LOTUS GRAND LLC & CAMILLA NEW YORK LLC

324 GRAND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10002

On-Premises Liquor License Application Manhattan Community Board No. 3 SLA & DCA Licensing Committee April 19, 2021

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Alysha Lewis-Coleman, Board Chair

Susan Stetzer, District Manager

Community Board 3 Liquor License Application Questionnaire

Please bring the following items to the meeting:

NOTE: ALL ITEMS MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED.

- Photographs of the inside and outside of the premise.
- **D** Schematics, floor plans or architectural drawings of the inside of the premise.
- □ A proposed food and or drink menu.
- Petition in support of proposed business or change in business with signatures from residential tenants at location and in buildings adjacent to, across the street from and behind proposed location. Petition must give proposed hours and method of operation. For example: restaurant, sports bar, combination restaurant/bar. (petition provided)
- Notice of proposed business to block or tenant association if one exists. You can find community groups and contact information on the CB 3 website: http://www.nyc.gov/html/mancb3/html/communitygroups/community_group_listings.shtml
- Proof of conspicuous posting of notices at the site for 7 days prior to the meeting (please include newspaper with date in photo or a timestamped photo).

Check which you are applying for:

In alteration of an existing liquor license

corporate change

Check if either of these apply:

□ sale of assets □ upgrade (change of class) of an existing liquor license

Today's Date: 03/31/2021

If applying for sale of assets, you must bring letter from current owner confirming that you are buying business or have the seller come with you to the meeting.

Is location currently licensed? Ves I No Type of license: Full OP License

If alteration, describe nature of alteration: N/A

Previous or current use of the location: Lounge/Bar

Corporation and trade name of current license: Trummer Art Holdings LLC / Atelier

APPLICANT:

Premise address: <u>324 Grand Street</u>, New York, New York 10002 Cross streets: Orchard Street and Ludlow Street Name of applicant and all principals: Lotus Grand LLC & Camilla New York LLC. Thatcher Shultz, Duncan Abdelnour, Arash Josh Rahmani, Abraham Khalili Trade name (DBA): Camilla

PREMISE:

Type of building and number of floors: <u>Seven story (eight floors) mixed residential and commercial</u>

Will any outside area or sidewalk cafe be used for the sale or consumption of alcoholic beverages? (includes roof & yard) \Box Yes \boxtimes No If Yes, describe and show on diagram: N/A

Does premise have a valid Certificate of Occupancy and all appropriate permits, including for any back or side yard use? \square Yes \square No What is maximum NUMBER of people permitted? <u>74</u>

Do you plan to apply for Public Assembly permit? \Box Yes \boxtimes No What is the zoning designation (check zoning using map: <u>http://gis.nyc.gov/doitt/nycitymap/</u> - please give specific zoning designation, such as R8 or C2): <u>C4-4A</u>

PROPOSED METHOD OF OPERATION:

Will any other business besides food or alcohol service be conducted at premis	se? 🗖 🤅	Yes 🛛 No
If yes, please describe what type: N/A		

What are the proposed days/hours of operation? (Specify days and hours each day and hours of outdoor space) 3:00pm - 2:00am (Monday - Friday); 11:00am - 2:00am (Saturday & Sunday)

Number of tables? 16 Total number of seats? 64

How many stand-up bars/ bar seats are located on the premise? 1_____

(A stand up bar is any bar or counter (whether with seating or not) over which a patron can order, pay

for and receive an alcoholic beverage)

Describe all bars (length, shape and location): <u>1 stand-up bar</u>, 20'

Does premise have a full kitchen **D** Yes **N**O?

Does it have a food preparation area? ☐ Yes ☐ No (If any, show on diagram)

Is food available for sale? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, describe type of food and submit a menu Mediterranean-inspred menu with a focus on shared plates.

What are the hours kitchen will be open? opening until 1:00am (food prep area)

Will a manager or principal always be on site? 🛛 Yes 🗖 No If yes, which? _____

How many employees will there be? 8-16

Do you have or plan to install **I** French doors **I** accordion doors or **I** windows?

