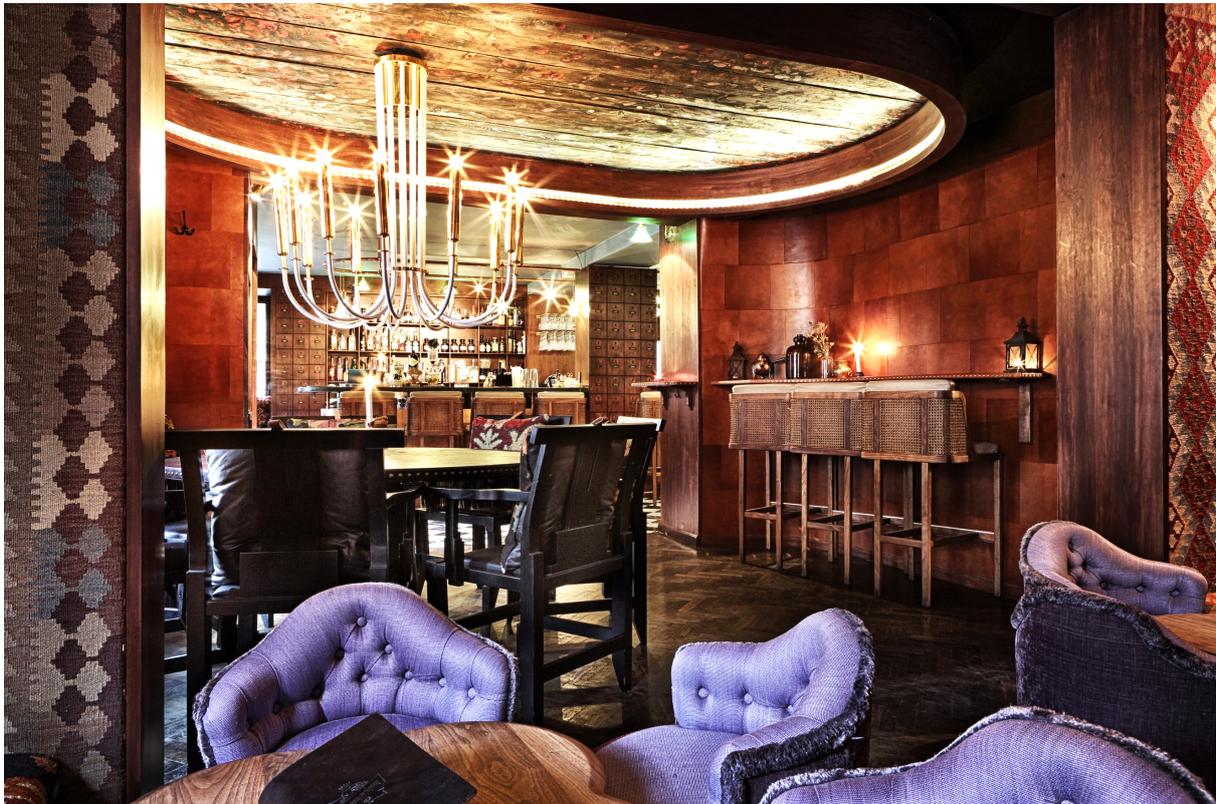
PHARMARIUM

Pharmarium is a cocktail bar that serves seasonal drinks and medium sized meals in The Old Town (Gamla Stan). Inspired from old pharmacies they create interesting flavors using odd ingredients and a large dose of imagination. This place is a bit pricey but gives you an interesting taste experience worth every penny.

Area: The Old Town

Address: Stortorget 7, 111 29 Stockholm

For more info about their drinks and opening hours, visit their website [here](#).



Haymarket By Scandic

Haymarket is a newly opened hotel in the middle of Stockholm City. The feeling at their cocktail bar is sophisticated, and they have a lot of historical influences which makes you think of the roaring 20th. Here you can enjoy both classic tipples and original cocktails.

Area: City

Address: Hötorget 13-15, 111 57 Stockholm

For more info and opening hours, visit their website [here](#).



GONDOLEN

Sleek fine-dining restaurant above the harbor with a sweeping view over the city. The dinner is good, but they also serve amazing drinks. The beautiful view doesn't hurt either.

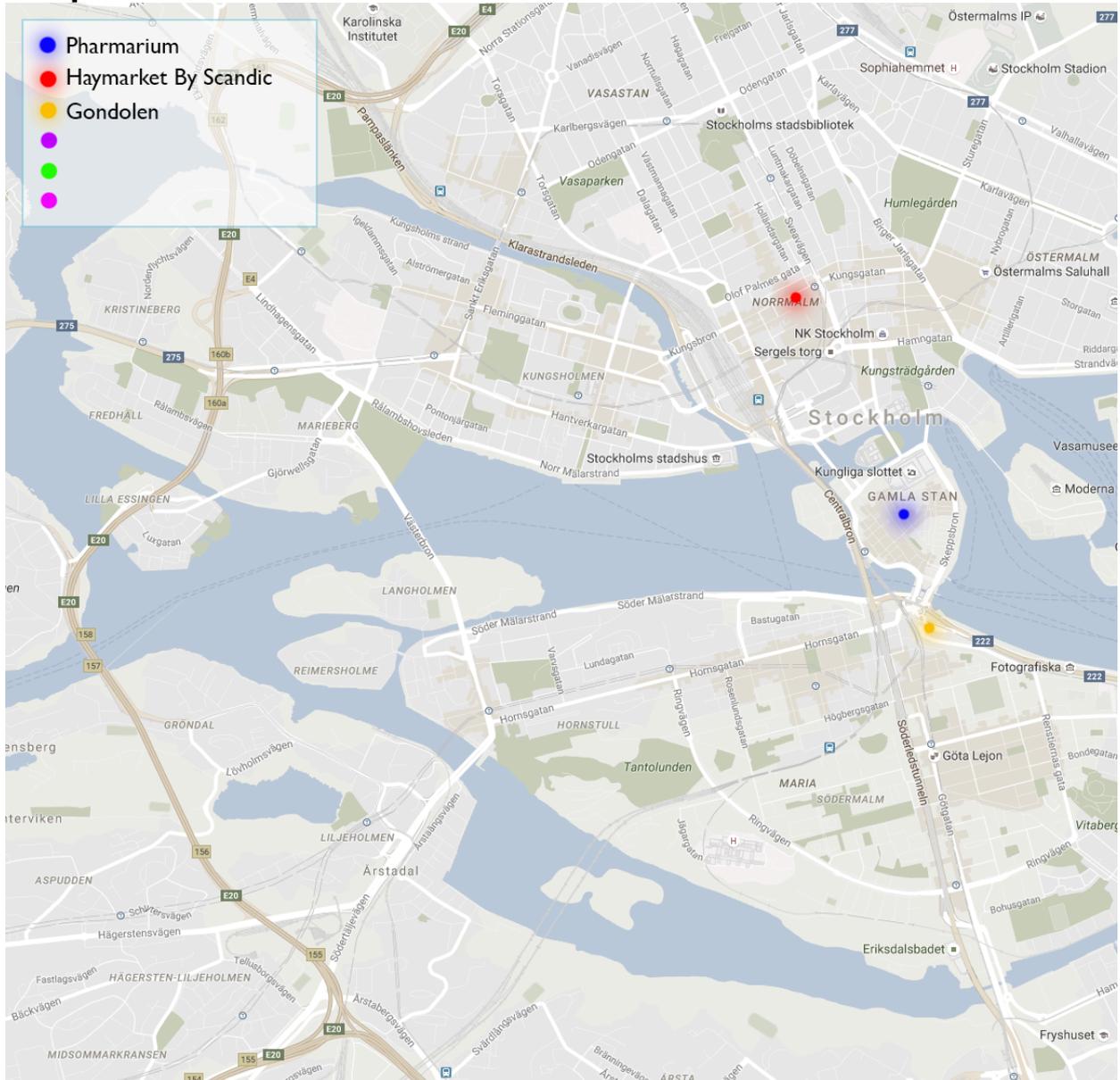
Area: Södermalm

Address: Stadsgården 6

Visit their website [here](#).



