



Press release

**SJM Receives the Most “Grand Awards” in Asia
from Wine Spectator Again in 2024**

Demonstrating excellence with a total of 10 restaurants earning accolades

(Macau, 16 July 2024) SJM Resorts, S.A. (“SJM”) is pleased to announce that it has once again received the most “Grand Awards” in Asia from the globally renowned Wine Spectator magazine. Out of the 96 destination restaurants worldwide that received the pinnacle “Grand Award,” two of the five awarded in Asia went to SJM. Robuchon au Dôme has garnered the highly coveted “Grand Award” for the 20th consecutive year, while Casa Don Alfonso has also successfully retained its “Grand Award” status for 15 consecutive years. Furthermore, SJM has once again raised the bar, earning accolades for a total of 10 restaurants in 2024.

Wine Spectator has once again awarded the “Best Award of Excellence” to The Kitchen at Grand Lisboa Macau, as well as to Palace Garden, Mesa by José Avillez, Zuicho, Hua Ting and The Grand Buffet at Grand Lisboa Palace Resort Macau. In addition, two restaurants – The 8 and Don Alfonso 1890 – made their debut on the Wine Spectator awards list this year by earning the “Best Award of Excellence.”

Ms. Daisy Ho, Managing Director of SJM, remarked, “It is crucial for us to craft comprehensive visitor experiences by integrating unique elements. The prestigious recognitions from Wine Spectator further underscore our team’s dedication to our wine program and our commitment to superior quality, exceptional selections, and fine dining pairings. These efforts highlight Macau’s role as a diverse culinary hub. We will continue to source fine wines globally to attract wine enthusiasts, collectors, tourists, and locals, enhancing Macau’s appeal as a fusion of Eastern and Western culinary traditions. Through ‘Gastronomy + Tourism,’ we strive to solidify Macau’s status as a ‘Creative City of Gastronomy’ and strengthen Macau’s position as a ‘World Centre of Tourism and Leisure.’”

Boasting Asia’s most extensive and exclusive collection of Old and New World wines – a staggering 17,600 labels and over 500,000 bottles – SJM sets a high standard for wine lovers. Critically acclaimed sommeliers at SJM carefully handpick select world-class labels, including a variety of sustainably produced organic blends. Each bottle is then expertly paired with the unique flavours of the diverse cuisines offered at SJM’s restaurant, creating a truly unforgettable dining experience.

Wine Spectator’s Restaurant Awards recognise establishments that curate exceptional wine lists, offering a captivating blend of interesting selections, thoughtful pairings with their cuisine, and appeal for a wide range of wine enthusiasts. The highest accolade, the “Grand Award,” is bestowed upon a select few restaurants that boast a minimum of 1,000 selections, demonstrating a serious breadth of top producers, impressive depth in mature vintages, and a curated selection of large-format bottles. Restaurants earning the “Best of Award of Excellence” signify a deep commitment to wine, both in their cellars and through the expertise of their service teams, with expansive wine lists offering at least 350 selections.



SJM Receives the Most “Grand Awards” in Asia from Wine Spectator again, which are awarded to **Robuchon au Dôme** and **Casa Don Alfonso** respectively.



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