

2019 International Womens Wine Competition

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Best Woman Winemaker

Imagery Estate Winery	2016 Imagery Estate Winery barbera	Sonoma County		97	Nice acids, soft tannins, slides across the palate
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Best of Show Sparkling

Domaine Carneros	2015 Domaine Carneros by Taittinger Brut Rose	Carneros	Methode Traditionne lle	97	Very floral. Rainier cherry. Expressive & vibrant. Bright & beautiful.
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Best of Show Rose

Rodney Strong Wine Estates	2018 Rodney Strong Vineyards Rose of Pinot Noir	Russian River Valley	Estate	95	light salmon color. Berries are well balanced.Nice acidity & finish.
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Best of Show Dessert/Late Harvest

Navarro Vineyards	2018 Navarro Vineyards Riesling	Anderson Valley	Late Harvest	Cluster Select	98	A WOW wine/stunning! Great varietal character.Passion and purity.Awesosome minerality& petroleum.
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Best of Show - White

Navarro Vineyards	2018 Navarro Vineyards Gewurztraminer	Anderson Valley	Estate Bottled		97	Bright spice, floral, true gewurzt, nice structure holds it in place, very balanced.
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Best of Show - Red

Imagery Estate Winery	2016 Imagery Estate Winery barbera	Sonoma County			97	Nice acids, soft tannins, slides across the palate
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Best of Show - Cider

Gowan's Heirloom Cider	NV Gowans Heirloom Cider Gravenstein	Anderson Valley	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Non-GMO, Gluten Free	95	Notes of citrus, mountain strawberry & crenshaw, medium viscosity, clean crisp finish.
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Best of Class

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Acquiesce Winery	2018 Acquiesce Winery & Vineyards Clairette Blanche	Lodi, Mokelumne River	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Lodi Rules	93	Rum, grapefruit, gooseberry, papaya.
Acquiesce Winery	2018 Acquiesce Winery & Vineyards Ingenué	Lodi, Mokelumne River	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Lodi Rules	95	Citrus, green apple, stone fruit, well balanced, nice acidity.
Benziger Family Winery	2016 Benziger Family Winery Pinot Noir, Terra Neuma	Sonoma Coast (Sonoma)		de Coelo Terra Neuma	96	"D" cup gold. Big,spicy,cranberry minerality.
Boisset Collection	2017 DeLoach Vineyards Russian River Valley Pinot Noir	Russian River Valley			94	Strawberry; Savory coastal character
Boisset Collection	2016 Raymond Vineyards Napa Valley Reserve Merlot	Napa Valley	Reserve		96	dark berries,nice balance,cocoa finish,dusty character,little vanilla
Cougar Crest Estate Winery	2015 Cougar Crest Estate Winery Cabernet Franc	Walla Walla Valley	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled		97	Very rich blackberry/cassis. Earthy & savory.Lots of lead pencil/graphite.
deLorimier Winery	2015 deLorimier Winery Cabernet Sauvignon	Alexander Valley, Sonoma County	Estate Bottled & Produced	Preston Ranch	98	Chocolate, cherry, mocha, lush, velvety tannins, leather
deLorimier Winery	2017 deLorimier Winery Chardonnay	Alexander Valley, Sonoma County	Estate		96	Well balanced. eautiful long lingering finish. Good representation of Chardonnay
Domaine Carneros	2014 Domaine Carneros by Taittinger Estate Brut	Carneros	Methode Traditionne lle	Estate Grown, Bottled and Produced	97	Fresh baked bread, brillant, beautiful depth, steawberry pear, lots of citrus. Very balanced and elegant. Stunning wine.
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Elmaro Vineyard	2017 Elmaro Duet Blanc	New York, Finger Lakes			96	Meyer lemon, pineapple, very expressive tropical flavor profiles, silky texture. Consumers are going to love.

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Estate 1856	2016 Estate 1856 Petit Verdot	Sonoma County, Dry Creek Valley			93	Lovely depth. Earthy chocolate, nice tannins.
Ferrari-Carano Vineyards and Winery	2018 Ferrari-Carano Fume Blanc	Sonoma County			96	Honeysuckle. Very nice fruit, floral finish. Follows through.
Geyser Peak Winery	NV Geyser Peak Tawny Port Barrel Aged	California			96	Butter-scotch, earthy, tawny, nutty, hazelnut.
Gowan's Heirloom Cider	NV Gowans Heirloom Cider Gravenstein	Anderson Valley	Estate Grown, Produced and Bottled	Non-GMO, Gluten Free	95	Notes of citrus, mountain strawberry & crenshaw, medium viscosity, clean crisp finish.
Houdini	2016 Houdini Cabernet Sauvignon	Napa Valley, St. Helena			95	Classic Napa Cab, blackberry, black cherry, mocha, cherry cola, restrained elegance.
Hoyt Family Vineyards	2018 Hoyt Family Vineyards Viognier	Paso Robles, Willow Creek District	Estate		92	citrus, green apple, floral, nice acidity
Imagery Estate Winery	2016 Imagery Estate Winery barbera	Sonoma County			97	Nice acids, soft tannins, slides across the palate
JACLYNN RENEE WINES	2018 Jaclynn Renée Wines Rosé	Sonoma County			95	Great acidity, weight, citrus. Nicely balanced, well made pretty.
<u>M2 Wines2</u>	2016 M2 Wines Duality	Shenandoah Valley			94	Big wine, ripe plums, coconut, soft tannins.
Matrix Winery	2016 Matrix Zinfandel, Matrix Estate	Russian River			95	Nice spices. Nice finish. Well integrated.
Mettler Family Vineyards	2016 Mettler Family Vineyards Petite Sirah	Lodi	Estate Grown		96	Rich currants, layers, concentrated, blueberry, stunner, fresh.
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Navarro Vineyards	2018 Navarro Vineyards Muscat Blanc	Anderson Valley			95	Appealing nose, jasmine, lemon-lime, dancing in the mouth.
Nike Communications	2016 Spoken Barrel Meritage	Columbia Valley			94	Elegant, restrained, nice texture, good spice, blackberry, dark chocolate.
Oceano Wines	2017 Oceano Chardonnay	San Luis Obispo County	Barrel Fermented	Barrel aged	94	"It gives me so much joy." Beautiful green apple character, juicy, luscious.
Pegasus Estate Winery	2016 Pegasus Estate Winery Quadrille Red Blend	Santa Ynez Valley			94	Crowd pleaser, cranberry.
PEJU Winery	2015 Peju 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon Estate Reserve	Rutherford			93	Bitter chocolate and darkfruit. Robust, black licorice and savory notes.
Peltier Winery	2016 Peltier Winery & Vineyards Triomphe Premium Red Blend	Lodi	Estate Grown and Produced	Certified Sustainable	96	Very possible to want that second glass. Great structure, going to age well.
Pennyroyal Farm	2018 Pennyroyal Farm Rose of Pinot Noir	Anderson Valley	Estate Bottled & Produced		95	Lovely, yum!, super star strawberry, young plums, gorgeous, summer in a glass
Pennyroyal Farm	2018 Pennyroyal Farm Pinot Trio	Anderson Valley	Estate Bottled & Produced	Pinot Trio	95	A really fun, versatile white wine. Beautiful acid balance.
Rock Wall Wine Company	2017 Rock Wall Wine Co. The Queen's Ration	Russian River Valley			95	Mango, Fuji apple, crisp lingering finish, stunning.
Rodney Strong Wine Estates	2018 Rodney Strong Vineyards Rose of Pinot Noir	Russian River Valley	Estate		95	light salmon color. Berries are well balanced. Nice acidity & finish.
Santa Barbara Winery	2016 Lafond Chardonnay	Sta. Rita Hills		Lafond Vineyard	95	Popcorn mushroom and juicy apple
Seavin, Inc	NV San Sebastian Winery Cream Sherry	American			96	Roasted nuts & orange peel. Lovely balance, very classic in style.

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Sobon Wine Company, LLC	2017 Sobon Estate Tannat	Amador County	ReZerve®	94	full bodied; ripe dark red fruit; leather; spicy; dissolved tannins
Sobon Wine Company, LLC	2017 Sobon Estate Zinfandel Old Vine	Amador County	Old Vine	93	Classy, elegant, well balanced Zinfandel.
Stratus Wine & Spirits, LLC	2016 1849 Wine Co. Pinot Noir / Iris	Sonoma Coast (Sonoma)		95	The palate is a killer! Beautiful representation of of the varietal. It screams Pinot!
The Wine Group	2017 Concannon Vineyard Chardonnay	Monterey County		97	Flan, wild flower, full spectrum chard, white nectarine, elegant
Trotter 1/16 Wines	2018 Trotter 1/16 Winery Verdelho	Shenandoah Valley		96	Crisp, well balanced, grapefruit, mineral salty, lemon-lime.
vineyard of pasterick	2014 Vineyard of Pasterick Syrah	Dry Creek Valley	Estate Grown and Produced	96	Blueberry, big jammy, decadent, juicy, soft tannins, round.
Westport Winery	2017 Westport Winery True Blue	Rattlesnake Hills	Single Vineyard Selection	Sugarloaf Vineyards 95	Chocolate, smooth, black currants, layers, classic.