

Information on Events and Application *Please change (at) to @ for the email address.

◆Let's enjoy Japanese New Year traditions!

Experience Japanese New Year's culture with the following activities!

Date&Time Sunday, January 12, 2025, 13:30-15:30

Location KICC Shin-Nagata 1F

Details (1) New Year's calligraphy and eraser stamp-making
(2) Traditional Japanese games (Fukurawarai, karuta, etc.)
(3) Ozoni (one of the New Year's dishes, soup with rice cake, suitable for vegetarians)

<https://www.kicc.jp/en/events/lets-enjoy-japanese-new-year-traditions>

Language Plain Japanese (The staff will support in English)

Capacity 30 people

Cost Free

Intended for International students and foreign residents

Deadline Once the limit is reached

How to apply Please apply via the following link

<https://www.kicc.jp/ja/events/5087>

Contact Kobe International Community Center
TEL: 078-742-8908 Email : jigyo@kicc.jp

◆“Climate Change × Disaster Reduction Forum: New developments in disaster prevention and reconstruction in the age of a climate crisis ”on 17 December 2024

It has been 30 years since the Great Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake. Why not take this opportunity to think about the environment and disaster prevention? Due to climate change, disasters are becoming larger and more frequent. This is why the actions of each and every one of us are important in protecting the future.

This forum will focus on the theme of “disaster waste” and consider sustainable disaster prevention and reconstruction based on the principles of the SDGs, such as preparations that can be made in daily life and recycling waste in the event of a disaster.

Let’s learn together how to utilize the experience and lessons learned from the earthquake for the future. We look forward to your participation!

Date & Time	Tuesday, 17 December 2024, 13:30-16:00 (JST)
Place	Lasse Hall, 2nd floor, Rose Saloon (Chuo-ku, Kobe City)
Language	Japanese, English (simultaneous interpretation available)
Capacity	150 persons (first-come-first-served)
Cost	Free
How to apply	Click on the following link to register https://forms.gle/2NPFqLbpzjaEvdhu5
Deadline	Friday, 13 December 2024 ※The deadline has been extended by 3days.
Organisers	30th Anniversary of the Great Hanshin-Awaji Earthquake SDGs International Forum Committee (Member Organizations: Hyogo Prefectural Government, Asia-Pacific Network for Global Change Research, Institute for Global Environmental Strategies, Hyogo Safety Day Promotion Council)

Co-organizer Graduate School of Disaster Resilience and Governance, University of
Hyogo

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For more information and the forum program, please visit the APN website.

⇒ <https://www.apn-gcr.org/event/climate-change-x-disaster-reduction-forum-2/>