Will there be TVs/monitors? 🗖 Yes 🛛 No (If Yes, how many?) _____

Will premise have music? ☑ Yes □ No *RECORDED If Yes, what type of music? □ Live musician ☑ DJ □ Juke box ☑ Tapes/CDs/iPod^{*} If other type, please describe _____

What will be the music volume? **D** Background (quiet) **D** Entertainment level Please describe your sound system: <u>Tuned Martin Audio Speakers</u>

Will you host any promoted events, scheduled performances or any event at which a cover fee is charged? If Yes, what type of events or performances are proposed and how often? ______ Occasional (2-4 times a month), cultural and private events, and art showcases

How do you plan to manage vehicular traffic and crowds on the sidewalk caused by your establishment? Please attach plans. (Please do not answer "we do not anticipate congestion.")

Will there be security personnel? Yes I No (If Yes, how many and when) Please see attached security and street management plans

How do you plan to manage noise inside and outside your business so neighbors will not be affected? Please attach plans.

Do you have sound proofing installed? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If not, do you plan to install sound-proofing? Tes No N/A - Already installed and space is completely subterranean in concrete slab construction without windows.

APPLICANT HISTORY:

 Has this corporation or any principal been licensed previously? ☑ Yes □ No

 If yes, please indicate name of establishment:
 Her Name Was Carmen

 Address:
 527 Broome Street

 Dates of operation:
 2018 - Present

Has any principal had work experience similar to the proposed business? 🛛 Yes 🗖 No If Yes, please

attach explanation of experience or resume.

Does any principal have other businesses in this area? \square Yes \square No If Yes, please give trade name and describe type of business Hospitality (see attached resume)

Has any principal had SLA reports or action within the past 3 years? **D** Yes **N** If Yes, attach list of violations and dates of violations and outcomes, if any.

Attach a separate diagram that indicates the location (name and address) and total number of establishments selling/serving beer, wine (B/W) or liquor (OP) for 2 blocks in each direction. Please indicate whether establishments have On-Premise (OP) licenses. Please label streets and avenues and identify your location. Use letters to indicate **B**ar, **R**estaurant, etc. The diagram must be submitted with the questionnaire to the Community Board before the meeting.

LOCATION:

How many licensed establishments are within 1 block? Approximately 5 How many On-Premise (OP) liquor licenses are within 500 feet? 14 Is premise within 200 feet of any school or place of worship? Yes No

COMMUNITY OUTREACH:

Please see the Community Board website to find block associations or tenant associations in the immediate vicinity of your location for community outreach. Applicants are encouraged to reach out to community groups. Also use provided petitions, which clearly state the name, address, license for which you are applying, and the hours and method of operation of your establishment at the top of each page. (Attach additional sheets of paper as necessary).

We are including the following questions to be able to prepare stipulations and have the meeting be faster and more efficient. Please answer per your business plan; do not plan to negotiate at the meeting.

- 1. My license type is: 🗖 beer & cider 🗖 wine, beer & cider 🖾 liquor, wine, beer & cider
- 2. I will operate a full-service restaurant, specifically a (type of restaurant)

_____ restaurant, or

I will operate a Social lounge

■ with a kitchen open and serving food during all hours of operation OR ■ with less than a fullservice kitchen but serving food during all hours of operation OR ■ Other

3. My hours of operation will be:

_{Mon} 3:00pm - 2:00am	_{; Tue} 3:00pm - 2:00am	_; _{Wed} _3:00pm - 2:00am	;
_{Thu} 3:00pm - 2:00am	; _{Fri} 3:00pm - 2:00am	; _{Sat} 11:00am - 2:00am	;
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Sun 11:00am - 2:00am . (I understand opening is "no later than" specified opening hour,

and all patrons are to be cleared from business at specified closing hour.)

