



# International Society for Horticultural Science



ISHS



**A society of individuals,  
organizations, and  
governmental agencies  
devoted to horticultural  
research, education and  
industry to improve human  
wellbeing**



Dating from **1864** and formally constituted in **1959**, ISHS builds & maintains **human knowledge** and skills and **biological resources** in support of **worldwide horticulture**



**Provides – through meetings  
and publications – both  
context and ongoing support  
for professional decision  
making**



# Explores and explains the many contributions of horticulture to a healthy human environment



## ISHS membership

- Thousands of **Individual Members** in over 150 countries
- **Country/Region Members**
- **Institutional Members**



## Scientific Programme:

- each year ~45 meetings
- [www.ishs.org/calendar](http://www.ishs.org/calendar)





# International Horticultural Congress

quadrennial international ISHS congress – average number of delegates: 3,000

- IHC2002 Toronto, Canada
- IHC2006 Seoul, S.Korea
- IHC2010 Lisbon, Portugal
- IHC2014 in Brisbane, Australia
- IHC2018 in Istanbul, Turkey
- IHC2022 in Angers, France
- IHC2026 in Kyoto, Japan
- IHC2030 in....





# XXXI International Horticultural Congress Angers, France, August 14-20, 2022

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[www.ihc2022.org](http://www.ihc2022.org)



# IHC2026 in Kyoto, Japan

August 23<sup>rd</sup> (Sun) to 28<sup>th</sup> (Fri), 2026

**IHC for the Next Centennial Horticultural  
Industries and Sciences to Achieve  
Sustainable Development Goals**

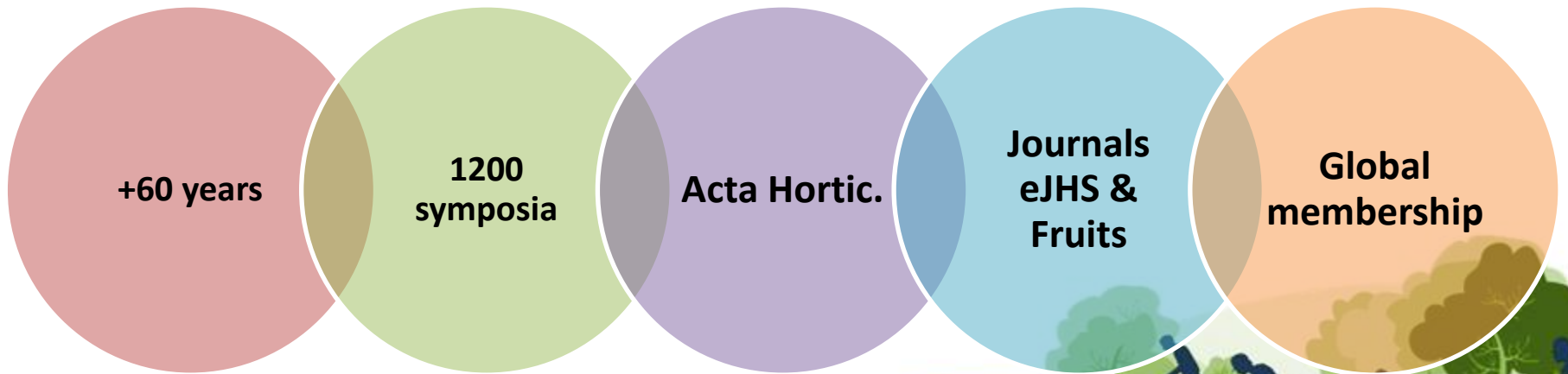
A scenic view of a traditional Japanese pagoda (Kiyomizu-dera) with a city and mountains in the background. The pagoda is a multi-tiered structure with dark grey tiled roofs and orange-brown wooden accents. It is set against a backdrop of a cityscape and rolling mountains under a clear blue sky. The foreground is filled with vibrant autumn foliage in shades of red, orange, and green.

The Japanese Society for Horticultural Science



## Scientific Structure - 14 Divisions

- Plant Genetic Resources and Biotechnology
- Tropical and Subtropical Fruit and Nuts
- Temperate Tree Fruits
- Temperate Tree Nuts
- Vine and Berry Fruits
- Ornamental Plants
- Vegetables, Roots and Tubers
- Physiology and Plant-Environment Interactions of Horticultural Crops in Field Systems
- Protected Cultivation and Soilless Culture
- Postharvest and Quality Assurance
- Precision Horticulture and Engineering
- Horticulture for Human Health
- Horticulture for Development
- Landscape and Urban Horticulture

