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THE LEFT BANK BORDEAUX CUP AWAITS A TRULY WORLDWIDE FINAL !

WHARTON Business School and **YALE Law School** qualified in the **US**, **ESSEC** and **EDHEC Lille** qualified in **FRANCE**, **CHONGQIN University** from **CHINA** and **Hong Kong SPACE University** from **CHINA** qualified in **ASIA**, **COPENHAGEN Business School** from **DENMARK** and **CAMBRIDGE University** from **UK**, winners of the qualifying rounds in **EUROPE...**

All the above teams will compete in the Grand Final of The Left Bank Bordeaux Cup to be held on 14 June 2013 at Château Lafite Rothschild.

This final will pit against each other the best teams in the world from wine clubs of elite schools and universities, who have qualified throughout the year in Asia, the US, Europe and France.

Founded in 2002, the Left Bank Bordeaux Cup tasting contest organised by Commanderie du Bontemps under the auspices of Baron Eric de Rothschild, owner of Château Lafite Rothschild, is the first **International Competition for Wine Clubs of Elite Schools and Universities.**

In 2004, the Cup welcomed UK with the participation of Oxford and Cambridge, which hitherto became a tradition. 2011 opened a new chapter with the inclusion of challengers from all over the world.

2013 has confirmed the growing success of The Left Bank Bordeaux Cup with the participation of 10 teams from the US, 15 French teams, 15 Asian teams from China, Korea and Singapore and 5 European teams from UK, Denmark and the Netherlands.

In a similar way to the famous Americas Cup, challengers from North America, Asia and Europe will come to confront the best wine clubs of the French elite schools and universities.

The eight teams will compete against each other in the Grand Final, organised at Château Lafite Rothschild in Pauillac on Friday 14 June 2013.

This is clearly an event that contributes to the reputation of the great Bordeaux left-bank wines. It is also a great occasion for students from different cultures to come together and enjoy their common passion, wine.

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