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SJM Leads Asian Wine Scene with Seven Awards at Star Wine List 2026

Mesa by José Avillez and Robuchon au Dôme's Wine Excellence Puts Macau on the Global Wine Map

Macau, 22 February 2026 — In a remarkable display of wine excellence, SJM Resorts, S.A. (“SJM”) has emerged as Asia's premier wine destination, securing an unprecedented two Gold and five Silver awards at the prestigious Star Wine List of the Year International Open 2026 (Asia). As the only Macau entity to receive recognition, SJM's flagship restaurants, Mesa by José Avillez and Robuchon au Dôme, have set new benchmarks in fine wine list curation.

A Legacy of Excellence Uncorked

Mesa by José Avillez achieved a historic double-Gold victory, clinching Asia's Best Long List and Best Italian Wine List awards. The jury was particularly effusive about Mesa's collection, describing it as an "extremely impressive list" with "insane options and vintage depth". This extraordinary achievement positions Mesa as the definitive destination for wine connoisseurs seeking rare vintages and exceptional Italian wines. The restaurant also earned Silver honours for Best By-the-Glass List and Best Sparkling Wine List, demonstrating its comprehensive excellence across multiple categories.

The legendary Robuchon au Dôme continued its legacy of wine excellence, securing three silver awards for Best Long List, Best Austrian Wine List, and Best Italian Wine List. Housing one of Asia's most meticulously curated cellars, the restaurant has consistently earned multiple accolades since the inception of Star Wine List of the Year Asia in 2023, reinforcing its position among the region's elite dining establishments.

The Pinnacle of Wine Excellence in Asia

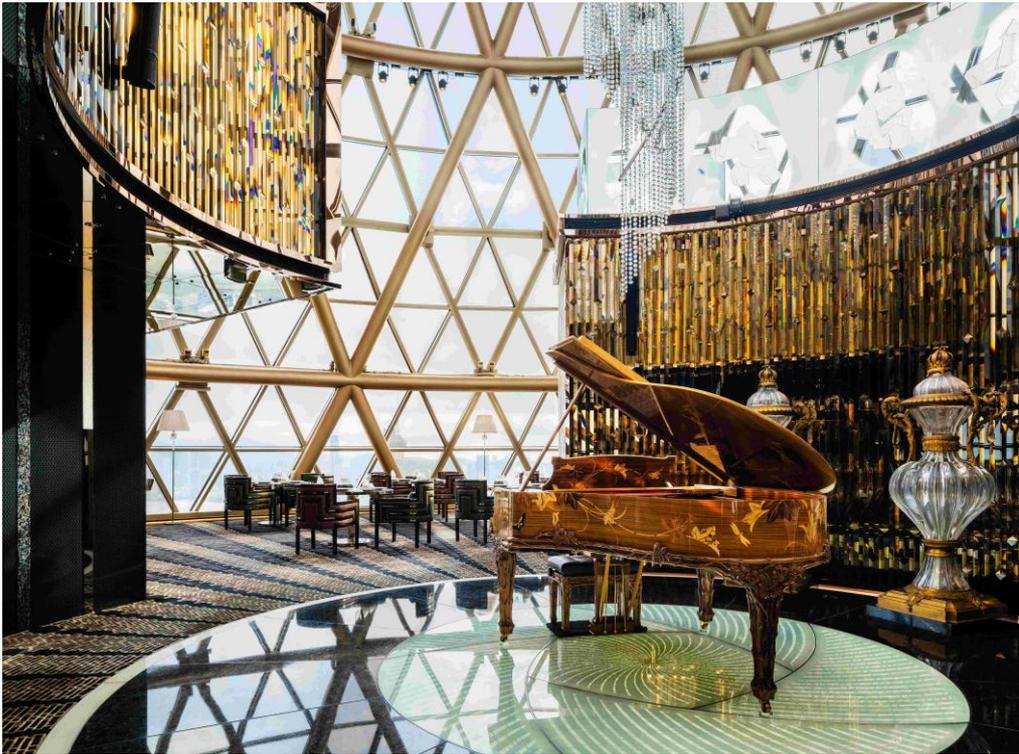
Ms. Daisy Ho, Managing Director of SJM, remarked, “These prestigious international wine awards further underscore SJM's position as the definitive destination for wine excellence in Asia and validate our efforts in elevating Macau's status as a UNESCO Creative City of Gastronomy. Through continued investment in our wine and culinary programs, SJM is proud to contribute to Macau's gastronomic legacy, where tradition and innovation create unforgettable wine-and-dine experiences that celebrate our rich cultural heritage.”

SJM's dedication to wine excellence is showcased through one of the world's most celebrated cellars, housing nearly half a million bottles and more than 17,000 labels across its properties. This exceptional collection is supported by continuous investment in state-of-the-art wine storage facilities, rigorous sommelier training programs, and innovative wine-pairing menus, ensuring each rare and limited-edition wine is expertly preserved and presented.

Launched in 2018, the Star Wine List of the Year has evolved into one of the wine industry's most sought-after accolades. Its Asian edition, introduced in 2023, highlights the region's growing sophistication and global relevance in wine programming. In 2026, the competition expanded its reach further by awarding Gold and Silver Stars across five continental groups for each of its 10 international categories. Winners are chosen by a panel of internationally renowned sommeliers, with entries judged on depth, quality, and innovation.



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