

JAEGA WISE

Brewer, Chemical Engineer, Presenter

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Jaega is a professional brewer, with a best-selling book and plenty of presenting experience under her belt in both TV and radio. Having completed a degree in chemical engineering, she harnessed her talents in this area to become a co-owner and head brewer of award-winning Wild Card Brewery in East London. The brewery has just been named Best Brewery Business of the Year 2023 by the Society of Independent Brewers.

Jaega's broad range of knowledge and expertise is a great asset to her skill and versatility as a presenter. She is a regular presenter on BBC's Radio 4's beloved **The Food Programme** (since 2019) and recently co-hosted **Beer Masters** with James Blunt on Amazon Prime. From guest appearances on history programmes, such as **Medieval Pleasures**, to more science-focused shows like **Abandoned Engineering** - or projects with a culinary focus such as **Steph's Packed Lunch** and **Food Unwrapped** - Jaega really can turn her hand to anything.

Some of her most notable achievements to date are being heralded one of 'Ten Most Influential Women in Food Right Now' by the Waitrose Food monthly magazine and being named one of Code Hospitality's Women of the Year 2023. She was named 'Brewer of the Year' in both 2018 and 2022 by the British Guild of Beer Writers and she was also listed on 'The Progress 1000 London's Most Influential People' in 2018. In 2023, she was nominated for CODE Hospitality's Women of the Year. Alongside brewing, Jaega campaigns on various issues within the brewing sphere, and is a champion of promoting women within the wider drinks industries.

CREDITS

Books:

Wild Brews, The craft of home brewing, from sour and fruit beers to farmhouse ales (Kyle Books, 2022)

TV:

Saturday Kitchen, 2023 (BBC One)

Abandoned Engineering, 2022, (Yesterday)

Steph's Packed Lunch, 2021, (ITV)

Beer Masters, 2021, (Amazon Original)

Abandoned Engineering, 2021, (Yesterday)

Tony Robinson's History of Britain, 2020, (Channel 5)

A Merry Tudor Christmas, 2019, (BBC Two)

Real, Fake or Unknown, 2017, (Channel 4)

Ancient Top 10, 2017, (H2 -The History Channel)

Ultimate Shopping List, 2017, (Channel 4)

The Wine Show, 2017, (ITV)

Radio:

The Food Programme, BBC Radio 4, 2020- present

Business Daily, 2021, BBC World Service

The Food Programme, BBC Radio 4, 2018

Get The Food Programme, BBC Radio 4, 2017

***In Her Ears*, Hoxton Radio, 2017**

Midweek, Radio 4, 2015

Awards:

Debut Drink Book of the Year, Fortnum & Mason Food and Drink Awards, 2023

Ten Most Influential Women in Food Right Now, Waitrose Food Magazine, 2023

Women of the Year, Code Hospitality, 2023

Best Beer Broadcaster, The British Guild of Beer Writers, 2020

Alcohol Power List, *Top 10 Most Influential*, The Grocer, 2018

The Progress 1000 London's most influential people, 2018

Brewer of the Year, The British Guild of Beer Writers, 2018 and 2022