

Press Release

Three Swiss wines – all from Geneva – win awards in Bordeaux

At the prestigious “Citadelles du Vin” competition, a "Trophée Citadelle" (equivalent to gold) was won by a Geneva wine also voted Best Swiss Wine. The two other winning Swiss wines, each awarded a "Trophée Excellence" (silver), were also from Geneva.

Citadelles du Vin took place from May 15 to 17, 2010 in Bordeaux, France. During the course of the competition over 780 wines from 27 countries were tasted by a jury made up of 35 wine professionals from 19 different countries.

The top-winning wine from Geneva was a 2007 red blend from the "Les Vins de Philippe Chevrier" collection produced by La Cave de Genève. It received a "Trophée Citadelle" and was voted Best Swiss Wine. Philippe Chevrier is a Geneva chef with two Michelin stars who collaborates with the Cave de Genève in the production of wines bearing his name.

The two wines awarded a "Trophée Citadelle" were "Noir Divin", a 2007 red blend made by Domaine du Paradis, and "L'Aiglette", a 2008 Sauvignon Blanc made by La Cave de Genève.

All Citadelle results may be viewed at www.citadellesduvin.com.

The Geneva winners:

- La Cave de Genève, Satigny, T 022 753 11 33
- Domaine du Paradis, Roger Burgdorfer, Satigny, T 022 753 18 55 or 022 755 10 05