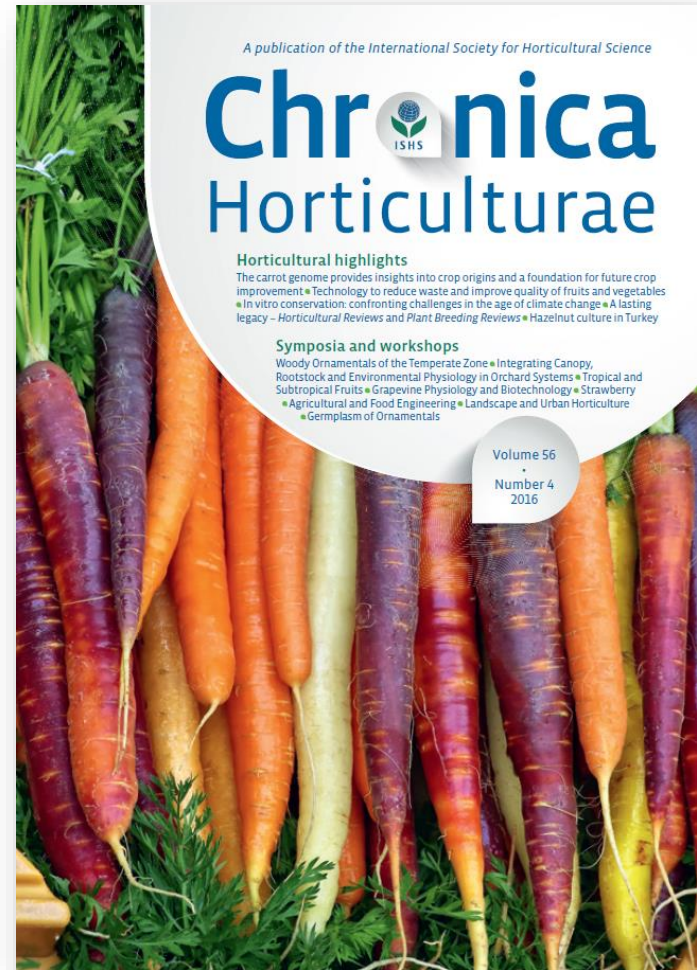




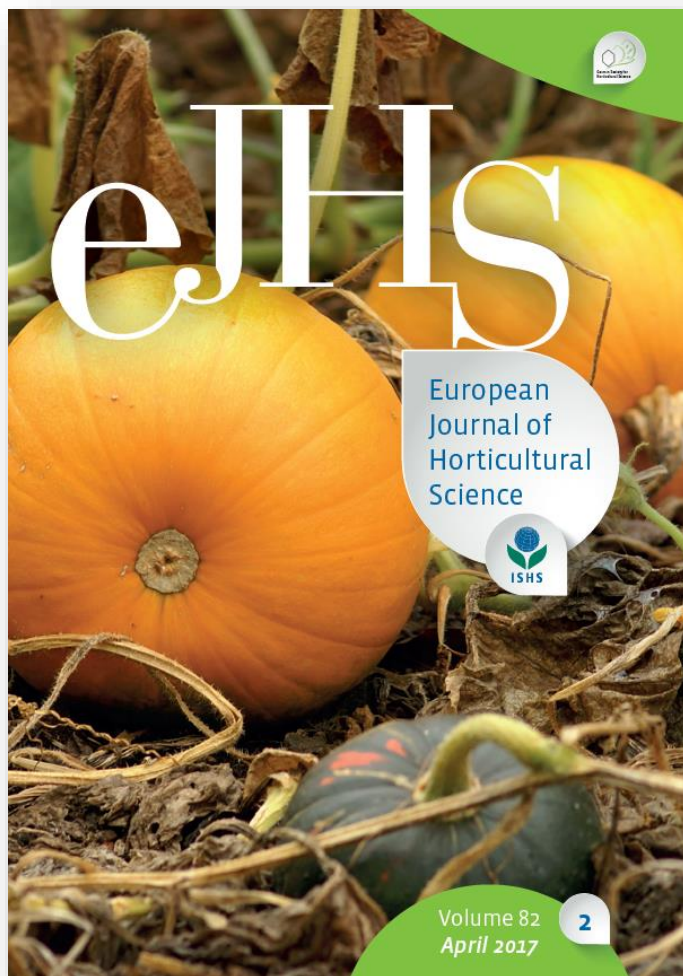
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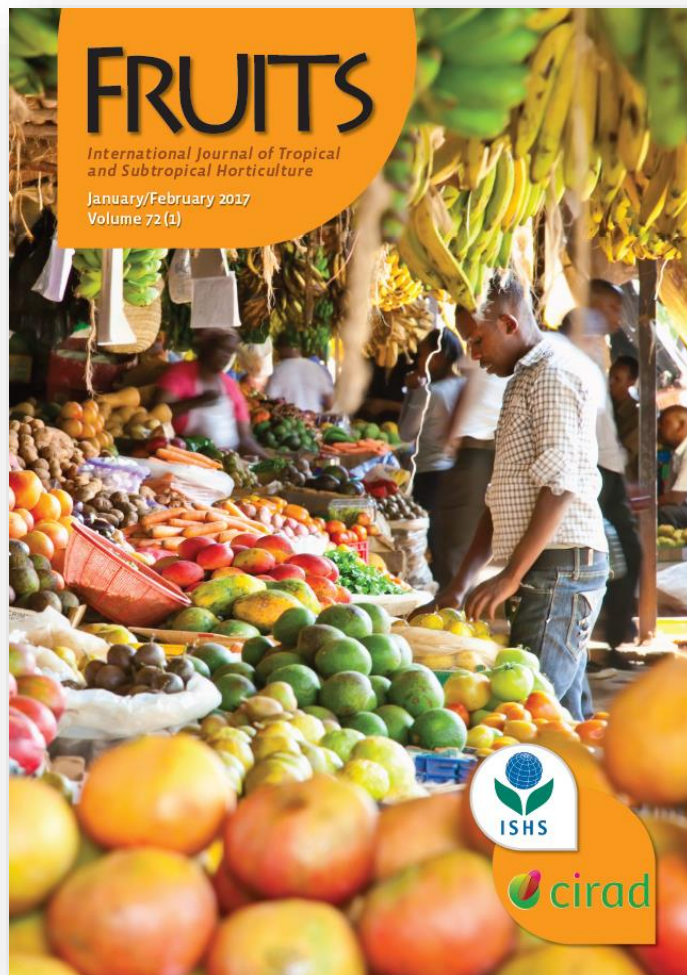


