Information on Events and Application

• Hyogo & Hainan International Exchange Salon "Feels like I've been to Hainan Island before!"

The theme of the first International Exchange Salon this year is "Hainan Province, China," with which Hyogo Prefecture has a friendship city agreement.

Connecting with the local community online, we will introduce the charms of China's Hainan Island, known as the "Hawaii of the East."

Date	November 23 (Wed., holiday), from 16:00 (Japan time). The event will take about an hour. (The end time may vary depending on the internet connection)
Format	Online (Zoom)
Lecturers	Mr. Chen Xiaoqiang (Foreign Affairs Office of Hainan Province, senior officer) Ms. Wang Qiusheng (Hyogo Prefecture, Coordinator for International Relations) Ms. Lin Yue (Hainan Island resident, president of the Japanese Association)
Details	A presentation will be given about Hainan Province, it's friendship city agreement with Hyogo Prefecture, life in Hainan, tourist attractions, etc.
Capacity	80 (first-come-first-served basis)
Cost	Free of charge.
Intended for	Anyone is welcome.
Organized by	Hyogo International Association
	Foreign Affairs Office of Hainan Province
	Hainan Tourism Bureau
Application	
deadline	November 20 (Sun.)
How to apply	Via the following link <u>https://bit.ly/3U3OZ0g</u> (advance application required)

Contact Hyogo International Association, International Exchange and Cooperation Division TEL: 078-230-3090 FAX: 078-230-3280 Email: <u>hia-ex-co@net.hyogo-ip.or.jp</u>

(For more information, please visit <u>https://bit.ly/3U5jCTj</u>

• "Japan Through Diplomat's Eyes 2022" Photo Exhibition

See through the eyes of the Ambassadors and diplomats living in Japan. This year marks the 25th anniversary of the exhibition. Please stop by!

Date	Wednesday, December 7, 2022 - Friday, January 6, 2023, 10:30 - 17:00
	(Closed on Saturdays, Sundays, national holidays and New Year holidays)
	Doors open at 13:00 on December 7
Place	Hyogo International Plaza – International Gallery, 2 nd floor
	The seminar will be held on the 3rd floor of the International Health Development
	Center Building (details will be provided separately to participants)
Details	This year's theme is "On the move". We will show how people are starting to mobilize themselves after the effects of COVID19. The photos are taken by 51 diplomats from 33 countries and regions living in Japan.
	The exhibition director, Mr. Abe, will give a seminar on Wednesday, December 7, from 14:00 to 15:30.
Cost	Admission and seminar participation are free.
Organizer	Japan Through Diplomats Eyes, Photo Exhibition Executive Committee
Co-organizer	Hyogo International Association
Supporters	Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan
	Embassies of participating countries
	Consulate-General of Japan
	Kansai Consular Corps

Photographic Society of JAPAN

Contact TEL: 078-230-3267 (reception: 9:00-17:00 on weekdays)

For more information, please visit

https://www.hyogo-ip.or.jp/torikumi/kokusaikoryu/nippontaishi2022.html

• Pre-School for Children with Foreign Roots

Dates	Every Saturday from January 7 (Sat) to March 25 (Sat), 2023, 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Place	多文化子ども共育センター(moi) 502, Asta Questa North Building, 4-4-10 Wakamatsu-cho, Nagata-ku, Kobe, Japan <u>https://www.social-b.net/kfc/about/access.html</u>
Details	Pre-school for children with foreign roots 4 years old and up
Fee	3,000 yen (total 12 sessions)
Contact	NPO Kobe Foreigners Friendship Center (KFC) E-mail: kfc@social-b.net/TEL: 078-612-2402

For more information, please visit <u>https://www.social-b.net/kfc/</u>