

# Asia Center's First Year —Aiming to Create Joint Asian Culture—

The Asia Center is the Japan Foundation's new, special unit established in April 2014. It aims to promote people-to-people connections and networking in Asia to create Asian culture together as the 2020 Tokyo Olympics and Paralympics approach. By implementing programs in diverse fields including music, theater, film, sports, Japanese-language education, and academia, we support exchange activities between the peoples of Asia in various ways.



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- ① TPAM 2015 Eko Supriyanto Cry Jailolo performance
- ② TPAM 2015 Speed Networking
- ③ "NIHONGO Partners" student
- ④ WA Project launching reception
- ⑤ "NIHONGO Partners" class
- ⑥ Tokyo International Film Festival (TIFF) Asia Networking Reception
- ⑦ Joint Football Exchange with JFA and J.League
- ⑧ The Spirit of Asia Award by the Japan Foundation Asia Center at the TIFF's award ceremony
- ⑨ "NIHONGO Partners" class
- ⑩ DANCE DANCE ASIA Bangkok performance
- ⑪ "NIHONGO Partners" class
- ⑫ Ensembles Asia: Asian Meeting Festival in Tokyo
- ⑬ HANDs! Project working on disaster education