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# eJHS

European Journal of Horticultural Science

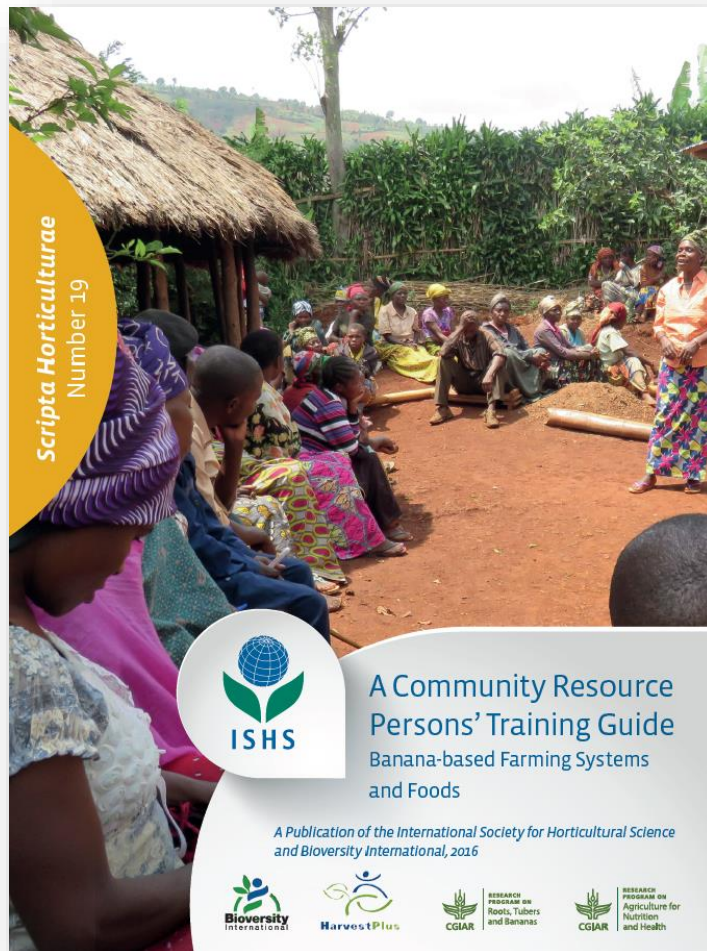
# FRUITS

International Journal of Tropical  
and Subtropical Horticulture

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21 Apr

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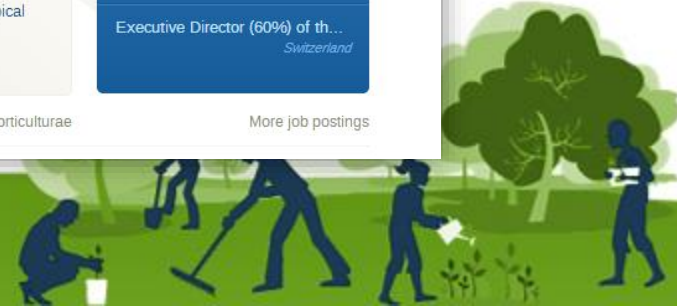
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A Profile of World Horticulture

Shedding Light on World Horticulture & Commitments for a Positive Future




### Harvesting the Sun



Seeking to share horticulture's scope and value with a wide readership, the International Society of Horticultural Science (ISHS) has released *Harvesting the Sun: A Profile of World Horticulture*. This full-color, extensively illustrated 70-page report examines how horticulture touches all of us. *Harvesting the Sun* traces the farm-to-table journey using simple language and informative graphics. It highlights innovations in crop breeding, production, and handling, presenting recent advances in how to control pests and diseases, promote food safety, and minimize post-harvest losses.

It explores how horticulture offers myriad paths to economic growth, and offers insights into how the cultivation of plants nourishes the spirit as well as the body. *Harvesting the Sun* brings the benefits of horticultural science to the attention of a wider audience. ISHS hopes that this publication will spark new interest in the people and processes that coax fruits, roots, leaves, and flowers to yield health, wealth, and beauty worldwide. For further details contact the [International Society for Horticultural Science](http://www.ishs.org).

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