



6th. International Seminar of BUDO CULTURE

Dates: March 1 (Fri.) to March 3 (Sun.), 2024

Venue: Nippon Budokan Training Center (582 Sawakura, Katsuura-shi, Chiba-ken)



Through lectures and practical sessions, and through practical experience in each of the nine modern budo arts, the purpose of the seminar is to provide foreign exchange students and foreign embassy staff in Japan with knowledge on the history, theory and techniques of the traditional Japanese culture of budo. It is hoped that the seminar will contribute to the international understanding and development of budo and foster international goodwill.

• Language of Seminar

Lectures/Instruction will be conducted in Japanese and English.

• Criteria for Participation

- (1) foreign exchange students in Japan.
 - (2) foreign staff members of embassies or consulates in Japan.
 - (3) foreign budo practitioners recommended by affiliated budo federations.
- * Those wishing to participate must meet one of the above criteria to be eligible.
* Experience in budo is not necessary.

• How to Apply

Please refer to our website. (Scan the QR code below)

• Application Deadline

Friday January 26, 2024 *Registrants will be sent a letter of confirmation after the cutoff date.

• Participant Assistance

All accommodation costs and meals over the course of the seminar will be provided by the Nippon Budokan.

* Participants are expected to pay their own travel expenses to and from the seminar.

Please note that the schedule may change due to unforeseen circumstances.



• Number of Participants: 80

• Participation Fee: Free

▶ For More Information
<https://www.nipponbudokan.or.jp>

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for Foreign Exchange Students and Embassy Staff Schedule

Friday March 1	Saturday March 2	Sunday March 3
	7:00 -----	7:00 -----
	Breakfast	Breakfast
	8:00 -----	8:00 -----
	Break	Break
	30 -----	20 -----
	9:00 -----	9:00 -----
	Instructor Demonstrations (90 mins)	Budo Experience ③ (40 mins)
	10:00 -----	15 -----
	Break	Budo Experience ④ (40 mins)
	15 -----	55 -----
	Budo Experience ③ (40 mins)	Break
	55 -----	11:00 -----
	Break	Participants Presentations (60 mins)
	10 -----	15 -----
	Budo Experience ④ (40 mins)	Closing Ceremony
	50 -----	30 -----
	Lunch / Break	Disperse
	12:00 -----	
13:00 -----	13:00 -----	
Reception	10 -----	
	20 -----	
	Commemorative Photograph Break	
14:00 -----	14:00 -----	
Opening Ceremony	Lecture (2) "Budo and Etiquette" Ogasawara Kiyomoto (Lecture 40 mins + Q&A 20 mins + Practical 40 mins)	
20 -----		
Lecture (1) "History and Characteristics of Budo" Todo Yoshiaki (Lecture 60 mins + Q&A 20mins)	15:00 -----	
40 -----	Break	
Orientation	15 -----	
55 -----	Budo Experience ③ (40 mins)	
16:00 -----	55 -----	
Break	10 -----	
10 -----	Break	
Budo Experience ① (40 mins)	16:00 -----	
50 -----	Budo Experience ⑥ (40 mins)	
17:00 -----	50 -----	
Break	5 -----	
5 -----	Break	
Budo Experience ② (40 mins)	17:00 -----	
45 -----	Budo Experience ⑦ (40 mins)	
18:00 -----	45 -----	
Bath / Break	18:00 -----	
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19:00 -----	19:00 -----	
Dinner		
20:00 -----	20:00 -----	
Free Practice	Farewell Party (90 mins)	
	30 -----	

Katsuura Station Dep.
Sotobo Line
Timetable

12:06 Special Express to
Tokyo
13:03 To Chiba
14:01 To Chiba
14:36 Special Express to
Tokyo

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