Where you can discover content from different regions of Japan



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## "REGIONS OF JAPAN" - Who we are

The "REGIONS OF JAPAN" booth is organized by Screen Authority Sapporo (SAS); the official film commission to Sapporo City, Hokkaido.

We are a showcase from which you can discover the charms from various regions of Japan.

Each region has its own distinctive history, lifestyle and cuisine.

We bring together 24 companies from 9 regions; Sapporo, Sendai, Fukushima, Niigata, Nagoya, Kyoto, Fukuoka, Saga and Kumamoto.

The special feature of our booth is the diversity of regions and the cooperative work between public and private sectors.

Not only will you find TV programs, films and animations, but you will also meet future co-productions partners and gateways to local governing bodies.

You are always welcome to the film commissions for local assistance. Be the next project to evolve from our booth.

We hope to bridge you and each region to contribute to local promotion and help energizing the community.

This is our third constructive showcase at FILMART.

Our mission came from FILMART 2014 and will continue for the future markets to come.

We look forward to seeing you again at the next market.

Organizer to "REGIONS OF JAPAN" Screen Authority Sapporo









# Sapporo, Blessed by Snow

Sapporo, thanks to Hokkaido which is a great source of foods, combines the natural beauty of the four seasons together with a metropolitan outlook. A place that inspires creativity for all who visit, leaving a lasting impression. The melting snow reflects the gentle sunlight and young leaves bloom in spring. Nice, cool summer with fresh breeze and various kinds of flowers. In autumn the leaves change color like a colorful tapestry – green, yellow, orange, vivid red. And finally it becomes a pure white world in winter. Especially the scenery of snow falling in silence, it's fantastic and exclusive to northern countries. Residents identify with snow and enjoy their life. Sapporo is called the city with the blessings of snow.





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# Hokkaido Broadcasting Co.,Ltd.

# Hokkaido, Agricultural Paradise, with Hiroyuki Morisaki

This program introduces many agricultural products and dishes in Hokkaido, Japan. As Hokkaido is the biggest agricultural area in Japan, there are many kinds of farm produce: rice, melon, watermelon asparagus, potato, wheat and so on. Mr. Hiroyuki Morisaki is a famous actor and comedian. In every episode, Mr. Morisaki and children visit a farmer's house together. With fun, they learn the process of production and the hard work of farmers. They experience farm work such as harvesting and rediscover how perfect the agriculture is and how delicious the products are. This program also introduces the latest agricultural technology of Japan. In the last part of this program, children enjoy the dish cooked in farmer's style. Parents can watch the program together with their children to learn the importance of food.



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2008 ~ 2016 375 episodes × 30min

# The Funny Journey, around Asia to look for Hokkaido

More than one million people from abroad visit Hokkaido for tourism every year. Nowadays, Hokkaido is one of the most famous spots for sightseeing in Asia. In this program, travelers from Hokkaido go to Asian Countries such as Singapore, Malaysia, Thailand, Cambodia, and Taiwan. Their mission is to find a connection between Asian country and Hokkaido. They must look for something that has a relation to Hokkaido. In those destinations, sometimes they find Hokkaido Ramen, and other times they meet a Japanese who came from Hokkaido and lives there. Will that journey go successfully? This program also shows famous sightseeing spots in each country. (Covers Singapore, Malaysia, Thailand, Taiwan, the Philippines, Hong Kong, Nepal, Vietnam, Korea, Indonesia, Borneo Island, Macau, Sri Lanka, and more)



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2014 ~ 2016 67 episodes × 30min

# Eatrip - Hokkaido, Delicious Traveling Alone- (4K)

There are many travel programs that are the stage of Hokkaido, but this "Eatrip" is a program that trying to convey the charm of Hokkaido through the sensibility of a picture book writer. The place of shooting is not a so-called tourist destination. Introducing Sorachi district farmer who works for the rice planting, Bibai farmers to produce asparagus, "Sake" cellar of Kuriyama-town established more than 100 years ago. Not only eating delicious food in the beautiful restaurants, but also transmitting think of products producers that is spread in the back. You will become to discover different Hokkaido landscape. All scenes were shot by 4K camera.



2015 25 episodes × 30min









# The Sapporo Television Broadcasting Co.,Ltd.

# What's hot in Japan

Travelogue about Hokkaido and Tohoku area of Japan by foreign reporters. Their eyes are very different from Japanese ones, so everything seems interesting and sometimes strange. Good for younger people who are interested in Japanese culture.



2014 ~ 2015 131 episodes × 28min M/E tracks ready

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## Northern Japan travelers

All Japan travelogue. Each episodes deals one prefecture. For example, Hokkaido, Kyoto, Mt. Fuji, Fukuoka... You will know every single place of Japan. Good for the viewers who are interested in Japanese cuisine, lifestyle, festivals, tradition and tourism.



2014 ~ 2015 14 episodes × 28min M/E tracks ready



# Casual traveling in Hokkaido

Typical travelogue of Hokkaido. Snow activities, lavender farms, famous Asahiyama zoo... Hokkaido has many place to visit, so this is very good as a tour guide. Good for Hokkaido beginners.



