

2025 Contemporary Swords and Artworks - The Ancient Techniques Inherited For Generations -

The Japanese Sword Museum

Period: Aug 2 (Sat) - Oct 13 (Mon)
1st Exhibition: Aug 2 (Sat) - Spt 7 (Sun)
2nd Exhibition: Spt 9 (Tue) - Oct 13 (Mon)

◆ Sakutō (Blade Forging) Division

Capacity	Type	Sign		Length(cm)	Prefecture	Name	Exhibiting Periods	
							8/2- 9/7	9/9- 10/13
Master	Tantō	Signed	Yamato Jū Gassan SADATOSHI Kinsaku(monogram) Reiwa 7 nen shoshun	27.3	Nara	Gassan Kiyoshi		○
Master	Katana	Signed	Hasedō Jū TSUNEHIRA Saku Reiwa 7 nen 3 gatsujitsu	71	Yamagata	Kanbayashi Yūji		○
Master	Tachi	Signed	Kawachi KUNIHIRA 83 Sai Reiwa 6 nen Chūshū Meigetsu	75.3	Nara	Kawachi Michio		○
Master	Kodachi	Signed	Tōto Jūnin Ōno YOSHIMITSU Kore wo Tsukuru Reiwa 7 nen Haru	60.4	Tokyo	Yoshikawa Mitsuo		○
Master	Tachi	Signed	Zuku wo Motte Orosu NORIHIRO Reiwa 7 nen Yayoi	73.6	Nagano	Miyairi Norihiro	○	
Master	Katana	Signed	Matsuda TSUGUYASU Saku Reiwa 6 nen Haru kichijitsu	70.2	Chiba	Matsuda Shūji	○	
Master	Tachi	Signed	YOSHIHIRO	76.1	Hiroshima	Kubo Yoshihiro	○	
Master	Tachi	Signed	KUNIKAZU Reiwa Kinotomi no Toshi Haru Hokuto	73.6	Hyogo	Takami Kazuyoshi	○	

○Tachi, Katana, Wakizashi, Naginata, and Yari

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Takamatsunomiya Memorial Award	Katana	Signed	Higo-no-kuni KANEMITSU Reiwa 7 nen 2 gatsujitsu	69.8	Kumamoto	Kimura Mitsuhiro	○	○
Kunzan Award	Tachi	Signed	KIYOHIRO Reiwa 7 nen 3 gatsujitsu	75.3	Fukui	Morikuni Toshifumi	○	○
Kanzan Award	Tachi	Signed	Miike Jū Komiya KOKUTEN Kore wo Tsukuru Reiwa 7 nen 2 gatsu kichijitsu	72.4	Fukuoka	Komiya Haruki	○	○
President's Award 1	Tachi	Signed	Kōnoyama Bito Kaneda Shimizu KUNIZANE Kore wo Tsukuru Sekka Reiwa 7 nen kichijitsu	75.4	Nara	Kaneda Tatsukichi	○	○
President's Award 2	Tachi	Signed	Jōshū jū TSUNEYOSHI Saku	77.8	Gunma	Takahashi Masaya	○	○
Excellence Award 1	Tachi	Signed	Bicchū-no-kuni Jū YOSHIMASA Saku Reiwa 7 nen Shunpū	91.7	Okayama	Tomioka Keiichirō	○	○
Excellence Award 2	Katana	Signed	Yamato-no-kuni Jū Gassan SADANOBU Tsukuru(monogram) Reiwa 7 nen Haru kichijitsu	71.8	Nara	Gassan Ichirō	○	○
Achievement Award 1 New Face award	Tachi	Signed	Mihara Jū MITSUTSUNA Shojosaku Reiwa 7 nen Shoshun	79.6	Hiroshima	Johan Leutwiler		○
Achievement Award 2	Tachi	Signed	Bizen-no-kuni Jū MASANORI Saku Reiwa 7 nen 2 gatsujitsu	76.1	Okayama	Sone Hiroshi		○
Achievement Award 3	Katana	Signed	Kibi-no-kuni SHINSAKU Reiwa 7 nen Haru	73.8	Okayama	Akamatsu Shinsaku	○	
Achievement Award 4	Tachi	Signed	Bizen Osafune SUKEMITSU Saku Reiwa 7 nen 1 gatsu Kisshō	84	Okayama	Mori Mitsuhide	○	
Achievement Award 5	Tachi	Signed	Miike Jū Shirō KUNIMITSU Saku Reiwa 7 nen 1 gatsu kichijitsu	78.5	Fukuoka	Komiya Soyomitsu	○	

