



Brewers Association EXPORT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Competition Results

2013 European Beer Star Winners Announced

The Brewers Association Export Development Program (EDP), now in its tenth successful year is designed to promote US Craft Beers in targeted global markets through trade missions, shows and competitions such as the 2013 European Beer Star competition.

The European Beer Star is one of the most recognized beer competitions in the world, committed to the traditional European art of brewing. The competition evaluates the beers on the basis of purely sensory criteria and is limited to beer categories, which originate in Europe (51). Fifty-four Brewers Association Export Development Program members sent 266 beers for the 2013 European Beer Star competition. Twenty-three BA EDP members won 36 awards in 22 different categories in the competition. Overall in the European Beer Star competition, there were 1,512 beers entered from 45 countries. This is an increase of 11% compared to the successful prior year – 5 % increase in beers from Germany, 15% in international beers.

Judging of the beers was done by an international expert panel at the Doemens Brewing Academy in Gräfelfing near Munich, with 102 beer and brewery experts from all over the globe. Judges were in 12 teams from 25 different countries.

Among those, the following US craft beers were selected as winners:

Brewery	Beer	Category	Award
Alaskan Brewing Co	Alaskan Smoked Porter	Smoked Beer	Silver
Alaskan Brewing Co	Alaskan Oatmeal Stout	Sweet Stout	Silver
Ballast Point Brewing Co	Sculpin IPA	India Pale Ale (IPA)	Bronze
Boston Beer Co	Tetravis	Belgian-Style Dubbel	Silver
Boston Beer Co	Boston Lager	Bohemian-Style Pilsner	Gold
Boston Beer Co	Wee Heavy	Scotch Ale / Wee Heavy	Silver
Boston Beer Co	Cream Stout	Sweet Stout	Bronze
Boulevard Brewing Co	Zon Belgian-Style Witbier	Belgian-Style Witbier	Bronze
Deschutes Brewery	The Abyss 2012	Imperial Stout	Gold
Dogfish Head Craft Brewery	Olde School	Ultra Strong Beer	Bronze
Elysian Brewing	Loser Pale Ale	English-Style Pale Ale	Bronze
Epic Brewing Co	Hopulent IPA	Imperial India Pale Ale	Bronze
FiftyFifty Brewing Co	Totalty Imperial Stout	Imperial Stout	Bronze
FiftyFifty Brewing Co	Iced BART	Ultra Strong Beer	Gold
Firestone Walker Brewery	Pale 31	English-Style Pale Ale	Gold
Firestone Walker Brewery	Double Jack	Imperial India Pale Ale	Gold
Firestone Walker Brewery	Union Jack	India Pale Ale (IPA)	Gold
Flying Dog Brewery	Pearl Necklace Oyster Stout	Dry Stout	Silver
Founders Brewing Co	Porter	Baltic-Style Porter	Bronze
Founders Brewing Co	Mango Magnifico	Herb and Spice Beer	Gold
Green Flash Brewing Co	Flanders Drive	Belgian-Style Sour Ale	Bronze
Il Vicino Brewing Co	Saint Bob's Bourbon Barrel Aged Imperial Stout	Wood and Barrel-Aged Strong Beer	Gold
Lakefront Brewing Co	Lakefront Eastside Dark	Bohemian-Style Schwarzbier	Bronze
Left Hand Brewing Co	Left Hand Milk Stout	Sweet Stout	Gold
Odell Brewing Co	Friek	Belgian-Style Fruit Sour Ale	Bronze
Odell Brewing Co	Double Pilsner	German-Style Heller Bock	Bronze
Odell Brewing Co	Odell Myrcenary	Imperial India Pale Ale	Silver
Oskar Blues Brewing Co	Old Chub	Scotch Ale / Wee Heavy	Bronze
Pelican Pub & Brewery	Surfer's Summer Ale	English-Style Bitter	Bronze
Pelican Pub & Brewery	Imperial Pelican Ale	India Pale Ale (IPA)	Silver
Pelican Pub & Brewery	MacPelican's Wee Heavy	Scotch Ale / Wee Heavy	Gold
Pelican Pub & Brewery	Mother of All Storms	Wood and Barrel-Aged Strong Beer	Silver
Sierra Nevada Brewing Co	Sierra Nevada Pale Ale	English-Style Pale Ale	Silver
Ska Brewing Co	Vernal Minthe Stout	Herb and Spice Beer	Silver
Terrapin Beer Co	TreeHugger	Düsseldorf-Style Altbier	Bronze
Victory Brewing Co	Victory Summer Love Ale	English-Style Golden Ale (Summer Ale)	Bronze