2009 ~ 2015 98 episodes × 28min M/E tracks ready





# Hokkaido Cultural Broadcasting Co.,Ltd.

#### **Hokkaido Pride**

This is a series that introduces our selections of Hokkaido's wonderful scenery, food, people, and tradition. We are proud of being Dosanko(Hokkaido people) and would like to present you amazing sides of Hokkaido to the world.

And this program will still broadcast next year.



2014 ~ 2015 50 episodes × 15min



#### Francesca

Francesca is a Hokkaido's animation idol. It is a comical-animation, and a story is based on Hokkaido. Besides the story, Fracesca travels around Hokkaido's tourist spots, eats Hokkaido's delicious food, encounters many local characters, etc.

Francesca will fight against Shinsengumi to make them stop the war. And the story goes on...

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2014 24 episodes × 15min

#### Takatoshi Farm

Japanese famous comedian "Taka & Toshi", who are from Hokkaido, travel around Hokkaido to make "Takatoshi Farm" as the most enjoyable farm in Japan!!
You will find some Hokkaido loves and spirits from them through this program.



2012 ~ 2015 50 episodes × 30min



# **Television Hokkaido Broadcasting Co.LTD.**

# Traveling in Hokkaido

This TV-Program has been broght on the informations of Hot-Springs, Hotels, Gourmet, Sightseeing,

OutdoorSports, and so on in Hokkaido to The people. On the 7th of February the number of episodes of this program is 900 one's. Off couse they has been very useful for the travelers who is planning to travel in Hokkaido.

This program has been broadcasted from 18:30 to 19:00 every Saturday evening in Hokkaido, the northern island of JAPAN.



1997 ∼ 2016 50 episodes × 30min



# Flying Trip in HOKKAIDO, JAPAN

The programs are covering the beautiful scenes of the wild nature of 20 famous areas in Hokkaido, The northern island of Japan.

20 famous areas are NISEKO, TAISETSU, ISHIKARI, TOKACHI,SAROBETSU, The Park of MARUYAMA in Sapporo, The Peninsula of NOTSUKE, The beautiful Land covered with snow, and so on.

This special programs are signaled with the special equipment, Drone and covers 20 items on 2 min 30 sec.



2014 20 episodes × 2.5min



# The twin polar bear growth diaries

A total coverage documentary of the popular figures of Maruyama Zoo in Sapporo, Hokkaido. Female polar bear twins "PORORO" and "MARURU" which were born in Maruyama Zoo in Sapporo, Hokkaido on December 8,2012. The sight of the twins who are totally cute, became very popular among the citizens and made the number of people who come to the zoo increase rapidly.

""The twin polar bear growth diaries"" is a collection of documentary films which selected the particularly beautiful scenes of the twin's stages of growth and the state of their mother ""LARA"" s strict but affectionate way of child care from the large amount of pictures which were accumulated for this segment and compiled into 63 minutes on DVD.



2013 1 episode × 63min





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#### **Small Traveler**

This is a story about Two Small brother (4-years-old boy and 8-years-old boy/7-years-old and 10-years old boy) goes travel with brother's father who is a cameraman.

The height of the boy is 100cm  $\sim$  120cm.

We can travel with his point of view like his height and this is our childhood's world which is the selling point of the program.

Also, through the program, we can see the boy grow up during the Journey. These cute things from the boy also make the audience smile a lot.

Besides the famous sightseeing spots, new angle to see our country and delicious food, it can also remind us about something touchable feelings that we've already forgot.

The target of audience are the 30-40 years old parents who have a little kids or 60- years old or above grandparents.

Of course, the program not only introduce the happiness of the Journey.

The boy is also using his little mind and energy to recover the trouble.

This is small cute travelers' story.





2015 ∼
10 episodes × 25min
filming by 4K, broadcast by HD
M/E 2 tracks ready and Japanese script









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# **Tohoku Broadcasting Co.,Ltd**

# This is the TOHOKU Spirit $\sim$ The RAMEN of Love & Hope $\sim$

The RAMEN is a soul food for Japanese. Though TOKYO, HOKKAIDO, FUKUOKA is the famous RAMEN areas among foreign travellers, there are also many delicious RAMEN restaurants in TOHOKU.

This episode is one of the TV series for supporting recovery of the devastated TOHOKU region by Tsunami attack in 2011, hosted by a very popular comedy duo, Sandwich-man.

The tsunami swept away homes and buildings. People in deeply damaged areas suffered from the shortage of food. Then many RAMEN restaurants in safe regions came there to distribute warm RAMEN to them.

And now, Some of the chef-owners who lost their RAMEN restaurants by Tsunami are starting to move to reopen them. Because they believe that RAMEN can cheer the survivors up. This is the story about people recovering their lives with love and hope through RAMEN.

2016 1 episode × 60min Japanese script





#### **TOHOKU 4SEASONS**

This program is a travel sketch of the four seasons in Tohoku, in which profound charm of Japan is hidden.

Snowfall in Tohoku is heavy, but you can enjoy the beauty of exuberant cherry blossoms after getting over the harsh winter. In the summer time, powerful festivals such as "Tohoku Three Biggest Festivals" are held.

