

NEWS Release



The Hotel Seiryu Kyoto Kiyomizu Appointed as a Partner Hotel of “Takumians” within the Traveller Made Network

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Kyoto, Japan — The Hotel Seiryu Kyoto Kiyomizu announces its appointment as a Partner Hotel of “Takumians,” a community brand within the global luxury travel network Traveller Made. Within this network, “Takumians” is a curated consortium of selected travel designers recognized for their advanced expertise and refined creative approach to highly personalized journey design.

This designation recognizes the hotel’s seamless integration of bespoke hospitality with Kyoto’s cultural heritage. The property offers curated cultural programming, including maiko performances, designed to provide guests with culturally rooted, place-specific experiences while actively contributing to the preservation and continuation of Kyoto’s living traditions.

The Hotel Seiryu Kyoto Kiyomizu will continue to elevate its luxury hospitality offering while further developing culturally immersive experiences for international travelers, serving as a gateway for the transmission and enduring appreciation of Kyoto’s cultural legacy for generations to come.

About Takumians

“Takumians” is a luxury travel consortium operated by “Traveller Made,” an international network. The brand name is inspired by the Japanese spirit of takumi (master craftsmanship). It brings together carefully selected travel agencies, luxury hotels, and cruise companies from around the world to promote the creation of exceptional travel experiences.



About The Hotel Seiryu Kyoto Kiyomizu:

The Hotel Seiryu Kyoto Kiyomizu is a refined expression of Kyoto’s enduring spirit—housed within a beautifully restored former school just steps from World-heritage Kiyomizu-dera. Historical architecture is preserved with care and reimaged through design that bridges Kyoto’s past with the understated elegance of modern luxury.

Guest lounge invites quiet pause and cultural connection. Overlooking Yasaka Pagoda, it becomes a space of reflection and discovery—hosting intimate tea rituals, maiko performance, and moments shaped by long-standing relationship with Kyoto’s cultural custodians.

More than a stay, The Hotel Seiryu offers a deeper way to experience the city—intimate, thoughtful, and rooted in something real. This is Kyoto, as it lives and breathes.

[Opening date] March 22, 2020

[Number of rooms] 48 rooms

[HP] <https://www.princehotels.com/seiryu-kiyomizu/>

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[Major Awards and certificates]

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