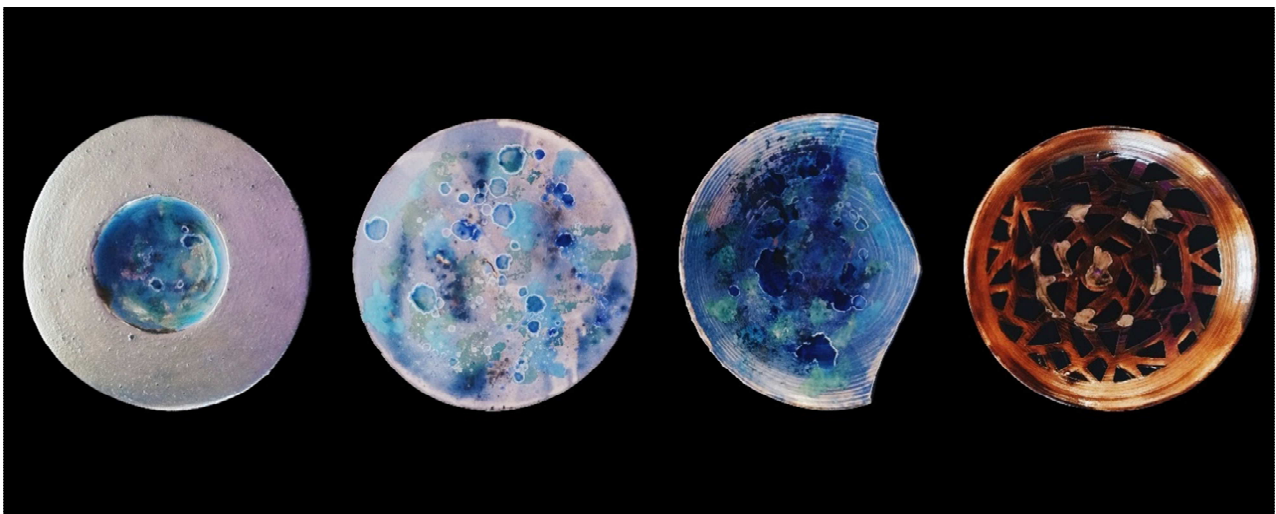


EXQUISITE TABLEWARE

The Blue Bay, a restaurant awarded 1 star by the Guide Michelin, acquires a new range of tableware that sparks contemplation and admiration.



The Art of Storytelling

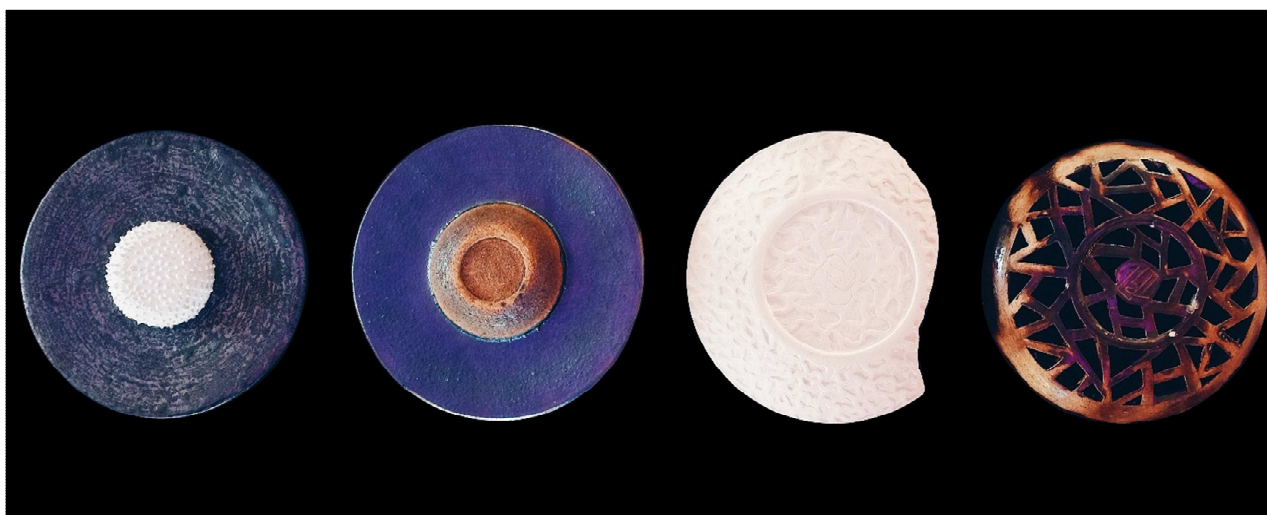
The Michelin-starred Chef, Marcel Ravin, encouraged by Frédéric Darnet - General Manager of the Monte-Carlo Bay Hotel & Resort and art lover - has joined forces with a master potter, based on her native land of Martinique, to design an astonishing new set of plates.

It was a very human story that first brought the Chef and Peggy Desmeules together to produce a set of custom-made plates during the design of Marcel Ravin's first book: "D'un Rocher à l'Autre"

/ “Between Two Rocks”. Together again for this exciting new project, the two artists express their passion for their materials and aesthetics and, together, recount a story.

Like an invitation to extend a journey, begun in the cookery book, the pieces, which are veritable works of art in their own right, continue the tale of the itinerary of the Chef from Martinique and form the marine ecosystem dear and ever unspoiled in the memory of the *ti boug** he once was. (*child in Creole)

Contemplating the works of art immerses the guest in the ocean depths of the Caribbean and invites him to indulge in picturing the fishing trips that the Chef is happy to narrate. “Water and fishing are part of my story, I was just a *ti boug*... The sea belongs to my geographical and environmental anchorage... This is where I learned to explore the depths of my imagination the better to understand the visible transformation of the elements”. Through his new creations, Marcel Ravin unveils his secrets at table, reliving his innocent and fanciful childhood.



The Art of Fire

After a full year's work, the pair's creative imagination resulted in unique *masterpieces*, typified by a grainy texture due to the chamotte sandstone clay from Saint-Amand that the young woman decided to use “because Marcel's character is like a fine sandy beach and feels smooth and rugged at the same time,” she reveals. As for the incredibly subtle pigments, which Peggy Desmeules' motif has developed with inspired dexterity, they add elegance and the precise finishing touch to her creative world.

Mirroring the soul of the Michelin-starred chef or works put down as presentation plates, this new tableware delights the guests of the Blue Bay Restaurant. Designed in the form of four elements

from the marine world, the dome plate, the sea urchin plate, the coral plate and the fish-trap plate, each one of these creations augurs the birth of a fifth that might be the pleasure of sharing in sophisticated and creative cuisine.



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