In this program, you can feel the richness and beauty of food, culture, and nature in Tohoku, which is called "Michinoku", accompanied by music played with the shamisen, a traditional Japanese instrument.

2010 1 episode × 30min Japanese script





# KAGURA ∼ People dancing with Sea wind ∼

This program won the prize for the best film in "The age of regionalism video festival" which is the one of famous documentary film festivals in JAPAN.

KAGURA is the traditional dance and music devoted to God of the shrine. In ISHINOMAKI, a fishing village of TOHOKU region, it has taken over by fishermen as a symbol to unite their community over a hundred year. But because of the huge earthquake and Tsunami attack in 2011,most of their old instruments, costume and the leader of the KAGURA group were swept away. People went away one by one from their devastated hometown. Then the young fishermen left there conceived of an idea to revive their hometown by restoring KAGURA. Can they achieve it really?

2015 1 episode × 60min Japanese script









# **Colors of the Four Seasons**

Fukushima Prefecture is located in the southernmost part of Tohoku region, about 200km from Tokyo.

It is the third biggest prefecture in the country following Hokkaido and Iwate prefectures.

Fukushima Prefecture is divided, by the Abukuma Highland and the Mt.Ou range that run from South to North, into three regions: Aizu,Nakadori and Hamadori.

It is full of many charms that visitors can thoroughly enjoy, including its rich history, traditional culture, hot spring towns, and warm and welcoming residents.

Each area has its own unique character and characteristics, so there are a variety of ways to have fun.





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# **Fukushima Central TV**

# The exploration the Samurai City with WAKAMATTSUN! In WINTER

This program introduces the attractive points of Aizuwakamatsu city with Wakamattsun and his partner Sakiko.

Aizuwakamatsu city is 300km north far from Tokyo and Wakamattsun is a "SAMURAI" and the city's official PR character.

They walk around the city to introduce food, customs, traditional industries and hot spring.

You can find Japanese soul of LAST SAMURAI in Aizuwakamatsu city with Wakamattsun.

2015 1 episode × 55min 60'available/English script





# Living in Fukushima - To know my new hometown -

Miri Yu,who won the Japanese literary award,sold her house in the metropolitan area and moved to one town in Fukushima. The town lies 25 km north of Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Plant. – at a time when many people were in the process of leaving it, due to the 2011 Tohoku Earthquake and associated nuclear power plant accident.

This documentary centers around Yu's move to Minamisoma, her desire to write her masterpiece in the town, as well as her life there.

2015 1 episode × 30min Japanese script





# **MATSURI: Unite our Hearts with a Festival**

In the castle town of Nihonmatsu in Fukushima, there are four different festivals.

These hometown festivals have been treasured and passed down by local residents.

These festivals are filled with the passion and vigor of youth, as well as drawing upon the souls of the regions they are held in.

On May 1, 2015, for one day only at Nihonmatsu Castle, these four festivals will occur at the same time.

It will be a historic day of collaboration that surpasses all regional boundaries.

2015 1 episode × 30min Japanese script









# Welcome to the Snow Country - Niigata

Niigata is the setting for Nobel Prize winning author Yasunari Kawabata's famed novel, "Snow Country". With skiing and other snow activities, Niigata is certainly a fun place to be in the winter, but also known for its rich nature and for being the home of amazing rice and sake. With our mountains, ocean, and rivers, Niigata offers beautiful and diverse natural scenery not just in the winter, but in every season.

Niigata's charm is found in the cities too. Being the old port city, Niigata welcomes the guests with warm hospitality and tasty local cuisine along with seafood, sake and of course, the best quality rice "Koshihikari".



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# **Broadcasting System of Niigata Inc.**

# SUIYOU-MINAITO ~ Konnichiwa! From snow country, Niigata ~

Niigata-home to Japan's best rice and sake-is a region famous for its phenomenal ingredients and cuisine. Sushi made from koshihikari rice and seafood from the Sea of Japan; Traditional Japanese cuisine ("Washoku") and local sake. Niigata's unique and flavorful varieties of Ramen and Soba are also highly regarded within Japan. Every episode, Suiyou-Minaito brings viewers a new look at life in the Snow Country, from specials on the best in food and flavor to episodes introducing Niigata's diverse traditions and culture.



2012 ~ 2015 40 episodes × 25min





# Japan's Golden Road -from Sado's Gold Mines to the World-

On Sado Island in the Sea of Japan, there is gold mine that was worked for more than 400 years. The precious remnants of the mine and buildings have been preserved, and there are aims to have them registered as a world heritage site. In this program, they follow the trail of the Edo Period gold coins and Sado gold coins that were spread around the world by the Dutch East India Company. These small gold coins made a big journey, from Japan to India, and all the way to the Netherlands!



2013 1 episode × 46min



# Mysterious Forest -four season of the center of Sado-

Sado Island in the Sea of Japan is a small island, but there are mountains that people rarely enter filled by a natural Japanese cedar forest. The twisting trees appear to dance, astonishing sculptures shaped by the heavy winter snows and the mists that linger from early spring to autumn. Please enjoy the views with musical accompaniment.



