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Star Wine List celebrates top wine lists in Asia for the first time - here are the finalists

On May 23rd, Star Wine List will celebrate the great wine lists of Asia for the first time, at Vinexpo Asia. The international sommelier jury has now decided the finalists.

Star Wine List of the Year is a celebration of the great wine lists in the world and the teams behind them. In Star Wine List of the Year Asia, the prize is awarded in 9 categories, and the winner in several categories will also qualify for the international final in June 2023. The jury, including top international sommeliers **Reeze Choi**, **Arvid Rosengren**, **Pascaline Lepeltier** and **Justin Ho Li Vern** is done deliberating, and the finalists have been selected.

"We are very proud to celebrate the first Star Wine List of the Year Asia at Vinexpo and the jury has had a tough job. The finalists include venues from several cities across the region and the scores have been very high across the board," says Krister Bengtsson, founder and publisher of Star Wine List.

About the jury

The jury for the Star Wine List of the Year Asia 2023 comprises of some of the most renowned sommeliers in the world:

Reeze Choi, Third Best Sommelier of the World 2023 (ASI) Arvid Rosengren, Best Sommelier of the World 2016 (ASI) Pascaline Lepeltier, Best Sommelier of France 2018 Justin Ho Li Vern, Best Sommelier of Malaysia 2018

Finalists

Grand Prix

The best large wine list, with more than 600 references

- Ensue, Shenzhen
- L'Atelier de Joël Robuchon Hong Kong, Hong Kong
- Mesa by José Avillez, Macau
- Odette, Singapore
- Park 90, Singapore



- Robuchon au Dôme, Macau
- Sinasera 24, Taitung

Best Austrian Wine List

The best wine list with Austrian wine, a category presented by Austrian Wine

- Ăn Đi, Tokyo
- Chef's Table by Chef Stephan, Singapore
- Chi-Fu, Osaka
- Ginza Soseki, Tokyo
- Leopold, Singapore
- Robuchon au Dôme, Macau

Best California Wine List

The best wine list with wines from California, a category presented by Louis M. Martini

- CUT by Wolfgang Puck, Marina Bay Sands Singapore, Singapore
- L'Atelier de Joël Robuchon Hong Kong, Hong Kong
- Mesa by José Avillez, Macau
- Park 90, Singapore
- Robuchon au Dôme, Macau
- Smith & Wollensky Taipei, Taipei
- SOMM, Hong Kong
- The Restaurant (Villa 32), Taipei

Best Medium-Sized List

The best wine list with 200-600 listings

- Andō, Hong Kong
- Belon, Hong Kong
- DNA Spanish Restaurant, Taichung City
- Embla, Hong Kong
- Hakkasan Shanghai, Shanghai
- La Dame de Pic Singapore, Singapore
- Louise, Hong Kong
- LPM Restaurant & Bar, Hong Kong
- The Restaurant (Villa 32), Taipei

Best By the Glass List

The best wine list by the glass

Andō, Hong Kong



- Bar Cyclone, Hong Kong
- Belon, Hong Kong
- La Dame de Pic Singapore, Singapore
- Louise, Hong Kong
- MAZ, Tokyo
- SOMM, Hong Kong
- The Restaurant (Villa 32), Taipei

Best Sparkling Wine List

The best list with sparkling wine, a category presented by Nyetimber

- Ensue, Shenzhen
- LPM Restaurant & Bar, Hong Kong
- Mesa by José Avillez, Macau
- Robuchon au Dôme, Macau
- Seroja, Singapore
- Sinasera 24, Taitung
- Terrazza, Macau

Sustainable Wine List

The category is presented by Parés Balta

- Ăn Đi, Tokyo
- Bar Cicheti, Singapore
- Embla, Hong Kong
- Haoma, Bangkok
- La Cabane, Hong Kong
- Seroja, Singapore

Best Short List

The best wine list with fewer than 200 listings

- Bar Cicheti, Singapore
- Bar Cyclone, Hong Kong
- Haoma, Bangkok
- MAZ, Tokyo
- Quince Bangkok, Bangkok
- Seroja, Singapore
- The Chairman Restaurant, Hong Kong
- Whey, Hong Kong

Special Jury Prize

Recognizes a venue that has done something out of the ordinary



• Embla, Hong Kong

• Grand Majestic Sichuan, Hong Kong

• Seroja, Singapore

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Star Wine List is the award-winning guide to great wine bars and wine restaurants around the world. It is available as an app and on www.starwinelist.com. It was launched in Stockholm (Sweden) in 2017, and is now live in more than 36 countries in the world. All venues are selected by top wine professionals.