

# Machikado Museum Project



We will introduce a wide variety of cultural treasures of the Chuo City handed down for 400 years from the Edo Period

Chuo City is a historic city famous for its long history and traditions which has thrived as a center of Japanese cultures, commerce, industries and information. In spite of its small size, it is full of historically attractive sites and landmarks including "Nihonbashi"; a famous bridge which is a starting point of the Edo Five Highways, "Ginza"; a world's well-known shopping area, "Kabutocho"; Japan's Wall Street, "Tsukiji"; a center of Japanese food culture, "Tsukuda" and "Tsukishima"; rich waterfront areas. With these attractive sites, Chuo City has flourished from the Edo Period as a vibrant and dynamic community where people gather.

Over the past 400 years, Chuo City has cherished its history and traditions and various cultural treasures have been rooted from the Edo Period such as local festivals, long-established shops and other attractions.

To invite you to these attractive cultures of Chuo City, we have proceeded with "Machikado Museum Project" joined by 22 shops and museums and we have shown you a wide variety of the local cultural treasures. Each museum and shop has a unique way of displaying cultures and techniques such as showcases of traditional crafts in small and long-established shops, displays of history and manufacturing of Japanese companies and displays of "Mikoshi"-portable shrine for local festivals.

You can take a look at the cultural treasures of Chuo City through these exhibitions.

"Come and enjoy the small wonders of this fascinating Chuo City!!"

## No.1 Edo Broom Museum



The handmade broom works as an eco-friendly magical cleaner in the modern world



Exhibiting miniature samples of Edo-HOKI and KAKE-HOKI (hanged type broom).  
You could find the charm of HOKI, especially in its handmade nature.

Administrator: Shirakiya Nakamuradenbei Shouten Inc.  
Address: 3-9-8 Kyobashi Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 10:00-19:00 Monday-Saturday  
(Closed on National Holidays and the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:

- One minute walk from Takaracho Station Exit A3
- Two minute walk from Kyobashi Station Exit 2

## No.2 Shippo Museum -Cloisonne Enamel Product



Touch of beauty of cloisonné enamel, its color and shimmering



Exhibition of museum items of cloisonné enamel in 19 C. You could learn how to make the products through the panels and the video.

Administrator: Ando Cloisonné Inc.  
Address: 5-6-2 Ginza Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 10:00 - 18:30 Monday-Friday  
10:30 - 18:30 Saturday, Sunday, National Holidays  
(Closed on the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:

- One minute walk from Ginza Station Exit A1
- Four minute walk from Higashiginza Station Exit 1

## No.3 Historical Museum of Buddhist Alter and its ritual articles



Exquisite and sublime Buddhist Alter attracts you



Exhibiting the "Tokyo Buddhist Alter" made by a traditional craft person approved by Tokyo Metropolitan City together with the ritual articles and the drawing sheets of them.

Administrator: Yasuda Shokeido Inc.  
Address: 7-14-3 Ginza Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 10:00-18:00  
(Closed on the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:

- Three minute walk from Higashiginza Station Exit 4
- Four minute walk from Tsukiji shijo Station Exit A3

## No.4 Watanabe Woodcut Museum



Japanese Woodcut, UKIYOE to Contemporary Print Arts, are widely housed here



Lots exhibitions relating to Multi-coloured Edo-Woodcut with Japanese original technique. Brilliant pieces of work and the tools.

Administrator: Watanabe Woodblock Art Inc.  
Address: 8-6-19 Ginza Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 10:00 - 18:00 Monday-Saturday  
(until 17:00 on National Holidays)

Access:

- Six minute walk from Ginza Station Exit B3
- JR Four minute walk from Shinbashi Station Exit Ginzaguchi

### No.5 GEKKOSO Art Supplier Museum



Exploring the 100-year history of art at cozy atmosphere



Exhibiting the group efforts of intellectuals, and the first purely domestic paint "Cobalt Blue"

Administrator: Gekkosho Inc.  
Address: 8-7-2 Ginza Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 11:00-19:00  
(Closed on the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:  
G M H Five minute walk from Ginza Station Exit B3  
JR G A U Four minute walk from Shinbashi Station Exit Ginzaguchi

### No.6 GINZA KANAME-YA - Accessories for KIMONO attire Museum



Rare traditional accessories for KIMONO attire, which GINZA vintage shop is proud of



GINZA vintage shop has been supporting KIMONO culture through offering the accessories for KIMONO attire. A classic turtle shell hair accessories (KANZASHI) are showed here.

