

WHERE TO DRINK RIGHT NOW: 12 NEW BARS IN NYC

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RAINES LAW ROOM

Because you've probably (okay, definitely) drunk your way through at least half of the city by now, and [the dirtiest martini in the city](#) is no longer doing it for you, we've pulled 12 new spots from NYC's ever-changing boozescape to help refresh your drinking roster.

Barcade

St. Mark's

So yeah, this is their 3rd NY location, but there's still reason to get excited. This one has a totally dope beer list, too (Tröegs Perpetual IPA, Founders Rubaeus, Two Roads Lil' Heaven, etc.), but it's also shifted the gaming focus from the '80s to the far superior '90s, with games like *Mortal Kombat II*, *Moonwalker*, *Street Fighter*, and *X-Men*.



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Lower East Side

The team at [Death & Co](#) has taken over this former dive bar and brought with them top-notch cocktails like the Negroni Gone Way Wrong (gin, Campari, sweet vermouth, lemon sorbet, and Prosecco) and the Stinger (Cognac and creme de menthe), plus late-night-friendly eats like frozen Girl Scout Cookies (... wut...) and the Elvis Sandwich with "pig candy", banana, and peanut butter.



BART BARLOW

SixtyFive bar at the Rainbow Room

Midtown West

This cocktail bar and outdoor terrace is attached to the storied and recently reopened Rainbow Room, which means classic cocktails (because, next to Rainbow Room), and killer views (because, outdoor terrace).



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Raines Law Room

Midtown East

Located in The William, this second branch of one of the better [speakeasies in the city](#) has the classics on lock and an entire menu dedicated to the Old Fashioned that lets you choose from a list of varied ingredients. Oh, and they've got original cocktails, too, including the Pear of Aces, with cachaça, spiced pear, cinnamon, lemon, and Angostura bitters.



DANIEL KRIEGER

Aldo Sohm Wine Bar

Midtown West

Boss sommelier Aldo Sohm of neighboring Le Bernardin just opened this wine bar, highlighted by a treasure trove of vino and bites, including a meat tower with fireplace-smoked pork loin, Austrian-style poached ham, and lardo "dip".



KILO BRAVO

Kilo Bravo

Williamsburg

This North Williamsburg bar offers wines on tap and a "Road Trip Cocktail Menu" that's got one drink representing each of the 50 states, with a mint julep for Kentucky, a Hurricane for Louisiana, and a Mother's Milk (vodka/Baileys) for Wisconsin. Also: sandwiches, including their signature "The Heartland", stuffed with pulled beef, pickled pepper mayo, and melty cheese.



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Boilermaker

East Village

The corner of 1st and 1st is now home to this spot that takes its namesake drink *very* seriously, with more variations than you knew existed. They've also got you covered, fortification-wise, with eats that include a Shake Shack-inspired burger and damn tasty wings.

Rocka Rolla

Williamsburg

From the team behind Williamsburg favorites Lucky Dog and Skinny Dennis, this spot (which's basically right underneath the BQE) is a throwback rock bar with cheap beer, a great jukebox, and shuffleboard.



JOLLY MONK

Jolly Monk

Hell's Kitchen

This Hell's Kitchen tavern is making your Belgian beer dreams come true with imports like Chimay Rouge, Monk's Cafe Sour, and Tripel Karmeliet paired up with grub like their signature Monk Burger, loaded with melted bleu cheese and homemade onion jam on brioche.

Boobie Trap

Bushwick

This quirky, boob-themed bar is not going after the Hooters set – it's hoping to be a neighborhood spot with cheap drinks, BBQ eats, a giant, neon pink "F*ck Off" sign, and plenty of great related kitsch to justify its name.



BAR HUGO

Bar Hugo

Hudson Square

With absolutely amazing views of the Hudson, the Freedom Tower, and much of Downtown Manhattan, this new, [year-round rooftop bar](#) has classic cocktails and a selection of Italian eats.



ANTHONY MASTERS

Grand National

Williamsburg

An excellent spot to watch football in the neighborhood, this spot from the Whiskey Town/Tavern/Brooklyn team has eight giant TVs behind the bar, cheap beers, fresh cocktails, shots, and six types of hot dogs and tots.

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151 Rivington St, New York

3. SixtyFive bar at the Rainbow Room

30 Rockefeller Plz, New York

4. The Raines Law Room

24 E 39th St, New York

5. Aldo Sohm Wine Bar

151 West 51st St, New York

6. Kilo Bravo

180 N 10th St, Brooklyn



1. BARCADE

The third New York location of Barcade, located on St. Mark's, trades in '80s arcade games for (far better) '90s ones. You can expect Mortal Kombat II, Moonwalker, Street Fighter, and X-Men, alongside a top-notch beer list.

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