○Tantō and Ken

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							8/2- 9/7	9/9- 10/13
Kunzan Award	Tantō	Signed	KANEMITSU Reiwa 7 nen 2 gatsujitsu (On the mune)Hori Sōfū	24.9	Kumamoto	Kimura Mitsuhiro	○	○
Kanzan Award	Tantō	Signed	Jōshū Jū TSUNEYOSHI Saku Reiwa Kinotomi no Toshi 2 gatsujitsu	26.7	Gunma	Takahashi Masaya	○	○
President's Award	Tantō	Signed	SHINPEI Saku Reiwa 6 nen 8 gatsujitsu	21.6	Tochigi	Katō Masaya	○	○
Excellence Award	Tantō	Signed	KUNIZANE Kore wo Tsukuru Hatsunagi Reiwa 7 nen kichijitsu	22.2	Nara	Kaneda Tatsukichi	○	
Achievement Award 1	Tantō	Signed	KOREHIRA Saku Reiwa 7 nen	29.8	Hokkaidō	Watanabe Tōru		○
Achievement Award 2	Tantō	Signed	KIYONAO Kore wo Tsukuru Reiwa 7 nen kinotomi Haru	25.7	Nagano	Matsukawa Takashi		○
Achievement Award 3	Tantō	Signed	Nagano Teruo Kun no Tame HIROYASU Saku Reiwa 7 nen Haru	29.8	Okayama	Andō Yūsuke	○	

◆ Kenma (Sword Polishing) Division

Capacity	Type	Sign		Prefecture	Name	Exhibiting Periods	
						8/2- 9/7	9/9- 10/13
Master	Katana	Signed	Hōshū Takada Jū Fujiwara MUNEYUKI	Tokyo	Takaiwa Setsuo	○	
Master	Katana	Signed	Yonezawa-shin Tōto ni Oite Katō TSUNAHIDE Tsukuru Bunka 8 nen 8 gatsu	Chiba	Yanagawa Seiji	○	
Master	Katana	Unsigned		Shizuoka	Saitō Kosyū	○	
Master	Katana	Later engraved	YOSHIHIRO Denraitō	Fukuoka	Kawamoto Kōsei	○	
Master	Tachi	Signed	Ōsumi SHUNPEI Saku Shōwa 55 nen 8 gatsu kichijitsu	Tokyo	Usuki Yoshihiko	○	
Master	Tantō	Signed	Mīnamoto MASAO Kaei Kanotoi no Toshi 2 gatsujitsu	Nagano	Kumai Kōtetsu		○
Master	Tachi	Signed	Bizen-no-kuni Osafune Jū KAGEMITSU	Hyogo	Sugihara Muneto		○
Master	Tachi	Unsigned	Chiyodajōka ni Oite Sa-no YUKIHIDE Kore wo Tsukuru Keiō 1 nen Aki 8 gatsu kichijitsu	Kanagawa	Korezawa Kōshō		○
Master	Tachi	Unsigned	AWATAGUCHI	Chiba	Matsumura Sōtarō		○

