

# CRITICS APPLAUD VINE CONNECTIONS' ARGENTINA PORTFOLIO

25 WINES SCORE 90+ POINTS

## CASARENA

"Impressive juice... nicely integrated oak"  
- The Wine Advocate

Owen's SV Cabernet	2014	<b>90</b> WA
Naoki's SV Malbec	2013	<b>91</b> WA

## Chaman

"Attractive, well-defined,  
very composed."  
- Wine Advocate

Red Blend	2014	<b>89</b> VIN	<b>89</b> WA
	2013	<b>91</b> WA	
Cabernet Franc	2015	<b>89</b> WA	2014 <b>89</b> WA
Petit Verdot	2014	<b>89</b> WE	

## graffito

"Balanced, elegant, delicious."  
- Wine Advocate

Malbec	2014	<b>92</b> W&S
	2013	<b>90</b> WA
	2012	<b>90</b> WA

## HERMANOS

"Finding the expression of Salta in a  
more balanced way"  
- The Wine Advocate

Torrontés	2016	<b>89</b> WA
Malbec - Tannat	2014	<b>89</b> WA

## La Posta

**Wine Label of the Year, 2016:**  
La Posta Fazzio  
-International Wine & Spirits Competition

**"Value Brand of the Year, 2015"**  
- Wine & Spirits

Pizzella Malbec	2014	<b>90</b> WA
	2013	<b>90</b> VIN
Fazzio Malbec	2015	<b>92</b> JS
	2014	<b>90</b> W&S
Paulucci Malbec	2015	<b>90</b> JS
Armando Bonarda	2015	<b>90</b> JS
	2014	<b>90</b> WE
Tinto Red Blend	2015	<b>91</b> JS <b>89</b> WA

## LUCA

"Compelling...Impressive...Very Satisfying." - Tanzer  
#19 of TOP 100 WINES, 2012 Malbec - Wine Spectator

Nico	2011	<b>93</b> WA	<b>91</b> VIN
	2010	<b>93</b> WA	
	2009	<b>94</b> WA	<b>93</b> JS
Beso de Dante	2014	<b>90</b> WA	2013 <b>92</b> WA
	2012	<b>91</b> VIN	<b>90</b> WS

Malbec	2015	<b>90</b> WA	2014 <b>93</b> WA <b>90</b> VIN
	2013	<b>93</b> JS	<b>91</b> WA
Pinot Noir	2015	<b>92+</b> WA	
	2013	<b>91</b> WA	<b>90</b> JS
Chardonnay	2015	<b>93</b> WA	2014 <b>92</b> WA <b>91</b> VIN
	2013	<b>93</b> WA	<b>90</b> VIN
Syrah	2015	<b>90</b> WA	
	2013	<b>91</b> JS	<b>90</b> WA <b>90</b> VIN
Malbec Paraje Altamira	2014	<b>91</b> WA	2013 <b>92</b> VIN

## LUNTA

"Fresh and light... easy to drink."  
- Wine Advocate

Lunta Malbec	2014	<b>92</b> JS	<b>89+</b> WA
	2013	<b>92</b> W&S	<b>90</b> JS

## MENDEL

"These are splendid,  
intellectual Mendoza wines."  
- Wine Advocate

Malbec	2014	<b>92</b> WA	<b>91</b> JS	<b>90</b> VIN
	2013	<b>93</b> JS	<b>92</b> WA	
Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	<b>92</b> JS	<b>91</b> WA	<b>91</b> VIN
	2013	<b>93</b> WA	<b>91</b> WE	<b>90+</b> VIN
Semillon	2016	<b>92</b> VIN		
	2015	<b>92</b> JS	<b>91</b> WA	<b>90</b> VIN
Unus	2013	<b>95</b> JS	<b>93+</b> WA	<b>93</b> WE
	2012	<b>95</b> JS	<b>93</b> WA	<b>93</b> WE
Finca Remota	2013	<b>95</b> WA	<b>93+</b> VIN	
	2012	<b>95</b> JS	<b>92</b> VIN	

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#45 of TOP 100 WINES, 2012 Patriota - Wine Spectator