- 4. I will not use outdoor space for commercial use OR
- My sidewalk café hours will be ______
- 5. 🛛 I will employ a doorman/security personnel: ______
- 6. I will install soundproofing, _____
- 7. I will close any front or rear façade doors and windows at 10:00 P.M. every night or when amplified sound is playing, including but not limited to DJs, live music and live nonmusical performances, or during unamplified live performances or televised sports.

■ I will have a closed fixed façade with no open doors or windows except my entrance door will close by 10:00 P.M. or when amplified sound is playing, including but not limited to DJs, live music and live nonmusical performances, or during unamplified live performances or televised sports.

- I will not have □ DJs, ☑ live music, ☑ promoted events, □ any event at which a cover fee is charged, □ scheduled performances, □ more than _____ DJs per ____, □ more than _____ private parties per _____, ____ number of TVs.
- 9. **I** will play ambient recorded background music only.
- 10. I will not apply for an alteration to the method of operation or for any physical alterations of any nature without first coming before CB 3.
- 11. **I** will not seek a change in class to a full on-premises liquor license without first obtaining approval from CB 3.
- 12. I will not participate in pub crawls or have party buses come to my establishment.
- 13. I will not have unlimited drink specials, including boozy brunches, with food.
- 14. □ I will not have a happy hour or drink specials with or without time restrictions OR I will have happy hour and it will end by 7:00pm .
- 15. □ I will not have wait lines outside. I will have a staff person responsible for ensuring no loitering, noise or crowds outside.
- 16. 🗵 I will conspicuously post this stipulation form beside my liquor license inside of my business.
- 17. 🛛 Residents may contact the manager/owner at the number below. Any complaints will be addressed immediately. I will revisit the above-stated method of operation if necessary in order to minimize my establishment's impact on my neighbors.

Name: Duncan Abdelnour

Phone Number: 914-886-5882

Camilla - 324 Grand St CB3 Manhattan - April 2021

Camilla Concept & Overview:

Camilla is conceptualized as a new generation of a social lounge, mixing culture, art & music as a gathering space for the diverse creatives & professionals of lower manhattan.

Bonding mindfulness and sophistication Camilla will brighten up and bring a new memorable energy to the typical New York city social outings.

Camilla Security & Street Management Plan:

Maintaining a thoughtful & peaceful environment outside & inside at all times is of upmost importance & will be prioritized by the operational & security teams for Camilla.

All security will be handled by a licensed security company, at all times of operation a minimum of 1 security guard will be at the street level door. This security personnel will handle both checking ID's & ensuring all guests are entering & leaving efficiently.

Thursday - Saturday, additional security will be added as needed to ensure a proper environment both inside and outside. No lines are to be formed outside on the street at anytimes, patrons will cue in the stairways & in the lower level as needed. Camilla will use electronic reservation systems such as Resy to ensure strict capacity limits are met.

A minimum of one security guard will stay 30 minutes past closing to help ensure all patrons are leaving the building and neighborhood quietly and respectfully.

Founder Bios:

Thatcher Shultz

Thatcher is the co-founder of Make Believe, Kind Regards, Her Name Was Carmen, and The Garret Bars. After transitioning his career from automotive e-commerce to hospitality development in 2014, Thatcher has become deeply ingrained in New York City hospitality, specializing in marketing, sales, social media, and operations.

Duncan Abdelnour

Duncan has been an entrepreneur in the intersection of music, events & technology for the past decade. His most recent venture CrowdSync provides controllable LED technology servicing professional sports organizations, touring artists, nonprofits & Galas. During the COVID-19 pandemic he transitioned his company into CrowdHealth.org to help supply much needed medical products to organizations.

