

**THE AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY - REGION 15**  
**APPLICATION FOR ENTRANCE INTO THE JUDGES TRAINING PROGRAM**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE No. \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE YOU JOINED THE AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY: \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Do you have the latest copy of the Judges Handbook?
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Did you visit at least 3 gardens that displayed a substantial number of recent iris introductions during the past bloom season?
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever attended an annual convention of the American Iris Society?
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Did you attend the last regional meeting or trek for Region 15?
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you attended more than half of the meetings of your local iris society?
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you been the announced speaker on the subject of iris before an organized group?
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you written an article for publication on iris or related subject?
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever been an officer of your local iris society?
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you prepared an educational exhibit for an iris show?
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Did you enter 3 or more specimens in an iris show during the past bloom season?
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you held a position of leadership in a local or regional activity?
12. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you held the duties of a local or regional officer?
13. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you assumed responsibility for increasing the membership of the American Iris Society?
14. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you participated actively in an iris robin?
15. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you served as a classification chair or registration worker at an iris show?
16. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you managed an iris show or iris specimen section of an iris show?
17. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you participated actively in a specialty iris group recognized by the American Iris Society?
18. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you raised seedlings from your own crosses?
19. \_\_\_\_\_ Have you registered or introduced an iris?
20. \_\_\_\_\_ Would you be willing to judge an iris show anywhere within your own region, knowing that this activity is a gratuitous service?

INDICATE THE TYPES OF IRIS PRESENTLY GROWING IN YOUR OWN GARDEN.

Arilbred \_\_\_\_\_ Median Bearded \_\_\_\_\_ Tall Bearded \_\_\_\_\_ Spuria \_\_\_\_\_  
Japanese \_\_\_\_\_ Pacific Coast \_\_\_\_\_ Louisiana \_\_\_\_\_ Siberian \_\_\_\_\_  
Species \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Upon completion of this form, please return it to your Regional Judges Training Chair:

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Please call Debbie James if you have any questions about the process of becoming an AIS Judge. Thank you.

The Handbook for Judges and Show Officials can be purchased from the AIS Storefront for \$15.00 plus \$3.00 Shipping and Handling - Please contact John and Kay Ludi, AIS Storefront, PO Box 956, Sandy, OR 97055 telephone: 503-826-8808 | fax: 503-826-8808 E-mail: [aisstore@irises.org](mailto:aisstore@irises.org)