Administrator: Kanameya Shibata Inc.  
Address: 8-7-18 Ginza Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 11:00 - 20:30 Monday-Friday /12:00 - 19:00 Saturday  
(Closed on National Holidays and the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:  
G M H Five minute walk from Ginza Station Exit B3  
JR G A U Three minute walk from Shinbashi Station Exit Ginzaguchi

### No.7 Tabi (Japanese traditional-toe socks) Museum



Japanese sense of beauty starts from the foot



The historical changes on TABI loved by KABUKI & KYOGEN, and Shinto Shrines are exhibited.  
The wooden shop building in the late 19c. is also worth seeing.

Administrator: Onoyasohonten Ltd.  
Address: 2-2-1 Shintomi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 9:00-17:00 Monday-Friday  
(Closed on National Holidays and the year-end through New Year's Holidays)

Access:  
Y One minute walk from Shintomicho Station Exit 2

### No.8 Mizuno Printing Museum

Display the history of the Japanese printing technology which started here



One original page of the Gutenberg Bible, and any other existing oldest printing are exhibited.

Administrator: Mizunopritech Inc.  
Address: 2-9-2 Irifune Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 10:00-16:00 Monday-Friday  
(Closed on National Holidays and the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)  
**You need to make a reservation in advance .**

Access:  
Y Five minute walk from Shintomicho Station Exit 5  
H Five minute walk from Hatchobori Station Exit A2

### No.9 Shochiku Otani Library



The treasure-house of materials on Theaters and Movies



Closed shelf library housing over 45million items, including scripts, books and programs relating to KABUKI, theatrical performances, movies, Japanese dances and TV.

Administrator: Public Utility Foundation Shouchiku Otani Library  
Address: 1-13-1 Tsukiji, Chuo-ku, Tokyo Ginza Shochiku Square 3rd Floor  
Opening hours: 10:00-17:00 Monday-Friday  
(Closed on National Holidays, the year-end through the New Year's Holidays and the last Thursday of each month)

Access:  
A H Three minute walk from Higashi-ginza Station Exit 5  
Y Eight minute walk from Shintomi-cho Station Exit 1

### No.10 Sketches of Noren(Traditional shop curtain) and Chochin(Paper lantern) Museum



Stylish and dynamic Logos



You may find the various categories of Japanese characters in Edo period and stylish hand writings through the exhibition.

Administrator: Tsutaya Shouten Co. Ltd.  
Address: 6-5-5 Tsukiji, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 7:30-17:30 Monday-Saturday  
(Closed on National Holidays and the year-end through the New Year's Holiday and Market closed days)

Access:  
H Five minute walk from Tsukiji Station Exit 1  
E Ten minute walk from Tsukiji shijo Station Exit A1

No.11 Toothpick (toothpicks and Kuromoji pick for Japanese sweets)Museum



Microcosm of the chic Edo period life style



Delicate technique symbolizing Japanese craftsmanship could be captured this toothpick museum. Toothpicks are just toothpicks, but please sense Japanese mind in them.

Administrator: Nihonbashi Saruya Inc.  
Address: 1-12-5 Nihonbashi-muromachi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 10:00-18:00 Monday-Saturday  
(Closed on National Holidays)

Access:  
G H Five minute walk from Mitukoshimae Station Exit A1

No.13 Ozu Museum (traditional Japanese paper)



Exhibition of the history of the Japanese "Paper Trade"



Ancient documents, the tools, pictures and photos show the history of this established paper merchant "OZU WASHI (Japanese traditional paper)" from its start and changes through generations.

Administrator: Ozu Shoten Inc.  
Address: 3-6-2 Nihonbashi-honcho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo Ozu Honkan Bldg.  
Opening hours: 10:00-18:00 Monday-Saturday  
(Closed on the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:  
JR Two minute walk from JR Shin nihonbashi Station Exit 5  
H Five minute walk from Kodemmacho Station Exit 3  
G Z Five minute walk from Mitsukoshimae Station Exit A10

No.15 Kodenmachi Prison and Execution Ground

Have a glimpse of the Edo period "torture chamber"



You could overview a small model prison at the museum where the real prison actually located.

Administrator: Kodenmachi Ichinobu Chokai  
Address: 5-19 Nihonbashi-kodenmachi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Inside Jishi Square Annex  
Opening hours: 9:00-20:00  
(Closed on the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:  
H Three minute walk from Kodemmacho Station Exit 4

No.12 Daiichi Sankyo KUSURI (Medicine) Museum



Get to know the world of "Medicines"



This museum is committed to providing an interactive experience through a wealth of hands-on activities and engaging exhibits.

