



Welcome to our monthly *Vine to Wine* newsletter! **Oregon Wine Research Institute** faculty and staff work to provide research-based viticulture, enology and wine business information for the advancement of the Oregon wine industry, and this newsletter allows us to extend that information to you along with other news and events. We welcome industry questions, so contact **OWRI team members** with input, feedback or challenges you face in the vineyard, cellar, or tasting room.

OSU Viticulture and Enology Research Facilities



OSU Woodhall III Research Vineyard - Assistant Vineyard Manager Josh Price reports on the latest property updates on the Alpine, Oregon vineyard that will enhance teaching opportunities, provide hands-on training to students, and elevate the research of OWRI faculty members. [Read more](#)



OSU Research Winery - the OSU Research Winery is part of a multifaceted approach to viticulture and enology research, beginning in the vineyard and culminating in the glass. Learn more about project updates and facility improvements [here](#) by Faculty Research Assistant Aubrey DuBois.

Grape Smoke Exposure Research

Wildfire smoke exposure of grapes has been a recurring issue in recent years. Researchers at Oregon State University, University of California-Davis, and Washington State University were awarded a USDA-NIFA-SCRI planning grant to assess stakeholder needs in dealing with smoke exposure. The content informs a research strategy and full grant proposal that would assist the industry in successfully managing and mitigating the risks from smoke-exposed grapes. Learn about chief industry concerns and the developing research strategy [here](#).

Red Blotch Disease

What to know and how to test- *Véraison* through harvest and post-harvest are ideal times to be scouting vineyards for Red Blotch Disease as well as nutrient deficiencies and other vine health issues. Red Blotch Disease is most visible in infected vineyards later in the season, with symptoms first showing up on basal leaves at *véraison*. Learn more about what to look for when scouting, when to analyze tissue samples, and where you can submit samples for analysis by reading the following articles on [Red Blotch Disease](#).

Signs of Red Blotch Disease in your Vineyards? The [OWRI Red Blotch Study Team](#) wants to understand the Red Blotch Disease in the state and industry needs as they develop future research and outreach. If you have not done so already, please complete the brief online survey [here](#).

OSU Viticulture Extension Specialist Confirmed as ASEV President



Skinkis to serve as the first Oregon President of American Society for Enology and Viticulture (ASEV) - Dr. Patty Skinkis, Professor and Viticulture Extension Specialist, and OWRI core faculty member is the first Oregon-based president to serve ASEV. She will be leading the 12-member board during 2020-21.

Wine Industry Jobs and Internships

Ready to hire someone from the Oregon State community? To post part-time jobs for students while they are in school, summer full or part-time jobs, internships, and full-time positions on the OWRI website, send the job opening URL or PDF [here](#). At the minimum, the job post should include job title, company name, specific location of position, instructions on how to apply, and your contact information.

Events

American Society for Enology & Viticulture (ASEV) - Invasive Pest Webinar Series

In lieu of the national conference, ASEV is offering keynote presentations online through November. [A full list of webinars can be found online here](#) Don't miss your chance to learn about invasive vineyard pests, new innovations, and award-winning research! Registration is required.

Upcoming Events

ASEV Invasive Pest Webinar: Lifecycle Modeling and the Impacts of Climate Change | Oct 22

ASEV Invasive Pest Webinar: Invasive Species Response | Nov 12

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If you have a particular topic or question you would like to see addressed in the *Vine to Wine*, please [contact us](#).

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