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# Star Wine List celebrated Sweden's top wine lists

On 8 April, Star Wine List celebrated the great wine lists in Sweden. The Grand Prix was won by restaurant Bord in Stockholm, which also won Best Short List.

"This is probably the greatest collection of wine lists I have ever seen," said Jury member Rajat Parr about the Swedish wine lists in the competition.

Star Wine List of the Year is the celebration of the great wine lists around the world and the teams behind them. In Sweden, the prizes were awarded in 14 categories, and the winners in each category got a Gold Star and several also qualified for the international final in June.

"This year was all about breaking records: We had a record number of entries, a record number of finalists and a record number of categories. We are very happy to highlight the incredible quality of wine lists and sommelier teams around Sweden," said Krister Bengtsson, founder and publisher.

The Sweden event was held at Skyddsrummet in Stockholm with more than 150 sommeliers and guests in attendance.

## About the jury

The jury for the Star Wine List of the Year Sweden 2024 includes four top international wine experts:

- Nina Højgaard Jensen, Second Best Sommelier of the World 2019 & 2023 (ASI)
- Rajat Parr, renowned sommelier and winemaker
- Salvatore Castano, Best Sommelier of Europe & Africa 2021 (ASI)
- · Kathrine Larsen-Robert, Master Sommelier

### Winners

#### **Grand Prix**

The best overall list.

Gold Star: Bord, Stockholm

# **Best Austrian Wine List**

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

Gold Star: Heaven 23, Gothenburg



# **Best Sparkling Wine List**

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

Gold Star: Operakällaren, Stockholm

#### **Best Long List**

The best wine list with over 600 listings

Gold Star: PM & Vänner, Växjö

#### **Best Medium-Sized List**

The best wine list with 200-600 listings

Gold Star: Fjällnäs Restaurant, Tänndalen

#### **Best California Wine List**

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

Gold Star: Grand Hôtel, Stockholm

#### **Best By the Glass List**

The best wine list by the glass, a category presented by Riedel

Gold Star: Operakällaren, Stockholm

### **Sustainable Wine List**

Recognizes a wine list that has put extra emphasis on the wine program's impact, including wine growing, winemaking, packaging and transport. A category presented by Familia Torres Gold Star: **Julie, Malmö** 

#### **Best Short List**

The best wine list with fewer than 200 listings

Gold Star: Bord, Stockholm

#### **Best Newcomer List**

Recognizes a venue that has opened recently, a category presented by Vintedge

Gold Star: Brasserie Draken, Gothenburg

#### **Best Beaujolais Wine List**

Recognizes the best list with wines from Beaujolais, a category presented by Inter Beaujolais

Gold Star: PM & Vänner, Växjö

### **Best German Wine List**

Recognizes the best list with wines from Germany, a category presented by Wines of Germany

Gold Star: Hotell Borgholm, Borgholm



# **Best Bourgogne Wine List**

Recognizes the best list with wines from Bourgogne, a category presented by Albert Bichot Gold Star: **Operakällaren, Stockholm** 

#### **Best Swedish Wine List**

Recognizes the best list with wines from Sweden

Gold Star: Swedish Wine Center, Malmö

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