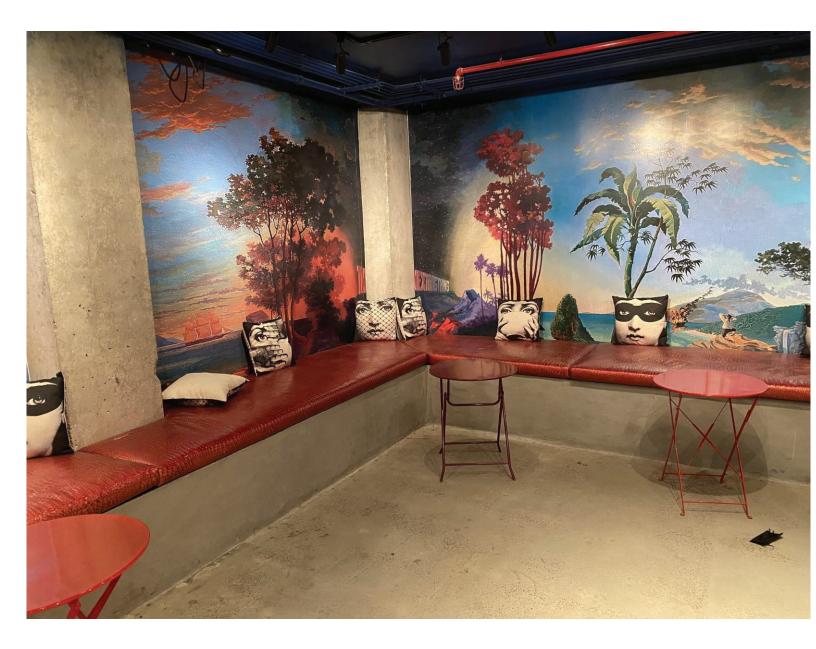
Both Thatcher & Duncan are proud residents of the Lower East Side.

