

# The International Chinese Snuff Bottle Society

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## CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

This Certificate of Notice is for the Annual Meeting of **The International Chinese Snuff Bottle Society** (“Society”) taking place on **Friday, May 8, 2026, at 10 a.m., EDT.**

Notice was sent by the office manager of the Society, Stelli Munnis, via email using the Outseta Customer Relationship Management (CRM) system on Friday, April 24, 2026, to all current members of the Society who maintain email addresses (218 individuals), and via first-class mail (4 individuals) to those who do not.

The notice stated that the meeting would take place online via Microsoft Teams on **Friday, May 8, 2026, at 10 a.m., EDT.** A meeting link and password were also included in the notice.

A copy of the notice is included as Exhibit A.

*Stelli Munnis*

Stelli Munnis  
Office Manager

04/27/26

Date

~~Shari Nokes~~

Shari Nokes  
Board Secretary

27/04/2026

Date

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## ICSBS Annual Meeting

Dear Members,

We hope you will join us for the ICSBS Annual Meeting (followed by a Board Meeting). The virtual meeting is scheduled for **May 8 at 10 AM, EDT** so that folks from the Far East, the West Coast, and Europe can be available to attend. Below is the Microsoft Teams meeting link and password to join the meeting. [Please RSVP](#) if you are planning to attend so we can make sure we have a quorum.

The most recent financial reports and meeting minutes are available on the [Society](#) section of our new website. Please review documents ahead of time and let us know if you have any questions.

### Meeting Agenda

1. Call to order
2. Proof of Notice of Meeting: Shari Nokes
3. Alphabetical List of Members (see Membership Directory posted online)
4. Minutes of last meeting on Friday, October 17, 2025: Shari Nokes (posted online)
5. Year-End Financials and 2025 Tax Return: Richard Liu (posted online)
6. Thanks to retiring 2026 Directors: Per Kristensen and Susan Page. They will be recognized and honored at the Amsterdam convention banquet on Friday, October 16, 2026.
7. Succession/Nominating Committee Report: Mike Ma, chair, and Richard Liu
8. Nomination & Vote for electing Directors to the Board for a 5-year term: Lindsey Hall and Dennis Lee, candidates for the Board of Directors (see bios at end of Agenda).  
The proposed list of 13 directors: Albert Au, Berthe H. Ford, Lindsey Hall, Dennis Lee, Li Xiao. Richard Liu. Mike Ma. Alexie Malcolm. Courtenav McGowen. Shari Nokes.

Joey Silver, Laurence Souksi, Brian Spaid

### **Unfinished Business**

1. Amsterdam 58th annual convention 2026 – Clayton Hotel Amsterdam. Please register early, per the online program with hotel booking information. The Clayton Hotel has offered 9 larger rooms and suites for the duration of the convention. If you wish to upgrade, these rooms will be available via online auction (details to follow).
2. Hong Kong convention 2027 – We are in discussion with the New World Millenium Hotel in Tsim Sha Tsui East, Kowloon. An exciting program is in the works.
3. Marketing and Website report: Brian Spaid

### **New Business**

- Venues for 2028 and 2029 ICSBS conventions (60th and 61st)

The next members' meeting will take place in Amsterdam on Friday, October 16, 2026 at 9:00 a.m., Marquee Room (Ground floor).

Berthe H. Ford, President  
The International Chinese Snuff Bottle Society



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### **MEETING LINK**

Join: <https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/21928722983040?p=8conclREWcpKxUytHE>

Meeting ID: 219 287 229 830 40

Passcode: nF9Wn3T2

## ICSBS Board Nominees

### LINDSEY HALL

Lindsey's early career in television involved producing, writing, research and reporting for Thames Television. In 1989 she became freelance as a presenter/reporter for BSKYB, BBC World Business Reports and FT Television.

In 1994 she returned to education to study the Arts of China at the School of Oriental & African Studies (SOAS) at London University, which led to various publications for the Robert Hall Gallery, Arts of Asia Magazine, the Antique Dealer & Collector's Guide and the ICSBS Journal, as well as managing the Robert Hall Gallery programme of international art fairs and exhibitions.

In 2007 she was elected to Westminster City Council as the Member for the Abbey Road Ward and served as the Lord Mayor of Westminster 2018/19, but has since focused exclusively on the field of Chinese snuff bottles in partnership with Robert.

### DENNIS LEE

Dennis is a Toronto-based member of the ICSBS with a lifelong connection to the Society. His passion for snuff bottles is rooted in his family heritage; his father has been a prominent dealer member in Hong Kong since the 1970s. Growing up, Dennis developed a deep appreciation for the art while learning in his father's shop and meeting collectors from around the world. He first connected with many ICSBS members while assisting his father at numerous annual conventions.

Professionally, Dennis is a seasoned leader with over 25 years of experience in the financial services sector. Prior to his retirement, he held senior roles at TD Bank and CIBC Wealth Management in Canada, specializing in strategic governance, risk management, and large-scale project execution.

A dedicated community leader, Dennis currently serves in advisory and committee roles for the Mon Sheong Foundation, a non-profit focused on elderly care and youth development. He combines his deep appreciation for the history of Chinese snuff bottles with a collaborative, results-oriented leadership style. Dennis is committed to applying his business acumen and technological expertise to ensure the continued success and operational excellence of the Society.






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