VISIT TO YOKOHAMA MUSEUM OF ART

Keio Welcome Net would like to invite you of viewing "Cai Guo-Qiang:There and Back Again" exhibition, held at the Yokohama Museum of Art.

This is a first large-scale solo exhibition by the internationally reclaimed New York based Chinese born contemporary artist, **Cai Guo-Qiang 蔡國強**.

This exhibition features new large-scale two-dimensional works commissioned especially for this exhibition. The new drawings will be created in Cai s signature medium, igniting gunpowder on Japanese paper. The subject will be selected through the artist s research on the history and culture of the city of Yokohama. The exhibition also includes *Head On*, of Cai s signature works, which will be shown for the first time in Japan.

Taking inspiration from the title of Tao Yuanming(陶淵明) s famous poem"The Return(「帰去来」)," this solo exhibition intends a return to the place of origin where Cai s artistic path first took shape. It also aims to introduce his current practice, including a new work based on the history of Yokohama.

Curator of the Museum will give you a short lecture before seeing the exhibition. After the program, you can also see the permanent collection.

PLEASE SIGN UP for the event BY JULY 5 by emailing to <u>welcomenetevent@gmail.com</u> with your name, home country, affiliation at Keio, and mobile phone number.

Date: July 18 (Sat.), 2015

Meeting Place: Lobby (street level) of the Yokohama Museum at 15:45

Admission fee: Free, thanks to the arrangement of the Yokohama City Office's Culture and Tourism Bureau, on condition that you would send a message on SNS, blog, twitter, Facebook, etc., on your visit to the exhibition or on the Museum.

Number of people to be admitted: 18 people (on a first-come-first-served basis)

Transportation: 3 minutes on foot from Minato-Mirai Station, which has a direct access from Hiyoshi Station. If you take from Hiyoshi Station at 15:18 an express train bound for Yokohama Chuka-gai, you will arrive at Minato-Mirai Station at 15:33. Transportation fee from Hiyoshi to Yokohama Chukagai is ¥370 (one way).

Please see URL of the Yokohama Museum: http://yokohama.art.museum/

We are looking forward to joining with you.

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