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Selected Recent Writing

Consumer-Oriented Publications

- “The Art, Science and Dumb Luck of Aging Wines,” *Wine Enthusiast*, 9/08
- “Split Personality: Discovering the Dry Side of German Riesling,” *Wine Enthusiast*, 5/07
- “Merlot: It’s the Best Red Wine That You’re Not Drinking,” *Wine Enthusiast*, 3/07
- “Barrel Basics,” *Wine Enthusiast*, 11/06
- Monthly column for *Diablo* on wine worth discovering and where to find it, 2003-2007
- “East Bay Wine Bars,” *Diablo*, 6/06
- “Red, White and Good” (guide to Livermore wine country), *Diablo*, 4/05
- “Richard Sanford Comes Full Circle,” *Wine Country Living*, 10/02
- “The Power of Simplicity: Architect Howard Backen,” *Wine Country Living*, 8/02
- “Home Harvest” (on home winemaking), *East Bay Monthly*, 6/02
- Profiles for *Diablo* on Edmunds St. John, DuMOL, Contra Costa Zinfandel, St. George Spirits, new-wave Spanish wines, Black Box Wines and Sula Vineyards, since 2000
- Profiles of Monterey-area wineries and educational pieces on wine styles for *Central Coast Adventures*, 2001-04
- Profiles / features on Livermore Valley winery for the *Independent*, 2001-04

Industry News / Technical Topics

- “If Filtration ‘Strips’ Wine, What’s Getting Stripped?” *Wines & Vines*, 10/08
- “Biodynamics in the Cellar,” *Wines & Vines*, 5/08
- “Tannin Terminology,” *Wines & Vines*, 2/07, 4/07
- “The Myth of Minerality,” *Wines & Vines*, 12/06
- Bimonthly “Cellar Scene” columns on various topics, *Wines & Vines*, since 2004
- “The Trouble With Terror,” *Wines & Vines*, 11/2004
- “Brettanomyces: When Sanitation Meets Wine Style,” *Wines & Vines*, 9/04
- “New York Wine: Industry on the Verge,” *Vineyard & Winery Management*, 3-4/04
- “Wineries Green As the Vineyards?”, *Vineyard & Winery Management* 9-10/03
- “Taste Bud Tales” (on men’s and women’s palates), *Wines & Vines*, 6/03
- “San Benito County: Life After Almaden,” *Vineyard & Winery Management*, 5-6/03
- “Code of Sustainable Winegrowing Practices,” *Vineyard & Winery Management*, 1-2/03
- “All the Way LIVE In Oregon,” *Vineyard & Winery Management*, 9-10/02
- “Sanford Winery: Raising the Bar On Eco-Friendly Winery Design,” *Vineyard & Winery Management*, 1-2/02
- Practical home winemaking features on specific grape varieties and educational pieces on home winemaking techniques for *WineMaker*, since 2002

Books

- Co-author (with Jim Concannon), *Concannon: The First One Hundred and Twenty-Five Years* (The Wine Group, 2006)
- Chapter on world dessert wine styles in Mary Cech and Jennie Schacht, *The Wine Lover’s Dessert Cookbook* (Chronicle Books, 2005)
- “The Impossible Port,” in Thom Elkjer, *Adventures In Wine* (Travelers’ Tales, 2002)