Administrator: Daichi Sankyo Inc.  
Address: 3-5-1 Nihonbashi-honcho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 10:00-18:00 Tuesday-Sunday, National Holidays  
, substitute public holidays  
(Closed on the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:  
JR One minute walk from JR Shin Nihonbashi Station Exit 5  
G Z Two minute walk from Mitukoshimae Station Exit A10

No.14 Ibasen Ukiyo-e Museum



Wide range of artworks covering Ukiyo-e to Modern arts



Fine arts including famous UKIYO E painters' works are exhibiting on monthly rotating basis.

Administrator: Ibasen Inc.  
Address: 4-1 Nihonbashi-kofuncho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 8:00-20:00  
(Shops opening hours:10:00-18:00/Monday-Friday)  
(Closed on the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:  
JR Five minute walk from JR Shin nihonbashi Station  
G Z Six minute walk from Mitsukoshimae Station Exit A6

No.16 Edo-ya's collection of traditional natural-fiber handmade brushes



A craftsmanship lasting from the Edo period



You may find lots varieties of materials for brushes. This historical shop exhibits lots samples and the old order record book.

Administrator: Edoya Inc.  
Address: 2-16 Nihonbashi-kodenmachi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 9:00-17:00 Monday-Friday  
(Closed on National Holidays  
and the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:  
H Five minute walk from Kodenmachi Station Exit 3  
JR Ten minute walk from JR Shin-nihonbashi Station Exit 5

No.17 ICHIMASU TAGEN KIMONO Museum



Tracing the history of a successful merchant



The successful merchant started his career from a cheap-jack. Detailed records and his tools are exhibited tracing his unique way of marketing.

Administrator: Tagen Inc.  
Address: 2-3-8 Nihonbashi-hordomecho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 9:00-17:00 Monday-Friday  
(Closed on the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:  
H Three minute walk from Kodemmacho Station Exit 4  
A H Five minute walk from Ningyocho Station A4

No.19 TSUZURA Museum  
- Traditional Basket Box with a lid



Touch of the charm of a TSUZURA and the craftsmanship



The only one TSUZURA shop in Tokyo. You could feel the very traditional craftsmanship handed over generations.

Administrator: Iwai Shoten Ltd.  
Address: 2-10-1 Nihonbashi-nongyocho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 10:00-17:00 Monday-Saturday  
(Closed on the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:  
A H Two minute walk from Ningyocho Station A1

No.21 Hakozaicho hako yon cho kai Mikoshi ko -portable shrine storehouse

"Mikoshi" elaborately designed by Asako Shukei



Enjoy MIKOSHIs by famous Mikoshi creator, ASAKO SYUKEI. Also enjoy the festival photos and the old local map in the office of towners' association near by.

Administrator: Hakozaicho hako yon cho kai  
Address: 26-1 Hakozaiki-cho, Nihonbashi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 8:00-21:00 All through the year

Access:  
Z Two minute walk from Suitengumae Station Exit 2

No.18 Edo Tokyo KUMIHIMO -Braid Museum



Experience of making braids at the atelier "Tradition" co-exist with "Progress"



You could experience making KUMIHIMO in the atelier of the vintage shop. The high-quality products are loved by the imperial family and Kabuki actors.

Administrator: Ryukobo Inc.  
Address: 4-11 Nihonbashi-tomizawacho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 11:00-16:00 Monday-Friday  
(Closed on National Holidays and the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)  
You need to make a reservation in advance .

Access:  
A H Two minute walk from Ningyocho Station A4  
S Seven minute walk from Hamacho Station

No.20 Yukata (informal cotton kimono) Museum



Delicately designed authentic Yukata



YUKATAs in several generations and works of human national treasures are showcased.

Administrator: Sankatsu Inc.  
Address: 3-4-7 Nihonbashi-ningyocho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Divided in two parts/with guided tours  
①15:00~ ②16:00~ Monday-Friday  
(Closed on the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)  
You need to make a reservation in advance .

Access:  
A H Two minute walk from Ningyocho Station Exit A5

No.22 Dyehouse "Tora no Ori" -tiger in the cage



Display of dyed goods— stylish culture lasting from the Edo period



Dye goods, such as Kimono short courts, store short curtains and wash cloths, and the dying tools are showcased. The reason why this shop is called "Tiger in a Cage" may be answered by the staff.

Administrator: Takatora Shouten Ltd  
Address: 2-45-6 Nihonbashi-hamacho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 9:00-18:00 Monday-Saturday (until 17:00 on Saturdays)  
(Closed on National Holidays and the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:  
S One minute walk from Hamacho Station Exit A2

### No.23 Edo Folding Screens and Fusuma Exhibition



Traditional crafts requiring artistic sense and craftsmanship



Flamed works in Edo Period, KAKEJIKU, BYOBU and flames are displayed with the tools.