2013 1 episode × 40min





# Niigata Television Network 21, Inc.

#### **Fantastic Fireworks**

The Katakai Festival dates back some 400 years since the Edo era. This festival is famous for its 15,000 fireworks display, and its "4 shaku-dama", which is the largest fireworks in the world having been recorded in the Guinness World Book. These offerings are made to celebrate various occasions such as weddings, anniversaries, Kanreki(60th birthday) the arrival of a new child etc.



2013 1 episode × 27min



## Made In Niigata

This program will introduce you to the craftsmen who create new products while keeping with the traditional methods of old. For example, Kimono, Japanese dress. Do you know how to make Kimono? Kimono of Tokamachi City is all made by hand. Craftsmen draw it carefully one by one. Its history passed for thousand and several hundred years.

In Japan there is a curture that young people wear Kimono on the day of coming of age celebration. How pretty they look in Kimono!!

2013 ~ 2015 3 episodes × 25min





#### Amano ~ Forests Underwater ~

Mr. Takashi Amano is the founder of Nature Aquarium. The purpose of Nature Aquarium is to create an aquatic exhibit that resembles the wild.In 2013, he was offered the chance to create the world's largest nature aquarium being forty meters in size, at the Lisbon Oceanarium. The aquatic plants used from Japan are directly sourced from natural surroundings. Amano's attention to detail is simply impressive. After the hectic week, this forty meter tank finally reflected Amano's life story.



2015 1 episode × 48min





# Television Niigata Network Co., Ltd.

# Have a feast of Niigata!

There are many tasty treats and souvenirs at the rest stops along Niigata's highways.

The host of this program feasts her way through several of them. In fact, it's said that reporter Aoi Morohashi has no equal when it comes to eating. She starts by driving down the Kan - Etsu Expressway, which connects Tokyo and Niigata.



2013 ~ 2016 4 episodes × 30 or 55min



#### A Little Girl's Dream

This story began in a small, rural town in Niigata Prefecture 26 years ago. In 1987, a Niigata television crew reported the arrival of three calves at a primary school with just nine students, among them a little girl named Tomomi. The children took care of the three calves and spent time with them, just like good friends. Tomomi in particular cared deeply for the calves, and wanted to grow up to be a vet for cattle.

We later learned that Tomomi was pursuing her dream of becoming a veterinarian and we decided to continue covering her life when she entered lwate University.



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2014 1 episode × 86min

# The Spirit of Craftsman - the solitary passion of a single craftsman who fell in love with titanium

Its more than 120 vibrant paint-like colors shocked the world! This is the charm of the Titanium Tumbler, a product Japan should be proud of.

"Light, strong, and rust-proof!"

Titanium, despite having roughly the same strength as steel and a number of advantages over it, was long thought to be incredibly difficult to work because it does not bend or grind down easily. This is a documentary about the solitary passion of a single craftsman who fell in love with titanium.



2016 1 episode × 30min





# Niigata Sogo Television Co., Ltd.

# LOVE! NIIGATA! Amazing legacy at "SADO Island"

For hundreds of years Sado island lay on an important trading route between Kyoto and Hokkaido and was also the source of almost all of the country's gold, produced in Japan's richest gold mine. This program takes us on a tour of the island's delights, from the beauty of its famous Blue Caves to the craftsmanship and tradition in Japan.



2014 1 episode × 57min Stereo mixed with free use music



# Commemorative Birth 200 years "Uncho Ishikawa" Visiting Japanese Michelangelo

This year marks the 200th anniversary of the birth of the sculptor Uncho Ishikawa, who worked primarily in Niigata Prefecture from the end of the Edo period and through the Meiji period, leaving a huge legacy of beautiful wooden carvings and sculptures, and influencing many artists who came after him.



2014 1 episode × 30min Stereo mixed with free use music



# Winter Wonderland Ski Niigata

Niigata is well known in Japan as a Winter Paradise and every year the opening of the ski slopes is eagerly awaited. But there's more than just skiing in the resorts and the nearby towns.



2016 2 episodes × 30min Stereo mixed with free use music







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# Nagoya Broadcasting Network Co.,Ltd.

# The Detective Couple

"Keiko Kyodo" is a super detective woman with cool beauty and great figure. Not only suspects but also the other detectives will be shrived up by her icy sharp- eyes and her pointed words. She is an excellent in insight. Because of her highest arrest rate and the style of ruthless investigation, people call her "Iron Lady"! However, once Keiko goes home, she suddenly changes.

She is flirting with her cute younger husband, "Shintaro" at home. Shintaro is a free illustrator and he does housework. Keiko sometimes has a talk with Shintaro about a case once it goes cold at the dinner with his affectionate home cooking. Though it is so difficult to solve, he shows her brilliant guess. Based on his advises, Keiko solves a case.

2015
11 episodes × 30min
Clean, M/E + Japanese
Japanese script English subtitled sample is available for #1







# Tabearu King's recommended foods

This program "Tabearu-King' s recommended foods" is a Gourmet Information show by specialists of food. The main casts are internet bloggers called "Tabearu-King" who have a special knowledge for researching and analyzing restaurants.

