

Exciting news for our 2018 entrants:

Award-winning wines and spirits to be procured for SAA on-board winelists and in airport lounges

The South Africa Airways has confirmed that it has appointed The Michelangelo International Wine & Spirits Awards as supplier of its on-board wines for 2019. The agreement, signed this week in Johannesburg, stipulates that SAA will be procuring its wines and spirits for on-board wine lists in Economy and Business Classes, as well as SAA lounges, from the 2018 Michelangelo award winners.

In order to accommodate producers who would want to submit wines into the 2018 Michelangelo competition and be eligible for the SAA selection, this year's deadline has been extended to Friday, 3 August. Producers of wine should be able to deliver their winning wines in 187ml bottles and spirits in 50ml bottles for on-board service, while spirits should be made available in 50ml bottles.

“Once again Michelangelo is proving that it brings increased value to the winners of Michelangelo medals and trophies,” says Michelangelo CEO, Lorraine Immelman. “We are very proud and so excited about the opportunities this will add to our already unique array of offerings to the wine industry,” she added, again referring to the retail partnership closed with Checkers three weeks ago for the distribution of Michelangelo winning wines via the Checkers Liquor Shops and in-store displays throughout Africa.

Producers who have already submitted entries and/or samples, and would like to adjust their entries, are requested to contact Lorraine (lorraine@michelangeloawards.com) or Dirk Harris (dirk@michelangeloawards.com) to make the necessary changes.