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RENAISSANCE DUPONT CIRCLE HOTEL PRESENTS: RX
A Unique Blend of Cocktails, Culture, Philanthropy and Style

Washington, DC (April 28, 2011) - Experience the X-Factor at Renaissance Dupont Circle Hotel with a unique experience indigenous to DC called **RX: A Unique Blend of Cocktails, Culture, Philanthropy and Style**. Each month from May through December 2011, the mixologists of **M Bar & Lounge**, located in the boutique hotel, will present intriguing cocktails inspired by notable Washingtonians for hotel guests and locals to enjoy while raising money for charity.

The series of signature cocktails will be specially crafted and infused with the individual tastes, favorite flavors and style of local muses with 100% of proceeds benefitting the **Children's Miracle Network**, a non-profit organization dedicated to saving and improving the lives of children by raising funds for children's hospitals. Renaissance Dupont Circle Hotel will match the donation to the Children's Miracle Network for the most popular RX Cocktail.

On May 5th from 6pm to 8pm at M Bar & Lounge, Emmy Award-winning network television producer, Washington writer, and blogger, **Carol Ross Joynt** will host the unveiling of the first RX signature cocktail named "**Innocent Spouse**" after her forthcoming book.

Cocktails will be unveiled, one each month, for several other Washingtonians including "The Skinny Rich", a refreshing Veev Acai infused lemonade ode to venture capitalist/ reality show star **Rich Amons**; the bubbly "1-2 Punch" for **Pamela Sorensen** founder of the popular Pamela's Punch blog; a ginger spiced creation for Radio Personality and Host du jour **Tommy McFly**; an artful masterpiece for powerhouse art collector **Fernando Batista**; and an organic farm to table mix inspired by local foodie **Nycci Nellis**.

M Bar & Lounge is a stylish and modern space located at the heart of Renaissance Dupont Circle Hotel offering signature drinks and appetizers in an eclectic yet sophisticated atmosphere. Discover the delightful debut menu by Chef Devon Capili, featuring fresh and simple favorites, prepared with a variety of locally sourced, indigenous flavors for an intriguing dining experience.

About Renaissance Washington, DC Dupont Circle Hotel

Renaissance Washington DC, Dupont Circle Hotel is a distinctive hotel located in south of end of Washington, DC's Dupont Circle neighborhood at 1143 New Hampshire Avenue and M Street, NW. Situated blocks from Dupont Circle's restaurants and energetic nightlife and close to historic Georgetown, the hotel is minutes from the metro and legendary city sites. The stylish hotel flaunts a cosmopolitan lobby bar featuring a rotating exhibit of contemporary student art works from the Corcoran College of Art + Design, conveying class and provoking guests' sense of discovery, while 10,800 square feet of event space appeals to business travelers with state-of-the-art meeting facilities. Discover a city favorite, the Renaissance Washington, DC Dupont Circle Hotel. For more information or to make a reservation, call (888) 803-1298, or visit www.renaissancedupontcircle.com

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