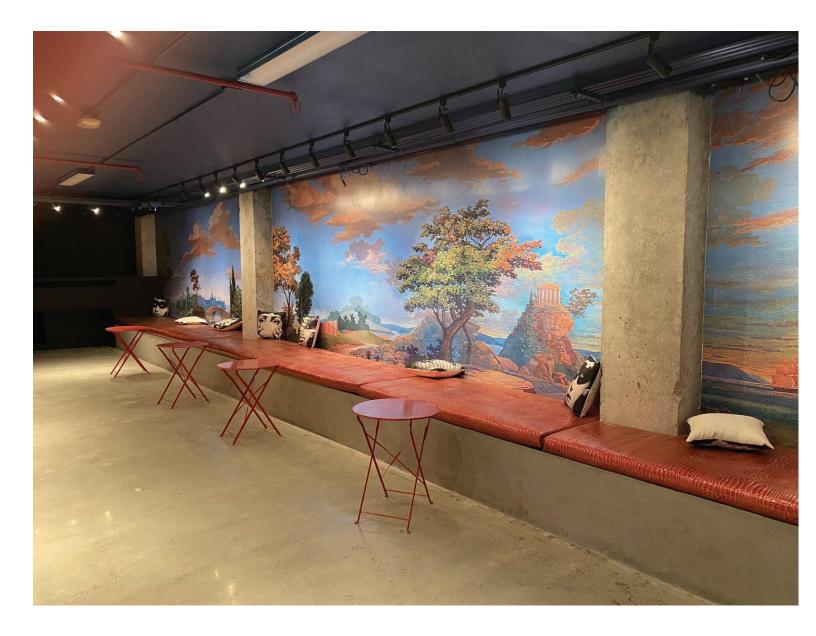
Photographs

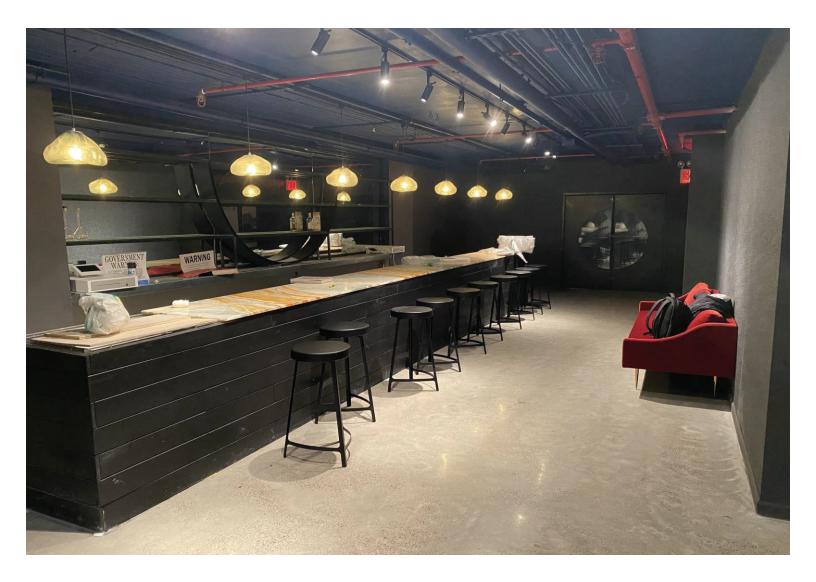
324 Grand St - Outside Photo



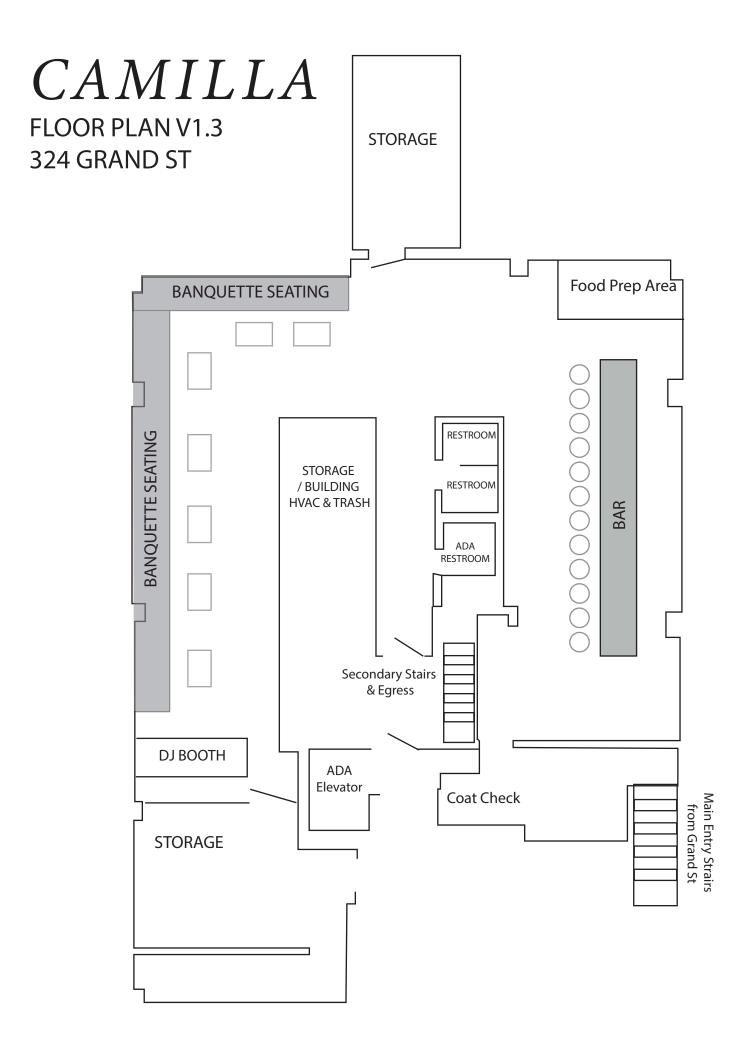
324 Grand St - Inside (Current) Photos







Floor Plan



Proposed Menu

Camilla

Shared Plates

Edamame, sea salt 7

Sampler, Tzatziki, Olives, Tirokafteri, Pita 16

Organic Garden Salad, ginger dressing 14

Marinated & Grilled Peppers, Olive Oil, Garlic 12

Shishito Peppers, lightly seasoned 12

The Salad, Tomato, Cucumber, Green Pepper, Red Onion, Feta, Olives 14

The Hummus, Pita, Olive Oil 12

Stringged Cheese, Hand Pulled, Olive Oil, Caraway Seeds 9

Meatballs, spicy aoli 12

Area Survey

This report is for informational purposes only in aid of identifying establishments potentially subject to 500 and 200 foot rules. Distances are approximated using industry standard GIS techniques and do not reflect actual distances between points of entry. The NYS Liquor Authority makes no representation as to the accuracy of the information and disclaims any liability for errors.

Proximity Report For: Location 324 Grand St, New York, 10002 Latitude: 40.71722 Geocode longitude: -73.99040 Report Generated On 3/29/2021 Pending On Premises Liquor Licenses within 750 feet Name Address Distance FRIEDMAN'S ON GRAND LLC 359 GRAND ST 470 ft Ser #: 1334484 NEW YORK, NY 10002 Active On Premises Liquor Licenses within 500 feet Name Address Distance TRUMMER ART HOLDINGS LLC 324 GRAND ST 46 ft Ser #: 1309413 NEW YORK, NY 10002 NORMAN'S CAY GROUP LLC 74 ORCHARD ST 158 ft Ser #: 1272699 NEW YORK, NY 10002 **79 ORCHARD STREET** GRAZ RESTAURANT LLC GRAND & BROOME STS. 180 ft Ser #: 1189713 NEW YORK, NY 10002 **85 ORCHARD STREET** TWO BIKES LLC CRN OF BROOME & ORCHARD 258 ft Ser #: 1151213 NEW YORK, NY 10002 **86 ORCHARD STREET**

