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ASK THE SOMMELIER — DARRYL CHAN

The Intelligent Drink

François Simon - You are the chief barman of the Surrey?

Darryl Chan - I am.

François Simon - Let me ask you a question: I would like to have a cocktail that makes me more intelligent. Which one do you think?

Darryl Chan - In terms of intelligent cocktails, or cocktails that make you feel intelligent, I would actually not defer to a cocktail, I would probably have to defer to a single malt Scotch. I love my cocktails but I definitely love my single malt Scotch. I feel more, or at least I look more sophisticated and feel more intelligent with a nice dram of Scotch.