They get together in the Center of Japan, Nagoya and introduce amazing "recommended foods", which you should eat before you die. Because of their large amount of information, expressive and persuasive power, this program is different from the other food variety shows.

2015
9 episodes × 30min
Clean, M/E + Japanese
Japanese script English subtitled sample is available for #1







### **Fantastic Girls**

Original story by Maha Harada "Fantastic Girls, Okayama, 1980" (Shodensha). In 1980, Ayuko (Mio Yuki) is a new transfer student in Okayama from Tokyo. She doesn't have any friends. She can only rely on her boyfriend Hideho who is a college student. Ayuko secretly draws a romance manga about herself and her boyfriend Hideho. Ayuko's classmate, Takemi (Rika Adachi), becomes a big fan of Ayuko's manga and they become close friends. Due to an incident, they drift apart.

30 years later, Ayuko (Yuri Shirahane) becomes a manga artist and comes back to Okayama to give a lecture at her former high school. Ayuko happens to meet Takemi (Kei Aran) who becomes a teacher. Both of them had secrets that they couldn't tell each other at that time ...

2015
1 episode × 120min
Clean, MIX+ Japanese
Japanese script English subtitled is available













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# **Kyoto Broadcasting System Co., Ltd.**

## **Secret Kyoto**

Fukunae is a popular Maiko Entertainer in one of five entertainment quarters in Kyoto. Being a Maiko Entertainer doesn' t mean that she knows Kyoto well, however. Since Kyoto has 1200 years of history and tradition, and there are so many crafts, foods, and traditions that you can find only in Kyoto of which Kyoto people are rightfully proud. In this program, viewers will accompany Maiko Fukunae as she learns more and more about this fascinating city.

2015 ~ 2016 25 episodes × 13min M/E tracks ready & English subtitle available



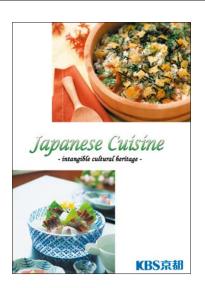


## **Japanese Cusine**

Japanese Cuisine has been designated as an intangible cultural heritage by UNESCO, and today is admired around the world. When talking about Japanese cuisine, one must also consider so many other aspects – traditions, the role of the seasons, ingredients, annual events and festivals, serving dishes, setting, and situations. True Japanese cuisine is based on all these aspects. Kyoto is said to be the origin of the traditional Japanese cuisine. There are so many restaurants that serve Japanese cuisine in Kyoto. In this program, the best chefs from various traditional Japanese restaurants introduce their special techniques in cooking and reveal the important role of age-old Japanese hospitality –OMOTENASHI.

2014 52 episodes × 13min / 12 episodes × 52min M/E tracks ready





#### **National Treasure**

Kyoto, with its proud history of 1200 years, is home to an amazing collection of national treasures and important cultural assets, some of which have been designated as world cultural heritage treasures. By heritage, we are not referring to the past, but to the future generations who will cherish them as past generations have done.

In this program, we will introduce not only national treasures and important cultural assets, but also some unknown stories connected to these treasures. We will invite experts to join us as navigators for the show, and they will relate stories about the treasures from their own knowledge and points of view.

2013 ~ 2016 54 episodes × 52min M/E tracks ready







# Mainichi Broadcasting System, Inc.

#### MADE IN KYOTO

Kyoto's allure lies not only in its shrines and temples or the elegance of the city. For more than a millennium since the year 794, Kyoto flourished as the capital, leading the way in the arts, architecture and commerce. The essence of Japanese culture was born in Kyoto, and has been refined and passed down to modern times. "MADE IN KYOTO" introduces artistry at its best- from traditional weaving and cuisine to state-of-the-art robotics - created and nurtured by the masters of Kyoto who know true quality.



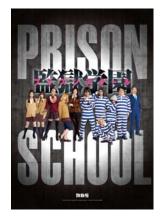
2014 ~ 2015 13 episodes × 30min



#### PRISON SCHOOL

Live-action drama of the hugely popular comic, "PRISON SCHOOL," which won the 37th Kodansha Comics Award.

The drama "PRISON SCHOOL" is set in a draconian boarding-style girl's academy-turned-coed. It centers around five boys including Kiyoshi the main character who, for the infraction of trying to peek into the girl's bath, are caught by the "Secret Student Council" headed by three girls, and are locked up in a prison on the school grounds. With their youth at stake, the boys set out to free themselves. This drama is often silly with the boyish appeal of adolescence and is sure to have you in stitches, but it will also touch your heart.



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2015 9 episodes X 30min

# Wine, Dine and Woo Me

Megumi Kanbayashi has been a freelance writer for five years. As a just-turned-30 single woman, she is beginning to feel the pangs of marriage anxiety. One day, Megumi's editor brings her an idea for a series to be offered on the internet. It's a novel premise - advertise for a single male looking for a relationship; then he picks a restaurant for a blind date during which "he woos her over a meal." Megumi loves the idea of a free, delicious meal and seizes the opportunity. And so begins the search for candidates for "Wine, Dine and Woo Me" column series!

