ICADS WORLD CONGRESS

The Art Deco Society of Washington is a member of the International Coalition of Art Deco Societies (“ICADS”). As a voluntary alliance of societies from around the world, ICADS strives to inform and educate the public on the important contributions made by artists, designers and architects of the period.

ICADS conducts a bi-annual World Congress on Art Deco in cities where a member society nominates itself as a host. In 2005, when the Art Deco Society of New York hosted the World Congress, the Art Deco Society of Washington hosted a pre-Congress program.

The next World Congresses will be held in 2023 in Miami, home of one of the most impressive concentrations of Art Deco architecture in the United States. In 2025, the World Congress will be held in Paris, celebrating the centennial of the 1925 Paris Exposition, the seminal event establishing Art Deco as a significant design influence of the 20th century.

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