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Art Fair Tokyo 2019  
Fair Visitors Total Record Number of 60,717  
Two Exhibitions in Free Admission Area  
Visited by Approx. 40,000 and 37,000

Art Fair Tokyo 2019 came to a successful close on March 10. Featuring 160 exhibitors from home and abroad, and supported by six Japanese government agencies including the Cabinet Office as well as 104 embassies, the fair attracted a record 60,717 visitors over four days.

The theme of the 2019 fair was “Art Life.” Each exhibitor’s booth contained elaborate and impressive displays of art that received a very positive response from fair visitors.

Held in the free admission lobby area of the fair venue, the exhibitions “World Art Tokyo: Vibrant Planet—If the world is our vibration,” showcasing the work of overseas artists nominated by 31 embassies in Tokyo and curated by 31 students from Tokyo University of the Arts, and “Future Artists Tokyo: EYlection of Anonymous,” produced and run by 45 students from 19 art universities around Japan, drew total visitor numbers of, respectively, 39,594 and 36,854.

Satellite fair events were held at three places around Tokyo, with visitors transported between the venues by a free shuttle bus service. In addition, partnerships with 15 art museums in the Kanto area as well as two other events helped transform Tokyo into a bustling city of art during March.

The next fair, Art Fair Tokyo 2020, is planned for the four days from March 19 to March 22, 2020, at Tokyo International Forum. (March 19 is for invited guests only.)

In cooperation with a wide range of partners, Art Fair Tokyo aspires to create opportunities to develop the art scene in Japan, promote the art industry, and enhance the value of the Japanese art market. We hope for your continued support in our endeavors.

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Visitors: 60,717 (highest total number ever) (101% of last year; 2018 fair: 60,026)

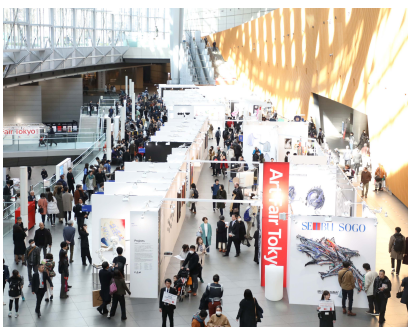
Fair Period: Thursday, March 7 – Sunday, March 10, 2019

Galleries: 160 (Japan: 145; Overseas: 15; First-time exhibitors: 22)

Corporate Exhibitors: 22

Partner Embassies: 104

Partner Organizations: 16



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## Art Fair Tokyo 2019 Overview

**Organizers:** Art Tokyo Association / TV TOKYO / BS TV TOKYO / eplus

**Dates and Hours:** Thursday, March 7 - Sunday, March 10, 2019 (4 days)

Press View	Thursday, March 7	13:00-14:00
Private View	Thursday, March 7	14:00-16:00
Vernissage	Thursday, March 7	16:00-20:00
Public View	Friday, March 8	11:00-20:00
	Saturday, March 9	11:00-20:00
	Sunday, March 10	11:00-17:00

**Venues:** Tokyo International Forum Hall E (3-5-1 Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo)

**Admission Fee:** 1DAY Advanced Free Pass JPY 4,000/1DAY Free Pass JPY 5,000

\* Children below elementary school are free (They must be accompanied by adults)

**Cooperation:** Cabinet Office, Government of Japan / Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan / Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry

Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare / Agency for Cultural Affairs / Japan Tourism Agency

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Embassy of the Republic of Chile in Japan

Embassy of the People's Republic of China in Japan

Embassy of the Republic of Colombia in Japan

Embassy of the Republic of Croatia in Japan

Embassy of the Republic of Cuba in Japan

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Embassy of the Dominican Republic in Japan

DR Congo Embassy in Japan

Embassy of the Arab Republic of Egypt in Japan

Embassy of the Republic of El Salvador in Japan

Embassy of the State of Eritrea in Japan

Embassy of the Republic of Fiji

Embassy of Finland, Tokyo/The Finnish Institute in Japan

Embassy of France / Institut français du Japon / Villa Kujoyama

Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany

Embassy of the Republic of Ghana in Japan

Embassy of the Republic of Guatemala in Japan

Embassy of the Republic of Guinea in Japan

Embassy of the Republic of Haiti in Japan

Embassy of the Republic of Honduras in Japan

Embassy of Hungary in Japan

Embassy of the Republic of Iceland in Japan

Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia in Japan

Embassy of the Islamic Republic of Iran

Embassy of Ireland

Embassy of Israel

Embassy of Italy in Japan

Embassy of Jamaica in Japan

Embassy of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan in Japan

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**Partner Events :** ART in PARK HOTEL TOKYO 2019 / 3331 Art Fair 2019 / Asian Art Award supported by Warehouse TERRADA

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