2015 8 episodes × 30min with English subtitles 2016 8 episodes × 30min







# J:COM Jupiter Telecommunications Co., Ltd.

#### MAIKO IN LOVE WITH KYOTO

The program "MAIKO IN LOVE WITH KYOTO" introduce the city of local Kyoto by two Maiko who inherited 300 years tradition of Kyoto Gion.

They report traditional temples and shrines, tourists attractions, trendy spots and shops, sweets, of course souvenirs!

We will introduce Kyoto in variety point of view: Tradition, Seasons, History and Trend.

Most of attraction in this program is two Maiko because we can see "They are a girl nowadays too." Of course they are very interested in new fashion, cosmetics or sweets.

When you see that, you will be able to feel Maiko is more close and familiar.

2010~ 144 episodes × 28min (incl. commercial breaks)





#### JAPONICA TV

"JAPAN IS COOL!" It's the theme.

This program featuring Japanese "Tradition", "Innovation" and to be related to "Human", "Products" and "Service"!!

Each time we pick up various titles that is born from Japanese originality. "Cool manufacturing", "Stylish products to feel Japan", "Service that produced a mind of Wabi-sabi(Japanese mind)".

This program provide all people for wonderful titles to resonate in the heart!





2015~ 24 episodes × 28min (incl. commercial breaks)

# checking out KYOTO, my hometown

"Musicians KADO-CHAN" and "Announcer KYANA-RIN" walk the streets of Kyoto.

So, they will interview about Kyoto culture and charm to the people who live in Kyoto.

If you watch at this program, you will be able to know about "the city", "the culture", and "the people" of Kyoto.

You will be interested about this program. If you live in Kyoto, or don't."

2015~ 38 episodes × 23min (incl. commercial breaks)







### a navel of the earth

In 2057, Kyoto where is designated as a special passport-free zone. People have emigrated from all over the world to Kyoto. They started living and behaving as if they had been a Japanese. One day a Japanese girl Mei traveled in Kyoto, and she was stolen a bag at a station. That gave the chance that Mei met a Taxi driver Nin, and finally started living with his house. But they had quite different characters. What is her real purpose of the travel?

2008 1 episode × 74min **HDCAM** and others 1ch:L 2ch:R Stereo tracks ready









# Ritsumeikan University College of Image Arts and Sciences

# The Families' Stories of Randen Neighborhood

Three tales about a families living in Randen Railway neighborhood are told. In [Unseen Connection] unexpected tale starts unfold to Yuri who lived happily with her family and blessed with many friends. [Oh! Brother] tells the tale of three homeless men, who are ordered to leave. In [KOTATSU] Fumiko- a daughter of Koda family which runs a SAKE shop in downtown, came back from Tokyo for a supposedly short visit. Fumiko, never showing a sign of departure, begins to reveal the truth.



2015 1 episode × 116min Dra

#### Give and Take

The story of the struggles and turmoil of Yuna Ichinose, a university student interested in welfare, and Kota Iseya, a volunteer, as they work together as volunteers at a senior citizens home.



2013 1 episode × 20min



# A Song for a Good-for-Nothing

Arts university student Yoshida and his friends stumble upon the lonely death of an old man while filming their final college project. A movie of finding a path in life as they review society while searching for the man's family and sorting his belongings.



2013 1 episode × 45min







# Compact and livable city, Fukuoka

Fukuoka City, with a population of 1.53 million, is surrounded by mountains and the ocean.

Many urban functions are located within a 2.5 kilometer radius.

Fukuoka City is located in the west area of Japan, in the northern shore of the island of Kyushu. It is well-known as the gateways of Asian countries and has been developing as an international commercial city. There are 5 local broad casting companies and resourceful production companies.









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# Kyushu Asahi Broadcasting Co., Ltd.

#### Love Stories from Fukuoka: When the Tenth Bell Tolls

Miyu (Rika Adachi) is a girl who believes in destiny. She develops a crush on Yuzuru (Syu Watanabe), who transferred to the same junior high school on the same day and even shares her birthday. Miyu confesses her love to Yuzuru, and the two begin dating. They study together, aspiring to attend the same high school. One day Yuzuru's childhood friend Wakana shows up. A rift forms in the relationship, leading to an abrupt break up. Seven years later, Miyu is hunting for a job when she meets Yuzuru by chance. But Wakana is there again to keep the two apart. Another two years later, Miyu runs into Yuzuru once more to find Wakana by his side. Wakana reveals a part of Yuzuru's past unknown to Miyu. And Yuzuru struggles to face the true feelings he has long suppressed. Will the star-crossed lovers be united after a decade-long setback?



2015 1 episode × 51min



# Ishi-chan's "Extraordinary" Gourmet Show

Starring one of Japan's most famous "gourmet reporters," Hidehiko Ishizuka (a.k.a. Ishi-chan), the program presents little known gems of restaurants and exquisite cuisine from across the country. There are numerous, fine-tasting dishes popular throughout Japan, with sushi to sukiyaki, ramen to Shabu-shabu, just being a few. This show, however, focuses on superb dishes that exceed all expectations as well as exclusive specialties known only to select gastronomes or connoisseurs. Ishi-chan throws himself at everything from off-beat menus such as pitch-black Udon noodles and shiny, gold-colored hot pots to individual ingredients like fresh beef and octopus. His humorous antics and comments, along with his much loved signature cry "Maiu! (Delicious)" whenever he tastes something wonderful, are other entertaining features that viewers can look forward to.



