

RUCA MALEN

CAPÍTULO DOS

BODEGA RUCA MALEN

- A contemporary winery that shares a passion for wine in its quality and diversity, from the terroir to its winemaking techniques.
- Located in Agrelo, Lujan de Cuyo, the foremost wine region of Mendoza where high-end wines are made.
- Certified organic winery since 2020.

DNA

- **Restless Spirit:** constant exploration in all we do.
- **Winemaking:** Focus and quality of every step in the winemaking process.
- A versatile portfolio that conveys energy, freshness and complexity.
- **Inspired by women:** Ruca Malen means the young woman's house in the Mapuche language.
- **Sustainability:** a commitment to land conservation, using the most sustainable techniques possible.

RUCA MALEN : CAPITULO DOS

- Every great story is divided into chapters and Ruca Malen Capitulo Dos reveals the diversity of the world of wine through distinct varieties.
- Highly versatile wines.
- Focus on the energy and expression of each varietal, using different techniques to bring out their fruit and complexity.
- Vineyards from different regions of Lujan de Cuyo and Uco Valley contribute diverse aromas, flavors and textures, adding to the complexity of our wines.



WINEMAKER: AGUSTINA HANNA

WINE

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| • RUCA MALEN CAPÍTULO DOS CHARDONNAY | Gualtallary, Tupungato, Uco Valley, Mendoza. | In order to heighten the fresh fruitiness and minerality, this Chardonnay is aged in stainless steel tanks with battonage for 8 months, adding body and complexity. | 2021: 92 PTS. JAMES SUCKLING - 90 PTS. TIM ATKIN 91 PTS. VINOUS |
| • RUCA MALEN CAPÍTULO DOS CORTE DE BLANCAS | | A fresh, elegant blend of Sauvignon Blanc and Semillon. The Sauvignon Blanc is aged in concrete eggs and the Semillon in French oak barrels for 8 months with battonage to attain a complex, full-bodied wine. | 2021: 90 PTS. JAMES SUCKLING - 91 PTS. TIM ATKIN 90 PTS. VINOUS |
| • RUCA MALEN CAPÍTULO DOS GARNACHA | Ugarteche, Lujan de Cuyo, Mendoza. | In a search for light wines that pair well with different flavors, we made this fruity, juicy, versatile Garnacha. This delicate varietal is fermented in small vessels with gentle pigeage and then aged in second and third-use barrels. | |
| • RUCA MALEN CAPÍTULO DOS PINOT NOIR | Gualtallary, Tupungato, Uco Valley, Mendoza. | This Pinot Noir is made in small vessels with different percentages of whole bunches to add texture and complexity. Afterwards, we ferment at low temperatures with gentle pigeage to maintain its delicate expressiveness, aging in French oak barrels to create a fresh, elegant wine. | 2021: 91 PTS. TIM ATKIN |
| • RUCA MALEN CAPÍTULO DOS MALBEC ORGÁNICO | Los Chacayes, Tunuyán, Uco Valley, Mendoza. | This Malbec comes from organic vineyards in Uco Valley. We seek to capture the best of the terroir in the texture and fruit and flower aromas. This wine is fermented in stainless steel tanks and then aged 12 months in second and third-use barrels for 12 months to add complexity and elegance. | 2021: 91 PTS. TIM ATKIN - 94 PTS. JAMES SUCKLING |
| • RUCA MALEN CAPÍTULO DOS MALBEC | Lujan de Cuyo and Uco Valley, Mendoza. | A blend of Malbec grapes from different regions yields a wine rich in textures and aromas. Each component is fermented and aged separately in oak barrels, concrete vessels and stainless steel tanks to draw out its best characteristics, creating a complex wine with the perfect balance between freshness, minerality, pure fruit and elegance. | 2021: 93 PTS. JAMES SUCKLING |
| • RUCA MALEN CAPÍTULO DOS CABERNET SAUVIGNON | | Made with grapes from different zones in Mendoza, this Cabernet is fermented in cement vessels and stainless steel tanks. During fermentation, extraction is done with care in search of elegance and its aging in vessels and tanks help soften the tannins and increase its complexity, yielding an elegant, classic Cabernet Sauvignon. | |
| • RUCA MALEN CAPÍTULO DOS CABERNET FRANC | Gualtallary, Tupungato, Uco Valley, Mendoza. | A gentle fermentation before aging in second and third-use barrels brings out the best of this varietal and the terroir in this Cabernet Franc with unique mineral notes and texture. The result is a fresh, lively, expressive wine. | |
| • RUCA MALEN CAPÍTULO DOS PETIT VERDOT | Agrelo, Lujan de Cuyo, Mendoza. | Elegant and expressive, this Petit Verdot is fermented in stainless steel tanks and then aged in French oak barrels to bring out all the varietal's complexities. | 2020: 93 PTS. JAMES SUCKLING |