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Founding Winemaker for R. H. Phillips in the 1980s, he began WineSmith Consulting in 1990 and founded Vinovation, Inc. in 1992 to commercialize new winemaking technologies including ultrafiltration and micro-oxygenation and holds patents for VA removal and alcohol adjustment via reverse osmosis.

Clark holds two Adjunct Professorships, directing ground-breaking consumer research and teaching wine appreciation online for Florida International University and Wine Technology at CSU Fresno. He represented the U.S. delegation for a decade at the O.I.V. Groupe d’Experts Sur la Technologie du Vin and is recognized as the world’s foremost authority on the relationship of wine and music. Smith and U.C. Press turned the industry on its head with his revolutionary book, *Postmodern Winemaking*, *Wine & Spirits Magazine’s* 2013 Book of the Year.