



## Highlighting Women & Marginalized People in Distilling

There's little data on women-owned distilleries, but what's out there says that women own fewer than 1% of U.S. distilleries. As we know, data can be interpreted in many ways. Often what people outside of the distilling industry hear when they hear this data is, "there aren't many women in distilling."

Karen Locke, the founder of High-Proof Creative, knew there were, in fact, many women in distilling after having spent nearly ten years writing about distilling. That's why she created Women in Distilling – to highlight women and marginalized people in distilling. Women in Distilling consists of a website with a map, and blog, and an accompanying Instagram account.

Clare Goggin-Sivits is the author of the Women in Distilling blog highlighting women and marginalized people in the distilling industry. The Instagram for Women in Distilling highlights featured distillery owners, distillers, and employees of distilleries all over the U.S. and abroad.