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**A CENA CON LO CHEF – EDUCATIONAL ITALIAN COOKING CLASS & DINNER  
SERIES FOR COUPLE**

**WHAT:** The Italian Cultural & Community Center of Houston launched last Friday March 21<sup>st</sup>, a new series of educational cooking class and dinner aimed to promote the Italian culinary traditions along with a full immersion culinary training session. The first event of this new and exciting series was held at Quattro Restaurant – Four Seasons and majestically led by the Executive Chef Maurizio Ferrarese. During the evening the “Chefs in Training” learned how simply and satisfying it is to prepare a perfectly dinner . “We are very excited for this new series of educational cooking class dedicated to the Italian culinary traditions. Each and every program that we launch has one main objective which is to reconnect people with Italy”, said Tiziana Triolo, ICCC Director, Programs and Marketing and further, “Maurizio Ferrarese is the perfect testimonial for launching this new series. He has been a great supporter of the Center, with a tremendous career in the hotel industry and restaurant sector and represents for us a wonderful “Ambassador” that connects the bridge between Italy and USA ” continued Tiziana Triolo. The menu of the cooking class and dinner featured

Gnocchi di patate con sugo di salsiccia (Potato Gnocchi with Sausage) and Tiramisu' alle fragole (Strawberry Tiramisu) and all courses were accompanied by wines specifically selected for the night. "Teaching and cooking are meant to be together! You will not find a great cooked meal, if you do not take the time to learn how to make it." said Maurizio Ferrarese, Executive Chef of Quattro Restaurant." The team executed the cooking in every single detail and questions asked were spot on!!! ...and how can you not finish a great meal with a dessert made with home made limoncello ? Enjoy!" concludes Chef Ferrarese.

The Italian Cultural & Community Center is a 501c3 whose mission is to preserve, celebrate and advance Italian culture and heritage. To learn more about Italian Cultural & Community Center's multiple programs and offerings visit our website: <http://www.iccchouston.com/>.

**WHO:** Italian Cultural & Community Center

**WHEN:** Friday, March 21, 2015 7:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** Quattro Restaurant Four Seasons Hotel

**PRICE:** \$65 for ICCC Members, \$80 for Non-Members.

**Price includes:** Educational Cooking Class, dinner and wine