

18th Century

The Méo family are vignerons & coopers near the village of Selongey northern Côte d'Or - The Lamarche and Confuron families are vintners in Vosne-Romanée

1885

Domaine Camuzet purchases land in Vosne-Romanée Richebourg Grand Cru

1898

Domaine Camuzet purchases land in Nuits-St-Georges Aux Boudots 1er Cru

1902 ·

Marcelle Lamarche Confuron (Jean-Nicolas' Étienne grandmother) pulls the Méo family back into the wine trade by marrying Gaston Méo

1930

Domaine Camuzet purchases land bordering Richebourg in Vosne-Romanée Aux Brulées 1er Cru

1945

Hired by Étienne Camuzet, Henri Jayer begins permanent work after signing a metayage contract



1958

Jay Boberg is born in San Francisco, CA

1959

Jean Méo, the nephew of Madame Maria Noirot Camuzet, is bequeathed the domaine and its estates and maintains the sharecropping arrangements

1979

Jay Boberg co-founds I.R.S. Records in Los Angeles, CA



1983

The first commercial vintage of Domaine Méo-Camuzet is bottled



1987

Henri Jayer begins training Jean-Nicolas Méo and completes his first harvest along side Christian Faurois



1993

The 1990 Vosne Romanée Cros Parantoux 1er Cru earns 99 points in the Wine Spectator – I.R.S. Records sold to EMI Records

1994

Jay Boberg becomes President of MCA Records

1996

MCA Records releases seminal Sublime album

2012

Jean-Nicolas and Jay agree on a partnership to make top-quality Pinot Noir and Chardonnay in the Willamette Valley



19th Century

Public service and engineering become the next generations focus for the Méo family who relocate to the village of Nuits-St-Georges

1867

Étienne Camuzet is born (Jean-Nicolas' great-great uncle)



1920

Étienne Camuzet purchases Château Clos de Vougeot and adjacent vineyard sites



1946

Madame Marie Noirot-Camuzet is bequeathed the domaine and its estates

1953

Henri Jayer plants Cros Parantoux vineyard in Vosne-Romanée, the legacy of the vineyard begins



1964

Jean-Nicolas Méo is born in Paris

1980

I.R.S. records sign the Go-Go's

1981

Domaine Camuzet becomes Domaine Méo-Camuzet 1982

Jay Boberg signs R.E.M.



1984

Jean-Nicolas Méo is asked by his father to take over management of the Domaine

1985

Jean-Nicolas completes his Winemaking degree at Dijon University and his business degree a year later

1988

Jay introduced to Jean-Nicolas for first time

1990

Jean-Nicolas and Henri Jayer plant the Clos St. Philibert vineyard that overlooks the village of Vosne Romanée at 1,200 feet elevation



2002

To meet an increasing demand and focus on village appellations, Jean Nicolas and his sisters establish a société de négoce called "Méo Camuzet Frère et Soeurs



2017

A turn-of-the century home in Dundee, Oregon is purchased by Jay and Jean-Nicolas for office space and to act as a tasting room for inquisitive wine collectors

2019

Domaine Méo-Camuzet celebrates a 60th anniversary with clients and 30 former winemaking interns at Château Clos de Vougeot

2020

The first crush is completed at the Dundee Hills Estate Winery while Tristan, Jean Nicolas' second son, joins his Father at Domaine Méo-Camuzet

2021

The Nicolas-Jay Estate Tasting Room in the Dundee Hills, focusing on high-touch and educational wine experiences, formally opens



2024

The highly anticipated 2022 vintage is released to a network of eager private collectors, loyal wine club members and international wholesaler partner Jean-Nicolas and Jay purchase an old-vine, ungrafted vineyard in Yamhill-Carlton called Bishop Creek - The 1st vintage of Nicolas-Jay is produced, a Willamette Valley cuvée from multiple sites in the valley that earns top 100 recognition in the Wine Spectator

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Connecting all of Jean-Nicolas's experience and know-how into one wine, the 1st vintage of L'Ensemble is produced, a masterful blend of the best vineyard blocks and barrels of the vintage



2022

Jean-Nicolas begins a clonal selection project using Cote d'Or plants with the intent of bringing them to the Dundee Hills Estate and sharing them with other growers in the Willamette Valley

2026

With the launch of the 2023 vintage, the Nicolas-Jay Estate marks a critical milestone: its 10th consecutive vintage (2014-2023)

