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# CULINARY INSPIRATIONS

**DATE:** May 21, 2014**OLYMPIC COLLECTIONS****TIME:** 6pm-9pm

11301 Olympic Blvd, West Los Angeles, CA

## A FOOD & BEVERAGE EVENT CELEBRATING CALIFORNIA'S FOSTER YOUTH

**EVENT DESCRIPTION:** California Youth Connection invites you to Culinary Inspirations, our 5th annual food and beverage event celebrating California's foster youth. Our team of renowned chefs, who have volunteered their time and talent, will be paired with a current or former foster youth to create dishes inspired by this unique collaboration. Both chef and current or former foster youth will be on hand to share with guests what inspired their creative dish. Guests will have the opportunity to:

- Meet successful young leaders from the foster care system
- Sample and savor cuisines and beverages from local chefs and restaurants
- Indulge in tasting unique wines, beer, premium spirits

**AUDIENCE:** 250+ influential community leaders, food enthusiasts, advocates and supporters who respect and admire the work of California Youth Connection in improving the lives of foster youth statewide.

**SPONSORS:** Sponsorship opportunities are available.

**AWARDS:** California Youth Connection will be presenting the "Inspiration" award to a youth and adult in the community that has inspired great change in the state of California.

**INDIVIDUAL TICKETS:** Individual general tickets are \$75 (pre-sale), Bundle tickets (1 ticket + 35 raffle tickets) are \$100 and tickets will be available at the door for \$100 (while supplies last)

**ATTIRE:** Cocktail or business

**California Youth Connection (CYC) is a youth led statewide non-profit organization. CYC develops current and former foster youth to be leaders who empower each other and their communities to transform the foster care system through policy and legislative change. CYC's vision is that foster youth will be equal partners in contributing to all policies and decision made in their lives. All youth in foster care will have their needs met and the support to grow into healthy and vibrant adults. All proceeds from the event will benefit California Youth Connection (CYC).**

For more information, please contact:

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To purchase tickets, please go to: <http://2014culinaryinspirationsla.eventbrite.com>

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