

US Grenache: Panel tasting results

Fruit quality and clarity was a central theme of this tasting, which underscored American Grenache's journey into the limelight.



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PANEL TASTING

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Tasted by: Jusden Aumand, Zach Geballe, Amanda Reed
(at Seattle, Washington, 21 Jul 2025)

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Drinking Window: 2025 - 2030

Elegant and savoury black plum, red bean paste and violets with sweet pea, olive brine and dusty earth. Juicy purple fruit and herbs carry through a structured palate. Clean, balanced and long, with a gypsum-like mineral thread.