

## Alain Ducasse and his teams from Le Louis XV à Hôtel de Paris present Nectars & Naturalité

From December 10<sup>th</sup>, the Louis XV - Alain Ducasse is offering a series of exceptional dinners that will elevate the art of food and wine pairing to a remarkable new level. An opportunity not to be missed to discover some extremely rare bottles.

Discerning gourmets are already familiar with the Cuisine de la Naturalité proposed by Alain Ducasse and masterfully interpreted by Emmanuel Pilon. In the precious setting of the Louis XV - Alain Ducasse à l'Hôtel de Paris, the duo reinvent the tastes of the Mediterranean. The tastes are intense and bold. They are both very direct and complex: each mouthful is different, each bringing its own set of sensations and emotions, transporting the diner into an extremely gourmet and completely innovative universe.

To enhance the experience, Maxime Pastor, the restaurant's head sommelier, and Bernard Neveu, the corporate head sommelier at Maison Ducasse Paris, have unearthed some absolutely exceptional bottles. These are rare nectars that are unavailable on the market for long, or bottles taken from a few barrels kept by the winemaker for his personal use. The vintages will be selected to offer wines at their exact maturity and, of course, the domains represented are themselves first-rate.

On December 10<sup>th</sup> 2024, it will be the Domaine Bonneau du Martray that will kick off the festivities. Thibault Jacquet, the domain manager, will be on hand to present the crus, his philosophy and the long history of the vines.

As the events unfold, other origins will be highlighted. Most of them will be from Burgundy, but a few incursions to the Rhône Valley and even Italy are also planned. The spirit of all the dinners will remain the same: to introduce a discerning public to some extremely rare wines to accompany exceptional cuisine.

In keeping with the history of the Hôtel de Paris cellar, which celebrates its 150th anniversary this year, the Louis XV-Alain Ducasse is firmly established as the place to be for all lovers of great wines.

## 2025

January 29<sup>th</sup> : Domaine Pierre-Yves Colin Morey March 26<sup>th</sup> : Domaine Roagna April 30<sup>th</sup> : Domaine Comte Georges de Vogüé