

# Merlot workshop & talk by Olivier Berrouet – Winemaker from Chateau Petrus

## PROGRAMME

**08h30 – 09h00** Coffee and Registration

**09h00 – 09h15** Welcoming - *Danielle Le Roux, Merlot Forum Chairperson*

**09h15 – 09h40** Tasting: Merlot tasting with sensory data capturing

**09h40 – 10h30** Panel discussion: From vineyard to wine - *Chair: Derek Kilpin*  
Winemakers Francois van Zyl (Laibaich), Dawie Botha (Anthonij Rupert) &  
James Downes (Shannon) discuss wines from the tasting

**10h30 – 10h50** Break

**10h50 – 11h20** Presentation and tasting: New tools to understanding the oxidative  
phenomena during wine ageing - *Manon Dhabbi, Taransaud*

**11h20 – 11h40** Presentation: Feedback on sensory data captured in the panel  
tasting – *Jeanne Brand, IGWS*

**11h40 – 12h40** Olivier talks Petrus - *Olivier Berrouet, Chateau Petrus*

**12h45** Lunch

Sponsors:

