

# LE 9<sup>E</sup>

## THE 9<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR AT MONTREAL'S EATON CENTRE REOPENS!

A group of Québec entrepreneurs will be responsible for operating the mythic spot,  
which will be dedicated to gastronomy, culture and major events

**RESERVATIONS NOW POSSIBLE FOR SPRING 2024**

**Montreal, August 22, 2023** – The announcement in March of the **reopening of the 9th floor of Montreal's Eaton Centre** generated tremendous excitement on the part of cultural organizations, corporations and individuals alike. Today, the **group of Québec entrepreneurs** who will be operating the space is pleased to announce that it can be rented as of now, with occupancy starting in spring 2024. The multi-purpose space will be called Le 9<sup>e</sup>, and will be able to host a range of events—performances, exhibits, private gatherings, personal celebrations and charitable functions – with a maximum capacity of about 500.

Details concerning the restaurant Île-de-France will be revealed towards the end of autumn.

The Le 9<sup>e</sup> team is pleased to announce that **Andy Nulman** (co-founder of the Just For Laughs festival) and the creative collective **The 7 Fingers** will serve as curators for public events. Corporate and private functions will be managed by **Madeleine Kojakian**, founder of **Maddy K Events Atelier**, an agency renowned for the quality of events it organizes. With over 20 years of experience and prestigious clients like Rolex, Volvo Canada, RE/MAX 3000 and the Ritz-Carlton Grand Prix Party, Maddy has been a pioneer in the event industry in Montreal.



"We want Le 9<sup>e</sup> to become a resource accessible to Montrealers," commented Andy Nulman. "It will be a space where memories are made; an Art Deco masterpiece where everyone will feel welcome. With its many different rooms and configurations, Le 9<sup>e</sup> will be an invaluable addition to downtown Montreal and will unquestionably contribute to its revitalization."



"Thanks to the remarkable pool of talent in Quebec, we aspire to offer unforgettable moments to lovers of Montreal, from locals to visitors, in an iconic place already imbued with precious memories," added Nassib El-Husseini, CEO of The 7 Fingers.

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"I really can't wait to open the doors of the 9th to event organizers, to couples and to businesses, so that they can discover this exceptional spot with a thousand possibilities!" enthused Madeleine Kojakian, founder of Maddy K Events Atelier.

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**Information on rental and reservations of any kind can be  
obtained by emailing [info@le9montreal.com](mailto:info@le9montreal.com).**

Those interested in following developments at Le 9<sup>e</sup> can do so by consulting the [website](#) and  
by subscribing: [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Pinterest](#).

### A LITTLE BACKGROUND

During an Atlantic crossing on the famed ocean liner S.S. Île-de-France in the late 1920s, Lady Flora Eaton fell in love with the ship's Art Deco interior. Upon returning to Canada, she entrusted renowned French architect Jacques Carlu with the design of Eaton's Montreal-based restaurant in the ship's image. The breathtaking Grand Hall draws its architectural inspiration from the luxury liner's first class dining room. Over the years, Le 9<sup>e</sup> has captured the hearts and minds of its clientele in an unprecedented way. For generations of Montrealers, Le 9<sup>e</sup> has been the venue of choice to enjoy a great meal, celebrate special occasions and create warm, lasting memories. The reopening of The 9th, closed since 1999, is scheduled for the spring of 2024.