



Markus Del Monego,  
vintage 1967  
Master of Wine  
The only German World Champion  
Sommelier

## Profile

- » The first, and still the only German to hold the title of Sommelier World Champion 1998
- » Much sought-after expert for refined delights and renowned author for various publications and expert contributions
- » Managing Director of the consultancy firm caveCo GmbH in Essen, which offers consultancy services with regard to wine and refined delights worldwide
- » Sensory expert



## Career Milestones and Titles

- » 1994-1996 Hotel Manager of ‚Gutshotel Richtershof‘, in Mülheim/ Mosel
- » Since 1997 Managing Director of caveCo GmbH, Essen
- » 1st Place Trophée Ruinart – Germany, 1987
- » 4th Place Trophée Ruinart - Europe, 1987
- » Sommelier of the Year, Gault Millau, 1992
- » Best Sommelier Germany 1986, 1987, 1991, 1992, 1995
- » Sommelier World Champion, Vienna, 1998
- » Master of Sake – Kiki Sakeshi‘, 1998
- » Ambassador of Swiss Wines‘, 1999
- » Master of Wine, London, 2003



## Know-how

- » Markus Del Monego has successfully turned his hobby into a profession.
- » Whether in Japan, USA or Italy: the most well-known sommelier in the world – just ask!
- » Any statement or quotation would be understating his achievement. – If there is anybody to whom the following phrase applies, it’s him: „Germany’s best wine and enjoyment expert!“