2014 ~ 2015 4 episodes × 54min





#### **KOWABON**

"KOWABON" is a stylish horror animation made with captivating rotoscoping technique. When we look around us, we are surrounded by screens like TV, internet, security camera, entrance monitor...etc.

What if the screen shows you what you don't expect to see? You might have an "Apparitional experience". Sachi was computer video chatting with Fumino, helping her pick out clothes to wear for a high school reunion. In the middle of fun chatting, Sachi heard unusual heavy sound like something might had fallen down. It was soon after, Sachi started witnessing psychic phenomena...



2015 13 episodes × 3min





# RKB Mainichi Broadcasting Corporation

# **Traveling by Trains**

"Traveling by trains" is a practical traveling program with using brochures.

Tourists pick out where they are going and decide what they are doing by checking out a large number of brochures for themselves.

Let's enjoy the process of travels with tourists.

2014 ~ 2016 24 episodes × 12min 12 episodes × 24min M/E tracks ready





## **Feeling of Eating**

Food traditions are handed down from generation to generation. By this program, RKB would like to convey the way of thinking of people t hat respect foods through their activities concerned with meals. On top of that it aims to show energies from various products, passions of producers, and techniques and ideas of chefs. A popular food researcher, Kentetsu Koh, and an RKB announcer, Ryusuke Tabata, appear on the program to explore the delights of food.

2014 ~ 2016 30 episodes × 24min M/E tracks ready





## **Summer Breakers**

A boy named Shun was very keen on film-making with a video camera from his father during summer vacation. While he was looking for a heroine, he bumped into a stunning beauty named Yui, felled in love with her at first sight and then scouted her.

"I'm a film director. I'm gonna make you an actress!"

"What? Are you making fool of me?"

What was going on the bizarre relationship between Shun and Yui? what was coming up against their destiny?

1 episode × 113min M/E tracks ready







# **Fukuoka Broadcasting System corporation**

#### 10-JIN ACTORS Season 2.0 and 3.0

Follow the growth of 10 idols from Fukuoka, as they try to gain nationwide popularity!

In 2014, 260 handsome men were scouted in Tenjin, a shopping district in Fukuoka City. Their acting prowess, singing ability, and other unique talents were put to the test as they tried to outdo each other and pass an audition to become one of ten chosen modern Cinderella boys, or 10-JIN Actors. The 10-JIN Actors' goal is first and foremost to become entertainers who represent Fukuoka. Over the course of this season, the 10-JIN Actors engage in various challenges, in their aim to become true Asian stars of the future.



2015 ~ 2016 48 episodes × 30min



# **Sunday Tourist in FUKUOKA**

This program delivers information on seasonal foods, and is a must for anyone planning to visit Japan!
In possession of a wealth of traditional culture, abundant nature, and delicious food, Fukuoka is one of Japan's biggest cities. Since olden times, it has held deep ties with Asia. Each episode, the reporters decide on a theme and travel around the Fukuoka region to find great spots to visit on a Sunday. Along the way, they' II meet with friendly locals, try new dishes for the first time, and discover new items that are sure to become popular in the future.



2016 10 episodes × 10min, and more to come



# LOVELY Trip in KYUSHU "LOVE-RA TABI"

Young women are greedy. They want to see more. They want to know more. They want to eat more. There are a lot of town where there is a charm in KYUSHU. We will introduce splendor of the people, cultural diversity, and vitality of KYUSHU. Rookie announcer Ai Ishikawa visited and lived Fukuoka for the first time in 2015. Ai Ishikawa does not know anything about area, but through this trip she will love more KYUSHU. Lovely woman's trip is named "LOVE-RA TABI". Please enjoy the beautiful scenery, and eat full delicious cuisines.



2015 ~ 2016 5 episodes × 4.5min







# The Land of Fire

Kumamoto Prefecture, located in the center of Kyushu Island, features spectacular scenery from both the mountains and the sea, including Aso, with one of the world's largest calderas and many other natural wonders, and Amakusa, with its gorgeous coastlines and sunsets. In Kumamoto, people can enjoy the beauty of nature at its fullest.

Kumamoto is also full of history and culture. Not only can you visit Kumamoto Castle, one of the top three premiere castles in Japan, you can also explore places like Manda Coal Mine and Misumi West Port, both of which have recently been designated as World Heritage Sites. People have also been attracted to Kumamoto by the food, alcohol, and hot springs provided by our bountiful land and water sources.

We hope you enjoy KUMAMOTO PREFECTURE!

Our mascot, "KUMAMON", was born in conjunction with the opening of the Kyushu Shinkansen line, and he has since been designated as both "Sales Manager" and "Happiness Manager" of Kumamoto Prefecture. He has visited numerous places both inside and outside of Japan in order to share the many charm points of Kumamoto with the world.

