Le Barthélemy Hotel and Spa Welcomes Michelin Chef Jérémy Czaplicki as Head Chef of Amis St, Barth

~ Chef Czaplicki joins the island-inspired French Mediterranean restaurant ahead of Fall Reopening~

GRAND CUL-DE-SAC, ST. BARTS (September, 6st, 2023) – In time for the fall reopening of luxury boutique hotel, <u>Le Barthélemy Hotel & Spa</u> and sister brand, <u>Le Barth Villa Rental</u>, Michelin Chef Jérémy Czaplicki joins the team as Head Chef of on-property restaurant <u>Amis St. Barth</u>. Czaplicki began his role on August 28.

Prior to his role, Jérémy Czaplicki has worked at a number of prestigious restaurants across France most recently being Hôtel Park Hyatt Paris-Vendôme's renown restaurant Pur in Paris; Château de Berne Flayosc where he joined the esteemed gastronomic table L'Orangerie as well as the brasserie La Bouscarelle and Le Bistrot as Executive Chef, and the luxurious Hôtel Île rousse Bandol where as Executive Chef at gastronomic restaurant, Les Oliviers, Czaplicki earned his Michelin star in 2019. Earlier in his career, Czaplicki also worked as the Commis Chef for the exciting restaurant opening of Alain Ducasse's Bar&Bœuf in Monaco and as the first Chef de partie at Sofitel Hôtel Scribe Paris Opera.

"I am thrilled to embark on my next culinary adventure in St. Barth, following my passion for cooking with locally-sourced ingredients and creating authentic and inspiring Mediterranean cuisine," says Chef Jérémy Czaplicki. "Amis St. Barth's menu presents many exciting dishes that have sparked my creativity and imagination. I'm looking forward to sharing these culinary delights with the esteemed guests of Le Barthélemy. Collaborating with this luxury, boutique hotel and restaurant, which shares my deep appreciation for fresh, innovative fare, marks an exciting next chapter in my career."

Czaplicki's Michelin-awarded cooking style can be described as healthy, Mediterranean which aligns well with culinary vision at Le Barthélemy and Amis St. Barth. His priority is using whole, fresh ingredients and seasonings to create inspiring and authentic dishes inspired by the destination he is in. Czaplicki is looking forward to creating innovative dishes for guests at Le Barthélemy and Le Barth Villa Rental. As head chef he plans to continue to spearhead Amis St. Barth's Zero Waste Cooking Class in which guests have the opportunity to cook a meal with Chef Czaplicki that is fully zero waste from using vegetables trimmings to make sauces or juices to cooking with locally sourced fish from St. Barts. With insight from Chef Czaplicki, Amis St. Barth will continue to develop eco-responsible ways to run a fine dining, sustainable restaurant.

You can see a headshot of Chef Jérémy Czaplick and images of Amis St. Barth <u>here</u> and learn more about Amis St. Barth by visiting: <u>https://amisrestaurant.com/</u>

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ABOUT LE BARTHÉLEMY HOTEL & SPA

Located on a perfect crescent-shaped, white-sand beach along St. Barths' famed Grand Cul-de-Sac, award winning Le Barthélemy Hotel & Spa envelops guests in its philosophy of human-centered, couture hospitality. Here, team members are empowered to deliver service that delights and surprises, offering guests suggestions and solutions as unique as they are. A member of the Small Luxury Hotels of the World, Le Barthélemy offers 44 rooms and suites each with a terrace and several with private pools, two adjacent full-service villas, seaside infinity pool and Le Spa at Le Barthélemy, a peaceful haven aimed at holistic wellbeing with skincare by La Mer. Its new signature restaurant Amis St. Barth, offering Mediterranean-inspired cuisine and live music is elegant but never staid and its rooftop bar, Whiskey, Tango, Foxtrot, is the place for inventive cocktails. From partnerships with Territorial Agency for the Environment of St. Barts and Coral Restoration to Zero Waste Cooking classes for guests, Le Barthélemy Hotel & Spa strives all year round to be more sustainable in every aspect of its operations and guest experience. For more information, visit <u>www.lebarthelemyhotel.com</u> and connect with us on social media @lebarthelemy, @amis_stbarth and @lebarth_villas.

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Le Barth Villa Rental is the freshest source for luxurious private home vacations in St. Barts. Combining the ultimate luxury of villa living with exclusive privileges at award-winning Le Barthélemy Hotel & Spa chosen as the Caribbean's #1 Hotel in the Conde Nast Traveler Readers' Choice Awards, Le Barth Villa Rental guests enjoy daily delivered breakfast and full access to the amenities and services of the hotel including Amis St. Barth restaurant, rooftop bar, fitness center and spa. Through its intimate knowledge of the destination and highly experienced team, Le Barth Villa Rental is able to curate private vacations as unique as the guests who plan to call – *if even for a little while*, St. Barts home. For more information visit <u>lebarthvillas.com</u>, call toll-free 844-77-BARTH or when in St. Barts, visit the new showroom located in Gustavia at Angle Rue Oscar II et Rue de la France.

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