

# **A COMPARATIVE STUDY OF BAMBOO CULTURE AND ITS APPLICATIONS IN CHINA, JAPAN AND SOUTH KOREA**

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## **Abstract**

With the continuous progress of human society and the improvement of civilization level, the status of culture becomes more and more important. Whether the classical Chinese garden or the western classical garden, plants are the indispensable main elements. In different landscape architecture, the appropriate use of plants can highlight the cultural atmosphere of the overall environment. Thus people could taste the culture in the natural environment, improve their aesthetic interests, world outlooks as well as life values, and know more about human culture and history. This study proposes to: 1) compare the differences about the culture of bamboo in China, Japan and Korea from the view of religion, literature and drawing. 2) And analyze the differences about the garden applications of bamboo in the three.

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