

58th 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: *"How to Gain New Members,"* 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 Keramiekmuseum Princessehof, Leeuwarden, via the Afsluitdijk
10:30-12:00PM Visit Keramiekmuseum Princessehof, Leeuwarden, Coffee & Cake, Tour by Curators
12:00PM Depart for Fraylemaborg, Slochteren
1:15-2:00PM Sandwich lunch at the Fraylemaborg restaurant "De Boerderij"
2:00-3:30PM Visit Fraylemaborg 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 Fraylemaborg 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, Reference: SNUF131026

2026 ICSBS Convention Registration for Check and Wire Payments

Please fill out this form if you are paying by check, Zelle, or wire. Return the completed form to the ICSBS office via mail or email (office@snuffbottlesociety.org). Thank you!

Name of Registrant(s): _____

- ___ Member Early Registration (before Aug. 10)..... \$1,250 ea
 - ___ Member Registration (after Aug. 10) \$1,325 ea
 - ___ Non-Member Registration* \$1,425 ea
 - ___ 30 and Under - Member \$ 900 ea
 - ___ 30 and Under - Non-Member* \$1,075 ea
- *Includes one year ICSBS Regular Membership*

Optional Saturday, October 17 Tour

- ___ Member Registration \$175 ea
- ___ Non-Member Registration \$225 ea

CHECKS: Payable to **Friends of ICSBS**
 Mail check to Friends of ICSBS
 2 Hamill Road, Suite 353 Baltimore
 Maryland 21210, USA

ZELLE: office.icsbs@gmail.com or 410-467-9400

WIRE: Email office@snuffbottlesociety.org for instructions

All amounts in U.S. Dollars. No refunds after Sept. 10, 2026.

TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED: _____