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Japan Foundation activities head out around the country this month, in addition to a range of events in London, so please be sure to read below to see if there is anything coming up of interest near you.

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Japan Foundation Touring Film Programme -Reality Fiction: Japanese Films inspired by Actual Events

Look out for these films touring around the country next month.



Who's Camus Anyway?

Chosyu Five

Face

Exclusive offer!



Now, /...





Live Today, Die Tomorrow



A Chain of Islands

6 to 12 February 2009 - ICA, London 7 to 21 February 2009 - Watershed, Bristol 2 to 5 March 2009 -QFT, Belfast 9 to 19 March 2009 - Showroom, Sheffield 11 to 19 March 2009 - Filmhouse, Edinburgh

Subscribers to our e-bulletin can purchase tickets to any screening in the Reality Fiction season at the ICA for a special discounted rate. When purchasing tickets either in person or over the phone, simply ask for the "Japan Foundation special rate" to receive £2 off the price of each ticket purchased.

:: Click here for more information.

Japan Foundation Supports two Theatre Productions playing this month - Shunkin and Midsummer Night's Dream

Inspired by the works of Junichiro Tanazaki, Shunkin, the latest work from Complicite receives its European premiere.

Date: 30 January 2009 -21 February 2009 Venue: Barbican Theatre

Southwark Playhouse's eighth annual Shakespeare production re-imagines A Midsummer Night's Dream in samurai Japan. Date: 4 February 2009 -

28 February 2009 Venue: Southwark Playhouse



Shunkin: photographer Tsukasa Aoki

:: Click here for more information.

Photography Exhibition The out of the ordinary / extraordinary exhibition is at the Oldham

Reminder for Japanese Contemporary

Gallery for the whole of February, until the 28 March. :: Click here for more information.

Language (JFLLC)

Report on the Japan Conference for Schools



About 120 teachers and local authority advisors from Japan and the



UK attended the Conference. :: Click here to read all about it.

One year ago, Wren Academy, a London

secondary school, attended the Japan Foundation's Head Start Course. Now, Japanese language

classes are thriving at the school.



If you are interested in attending this year's Head Start Course then please click here for more information and an application form.

Calling all Amateur Detectives!

Sign up for a new Talking Contemporary Japan Course, entitled "Investigating Japanese Mysteries"!

:: Click here for more information and an application form.

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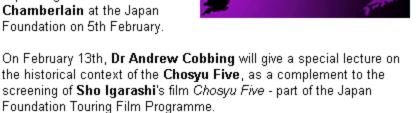


Professor Richard Bowring will be talking about the life of Movers and Shapers: Japan - UK Relations eminent 19th century

Reminder for Movers & Shapers Events

Chamberlain at the Japan Foundation on 5th February.

Japanologist Basil Hall



Both events start at 6:30 pm and will be held at The Japan Foundation, London. :: Click here for more information.

To register for these events, please send an email to event@jpf.org.uk with your name, details and those of any guests. JF news UK has been sent to you because you have either signed up to

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