

# 58<sup>th</sup> Annual ICSBS Convention Amsterdam

Tuesday, October 13 – Saturday, October 17, 2026

Clayton Hotel Amsterdam American, Leidsekade 97, 1017 PN Amsterdam, Netherlands

## PROGRAM

### Tuesday, October 13, 2026

- 11:00-3:00PM Registration Open, ground floor  
11:00AM ICSBS Dealers'/Exhibition Room opening, ground floor  
11:30-12:30PM First Dealers' Show & Tell, ground floor  
12:30-2:00PM Lunch on your own (recommended in the hotel)  
3:00-4:00PM Opening Reception (hosted by Robert Hall, Susan Page, and Laurence Souksi)  
4:15-5:30PM Lecture: *"Imperial Glass Snuff Bottles"* by Dr. Willemijn van Noord, Marquee Room  
5:30-6:30PM New Members' meeting, Marquee Room  
*Evening Free - ICSBS Exhibition Room open 5:30-10:00PM*

### Wednesday, October 14, 2026

- 8:30-1:00PM ICSBS Dealers'/Exhibition Room open  
10:00-11:00AM Second Dealers' Show & Tell  
11:30-12:00PM Recommended early lunch on your own  
12:30PM Depart to Rijksmuseum  
3:00-3:45PM Lecture: *"Tibetan, 'Mongolian' and Central Asian Snuff Bottles"* by Dr. Koos de Jong, Auditorium Rijksmuseum  
3:45-5:00PM Symposium meeting with Royal Asian Art Society in the Netherlands (KVVAK) and ICSBS, Auditorium Rijksmuseum  
*Evening Free - ICSBS Exhibition Room open 5:30-10:00PM*

### Thursday, October 15, 2026

- 8:30-1:00PM ICSBS Dealers'/Exhibition Room open  
10:00-11:00AM Third Dealers' Show & Tell  
11:00-11:20AM Lecture: *"Snuff Bottles from European Collections"* by Paul Ruitenbeek, Marquee Room  
12:45PM Depart for Canal Boat Tour, sandwich lunch on board  
2:30-3:15PM Galerie Paul Ruitenbeek  
3:30-4:30PM Museum van Loon: *"Snuff Bottles from European Collections"*  
4:30-5:20PM Cocktail Party (hosted by Derek, Ann and Rebecca Shepherd)

- 5:30-6:30PM Canal Boat Tour (continued)  
6:30-9:00PM Drop off for dinner at Sea Palace (co-hosted by the Amsterdam Committee)  
9:00-9:45PM Optional walking tour via the 'Red-light' district

### Friday, October 16, 2026

- 8:30-4:00PM ICSBS Dealers'/Exhibition Room open  
9:00-10:00AM ICSBS General Members meeting, Marquee Room  
10:15-12:30PM Benefit Auction for the ICSBS Educational Fund led by Robert Hall, Marquee Room  
2:15-3:00PM Lecture: *"Jingdezhen Porcelain"* by Prof. Dr. Anne Gerritsen, Marquee Room  
3:00-4:00PM Refreshments in Dealers'/Exhibition Room  
5:30PM Breakdown of Dealers'/Exhibition Room

### GALA BANQUET (evening, festive or Asian dress)

- 7:30-8:30PM Cash Bar Cocktails, Bar Americain  
8:30-12:00AM Gala Dinner, Remarks, Awards, and Dancing, Café Americain

### OPTIONAL TOUR

#### Saturday, October 17, 2026

- 8:30AM Depart for Keramiëkmuseum Princessehof, Leeuwarden, via the Afsluitdijk  
10:30-12:00PM Visit Keramiëkmuseum Princessehof, Leeuwarden, Coffee & Cake, Tour by Curators  
12:00PM Depart for Fraeylemaborg, Slochteren  
1:15-2:00PM Sandwich lunch at the Fraeylemaborg restaurant "De Boerderij"  
2:00-3:30PM Visit Fraeylemaborg with guided tour and special exhibition of modern inside-painted snuff bottles from the Grootveld Collection  
4:00-5:30PM Traditional Groningen drinks at the Fraeylemaborg restaurant "De Boerderij"  
5:30-7:30PM Bus departs for Clayton Hotel Amsterdam

The International Chinese Snuff Bottle Society



*Clockwise from top-left: Entrance, Café Americain, Double Room, Bar*

## Clayton Hotel Amsterdam American

Leidsekade 97, 1017 PN Amsterdam, Netherlands

Single: € 304.24, Double: € 324.24 (inclusive of breakfast and all taxes))

Please book your hotel via email no later than September 10, 2026.

Email: [groups.amsterdam@claytonhotels.com](mailto:groups.amsterdam@claytonhotels.com), Reference: SNUF131026

### 2026 ICSBS Convention Registration Form

Name of Registrant(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Methods of Payment:

Check: payable in U.S. funds to **Friends of ICSBS**

Zelle or PayPal: [office.icsbs@gmail.com](mailto:office.icsbs@gmail.com)

Venmo: @ICSBS-Baltimore

Website: <https://snuffbottlesociety.org/en/Conventions>

Credit Card:

Number \_\_\_\_\_

Expires \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ **Member Early Registration** (before Aug. 10)..... \$1,250 ea

\_\_\_ **Member Registration** (after Aug. 10) ..... \$1,325 ea

\_\_\_ **Non-Member Registration** ..... \$1,425 ea

*Includes one year ICSBS Regular Membership*

#### **Optional Saturday, October 17 Tour**

\_\_\_ **Member Registration** ..... \$175 ea

\_\_\_ **Non-Member Registration** ..... \$225 ea

**TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED:** \_\_\_\_\_

*All amounts in U.S. Dollars.*

*No refunds after September 10, 2026.*

#### **Please return registration & payment to:**

Friends of ICSBS

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