Administrator: Kyoshin-do Inasaki  
Address: 2-48-7 Nihonbashi-hamacho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 9:00-18:00 Monday to Saturday  
(Closed on National Holidays and the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:

One minute walk from Hamacho Station Exit A2

### No.25 Shu-gyoku Bunko Gallery



Elegant paper culture preserved by "Haibara"



Exhibitions, such as original paintings, prints, draft pictures, blocks and Japanese figured paper, are rotated on monthly basis.

Administrator: Haibara Inc.  
Address: 2-7-1 Nihonbashi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 10:00-18:30 all through the year  
(until 17:30 on Saturdays and Sundays)  
(Closed on National Holidays, the year-end through the New Year's Holidays and Bon Festival Holidays)

Access:

One minute walk from Nihonbashi Station Exit B6

### No.27 Tsukuda Machikado Museum

The biggest "Mikoshi-portable shrine" within Tokyo and the legendary wooden Dragon Dun's Heads



The biggest MIKOSHI in Tokyo, historical SHISHIGASIRA, old maps and nostalgic photos are exhibited.

Administrator: Tsukuda Itchome Chokai  
Address: 1-2-10 Saki, Tsukuda, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Open hours: 24hours, year-round

Access:

Five minute walk from Tsukishima Station Exit 6

### No.24 Mitsubishi Warehouse · Edobashi History Gallery

The history of the waterfront city and its architecture



Historical building "NIHONBASI DAIYA BUILDING" is worth seeing. The history of the storage and the city area are showcased through the panels.

Administrator: Mitsubishi Warehouse Inc.  
Address: 1-19-1 Nihonbashi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Opening hours: 7:30 - 19:30 Monday-Friday / 7:30 - 13:30 Saturday  
(Closed on National Holidays and the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:

Three minute walk from Nihonbashi Station D2  
 Four minute walk from Nihonbashi Station D4  
 Five minute walk from Mitsukoshimae Station B6  
JR Fifteen minute walk from JR Tokyo Station Yaesu Chuo Exit

### No.26 Kabutocho · Kayabacho Machikado Museum

Nostalgia of the local history and culture



Local MIKOSHIs, floats and ritual tools jazzing up one of the biggest festival in Tokyo are showcased. You may check very rare artifact relating to the town firefighters in old days.

Administrator: Nihonbashi Shichinobu Rengo Chokai  
Address: 15-3 Nihonbashi-kabutocho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo  
Walk down memory lane seeing the local history and culture  
Open hours: 8:30 - 20:00 all through the year

Access:

Two minute walk from Kayabacho Station Exit 12

### No.28 Ishikawajima Museum

Display of records on the detailed history of Ishikawajima



IHI established this museum where the history of the company was explained through panels and the diorama.

Administrator: IHI Inc.  
Address: 1-11-8 Tsukuda, Chuo-ku, Tokyo Pier West Square 1st Floor  
Open hours: 10:00-12:00/13:00-17:00 Wednesday · Saturday  
(last entry 16:30)  
(Closed on the year-end through the New Year's Holidays)

Access:

Six minute walk from Tsukishima Station Exit 6

### No.29 Kachidoki・Toyomi historical archive museum


Very proud traditional craftsman's technique and history of Mikoshi



Various sized MIKOSHI and floats made by famous MIKOSHI creator and MATOI are showcased.

Administrator: Kachidoki・Toyomi Rengo Chokai  
Address: 1-9-8 Kachidoki, Chuo-ku, Tokyo Inside Tsukishima Dai-ni Park  
Opening hours: 10:00-16:00 the 2nd Saturday and Sunday of every month

Access:

 One minute walk from Kachidoki Station Exit A4

### No.30 Harumi Community Museum


Relax and feel at home at Harumi Community Museum and Park (new symbol of the town with its own history)



Newly made big and small MIKOSHIs and TAIKO (Japanese drum)  
Historical data and photos of the area are also showcased.

Administrator: Harumi Rengo Chokai  
Address: 2-4 Harumi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo Inside Harumi Rinkai Park  
Open hours: 24 hours, year-round

Access:

 Ten minute walk from Kachidoki Station Exit A2a

### Symbol

-  Tokyo Metro Hibiya Line
-  Tokyo Metro Yurakucho Line
-  Tokyo Metro Hanzomon Line
-  Tokyo Metro Ginza Line
-  Tokyo Metro Tozai Line
-  Tokyo Metro Marunouchi Line
-  Toei Subway Oedo Line
-  Toei Subway Asakusa Line
-  Toei Subway Shinjuku Line
-  Yurikamome Line

 Shopping

