



Invitation Program Business Matching in Miyagi February 6 (Tue) – 09 (Fri), 2018 Organizers: JETRO Sendai, Miyagi Prefecture

Background & Outline

After the Great East Japan Earthquake, Miyagi Prefecture has proactively promoted its region to foreign companies in order to internationalize the domestic economy and industry as the Miyagi rebirth project. Miyagi Prefecture, includes Sendai City, is home to an industrial cluster of electrical and electronic-related industries, and recently, many major automobile manufacturers (including Toyota), semiconductor manufacturing equipment makers, and electronic component device makers settled their office in Miyagi.

International companies and research institutes can also collaborate with world-level academic research institutes like the Tohoku University.

In addition, foreign companies can benefit from comprehensive investment subsidies, as well as reasonable labor and office rental cost. Miyagi prefecture is located only 90 minutes from the Tokyo metropolitan area.

The Miyagi Prefectural Government would like to invite foreign companies considering an investment in Miyagi to travel to the prefecture and conduct observation visits to relevant points of interest. This project is aimed at companies active in the fields of healthcare, automotive industry (next-generation automobiles and IoT), aerospace, IT and advanced electrical machinery.



Schedule

Schedule	Summary	Details
6.Feb	Miyagi Seminar in Tokyo	Seminar concerning investment in
		Miyagi held in Tokyo
7.Feb	Transfer to Miyagi	Observation visits and networking in
	University/Organization/Company	line with the invitee's needs
	visits	
8.Feb	University/Organization/Company	Observation visits and networking in
	visits	line with the invitee's needs
9.Feb	Return home	

<Plan 1: Miyagi Seminar Observation Visit>

<Plan 2: Solo Observation Visit>

Schedule	Summary	Details
Day 1	Arrive in Miyagi	Information provided by Miyagi
	Receive information	Prefectural Government
Day 2	Invitee company PR and exchange	Self-promotion by the invitee company
	meeting OR	Observation visits in line with the
	University/Organization/Company	invitee's needs
	visits	
Day 3	University/Organization/Company	Observation visits and networking in
	visits	line with the invitee's needs
Day 4	Return home	

Potential Invitees

This project is aimed at companies that fall under one of the prioritized industries listed below and have a desire in investing in Miyagi Prefecture. There is a maximum of one representative per invited company, with a total of three companies and three representatives across all fields.

- Healthcare
- •Automobile (Next-generation automobiles and IoT)
- Aerospace
- Information Technology
- Advanced Electrical Machinery

Costs borne by JETRO

The following will be arranged by JETRO: roundtrip plane ticket, local transportation within the prefecture, accommodation, and interpretation.

- *Business class plane tickets are standard, but restricted to only those with decided intent on investment.
- *Requests for a particular detour or indirect path require individual consultation.

Application Deadline: December 04, 2017

<Inquiries> JETRO Düsseldorf (Japan External Trade Organization) Petra Rehling, petra_rehling@jetro.go.jp Tel.: 0211-13602-23