

WINE ENTHUSIAST
2009
WINE STAR
AWARDS



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MONDAY
JANUARY 25, 2010

Wine Enthusiast Magazine's Tenth Annual
Wine Star Awards Dinner
Honoring Eleven Luminaries of the Wine World

Lifetime Achievement

Harvey Chaplin, Chairman/CEO
Southern Wine & Spirits

Man of the Year

Ted Baseler, President/CEO
*Ste. Michelle Wine Estates,
Washington State*

American Winery of the Year

Trinchero Family Estates
Roger Trinchero, President

European Winery of the Year

Mezzacorona (Italy)
*Claudio Rizzoli,
Vice General Director*

New World Winery of the Year

Yalumba (Australia)
Robert Hill Smith, Proprietor

Winemaker of the Year

Scott McLeod
*Rubicon, Francis Ford Coppola
Napa Valley, CA*

Wine Region of the Year

Valpolicella, Italy
Consorzio Tutela Vini Valpolicella
Luca Sartori, Emilio Fasoletti

Retailer of the Year

Best Cellars at A & P
Joshua Wesson

Importer of the Year

Winebow
Leonardo LoCascio, CEO/President

Distiller of the Year

Hendrick's Gin
*Simon Hunt, President
William Grant & Sons USA*

Innovator of the Year

Gary Vaynerchuk
WineLibrary TV

The New York Public Library
The Celeste Bartos Forum

Fifth Avenue at 41st Street, New York City

Reception: 6:00 — 7:30 pm

Dinner & Awards: 7:30 — 11:00 pm

Black Tie

\$1,000 per person. Table of ten \$9,000.

Table of twelve \$10,500.

Wine Enthusiast Companies donates the net proceeds from this event to benefit research in the wine and spirits industry with The Wine Market Council, a non-profit organization.

RSVP by December 18 to

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Master of
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