



# Yokohama and Tel Aviv-Yafo Towards Mutual Growth



On September 5<sup>th</sup> 2012 in Yokohama, Yokohama Mayor Fumiko Hayashi and Tel Aviv-Yafo Mayor Ron Huldai jointly announced in a meeting the "Proclamation of Exchange and Cooperation" between the two cities.

Since then, the two cities have deepened the relationship in the various fields such as culture, startup and innovation.

In commemoration of the 1<sup>st</sup> anniversary of the Proclamation, an olive tree was donated to the City of Yokohama by the Embassy of Israel in Japan.

It was planted by Mayor Hayashi and H.E. Ambassador Ruth Kahanoff in Rinko Park in Yokohama in September of 2013.

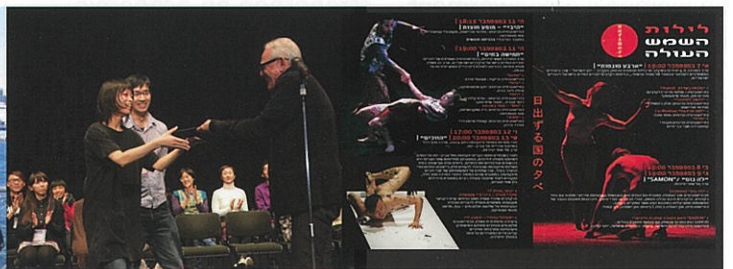
The tree is a symbol of the friendship between the two cities.



Photo exhibition "Tel Aviv Moment" by Ziv Koren [Sep. 2012, Nihon-Odori Sta., Yokohama]



Director General of Tel Aviv-Yafo Mr. Menachem Leiba's visit to Yokohama to exchange opinions in the fields of ports, disaster prevention, transportation and culture [Nov. 2013, Yokohama]



"Tel Aviv Yokohama Award" to young choreographers at Yokohama Dance Collection 2014 [Feb. 2014, Red Brick Warehouse, Yokohama] Photo: Yoichi TSUKADA

"Dance with Japan" week at the Suzanne Dellal Centre introducing the winning pieces of Yokohama Dance Collection [Sep. 2014, Tel Aviv-Yafo]



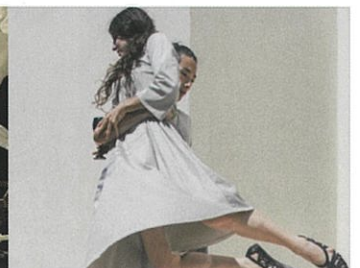
Exhibition on Israel during "Yokohama Israel Friendship Summer Festival", the sport event by the Yokohama Sports Association [Aug. 2015, Kanagawa Sports Center, Yokohama]



City of Yokohama's participation in the 6<sup>th</sup> CITIES SUMMIT TEL AVIV for introducing its smart mobility policies [Sep. 2015, Tel Aviv-Yafo]



Batsheva in Yokohama: DECADANCE as the closing event of Dance Dance Dance @ YOKOHAMA 2015 [Oct. 2015, Yokohama] Photo: Gadi DAGON



"JUDAS, CHRIST WITH SOY" by Mirai Moriyama and Ella Rothschild [Oct. 2015, Yokohama] Photo: Yoav BAREL





City of Yokohama's participation in the 7<sup>th</sup> CITIES SUMMIT TEL AVIV ①  
:introducing its policies to lower the cost of living through health promotion [Sep. 2016, Tel Aviv-Yafo]



City of Yokohama's participation in the 7<sup>th</sup> CITIES SUMMIT TEL AVIV② : Yokohama's young leaders in fields of industry, academia, government visiting Israel to exchange opinions about startup and innovation [Sep. 2016, Tel Aviv-Yafo]



SHALOSH Jazz performance in YOKOHAMA JAZZ PROMENADE [Oct. 2016, Red Brick Warehouse, Yokohama]  
photo : Kuru OKUMURA



The Business Seminar "Tel-Aviv, Leading City of Innovation" held to share information on Tel Aviv-Yafo's startup and innovation, attracted about 100 participants [Dec. 2016, Yokohama]



Young women leaders from Yokohama and Japan visit Israel to exchange opinions on women's empowerment [Feb. 2017, Israel]



Vice president of Tel-Aviv University, Mr.Rein's visit to City of Yokohama to strengthen an academic exchange [Jun. 2017, Yokohama]





City of Yokohama's participation in the 8<sup>th</sup> CITIES SUMMIT TEL AVIV for introducing its food education [Jun. 2017, Tel Aviv-Yafo]







City of Yokohama's participation in MUNI WORLD 2018 for introducing its cyber security policies [Feb. 2018 Tel Aviv-Yafo]


# OPEN YOKOHAMA



- Location ● Population
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**3.73 million**
- GDP(FY2013) ● International Airport
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**23 min**
- Tokyo ● Port and Harbour
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**No.1 cruise port**

USD**123.1** billion      Within **30** min



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