



**INTERNATIONAL CAMELLIA SOCIETY
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ICS is an all-volunteer association of 2,000 members from 26 countries including Western Europe, China, Japan, Australia, South America, Africa, and United States. Benefits include the International Camellia Journal and periodic newsletters about camellia developments and events. It also includes an invitation to the International Camellia Congress every two years, which include world-class tours and events. Recent Congresses were in England, Spain, China and France. The next Congress is in Japan (2020), followed by Italy (2022) and the United States (2024). ICS administers the “International Camellia Gardens of Merit” recognizing great camellia collections worldwide. It also serves as the sponsoring organization for the International Camellia Registry which is the official world authority on camellia nomenclature.

The mission of the International Camellia Society is as follows:

‘To foster the love of camellias throughout the world and maintain and increase their popularity. To undertake historical, scientific and horticultural research in connection with camellias. To co-operate with all national and regional camellia societies and with other horticultural societies. To disseminate information concerning camellias by means of bulletins and other publications. To encourage a friendly exchange between camellia enthusiasts of all nationalities.’

We look forward to your joining us!

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