

## Course Guide for Fall 2008

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### **Sunday, October 12<sup>th</sup>, Certified Specialist of Wine Program @ AWS Wine Room**

Earn one of the most industry-recognized credentials in wine; \$999 (special pricing for the trade)

*Instructor:* Michael Bryan

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### **Tuesday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, Old World vs. New World @ AWS Wine Room**

Understand the different wine styles by tasting in dueling pairs—which will you like better? \$50

*Presenter:* Jane Garvey

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### **Wednesday, October 15<sup>th</sup>, Viva Italia! @ AWS Wine Room**

Another two weeks in Italy and Kelly is returning to express the vino-culture of this country; \$50

*Presenter:* Paul Kelly Wheeler

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### **Monday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, School Nights: Big Hunkin' Reds @ Piedmont Room**

These are laid-back, socially-driven tastings that offer some great wine tips and fun; \$29

*Presenter:* Lauren DeLuca

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### **Thursday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>, Southern Hemisphere Wines @ AWS Wine Room**

Jane has tasted (and eaten) her way through South America, Africa, Australia and New Zealand; \$50

*Presenter:* Jane Garvey

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### **Thursday, October 30<sup>th</sup>, 95+ Point Wines @ AWS Wine Room**

These are the ones people talk about and hope to buy and taste—eight (8) incredible wines; \$50

*Presenter:* Paul Kelly Wheeler

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### **Monday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, School Nights: Wine & Chocolate @ Piedmont Room**

These are laid-back, socially-driven tastings that offer some great wine tips and fun; \$29

*Presenter:* Kara Eads

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### **Wednesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>, Jane's Monthly Dozen: Wines for Thanksgiving @ AWS Wine Room**

Eight 90+ point wines with a full thanksgiving feast—come pig out; \$50

*Presenter:* Jane Garvey

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### **Thursday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, For Beginners Only @ AWS Wine Room**

A basic and pragmatic approach to increasing confidence and pleasure in wine; \$50

*Presenter:* Michael Bryan

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### **Wednesday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, Taste Like a Pro @ AWS Wine Room**

Learn EXACTLY how the pros can taste blind and NAIL the identity of wines; \$50

*Presenter:* Paul Kelly Wheeler

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### **Wednesday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>, Wines & Cheeses @ AWS Wine Room**

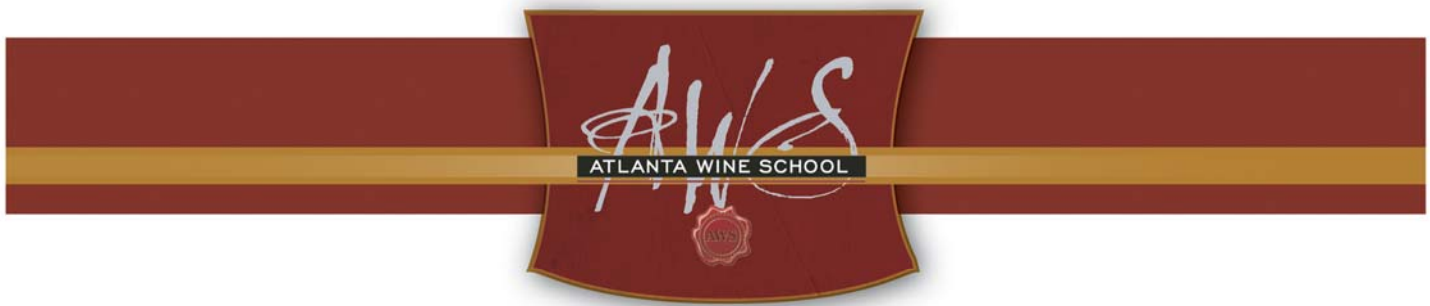
Eight amazing pairings of wines & cheeses; \$50

*Presenter:* Michael Bryan

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## Senior-Level Instructors

**Michael Bryan**, *Founder & Executive Director of AWS*

As Founder and Executive Director of Atlanta Wine School, Michael Bryan speaks on wine-related subject matter for approximately 150 private, public, and trade events per year. In addition to serving on the Education Advisory Board of the Society of Wine Educators, he holds that organization's Certified Specialist of Wine credential. Additionally he has obtained the Intermediate Certification with merit via the Wine Spirit Education Trust of London, and most recently was awarded the title of Certified Sommelier via the Court of Master Sommeliers.

**Jane Garvey**, *Wine Reviewer & Instructor*

Involved in education since 1966, Jane Garvey has taught and presented lectures in a variety of arenas, including regular academic subjects and adult education. An established writer and editor, she regularly contributes to a number of publications on a wide variety of subjects from food and wine to culture and history. Writing about wine since 1992, she has traveled widely and frequently in pursuit of wine knowledge that enhances her presentation of wine for both consumers and rising professionals. Jane holds undergraduate and graduate degrees from the University of Georgia.

**Paul Kelly Wheeler**, *Certified Specialist of Wine, Certified Sommelier, Certified Specialist of Spirits*

Kelly taught his first wine class in 1972 while pursuing dual MS and MBA degrees at Michigan State University. Since then he has continued to expand his passion for and knowledge of wines. Kelly is an enthusiastic student of the world of wine and is currently a Certified Specialist of Wine with the Society of Wine Educators and a Certified Sommelier with the Court of Master Sommeliers. Kelly's passion for wine has taken him to the wine producing regions of the world including France, Italy, Germany, Spain, and California. Travel plans include Sicily, Greece, and central Europe.

## Junior-Level Instructors

**Lauren DeLuca**, *Wine & Spirit Education Trust—Advanced Degree*

After her exposure to wine in Europe (where her mother lives) Lauren began to pursue her wine education more seriously, eventually becoming certified through the Wine & Spirit Education Trust. Lauren taught with the Evening at Emory wine program for about three years and has been teaching with the Atlanta Wine School since inception in 2004. She is currently enrolled in the Certified Specialist of Wine (CSW) Program offered by the Society of Wine Educators.

**Kara Eads**, *bio coming*

**Debbie Ruskin**, *bio coming*

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