○Shinogi-zukuri

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						8/2- 9/7	9/9- 10/13
Minister's Award	Tachi	Signed	Bicchū-no-kuni Jū TSUGUYOSHI Saku	Gifu	Kagami Genta	○	○
Kiya Award	Tachi	Signed	Yamato Shikkake(cut)	Hyogo	Inoue Satoshi	○	○
Takeya Award	Katana	Signed	Hizen Saga Jū KUNIHIRO	Kyoto	Tamaki Jōji	○	○
Chiba Award	Katana	Signed	Iga-no-kami KINMICHI	Saitama	Kawakami Yōichirō	○	○
Kunzan Award	Katana	Signed	Fukuyama-kō no Mei wo Tatematsuri Tairyū-sai SŌKAN Kitaeru Bunkyū 3 nen 2 gatujitsu Isataka-byō Chokin wo Motte Meijite Kono Katana wo Tsukurashimu Yamaoka Jizaemon Tsugumichi no Tame	Miyagi	Miura Hirotaka	○	○
Kanzan Award	Tachi	Signed	Bicchū-no-kuni Jū YOSHIMASA Saku Reiwa 7 nen Shunpū	Kyoto	Daimon Kenshirō	○	○
President's Award	Tachi	Signed	Bishū Osafune Jū Saemon-no-jō NORIMITSU Saku	Fukuoka	Matsuo Kiyotake	○	○
Excellence Award 1	Katana	Signed	KUNIHIRO	Osaka	Manazu Hitoaki		○
Excellence Award 2	Katana	Unsigned	HŌSHŌ	Saitama	Mizuta Yoshimasa		○
Excellence Award 3	Katana	Unsigned	AOE	Chiba	Ogawa Kazuhiko	○	
Achievement Award 1	Tachi	Signed	HIROTSUGU(KO-AOE)	Tokyo	Nagaoka Yasumasa	○	
Achievement Award 2	Katana	Unsigned		Iwate	Kikuchi Masamichi	○	
Achievement Award 3	Katana	Signed	Yamato-no-Kami YOSHIMICHI	Tokyo	Abe Sōichirō	○	
Achievement Award 4	Naginata- Naoshi Katana	Unsigned	Yamato ARITOSHI	Fukuoka	Komiya Mitsutoshi	○	
Achievement Award 5	Katana	Signed	Echigo-no-kami KANESADA	Kanagawa	Hendrik Lindelauf	○	
Achievement Award 6	Katana	Signed	Takami-sanroku KUNIHIRA 83 Sai Kore wo Tsukuru SHIGEMITSU Kore wo Horu Reiwa 7 nen Suisen Hana no Koro	Tottori	Kashiwagi Ryō		○
Achievement Award 7	Tachi	Signed	Hida-no-kami Fujiwara UJIFUSA	Tochigi	Edamatsu Kōji		○
Achievement Award 8	Katana	Unsigned	Taima TOMOYUKI	Nara	Sekiyama Kazumichi		○
Achievement Award 9	Tachi	Unsigned	HŌSHŌ	Saitama	Morii Tetsutarō		○
Achievement Award 10	Katana	Unsigned	Attributed to Gō YOSHIHIRO	Australia	Andrew Ickeringill		○

○Hira-zukuri

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						8/2-9/7	9/9-10/13
Kunzan Award	Tantō	Unsigned	YUKIMITSU	Kyoto	Tamaki Jōji	○	○
Kanzan Award	Tantō	Signed	(Hollyhock Mark)Echizen YASUTSUGU Motte Nanbantetsu Oite Bushū Edo	Kanagawa	Kurata Ryūtarō	○	○
President's Award 1	Tantō	Signed	MITSUYO	Tottori	Kashiwagi Ryō	○	○
President's Award 2	Tantō	(Red lacquer)	MURAMASA	Iwate	Kikuchi Masamichi	○	○
Excellence Award 1	Wakizashi	Signed	Shinano-no-kami KUNIHIRO	Tochigi	Edamatsu Kōji	○	
Excellence Award 2	Wakizashi	Signed	TSUNAIE Saku	Tokyo	Kamiyama Yoshie	○	
Excellence Award 3	Wakizashi	Signed	Bishū Osafune MORIMITSU Ōei 30 nen 8 gatsujitsu	Kyoto	Daimon Kenshirō		○
Excellence Award 4	Tantō	Signed	FUYUHIRO	Miyagi	Miura Hirotaka		○
Excellence Award 5	Wakizashi	Signed	KUNIHIRA KOKUTEN Kore Kokoro wo Seisu (Stamped seal) Reiwa 6 nen 7 gatsujitsu	Fukuoka	Matsuo Kiyotake		○
Achievement Award 1	Tantō	Signed	Hizen-no-kuni TADAYOSHI	Saitama	Morii Tetsutarō		○
Achievement Award 2	Wakizashi	Signed	Miyairi AKIHIRA saku Shōwa 36 nen 2 gatsu	Tokyo	Tada Yoshinori		○
Achievement Award 3	Wakizashi	Signed	(Crescent crest)Taikei NAOTANE(monogram) Bunka 6 nen Shōgatsu ganjitsu	Kanagawa	Hendrik Lindelauf	○	
Achievement Award 4	Wakizashi	Signed	Ōmi daijō Fujiwara TADAHIRO	Gunma	Hosomura Masakatsu	○	

