

## STAGE SCHEDULE

| TIME  | PROGRAM                                   |
|-------|-------------------------------------------|
| 14:30 | DOORS OPEN / REGISTRATION / WELCOME MUSIC |
| 15:00 | OPENING PERFORMANCE                       |
| 15:15 | OPENING REMARKS                           |
| 15:25 | KEYNOTE SESSION                           |
| 16:05 | LIVESMILE TALK                            |
| 16:20 | BREAK                                     |
| 16:40 | HANDS ON TOKYO 20 YEARS of IMPACT         |
| 16:45 | ADDRESS BY THE MAYOR OF MINATO CITY       |
| 16:50 | PANEL DISCUSSION                          |
| 17:30 | LIVESBEST                                 |
| 17:50 | CLOSING PERFORMANCE                       |
| 18:10 | RECEPTION                                 |

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## MERCHANDISE BOOTHS



### CHOCOLABO

CHOCOLABO is a Yokohama-based chocolate atelier that creates opportunities for people with disabilities through an inclusive workplace. All of our sweets are 100% handmade.



### Art Mura SHOP

Guided by the concept "Talent knows no disability," Art Mura Shop offers a variety of products, from baked goods to stationery.



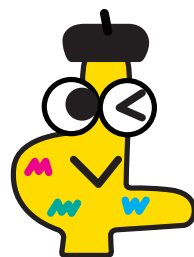
### Felice di Ai

Located just a 1-minute walk from Seijo-gakuenmae Station, Felice di Ai offers a wide variety of sweets, hand-crafted goods, and unique products made at support facilities for people with disabilities in Setagaya City.



### Asutane Kitchen

Asutane Kitchen offers thick, aromatic, and juicy shiitake mushrooms, lovingly grown by our staff with disabilities every step of the way.



### Hands On Tokyo

Hands On Tokyo is celebrating its 20th anniversary! Stop by to check out our charity goods and support our volunteer activities.



### Ryota Kuriyama

Explore Ryota Kuriyama's books, music, and other works, including "The Disastrous Daily Life of Blind Me" and "Angie the Guide Dog" and the CD Real Victory.



### Masatane Muto

A brand offering ALS charity items and universal design apparel created using eye-gaze technology by ALS creator Masatane Muto.

## SPONSORS



Hello, A.I.  
～ 新しい自分をみつける日～

LIVES  
TOKYO

2026.9.12 SAT

Akasaka Inter CITY AIR 4F

LIVES TOKYO 15:00-18:00

Reception 18:00-19:00

<http://hataraku-taberu-warau.jp>

# Hello, A.I.

~ A Day to Discover a New You ~

As we enter an era shaped by A. I., what does it mean to grow as a human being? How can we use A. I. while staying true to what makes each of us unique? A. I. is transforming the way we live and work. Rather than fearing change, let's embrace new perspectives, experiences, and possibilities. By looking beyond traditional measures of success and recognizing the value of individuality, we can create a society where everyone has the opportunity to thrive. Let's explore what's possible and discover new ways to grow with A. I.

## KEYNOTE SESSION

"Hello, A. I."

Discover a new world through new perspectives ~



**Shinsuke Shimura**  
Creator of "Beyond Benefit"  
Founder, Dialogue in the Dark Japan

When one sense is limited, others can become more attuned, revealing possibilities we may have never noticed before. In the age of A. I., let's discover new potential through human connection, conversation, and shared experiences.

## GREETING



**Ken Chan**  
Representative Director,  
Certified NPO Hands On Tokyo

Thank you for joining us. We hope the connections made at LIVES TOKYO will inspire us to build a future where everyone can shine.



**Ai Seike**  
Mayor of Minato City

Toward a city where everyone can embrace their differences and be themselves. Together, Minato City is working to build a more inclusive society.

## LIVESMILE TALK

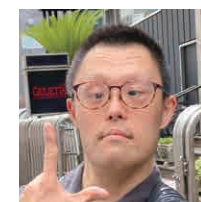
A platform where supporters and people with disabilities share their experiences, hopes, and ideas for creating a more inclusive society.



