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Restaurants & Hospitality

Schuler takes sales VP spot for AmericasMart

EMPIRE STATE OF MIND

Nick Melvin is now the chef de cuisine at Empire State South in Midtown.

Melvin, formerly executive chef at Inman Park's Parish Foods & Goods, has worked for a variety of restaurants in Colorado, Louisiana and Alabama.

Melvin, a New Orleans native, joined Concentrics Restaurants as a sous chef and worked at Tap, Room at Twelve and Murphy's before becoming executive chef at Farmhouse at Serenbe in 2008. In 2009 he became executive chef at Parish Foods & Goods.

Empire State South, at 999 Peachtree St., is expected to open in mid-August.

The restaurant is owned by Athens-based chef Hugh Acheson, chef/partner of Five & Ten, The National and Gosford Wine in Athens.

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