

Hakuba Jazz® Experience Application Guidelines

Welcome to the Hakuba Jazz® Experience! Would you like to perform in Hakuba during the Green Season?



<What is Hakuba Jazz®?>

Hakuba Jazz® was established in 2020 with the vision of fostering a new musical culture amidst the majestic nature of Hakuba. Valuing the creativity and cooperation that are the essence of jazz, it aims to be a music festival where people from all over the world come together. Over the past five years, many renowned Japanese artists such as TOKU, Kenji “JINO” Hino, Yosuke Onuma, Takashi Numazawa, David Bryant, Tony Suggs, Masa Kohama, Kaleb James, Jay Stixx, and Kai Petite have graced the Hakuba Jazz® stage. Additionally, the world-renowned bassist Nathan East serves as an ambassador, connecting Hakuba with the global music scene.

<What is Hakuba Jazz® Experience (HJE)?>

HJE is, as its name suggests, a true “experience.” It offers aspiring professional artists and amateur musicians who love music a unique opportunity to challenge themselves on a one-of-a-kind stage provided by Hakuba Jazz®. We invite you to take on a new challenge in the stunning natural setting of Hakuba, a place where people from around the world gather.

<Overview>

- **Application:** There is a screening process by the Hakuba Jazz® office. Please include a link to a video of your performance in your application. (Application methods are detailed below.)
- **Stage:** Performances will take place at the Hakuba Iwatake Mountain Resort, a famous tourist spot at an altitude of 1300 meters. The exact location may change depending on the weather conditions on the day.
- **Genre:** All genres are welcome, but please ensure that your performance aligns with the atmosphere of Hakuba Jazz® and Hakuba Iwatake Mountain Resort.
- **Opportunity:** Over 1,000 tourists from around the world visit Iwatake daily during the Green Season. This is a chance to deliver your performance in an international setting. There may also be opportunities to perform at local restaurants and other venues in the evenings.
- **Sound System:** HJE provides a battery-powered, all-in-one column PA system (JBL EON ONE MK2) that can be used off-grid. Please connect your instruments and perform.

<Offer>

- Selected artists through the screening process will be provided with:
Lunch at Iwatake, transportation expenses from Nagano City or Matsumoto City, and round-trip gondola tickets to the summit of Iwatake Mountain. (Note: Transporting equipment is your responsibility.)
- **Merchandising opportunities:** You can sell CDs and original goods.
- **Performance Fee Policy:** HJE does not offer a performance fee.

<Application Method:>

Please fill out the required information in the form on the website below to apply for the Hakuba Jazz® Experience.

Apply for the Hakuba Jazz® Experience through the form on the website below:

<https://www.hakubajazz.com/en/hje>

<Disclaimer>

- The organizers and related parties are not liable for any accidents or injuries that may occur during participation.
- Photos and videos taken during the event may be used by Hakuba Jazz® and related media, and the copyrights will belong to Hakuba Productions Inc., the operator of Hakuba Jazz®.
- Submitted information will only be used for screening and contact purposes and will not be provided to third parties.

- The event's planning and operations may change, but appropriate notice will be given in such cases.
- Participants are responsible for managing and protecting their instruments and equipment.

Hakuba Jazz® Experience Office