COMPAS GROUP NEW YORK LLC Ser #: 1222226	BROOME ST AND GRANT ST NEW YORK, NY 10002	258 ft
SAIGONNYC LTD Ser #: 1256341	85 ORCHARD ST UNIT B BROOME ST & GRAND ST NEW YORK, NY 10002	264 ft
BARRIO CHINO LLC Ser #: 1136284	253 BROOME STREET ORCHARD & LOUDLOW NEW YORK, NY 10002	301 ft
BIG CANDY LLC Ser #: 1275668	86 ALLEN ST NEW YORK, NY 10002	306 ft
54 MULBERRY LLC Ser #: 1312031	252 BROOME ST NEW YORK, NY 10002	322 ft
XLR8 LLC Ser #: 1271863	266 BROOME ST NEW YORK, NY 10002	348 ft
L E S RESTAURANT CORP Ser #: 1232970	81 LUDLOW ST AKA 246 BROOME ST DELANCEY & BROOME NEW YORK, NY 10002	358 ft
RABBIT BOX HOSPITALITY LLC Ser #: 1318946	41 ESSEX ST STORE B NEW YORK, NY 10002	422 ft
GUTTER BAR LES LLC THE Ser #: 1324160	242 BROOME ST BASEMENT LEVEL NEW YORK, NY 10002	454 ft
JOHANNGPRO LLC Ser #: 1289900	96 ORCHARD ST NEW YORK, NY 10002	477 ft
CONGEE VILLAGE INC Ser #: 1273685	100 ALLEN ST NEW YORK, NY 10002	492 ft

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List of community groups noticed

Community Groups to be Contacted for Application:

Space: <u>Space.blockassociation.nyc@gmail.com</u> OSBA: <u>orchardstblockassociation@gmail.com</u> Assc. Of Latino Business Owners & Residents: <u>ecruz@nyalbor.org</u> Friends of the LES: <u>Friendsoftheles@gmail.com</u> LUNGS: <u>Lesdwellers2012@gmail.com</u> Bowery Alliance of Neighbors: <u>Ban62007@gmail.com</u>

Proof of Posting at Premises





