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# Hilton Tokyo Bay Announces Grand Opening of New Dedicated Banquet Floor and Function Rooms

Also launches brand new wedding menus and wedding package plan

**URAYASU, CHIBA, Japan - November 5, 2014** - Hilton Tokyo Bay proudly announced the grand opening of its refurbished banquet floor featuring 11 new function rooms. Together with the new function rooms, the hotel also launched its brand new wedding menus and wedding package plan.



#### soara

### **New Banquet Rooms**

Designed by the award-winning designer, Yukio Hashimoto, the new banquet rooms' design concept, 'Wind of Light', reflects the simple natural beauty of fresh breezes, rippling waves and sparkling lights. The design elements were inspired by the hotel's iconic urban resort location, the scenic Tokyo Bay and panoramic skies. The stunning banquet rooms are furnished with state-of-the-art lighting and audio-visual equipment such as moving lights (72 lights, 2 kinds), pre-programed LED color lighting, high-quality digital video projectors and high-power audio systems. Controls via a touch-screen system provide a stress-free environment for a unique variety of events\*.

## New Wedding Menus and Package Plan

As part of the launch of the new banquet rooms, Hilton Tokyo Bay also developed a new wedding concept with new tag line "一歩ずつ、花嫁になっていくあなたに。" The tag line translates to mean that Hilton Tokyo Bay wedding planners aspire to assist to-be-wedded couples every step of their wedding preparation journey; from the very first meeting with the hotel to the day of their wedding. As part of the wedding planning experience, the wedding planners will offer bespoke professional advice to help create a wedding filled with happiest smiles ever.

In addition to the dedicated service by the wedding planners, the hotel's Executive Chef, Freddy Schmidt has created a collection of brand new wedding menus.

## Brand New Wedding Menus

Chef Freddy Schmidt, who brings extensive experience from famous hotels and restaurants around the world, has been the executive chef at Hilton Tokyo Bay since 2013. For the launch, the chef has introduced new wedding menus featuring Japanese French fusion dishes. Besides the set menus on offer, couples can choose to consult with the chef to tailor their wedding menus.

## New Wedding Package Plan

To celebrate the launch of the new banquet rooms, the hotel is offering a special wedding package which includes a wedding ceremony at the PrimaLuce chapel as well as a first anniversary dinner experience for the couple. The package includes:

- Discount for wedding costumes (please note: some items may be excluded)
- Complimentary wedding trial meal for two (worth ¥20,000)
- PrimaLuce chapel ceremony (worth ¥216,000)
- Food and free-flow of beverages
- Flower arrangements
- Room rental fee for the wedding reception
- First anniversary dinner ticket for two

Priced at ¥880,000 for 40 guests (an additional ¥16,500 per person applies), couples must visit the hotel for their first meeting to discuss their wedding celebrations from now until January 31, 2015, to be eligible for this package. Unless otherwise stated, all prices are subject to prevailing government taxes and service charge. This package is subject to terms and conditions.

For reservations and enquiries, please call: Tel: + 81 47 355 7702 (Wedding Sales)

\*Please note that not all event rooms have all features referred to above. For further details, please refer to the appendix provided.

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### About Hilton Tokyo Bay

This family-friendly hotel is ideally situated on the eastern shores of Tokyo Bay, adjacent to Tokyo Disneyland and Tokyo DisneySea. Located just 30 minutes from Tokyo and 60 minutes from Narita International Airport, this official hotel of the Tokyo Disney Resort offers 817 state-of-the-art guest rooms, 5 extensive restaurants and bar, 2 magnificent ballrooms and 14 smaller function rooms serving meetings of any size. Accommodations range from stylish modern rooms through to unique-themed multiple occupancy rooms. The hotel boasts numerous recreation facilities including a 1600 square meter Garden Pool area, children's indoor play spaces, a spacious modern Fitness Center and an indulgent Relaxation Salon. For more information about the Hilton Tokyo Bay, please visit www.tokyo-bay.hilton.com.

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## Appendix: New Banquet Rooms Fact Sheet

Along with the renovation, the names of the 11 event rooms have also changed bringing new life to each space.



■ <u>'soara'</u>: The largest ballroom in the hotel, 'soara' accommodates up to approximately 1,400 guests. Taken from the inspirational word 'soaring', this new name reflects the soothing and relaxing ambience of the new banquet hall interiors as well as Hilton's legendary flawless execution of events and elevation of any social or business event creating a unique and memorable experience.

■ <u>'G' and 'S'</u>: Two medium-size event rooms. Single-letter names highlight the new distinctive modern interiors: 'G' is coined from precious 'Gold', while 'S' is coined from 'Silver', with both names subtly suggesting their respective colors.

■ <u>'azur', 'cyan', 'evo', 'ami', 'neo', 'vio' and 'arc\*'</u>: Eight intimate-scaled event rooms are named after natural elements: 'azur' and 'cyan' reflect the scenic blue ocean and clear skies that surround the resort hotel, while 'evo', 'ami', 'neo', 'vio', and 'arc' are coined from the words 'evolution', 'amiable', 'new', 'vio' (meaning 'Life' in Greek), and 'arc' (taken after the English word) respectively.

\* 2 event rooms will be named 'arc'.

Banquet Hall	Spaces			Capacity			
	Area (sqm)	Dimensions (m)	Height (m)	Dinner	Buffet	Classroom	Theater
soara	1,188	28 x 45	6.0	800	1,200	828	1,400
soara (I + II / II + III )	804	28 x 30.4	6.0	460	650	500	900
soara (Ⅰ/Ⅲ)	384	28 x 14.6	6.0	230	300	200	400
soara ( II )	420	28 x 15.8	6.0	260	350	252	500
G	224	15 x 14.8	3.0	140	180	126	248
S	252	15 x 14.8	3.0	160	200	126	248
azur / cyan	88	10 x 8.2	2.9	40	50	36	60
evo / ami / neo / vio	75	9 x 8.3	2.9	30	40	36	50
arc ( I + II )	42	5.3 x 7.6	2.7	20	20	20	20
arc (Ⅲ)	27	3.2 x 8	2.7	10	10	-	15

### Capacities & Dimensions:

About facilities:			
Lighting			
[soara]:	Ambient line lights (approx. 916 meters in total length) creating thousands of colors, 72 moving lights		
[All except arc]:	A zero to 100 percent dimming control system		
<u>Video</u>			
Video projectors			
[soara]:	Seven full high-definition (1920 x 1200 pixels / 8500 lumens) DLP® video projectors		
	*DLP <sup>®</sup> (Digital Light Processing) is trademark of Texas Instruments Inc. in USA		
[All except soara &	arc]: High-definition (1280 x 800 pixels / 3300 lumens) super short focus liquid crystal		
	projectors (G and S: two each / azur, cyan, evo, ami, neo, vio: one each)		
Automatic elevating	g screens		
[soara]:	200-inch (7 screens)		
[All except soara &	arc]: 110-inch (G and S: two each / azur, cyan, evo, ami, neo, vio: one each)		
All except arc:	Digital transmission of movies on DVD or PC to play on the projector with high quality, Wireless access of movies on iPad		
• soara, G, S:	Simultaneous video projecting feature onto all screens		
Audio			
[All except arc]:	Mixers, High-quality audio speakers		
<u>Others</u>			
[All except arc]:	Seamless control of lighting / video features and screen elevating using a touch-screen interface		
[soara]:	Can be conveniently separated into 3 parts with high noise resistant partitions		
[All function rooms]:	Wireless Internet connection in the function rooms and foyer (charged)		