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Winners announced in Star Wine List of the Year Germany 2025

Star Wine List has named the best wine lists in Germany at an awards ceremony held at ProWein, in Düsseldorf, with Berlin's Nobelhart und Schmutzig taking the top honour of Grand Prix as well as the Best Long List prize.

The Star Wine List of the Year competition recognises the world's greatest wine lists – and the teams behind them. The German entries were judged by a panel of four leading international sommeliers: Jan Konetzki, Emmanuel Rosier, Pascaline Lepeltier and Stefan Neumann MS.

“What a treat to judge these lists, what a pleasure to see the incredible dynamic in Germany,” says Lepeltier. “The quality of the selections, the depth, the pricing (and not only in the main wine-centric cities but around the country) make Germany a must-visit wine destination! Congrats to the whole sommelier community for such great work on making so many beautiful bottles, iconic or up-and-coming, available to us!”

Gold Stars were awarded in 11 categories in Germany, with winners in the international categories automatically gaining entry to the Star Wine List of the Year International Final, which will be held in Vienna on 16 June.

About the jury

The jury for Star Wine List of the Year Germany 2025 comprised:

- Jan Konetzki – four-time UK Sommelier of the Year
- Emmanuel Rosier – Berlin Ambassador
- Pascaline Lepeltier – Best Sommelier of France 2018
- Stefan Neumann – Master Sommelier

Winners

International categories

Grand Prix

The best list of the overall competition

Gold Star: Nobelhart und Schmutzig, Berlin

Best Long List



For wine lists with more than 600 references
Gold Star: Nobelhart und Schmutzig, Berlin

Best Medium-Sized List, presented by Dreissigacker

200-600 references

Gold Star: Café Gupi, Weil am Rhein

Best Short List

Fewer than 200 references

Gold Star: Barra, Berlin

Best By the Glass List

Gold Star: Sticks & Stones Wine Bar, Munich

Best Sparkling Wine List, presented by Nyetimber

Gold Star: GRAPES Weinbar, Munich

Best Newcomer List

Recognises a venue that has recently opened

Gold Star: Matthias, Berlin

Sustainable Wine List, presented by Lingua Franca

Recognises a wine list that has put extra emphasis on the wine programme's overall impact

Gold Star: Frea, Berlin

Best Austrian Wine List, presented by Austrian Wine

Gold Star: Horváth, Berlin

Best California Wine List, presented by Pahlmeyer

Gold Star: Sticks & Stones Wine Bar, Munich

Local categories

Best Italian Wine List

Gold Stars:

- Nobelhart und Schmutzig, Berlin
- Rocaille

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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 45 countries in the world. All venues are selected by top wine professionals.