◆ Tōshinbori (Sword Engraving) Division

Award	Type	Title	Sign		Prefecture / Country	Name	Exhibiting Periods	
							8/2-9/7	9/9-10/13
Kunzan Award	ŌmiYari	Shin no Kurikara in Hi	Signed	SŌJU Kore	Okayama	Yanagimura Masayuki	○	○
Kanzan Award	Tachi	Front:Bonji・Bai-ryū Back:Bonji・Gomabashi	Signed	SHIGEMITSU Kore wo Horu	Tottori	Kashiwagi Kōji	○	○
Achievement Award 1	Wakizashi	Front:Tamaoi Ryū Back:Jingi Dōtoku Reisetsu	Signed	SHIGETSUNE Kore wo Horu	Okayama	Katayama Shigetsune		○
Achievement Award 2	Wakizashi	Front:Tamaoiryū Back:Bonji・Gomabashi・Rendai	Signed	Hori Onajiku TSUNEHIRA Saku	Yamagata	Kanbayashi Yūji	○	

◆ Shirasaya (Scabbard) Division

Award	Type	Work	Prefecture	Name	Exhibiting Periods	
					8/2-9/7	9/9-10/13
President's Award	Katana	Shirasaya	Fukuoka	Kubo Kentarou	○	○
Excellence Award 1	Katana	Shirasaya	Iwate	Nagahora Osamu	○	
Excellence Award 2	Katana	Shirasaya	Ibaraki	Morii Atsuhiro	○	
Excellence Award 3	Katana	Shirasaya	Gifu	Kawai Hiroaki		○
Achievement Award 1	Katana	Shirasaya	Ibaraki	Mikura Ruita		○
Achievement Award 2	Katana	Shirasaya	Ibaraki	Chiba Masayoshi	○	

◆ Tōsō (Mounting) Division

Award	Title	Prefecture	Name	Exhibiting Periods	
				8/2-9/7	9/9-10/13
President's Award	Kuro-roiro Tateshino Kizami Kaga-umebachi Karakusa-mon Makie-saya Aikuchi Tantō-koshirae	Fukuoka	Kubo Junichi	○	○
Achievement Award	Kuro-urushi Nuri-saya Uchigatana-koshirae (Kunōzan Miike MITSUYO Koshirae wo Mosu)	Aichi	Itō Toshikatsu	○	○

◆ Chōkin (Fitting) Division

Capacity / Award	Type	Title	Sign	Prefecture	Name	Exhibiting Periods	
						8/2-9/7	9/9-10/13
Master	Daishō tsuba	Tsurumaru sukashi daishō tsuba	Daishō signed	TOSHIYUKI	Ehime	Tamaoka Toshiyuki	○ ○
Kunzan Award	Tsuba	Cherry Blossom Kuyō-mon Karakusa Gold-inlay Sukash Tsuba	Signed	FUYUTERU	Osaka	Kuwano Fuyuteru	○ ○
Kanzan Award	Menuki	Lion and Incense Burner Zu Menuki	Wari-tanzaku signed	EI・KO	Osaka	Ishii Eiko	○ ○
Excellence Award	Tsuba	“Shujō Kyougyō no Gotoku Jinen Butsudō ni Naru” Word Sukashi Tsuba	Signed	Toshi YOSHIYUKI Saku Name:Kawashima Yoshiyuki	Shizuoka	Kawashima Yoshiyuki	○ ○
Achievement Award 1	Tsuba	Cloisonne Sukashi Tsuba	Signed	Reiwa Kinoe Tatsu SHIWASU Zihū Saku	Tokyo	Broderick Jeff	○ ○
Achievement Award 2	Huchigasira	Mokumegane-ji Fuchigashira	Signed	KYŌHEI	Kanagawa	Misumi Kyōhei	○ ○
Achievement Award 3	Tsuba	Shūbi Zu Tsuba	Signed	7 Mi no Toshi Yanagawa SEIJI Saku(monogram) Gakko	Chiba	Yanagawa Seiji	○ ○
Achievement Award 4	Tsuba	Christian Sukashi Tsuba	Signed	KODEN	Italy	Manuel Coden	○ ○