Map – Bar Recommendations



ATTRACTIONS

FOTOGRAFISKA

Fotografiska (The Swedish Museum of Photography) is a center for contemporary photography in Stockholm. According to their website, their exhibitions are among the city's most popular attractions. They also have a café and a restaurant which we highly recommend. In the café they offer a selection of simple meals and fika, and the restaurant offer high quality dishes with interesting interpretations where the vegetables are the heroes. Make sure to book a table if you want to eat at the restaurant.

You can read more about their exhibitions, food, ticket pricing, and book a table at their restaurant on their website [here](#).

Area: Södermalm

THE OLD TOWN (GAMLA STAN)

The Old Town is a very popular attraction for tourists visiting Stockholm, so if you go here you won't be alone. Still, it is a very beautiful part of Stockholm worth a visit. The town dates back to the 13th century, and consists of medieval alleyways, cobbled streets, and archaic architecture. North German architecture has had a strong influence in the Old Town's construction.

If you go here, make sure you don't miss **Pharmarium**, a cocktail bar with seasonal drinks and medium sized meals. If you're not in the mood for a drink, we highly recommend you go to **Bröd och Salt** and buy some fika, and if you're looking to have dinner here we'd recommend **Österlånggatan 17**.

VASA MUSEUM (VASAMUSEET)

The Vasa Museum is a maritime museum in Stockholm, Sweden. Located on the island of Djurgården, the museum displays the only almost fully intact 17th century ship that has ever been salvaged, the 64-gun warship Vasa that sank on her maiden voyage in 1628. The Vasa Museum opened in 1990 and, according to the official web site, is the most visited museum in Scandinavia.

Prices

Adults: 130 SEK (€ 13,61)

Under 18 years: Free

Visit their website [here](#).

THE NOBEL MUSEUM

Alfred Nobel wrote in his will that physics, chemistry, physiology or medicine, literature and peace would each year receive a part of the revenues of his fortune. The Nobel Prize was already from the start a world event. No other prize spanned over so many subjects and nationalities.

The Nobel Museum's aim is to spread knowledge as well as to create interest and discussion around the natural sciences and culture through creative learning and exhibition techniques, modern technology and elegant design.

For more info and ticket sales visit their website [here](#).

MODERNA MUSEET

Moderna Museet is a government organisation with national responsibility for collecting, preserving and exhibiting modern and contemporary art. The Moderna Museet has one of Europe's finest collections of modern and contemporary art. It includes key works by artists such as Pablo Picasso, Ljubov Popova, Salvador Dalí, Meret Oppenheim, Robert Rauschenberg, Donald Judd and Irving Penn as well as works by contemporary artists.

For info about opening hours and tickets visit their website [here](#).

SKANSEN

Skansen is the world's first open-air museum, founded in 1891. Here you can stroll through five centuries of Swedish history, from north to south, with a real sense of the past all around in the historical buildings and dwellings, peopled by characters in period dress.

Address: Djurgårdsslätten 49-51

For more info and tickets visit their website [here](#).

IKEA – KUNGENSKURVA

So why should you go to IKEA in Kungenskurva when you're in Sweden? It's basically a regular IKEA store, but it's also [the world's largest IKEA store](#). The exterior of the circular building, which appearance was inspired by the Guggenheim Museum in New York, is not k-marked, but according to the Stockholm County Museum it represents a "high cultural value".

THE ABBA MUSEUM

This is the description from the Abba Museum's website: ABBA The Museum is more than an ordinary museum. Naturally, the members' costumes, gold records, original items, memorabilia, and much, much more are here. But at this museum you are an important part of the experience! We simply want you to experience the feeling of being the 5th ABBA member. To find out what you would look like in their legendary stage costumes, to sing at the Polar Studio, to experience exciting hologram illusions, and to enter the stage together with the band. Your material will be recorded on your personal ID number on your ticket.

Address: Djurgårdsvägen 68

Visit their website [here](#).