The Kumamoto Image Content Study Group is researching effective image content for transmitting information outside of Japan in order to increase the number of tourists from outside Japan, as well as to expand sales channels for products made in Kumamoto.





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# **RUMAMOTO BROADCASTING CO.,LTD**

# Weekly Yamasaki-kun

Local-based information program about Kumamoto. This program appeals to goodness of Kumamoto by strolling shopping street, traveling to hot spring, and gourmet in Kumamoto. "Yamasaki" in title derives from address of Kumamoto Broadcasting.,LTD. This program was broadcasted 700 times in January 27, 2010, and celebrates 20th anniversary in April, 2014.

1994 ~ 2016 4 episodes × 50min on-air-ready video contents without tickers and background music









# **Kumamoto Telecasting Corporation**

#### Eitarou no Kataranne

"Eitaro no Katarannne" is an information variety program of morning broadcasting it until Monday through Friday. This program introduces a lot of charm of Kumamoto, Japan. Eitaro of the talent who sends laughter to the audience in a Kumamoto dialect is a master of ceremonies.

"Katarannne" is a Kumamoto dialect; The meaning that one calls for the participation in program. It is the meaning that I will speak in a program together one more.

The popular section is "Kumamon no shuchou Kataranne". Kumamon is a mascot character of Kumamoto where is popular in Japan.Kumamon introduces event information and special product information by live broadcast from the various places in Kumamoto.

There is the corner that introduces a gourmet, a trip to Kumamoto, a farm output product elsewhere. In addition, I broadcast the corner introducing a family and a couple living in Kumamoto every day in rotation. In addition, with an email and FAX, there is the corner where the person of the audience participates in. The program is updating audience rating TOP in the time. It is the drawing card program which our company is proud of.







2016 50 episodes × 49min Japanese script











# Kumamoto Kenmin Television Corporation

#### **Kumamoto Newfound Gourmet Travel**

Three nationwide popular TV characters known as stormy personal life travel across Kumamoto experience talked-about and latest gourmet food. This program also shows lovely landscape of Kumamoto with a lot of laugh and their revealing talk.

Location is "KUMAMOTO, Kyushu" which is blessed with various food.

Kumamoto' s Yuru-Chara KUMAMON guides trio known as eventful life experience in showbiz world.

The trio travels trends sites and try to enjoy latest gourmet however only winner of game can taste the food!? Enjoy watching the trio's alley fight over to taste exquisite!!

1 episode x 55min M/E tracks ready, Japanese script









### The Secret of KUMAMON

"Yuru-Chara" has now become the Japan's original culture. Yuru-Chara is being made one after another throughout the nation to revitalize the communities. "KUMAMON", a PR character for Kumamoto prefecture, is reigning as Yuru-Chara champion.

You may be surprised to know that staff members working at a prefectural office are producing KUMAMON. They are making new plans one after another outside the boxes of the public officers.

We tried to find out the reason why such a unique mascot character became so popular and to follow the prefectural officials who are supporting the character.

2013 1 episode × 30min M/E tracks ready, Japanese script





# Tele Vitamin Special Issue

Kumamoto is located in central Kyushu where is rich in delicious foods, clear water, and nature.

An information program "Televitamin" started in 1997. Under the theme of "community-based", the program broadcasts not only latest information on tourism and gourmet but also useful information for daily life and locals' documentary on live late afternoon for two hours from Monday through Friday.

"Televita Extra Edition" is recap of what we broadcast for a week and it is 30 minutes long program. Watching this program you will see all trends of Kumamoto!

 $2015 \sim 2016$ 20 episodes × 30min M/E tracks ready, Japanese script











# Kumamoto Asahi Broadcasting Co.,Ltd

#### **Excellent Gourmet in Kumamoto**

This program introduces the charming restaurants and tourist attractions of Kumamoto Prefecture. Kumamoto is a region blessed naturally surrounded, such as the sea and mountains. And it is one of the most beautiful and delicious water has springs in Japan. So grown food is delicious and very fresh. To know the rich environment and food culture of Kumamoto Prefecture in this program, please refer to the journey.



2014 ∼ 2016 50 episodes × 5min





#### **Kumamoto's Hidden Treasures**

This program is very valuable and interesting in Japan. Because the majority of this program is produced by amateur directors. They, called" residents directors", are living in a variety of areas, such as cities, mountains and sea in Kumamoto Prefecture. They love their local area so much and have a strong relationship in the field. From their own point of view, they shot local nature and traditional arts, food culture and so on, and report about that by themselves. Please know more deeply about Kumamoto Prefecture, in this program that takes advantage of amateur sensibility.



2014 ~ 2016 80 episodes × 15min











# A countryside of JAPAN

The SAGA Prefecture Film Commission offers the rich nature of SAGA, its wide open space and its historical buildings as a location for movies, TV, CM, PV, etc and helps ensure that filming proceeds smoothly. It is a nonprofit public organization whose purpose is to attract movies, TV, CM, PV and all genre to film on location and to provide support so that the actual filming runs smoothly.







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