



## Château Haut La Garde

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**Your main character trait ?**

I'm resolute

**Which animal would you be ?**

A migrating bird

**Your favourite thing about wine ?**

The annual cycle

**Your current state of mind ?**

Relaxed

The property has been in my family since the 1920s-1930s, and a large part of its history is due to my father: he ran the estate for nearly 40 years, before bequeathing it to me in 2007 after complications with a health problem. I have unhesitatingly and determinedly continued the work started on the 27 hectares of vines and today I manage the family estate as well as my other vineyard... out of love for the Bordeaux winegrowing area!



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### BLAYE CÔTES DE BORDEAUX

**Village :** Saint Seurin de Coursac

**Total surface of the vineyard :** 27 hectares

**Type of soils :** Primarily clay-limestone soils

**Blend of grape varieties :** 85 % Merlot, 10 % Cabernet Sauvignon and 5 % Malbec

**Wine vinification :** Pumping over and delestage adapted to suit the structure of the wine. Full control of temperatures. Three weeks' fermentation. Aged in cement vats.

**Tasting notes :** A concentrated, deep purple in colour. The nose of ripe fruit clearly evokes the flesh of cherries, promising a powerful wine. In the mouth the attack is lively and red fruit quickly comes to the fore, leading into smooth tannins. The style gives pride of place to the character of the appellation.

**Wine and Food pairing :** Game

**Awards :**

Vintage 2017 :

GOLD GILBERT ET GAILLARD 2018

GOLD ELLE À TABLE 2018

GOLD LYON 2018

SILVER DEGUSTATION D'ÉTÉ DE MUNDUS VINI BIOFACH2018

SILVER INTERNATIONAL WINE AWARDS 2018

SILVER FRANKFURT 2018

SILVER AWC VIENNA 2018

Vintage 2018 :

GOLD GILBERT ET GAILLARD 2019

GOLD SINGAPOUR COMPETITION 2019

GOLD JAPAN COMPETITION 2019

SILVER CWWSC 2019

SILVER SHANGHAI COMPETITION 2019