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2. Basic Comments

- **The EU-Japan Centre covers all expenses related to matchmaking, exhibition booth fees and interpretation services.**
- **The Centre does not cover flight costs, accommodation, and miscellaneous expenses related to your stay, such as lunch, dinner, and local transport**
- **The mission selects representatives of companies; only one person is the officially selected participant**
 - Notify us about any change if someone else needs to represent your company in the mission due to unforeseen circumstances
 - Let us know in case colleagues traveling with you so that we can provide support as far as possible

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3. Mission Intro

- **Partnering Platform for 1:1 meetings and networking in cooperation with Osaka Prefecture**
- **Exhibit & Partnering at Asia's Largest Partnering Event - BioJapan**
- **Online meeting sessions from 24-26 September**
- **EU-Japan Biotech & Pharma Partnering Conference in Osaka, 6 October**
1:1 Meetings, Luncheon, Poster Display, Policy Seminar, Reception, Site visit
- **Participation in BioJapan from 8-10 October**
Partnering, joint booth, your own poster space, support by staff and interpreters, Reception and Partnering Party

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3. Mission Overall Schedule

			Wed. 24 Sept. Osaka Online	Thu. 25 Sept. Osaka Online	Fri. 26 Sept. Osaka Online	
Sun. 5 Oct. Kansai Intl. Airport  or  Tokyo ⇒ Osaka Check-in Osaka	Mon. 6 Oct. EU-Japan Biotech& Pharma Partnering Conference Osaka	Tue. 7 Oct. Check-out Osaka Site Visit in Osaka  Osaka ⇒ Yokohama Check-in Yokohama	Wed. 8 Oct. Bio Japan Yokohama Bio Japan Reception	Thu. 9 Oct. Bio Japan Yokohama Bio Japan Partnering Party	Fri. 10 Oct. Bio Japan Yokohama	Sat. 11 Oct. Check-out Yokohama  Tokyo Haneda or Tokyo Narita

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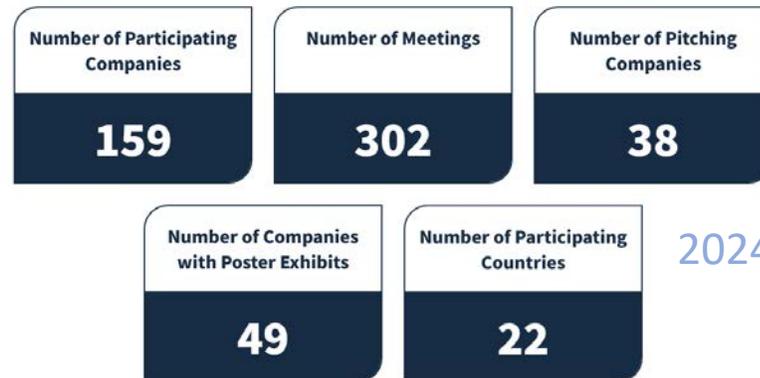
3. Mission Intro – EU-Japan Biotech & Pharma Partnering Conference

Organised by Osaka Prefectural Government & EU-Japan Centre for Industrial Cooperation

24-26 Sept. Online Partnering meetings

- 6 Oct. @Hotel Hankyu International, Osaka
Onsite Partnering Meetings,
Luncheon, Poster Display,
Policy Seminar, Reception
- 7 Oct. Site visit Osaka

[>>Full Agenda](#)



2024 Figures



Osaka Prefectural Government



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3. Mission Intro - BioJapan

Asias Largest Partnering Event
Hosted by the Japan Bio-Industry Association (JBA)



2025.10.8 Wed. -10 Fri. PACIFICO Yokohama



2024 Figures

• Exhibitors

1,052 companies 850 booths

• Visitors

18,003 visitors

• Companies (Partnering)

1,450 companies

2,882 attendees

• Meetings (Partnering)

22,045 meetings

2024 Floor Layout

2024 Exhibitor / Partnering Participants Search



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4. Preparation – Profiles & Partnering

