

# International Photo-Haiku Festival

Marking the 150th anniversary of the birth of Masaoka Shiki and Natsume Sōseki

Admission free  
(reservations  
required)

**Saturday, February 3rd 2018, 14:00-16:10**

Venue: 4th Floor Auditorium, the Shiki Museum, Matsuyama, Ehime Prefecture

Morimura Seiichi is the originator of the photo-haiku. This combination of one's own photographs and haikus has created a new mode of expression which is popular around the world. Winners will be presented with prizes, and a symposium will be held at the Awards Ceremony of the 7th Setouchi Matsuyama International Photo-Haiku Contest. Herman Van Rompuy and Arima Akito have been invited to the festival this year.

Natsui Itsuki, well known for her "strict teacher" books and television appearances, will host a workshop during which she will correct haikus submitted by visitors on the day.



Herman Van Rompuy



Arima Akito



Natsui Itsuki



David McMurray

We are now accepting photo-haiku submissions. For details, please check flyers available at any Asahi Culture Center, or the Setouchi Matsuyama International Photo-Haiku official website.

<http://matsuyamahaiku.jp/contest/>

The deadline for submissions is November 30, 2017.

Enquiries

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\* Office closes at 13:30 on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month, and is closed on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Saturdays, and on National Holidays (including substitute holidays).

\* Please see over for how to sign up for the event.

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### event commences at 14:00 and ends at 16:10 (admission free).

We are able to welcome up to 200 people to the event. Applications are dealt with on a first come, first served basis. Please send in your application forms either by fax or post.

Pre-tickets will be sent to successful applicants by the end of January 2018. Please bring your Pre-tickets with you when you come to the venue (4<sup>th</sup> Floor Auditorium, the Shiki Museum, Matsuyama) on the day.

Participants in the workshop hosted by Natsui Itsuki will be able to choose a photograph from the display, write a haiku and submit it for evaluation. Visitors who submitted haikus selected by Ms Natsui during the workshop will receive an attractive gift. Pluck up courage and hand in your compositions!!

\*1. Haiku entry forms will be handed out at reception on the day. \*2. Haikus must be submitted by 13:50

Participants are not allowed to submit more than one entry form

Head of party name:	( ) Surname:	( ) First name:
Head of party postal address (for Pre-tickets)	* If you live in an apartment complex please include the building name and apartment number. ( ) city, town, village ( ) Prefecture	
Telephone number:	— —	
Names of accompanying persons 1		
Names of accompanying persons 2		
Names of accompanying persons 3		
Names of accompanying persons 4		

Please send completed application forms either by fax or post. Telephone applications will not be accepted.

**Matsuyama Haiku Office** TEL: 089-945-6445 (10:00-17:00)  
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FAX: 089-934-6626 \* Please make sure you dial the fax number correctly.

The deadline for submissions to the 7<sup>th</sup> Setouchi Matsuyama International Photo-Haiku Contest is  
November 30, 2017

Official website <http://matsuyamahaiku.jp/contest/>

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