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# EAT

### **AMERICANO (EMBARCADERO)**

8 Mission St.,  
415-278-3777.

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**SCENE:** Housed on the first floor of Chip Conley's sleek Hotel Vitale and across the street from the Ferry Building, this spot is, nonetheless, no run-of-the-mill tourist stop.

**EATS:** Italian dishes get a Northern California twist, as with the flaky-crustured pizzas topped with everything from nopales to shaved black truffles. The Scharffen Berger tartufo—flourless chocolate cake with coffee gelato—is a decadent way to end your meal.