

Himeji City Culture Convention Center

Opens in fall of 2021



Division of MICE Promotion , City of Himeji

Creating new encounters, discovery, and value Responding flexibly to a variety of needs



In the fall of 2021, Himeji City Culture Convention Center opens as a hub for festivity and exchange in Himeji City, home to World Heritage Site Himeji Castle. 10 minutes walk from JR Himeji Station, where the Nozomi bullet train stops, via a roofed accessway, the Center, equipped with a hall of 2,000 seats, an exhibition hall of 4,000 square meters, and 10 large, medium and small conference rooms, responds to a broad spectrum of needs.

Facility Size

4F Conference Rooms	Multipurpose Hall (large conference room)	690 square meters *Can be divided into three portions.
	Medium Conference Room	5 rooms (80 square meters each)
	Small Conference Room	2 rooms (35 square meters each)
2F Culture Hall	Large Hall	2,000 seats
		700 seats
	Small Hall	180 seats
	Other Facilities	Main Studio (rehearsal room) Studio
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1F Exhibition Hall		4,000 square meters (107 meters × 37.4 meters) *Can be divided into three portions
1F Outdoor Exhibition Space (Nigiwai square)		1,600 square meters
Neighborhood Facility Casty 21 Park		8,000 square meters
Location 143-2 Kamiya-cho, Himeji City		

Number of stories	1 underground story and 5 stories above the ground and 1 penthouse(Maximum height of 35m)
Other information	Plane parking space (400 vehicles), bicycle parking space (100 bicycles)

* The information is valid as of February 2019 and may be changed in the future.



Floor Guide



Functions divided by floor and clear facility layout Smooth transport by escalator and elevator

2F Entrance Hall



Color tone in the motif of stonewalls and white walls based on the image of World Heritage Site Himeji Castle's syntagmatic keep

Produces open and dynamic space with the west side of the center made the main entrance Promotes roof greening and night time illumination with a view from bullet trains and JR trains taken into account

1F 1F Outdoor Exhibition Space (Nigiwai Square)



With half of the square of 1,600 square meters roofed, we support outdoor use for what the indoor exhibition hall alone cannot cover. Large-scale combined use of both spaces is possible as well.



Before café

Neighborhood Facility Casty 21 Park / Accessway





2F Main Entrance



Roofed Accessway

Casty 21 Park, located at the west of the Center, creates greening and pleasant space in an urban area. The roofed accessway from Himeji Station, which leads to the main entrance on the second floor of the Center via the park, is a safe, pleasant, and attractive space for pedestrians.



Large Hall

First-ever large hall in the Harima area, with a capacity of 2,000 seats. Suited to events from various genres including domestic and overseas artists' concerts, performing arts as well as lectures, and panel discussions as a culture art center in Harima.

Three-layer balcony audience seats create a feeling of immediacy, making you feel close to the stage. Features universal design, equipped with wheelchair seats and a multipurpose viewing room.



Large Hall Audience Seats



Large Hall Foyer



Medium Hall

Easy-to-use and audience-friendly hall with 700 audience seats spreading out in a fan-like form. Suited to events from various genres including plays, music concerts such as chamber music and pops as well as ceremonies and lectures.

Features universal design in addition to having high acoustic performance, equipped with wheelchair seats and a multipurpose viewing room.



Small Hall

Casual and audience-friendly hall with tiers of 180 seats.

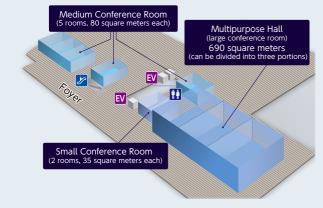
Suited to small concerts and private and group events. Equipped with wheelchair seats and a multipurpose viewing room.



10 conference rooms (large, medium, and small ones) are arranged on a single floor. Available in various sizes and for various purposes of use by effectively using movable partitions. A multipurpose hall of 690 square meters(combined use of 3 large conference rooms)boasts a capacity of about 710 people in theater style and about 440 people in school style,suited to reception parties and poster sessions as well as available as a conference room. You can have a view of open roof

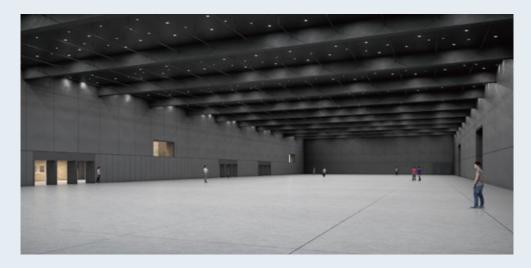
greening from the hall and the lobby.





Reception Party in Multipurpose Hall

F Exhibition Hall



The large and pillar-free space of 4,000 square meters and 9 meters in effective height can be divided into 3 portions, available flexibly according to event size.

The open and highly-free space is suited to a variety of events, ranging from exhibitions, fairs to large ceremonies, conventions, event shows, and reception parties. With a heavy truck's direct access to the site possible, baggage and machinery can be taken in and out smoothly.





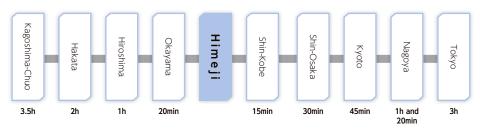
Fashion Show

No shortage of things that refresh you including World Heritage Site Himeji Castle after conventions

Bullet Train"Shinkansen" access is convenient!

Bullet Train"Shinkansen Nozomi" stops

3 hours and 10 minutes at shortest from Tokyo Station to the Center entrance "No train change" ×"Close to the station" = "Stress-free"



Unique Venue HIMEJI Plan Himeji Castle as Hospitality Space



When you visit by plane

120min

By limousine bus (nonstop)

80min

60min

Port Liner and JR

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limousine bus (nonstop)

Kansai International

Airport

Osaka International

Airport (Itami Airport)

Kobe Airport

Future Schedule (plan)

Hingji Station, where public transportations such as Shinkansen, JR railroads, private railroads, buses are concentrated
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From 2018 through 2020

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700m

You can arrive at the Center from Himeji Station via the accessway without getting lost and wet

