

SILENCIO { PARIS }

You need either a member's card, good contacts on the Parisian scene or an arresting appearance to get into Silencio, the private club conceived by director David Lynch. Up until midnight, the club, which opened in October 2011, is reserved for members and their guests only. After midnight, entrance to this hot spot in the basement of Rue Montmartre is officially opened to the public. Silencio, inspired by Lynch's classic film "Mulholland Drive", pays homage to the legacy of early salon culture - from Parisian literary circles of the 17th century to London's 18th century private clubs, from the Voltaire's Dadaists of Zurich to the Tabou's existentialists of Saint Germain des Prés, from Paris' Palæe to New York's Studio 54. In addition to the club where various art exhibitions are also held, there is a bar, restaurant, cinema, concert hall and art library.

► *Silencio - located in the Social Club's basement*
142 Rue Montmartre - Paris - silencio-club.com

DIDN'T GET IN? TRY HERE:

THE VARNISH
118 E 6th St
at Cole's French Dip
Los Angeles
thevarnishbar.com

BUCK & BRECK
Brunnenstrasse 177
Berlin
buckandbreck.com

PDT (PLEASE DON'T TELL!)
113 St. Marks Plac
between 1st Ave and Avenue A
New York
pdtnyc.com

highly exclusives

Secretive speakeasy bars may be nothing new but they are notoriously difficult to find, since this scene prefers to keep itself to itself. Hidden addresses, secret telephone numbers and special codes - only true insiders know how to get in. Admittance into one of these barely-noticeable back-room bars is by

invitation-only; with the exclusive nature of this hidden bar culture only serving to increase the desirability of the location and the trend of insider drinking. We present three international, highly-exclusive addresses, where you shouldn't always count on getting in, but where it's definitely worth trying:

KLUCHI { MOSCOW }

Cool lighting, chill-out zones and strong conceptional interior work highlighting an unexpected mix of concrete, wood and brick walls define what is probably Moscow's most close-lipped and exclusive nightclub. The unconventional interior design combining the contrasts of the historical 17th century with intriguing modernity makes one thing very clear: everything but the mainstream! Located in an old building in downtown Moscow, the club has a very strict door policy for its parties: "We wanted to avoid any trace of a conventional commercial venue", says Peter Kostelov, Alexey Rozenberg and Anton Grechko, the club's designers.

► *Kluchi - Yauzskaya Str. 1/15 - Moscow*



DOOR 74 { AMSTERDAM }

Purposely hard to find, Door 74 is hidden in a small side street in the centre of Amsterdam. Easy to miss from the outside, this 1920's-style bar surprises with its attractive dark-wood dominated art deco interior and fantastic selection of cocktails. Door 74 works with strict same-day reservations only, obtained by leaving a voice mail at the number listed below. Simply leave a message after 8 p.m. and someone will return your call.

► *DOOR 74 - Reguliersdwarsstraat 74 - 1017 BN Amsterdam*
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