◆ Tsukamae (Hilt) Division

Capacity・Award	Title	Prefecture / Country	Name	Exhibiting Periods	
				8/2-9/7	9/9-10/13
Master	Fusubegawa Maki Higo Tsukamae	Fukuoka	Kubo Junichi	○	○
President's Award	Owari Nando Iro Tsunegumi Ito Morotsumami Maki Yagyū Tsukamae	Kanagawa	Hirayama Naoya	○	○
Excellence Award 1	Ebicha Iro Jabara Ito Karamikumiage Maki Tsukamae	Russia	Marilyana Yakobleva	○	
Excellence Award 2	Kuro Iro Tsunegumi Ito MoroTsumami Maki Daishō Tsukamae	Kyoto	Matsuda Nayuta		○
Achievement Award 1	Ai Iro Fusubegawa Morotsumami Maki Tsukamae	Fukuoka	Deguchi Tomoyuki		○
Achievement Award 2	Murasaki Iro Tsunegumi Ito Morotsumami Maki Tsukamae	Fukuoka	Kubo Kentarō		○
Achievement Award 3	Kuro Iro Tsunegumi Ito Morotsumami Maki Tsukame	Kanagawa	Yagura Sōichi	○	
Achievement Award 4	Owari Nando Iro Tsunegumi Ito Morotsumami Maki Tsukamae	Gifu	Yamada Shinya	○	
Achievement Award 5	Owari Nando Iro Tsunegumi Ito Morotsumami Maki Yagyū Tsukamae	Aichi	Fujita Yasuteru	○	

◆ Shirogane (Collar) Division

Capacity・Award	Title	Prefecture	Name	Exhibiting Periods	
				8/2-9/7	9/9-10/13
Master	Suaka-ji Kin-kise Aoi-mon Sukashi Futae Habaki	Chiba	Miyamoto Tsuneyuki	○	○
Achievement Award 1	Suaka-ji Uwagai Kin-kise Futae Habaki	Kyoto	Ueno Hiroki	○	○
Achievement Award 2	Ginmuku-ji Futae Habaki	Ehime	Mishima Mikinori	○	○
Achievement Award 3	Mokumegane-ji Hitoe Habaki	Kanagawa	Misumi Kyōhei	○	○

◆ Special Exhibition

Designation	Type	Inscription	Period	Length (cm)	Collection	Exhibiting Periods	
						8/2-9/7	9/9-10/13
Important Sword	Tachi	Signed	YASUTSUNA	Late HEIAN Period(12c)	75.4	The Japanese Sword Museum	○ ○
Important Sword	Katana	Unsigned	Attributed to Aoe YOSHITSUGU	End of KAMAKURA Period (early 14c)	69.5	The Japanese Sword Museum	○ ○
	Katana	Signed	Bizen-no-Kuni Jū Osafune Yosōzaemon-no-jo SUKESADA Tenbun 3 nen 2 gatu Kichijitsu	Late MUROMACHI Period(1534)	64.4	The Japanese Sword Museum	○ ○

◆ Next Exhibition

"Commemorating the Gift: Japanese Swords Passed Down Through Generations - Focusing on the Suzuki Sōichi Collection -"

Period: Oct 25 (Sat) - Dec 21 (Sun)



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