

5 Best Wine Bars in the World

A great wine bar needs both spectacular wines and top-notch food.



The wine wall at Oeno in Dubai is part of the spectacle. Photo courtesy of Oeno at the Westin Hotel, Dubai.

To test how well a wine pairing works, do what the pros do: Take a sip of the wine and think about how it tastes, then take a bite of the food and think about how it tastes after the wine, then take a final sip of the wine. All the flavors will linger and meld beautifully (or not!).

These five wine bars on three continents serve some of the world's best pairings:



Barcelona: Monvínic

Around 30 bottles from Monvínic's list of nearly 4,000 are available by the glass; chef Sergi de Meià provides the top-notch [tapas](#).