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## ‘Top Chef’ hunk Sam Talbot in Miami to raise diabetes awareness



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Your happy news of the day: *Top Chef* season 2 fan favorite **Sam Talbot** will be bringing his handsome, talented self to the South Florida area on Friday night.

Talbot — voted one of People’s Sexiest Men Alive back in 2012 — is the headliner for the Out of the Kitchen fundraiser at the St. Regis Bal Harbour.

He’s a busy man. Aside from opening a restaurant in Brooklyn called Pretty Southern (think lots of fried chicken), the 38-year-old Charlotte, N.C., native runs a nonprofit [Beyond Type 1](#) that he co-founded with singer **Nick Jonas**, who also has diabetes. Proceeds will benefit the Diabetes Research Institute at UM’s Miller School of Medicine.

Tickets are \$275 at [DiabetesResearch.org/Out-of-the-Kitchen](http://DiabetesResearch.org/Out-of-the-Kitchen)

All guests will also receive a signed copy of *Chocolate*, by the Bal Harbour hotel’s dessert guru **Antonio Bachour**. Space is limited; reservations required; 954-964-4040.