1. EU-Japan Biotech & Partnering

Invitation sent **on 3 July** via b2match

Open to all Japanese and European companies, registration is free

2. BioJapan Exhibitor & Partnering Profile

Form with company profiles to be submitted **by 17 July**

Partnering Account will be issued to you in **early August**

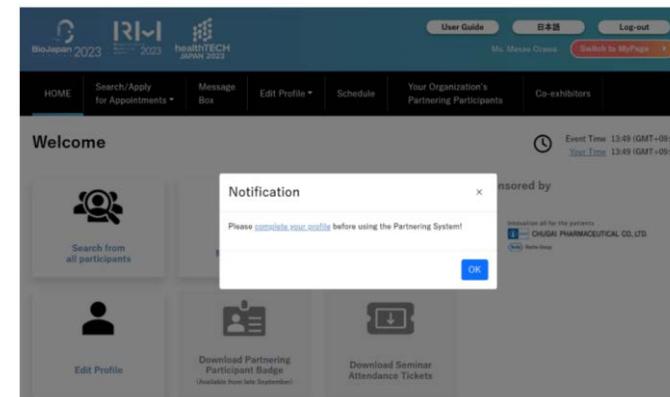
Partnering Pass is included for Mission participants

additional Passes (e.g. for colleagues) at own cost:

88,000JPY early bird before 2 Sept.

Exhibition access passes can be provided free of charge

The Booth layout and booth number will be published **in late July**



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4. Preparation – Profiles & Posters

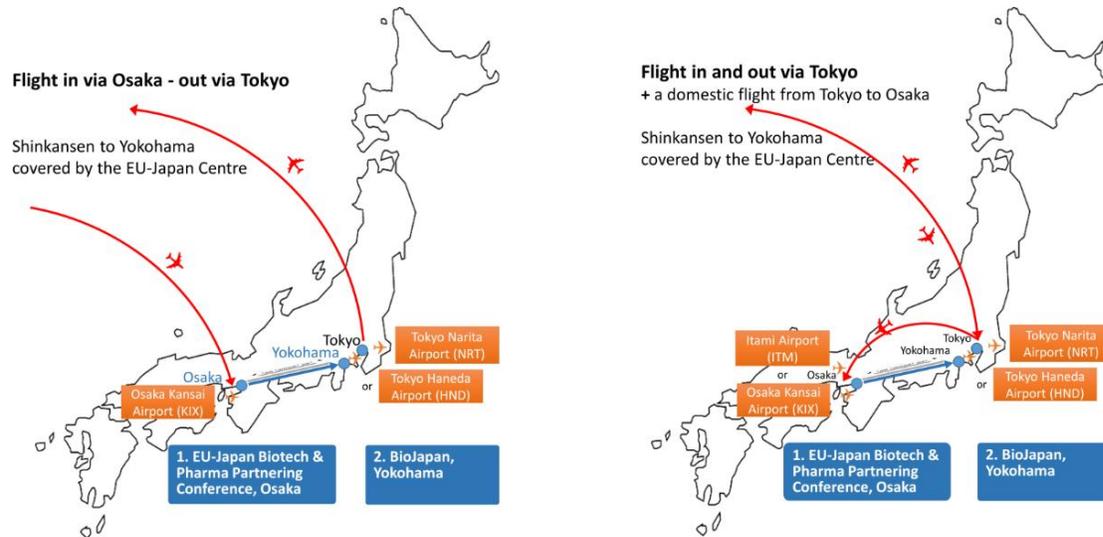
1. A company name board with company name logo and a 40-letters description of your company
Form to be submitted **by 17 July**
2. A Poster board in A1 size
(translated by the Centre into Japanese)
Poster data to be submitted **by 14 August**
3. A simple display cabinet to place brochures etc.
4. A box for client's business cards



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4. Preparation – Flight/Other Transport

Flight/Transport from Europe to Osaka and from Yokohama to Europe



Transfer from Osaka to Yokohama by Shinkansen on 7 October will be covered by the EU-Japan Centre for selected mission participants only. A ticket including a reservation for a certain train number (to be announced later) will be handed over to mission participants during the EU-Japan Biotech & Partnering Conference in Osaka.

If you wish to reserve additional tickets for your colleagues, who have not been selected for the mission, we believe it is easier to purchase tickets after arrival in Japan even though it is not impossible to [purchase tickets in advance](#).

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4. Preparation – Hotel

Hotels in Osaka and Yokohama need to be booked by each participant

We do not recommend any specific hotels but we mention a few conveniently located ones on the [mission information page](#) for selected participants

- The venue for the EU-Japan Biotech & Pharma Partnering Conference in Osaka is the [Hotel Hankyu International](#), located in the “[Kita](#)” or “[Umeda](#)” Area of Osaka
- The venue for BioJapan is the [Pacifico Yokohama](#) in the [Minato Mirai](#) Area of Yokohama



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Thank you.

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Website with latest practical info for you:

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