**MC**  
**Izumi Tanaka**



**MC**  
**Shoichiro Minami**



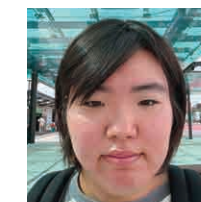
**Shoichiro Minami**  
LIVES TOKYO MC

Hello, I'm Shoichiro Minami. I've been the MC for LIVES TOKYO since its first event in 2017. I hope for a future where everyone can work, eat, and laugh together, as equals.



**Ryota Kuriyama**  
Singer-Songwriter & Teacher

By bringing together human connection, compassion, and AI, we can create a better future. Through my music, I hope to connect people and, as a teacher, inspire the next generation.



**Riho Ishii**  
LIVES Kitchen Member

I found a job that suits me and moved into a group home to become more independent. I enjoy my work and life at the group home, and I'm happy to have a good balance between work, hobbies, and daily life.



**Kota Shimano**  
Employee, Pasona Heartful Inc.

I participated in LIVES Kitchen, Hands On Tokyo's food truck project. I currently work at Pasona Heartful Inc., where I'm part of the general affairs team while also pursuing my work as an artist.

## PANEL DISCUSSION What Will Society Look Like in the Age of A. I.?

As A. I. becomes part of our everyday lives, what should we hold on to, and what values can help us build a better society? We'll explore these questions together, bringing different generations and perspectives to the conversation.



**Nikoru Kondo**  
15-Years-Old Entrepreneur  
CEO, EdFusion Inc.

I believe A. I. can expand our possibilities and help us discover new sides of ourselves. Together, let's create a future where our differences are valued as strengths and everyone can pursue their own possibilities.



**Shinichiro Kumagaya**  
Professor, Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology (RCAST), The University of Tokyo Deputy Director, Center for Diversity, Inclusion and Co-creation, The University of Tokyo Pediatrician

People with a range of disabilities, including sensory impairments, aphasia, intellectual disabilities, and autism, are finding creative ways to use A. I. At the same time, concerns have been raised about the potential risks of relying on A. I. chatbots. As A. I. becomes increasingly integrated into our lives, what do we need to keep in mind to ensure it helps rather than harms?



**Hiromichi Nozaki**  
Managing Executive Officer &  
CTO, Microsoft

"To empower every person and every organization on the planet to achieve more." We believe A. I. can help create a future where everyone can discover new possibilities and reach their full potential.

## LIVES BEST

A platform where companies and individuals share success stories and showcase products and services that help create a more inclusive society.



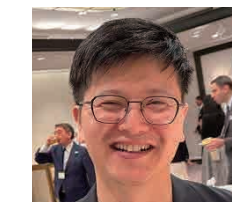
**Motoki Taniguchi**  
LEDGE Director / Attorney at Law

We work to protect the rights of people with disabilities through the justice system. Together, we can challenge barriers and create change.



**Takeshi Nakamura**  
CEO, Raise the Flag, Inc.

Using AI to create a future where people can make their own choices!



**Takayuki Shigemitsu**  
NPO Ryoiku World

Expanding Employment Opportunities for People with Intractable Diseases : The Potential of "RD Workers"

## ENTERTAINMENT

Welcome Music / Closing Performance  
**Ryota Kuriyama**

**Singer-Songwriter & Teacher**

"The Magic of Love" begins with taking an interest in others. I hope to share this heartfelt message with you.



Closing Performance  
**Beverly**

**Internationally Renowned Singer**

We hope this space brings you a little joy and reminds you that you're not alone.



Opening Performance

**Masatane Muto**

**Representative Director, WITH ALS  
Communication Creator / DJ**

We bring you a unique live performance that combines AI, eye-gaze technology, voice synthesis, and more to share a message of hope.



Closing Performance

**Ryuga Kamui**

**The World's First Wheelchair Performer**

Born with a life-threatening condition and given just one week to live, I survived against the odds. I started sit-skiing at the age of five and went on to compete in the Japan Para Championships. I'm thrilled to be performing at LIVES TOKYO again this year!