Patriota	2015	<b>90</b> WA
	2014	<b>92</b> W&S <b>90</b> VIN
Natural	2015	<b>91</b> WA
	2014	<b>90</b> WA <b>90</b> VIN
Amorio	2014	<b>90</b> WA
	2013	<b>93</b> WA <b>90+</b> VIN <b>90</b> WE
Jubilo	2015	<b>92</b> WA
	2014	<b>91</b> WA <b>91</b> VIN <b>91</b> WE

WA = The Wine Advocate VIN = Vinous reviewed by Stephen Tanzer IWC = Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar W&S = Wine & Spirits WS = Wine Spectator WE = Wine Enthusiast JS = James Suckling

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# CRITICS RAVE FOR THE NEW CHILE

90+ POINTS ON EVERY WINE

*Amayna*

"Suave balance of richness & vivacity, with an earthiness that's reminiscent of serious Burgundy."

- Vinous

Pinot Noir 2014 **92** JS 2013 **93** JS  
Sauvignon Blanc 2015 **91** JS 2014 **91** V

*Boya*

"Best New World Sauvignon Blanc" - Wine & Spirits

"Best Chilean Pinot Noir under £15" - Decanter

Sauvignon Blanc 2015 **92** W&S  
2014 **93** W&S  
Pinor Noir 2013 **90** V **90** JS

AQUITANIA

"Elegant, pliant, fully mature wine... impressive, showing very good energy."

- Vinous

Lazuli 2013 **91** JS 2011 **93+** WA  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2013 **91** V 2011 **90** V

*Casa Silva*

"Truly impressive.

The future for Carmenere."

- Wine Advocate

Carmenere, Cuvee Colchagua  
Carmenere, Los Lingues Vyd  
Cabernet Sauvignon  
Sauvignon Gris, 1912 Vines  
Sauvignon Blanc, Cool Coast  
Carmenere, Microterroir  
Altura (Red Blend)

2014 **90** W&S 2013 **90** V  
2013 **91** V **91** JS 2012 **90** V  
2013 **90** V 2012 **90** V  
2014 **90** V 2013 **91** WA **90** V  
2014 **91** V **90** WE 2013 **90** WA  
2008 **93** WA **92** V  
2008 **93** WA **92** V

CLOS DES FOUS

"One of the most exciting new projects in Chile...& the best is yet to come."

- Wine Advocate

Chardonnay, Locura 2015 **92** JS 2013 **92** JS **91** WA  
Pinot Noir, Latuffa 2014 **93** JS 2012 **93** WA  
Cauquenina 2013 **93** WA 2012 **94** JS **91** WA **91** V  
Pinot Noir, Subsollum 2014 **92** JS 2013 **91** WA **91** JS  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2013 **92** JS 2012 **90** V **90** WA

GARCIA + SCHWADERER

"Elegant rusticity in a bottle.

All of these wines are highly recommended."

- Wine Advocate

Bravado 2014 **93** W&S **94** JS 2013 **91** WA  
Facundo 2012 **92** WA 2011 **93** JS **92** V  
Vigno 2014 **92** JS 2013 **95+** WA  
Sauv Blanc 2015 **90** WA 2013 **93** JS **91** WA  
Pinot Noir 2013 **95** JS **92+** WA 2012 **95** JS **91** V

J. BOUCHON

"Winery of the Year 2016." - Descorchados

CantoSur 2016 **91** W&S 2014 **89** V  
CantoNorte 2014 **90** V 2012 **90** V  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2012 **90** WA 2011 **90** V

MAYU

"Mindboggling quality & character at unbelievable prices." - Wine Advocate

Carmenere-Syrah 2014 **90** WA 2013 **90** WA **89** V  
Sauvignon Blanc 2015 **90** WA 2014 **89** WA **89** V  
Pedro Ximenez 2015 **89** WA 2014 **90** WA

MERINO

"A name to keep on the radar screen."

- Wine Advocate

Syrah 2014 **90** WA 2012 **91** W&S  
Chardonnay 2012 **90** WA  
Chardonnay, Limestone Hill 2013 **91+** WA 2012 **92** WA

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"Impressive... Makes you salivate & look forward to the next bite."

- Wine Advocate

Chardonnay 2013 **93** WA 2012 **92** WA  
Pinot Noir 2013 **91** WA 2011 **91** WA **91** V

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\*34 TOTAL VINE CONNECTIONS' WINES TASTED; ALL SCORED 89+

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