

Kyoto City designated Cultural Properties

Exhibition Overview

This year the International Council of Museums (ICOM) is held in Kyoto September 1 – 7, marking the first time that this event will have been held in Japan. To commemorate this occasion, the Cultural Properties Protection Division of Kyoto City has coordinated the exhibition “Kyoto City designated Cultural Properties.” The city of Kyoto possesses many cultural properties. Every year cultural properties understood to be of particular importance for understanding Kyoto’s history and culture are designated and registered by Kyoto City. In addition to recently designated and registered works of art and craft, the present exhibition introduces the addition of works classified as “folk cultural properties” (minzoku bunkazai).

In order to preserve cultural properties for future generations, an appropriate degree of restoration is necessary. This exhibition presents the first public exhibition of works of Buddhist sculpture that have been restored through the efforts of local residents.

Date / Term	August 30 – October 20, 2019 9:00-17:00(-20:00 on September 3) Closed on Mondays and National holidays *English-speaking guide: available on September 1 and 3
Venue	Kyoto City Library of Historical Documents 138-1 Matsukage-cho, Kamigyo-ku, Kyoto *5 minutes' walk from City Bus stop "Kawaramachi-Marutamachi" *10 minutes' walk from Subway Karasuma line "Marutamachi" St.
Admission	Free
Organizer	Kyoto City Library of Historical Documents
Contact	Kyoto City Library of Historical Documents TEL: 075-241-4312

Exhibition objects



Standing Eleven-Headed Kannon Bosatsu
(Ekadasamukha Avalokitesvara)
Jōzen-ji



“Dragon and Clouds”
By Soga Shōhaku
Jūnen-ji