



RD WINERY
NAPA VALLEY

Mailynh Phan, CEO

Mailynh (pronounced 'my-LIN') Phan is the CEO of RD Winery, which takes a more inclusive approach to the Napa Valley wine experience. The winery is the first Vietnamese-owned winery in Napa and was founded with a vision to solely export wine to Vietnam. But in 2020, Mailynh led RD Winery's entry into the U.S. market and opened the Vietnamese-inspired tasting room in the summer of 2020. As an outlier in the industry, Mailynh envisioned a place where anyone curious about Napa wine would feel welcome to experience it and be able to afford it. She leads RD Winery through a community-focused approach, to offer experiences and events where people can delight in a refreshingly different wine country experience. Mailynh has been named one of *Wine Enthusiast's* Future 40 Tastemakers & Innovators of 2022 and one of *Imbibe's* 75 people and places shaping the way you drink, and has received recognition for her work in *Oprah Daily*. She is also a contributor to *Vinepair*.



Mailynh has an MBA from UC Berkeley's Haas School of Business and a degree in psychology from Vassar College.