After meeting at the Palais de l'Atlantique in Bordeaux on 21 and 22 April, the 100 juries – each made up of a producer, a technician, a retailer and a wine connoisseur – nominated the winners of the 47th edition of the Challenge International du Vin wine tasting competition, organised since 1976 by the C.D.V. (Concours Des Vins).

Out of the **2,666 wine samples** from 24 countries they tasted, the competition juries awarded **799 medals** (**666 Gold** and **133 Silver**).

This year, rosé wines from around the world were in the honour with 5 Special Prizes awarded.

Characterised by its warm and friendly atmosphere, the 2023 edition marked a return to the competition's traditional format after several years of health restrictions. Rigorous tastings were followed by light-hearted discussions over lunch.

Next edition of Challenge International du Vin

APRIL 26 & 27, 2024



## THE COUP DE CŒUR DES CHEFS



New this year, the "Coup de Cœur des Chefs" event, organised on Monday 24 April at the Hotel Le Centenaire, in Les Eyzies (Dordogne area), put the 12 Special Prize winners of the 2023 competition in the spotlight during a tasting.

The CONDE DE CANTANHEDE ROSÉ – SELEÇÃO DO ENÓLOGO 2022 – BAIRRADA D.O.C., winner of the Foreign Sweet Rosé Special Prize, was elected Coup de Cœur by chefs, sommeliers and managers of starred establishments which partnered up with the competition. Their mission now is to design a full-course meal inspired by this rosé wine, which presents an exciting challenge in terms of food and wine pairings.







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