

# Island Spirits, Global Spotlight



Two spirits, two top global spirits competitions, and one proud moment for Indonesian craftsmanship. In 2025, Nusantara Cold Brew and East Indies Gin brought home new medals from the prestigious London Spirits Competition and the San Francisco World Spirits Competition. These achievements not only elevate the reputation of Spice Islands Distilling Co., but also showcase the rich heritage and excellence of Indonesian-made spirits on the global stage.

**NUSANTARA COLD BREW**, a unique coffee liqueur made with locally sourced coffee beans, earned a Silver Medal at the London Spirits Competition, with an impressive 90-point score. Judges praised its deep, expressive aromas of dark roast coffee and bitter chocolate, which unfold into a smooth, layered palate. The tasting panel highlighted its “excellent balance between sweetness and roast bitterness,” along with a “rounded mouthfeel and lingering finish that makes it stand out in its category.” With its rich profile and approachable character, Nusantara Cold Brew appeals to both coffee lovers and spirit connoisseurs alike.





**EAST INDIES GIN** also earned recognition at the San Francisco World Spirits Competition. Archipelago Dry and Banda Spiced each took home Silver, while the bright and citrusy Bali Pomelo Pink landed a Bronze. The Archipelago Dry brings a clean, crisp profile that feels familiar yet unmistakably local. It's a classic gin, reimagined with a tropical soul. The Banda Spiced goes deeper, layering warm spices and earthy notes for a bold, aromatic sip that lingers. Then there's the Bali Pomelo Pink, with its juicy citrus brightness and playful charm. It's a gin that doesn't take itself too seriously but still delivers serious flavor.

These recent awards reinforce the global demand for quality Indonesian craft spirits, proving that local craftsmanship can compete with the best in the world. With these impressive wins, Spice Islands Distilling Co. is committed to further elevating the profile of Indonesian spirits. This is just the beginning, and there's much more to look forward to as Spice Islands continues to bring its exceptional products to the global market.