

Haru Kuroki named Festival Muse for 29th Tokyo International Film Festival!

Description

The 29th Tokyo International Film Festival has welcomed actress Haru Kuroki for the Festival Muse. Ms. Kuroki will appear at the opening ceremony and other official events as the face of the 29th TIFF. The festival is scheduled to run October 25th through November 3rd, 2016.



Haru Kuroki

Kuroki was born in Osaka on March 14, 1990 and made her debut in 2010 as a heroine in Noda Map's

extra performance "Omote ni Deroi!". Her film debut was in *Tokyo Oasis* (2011, Kana Matsumoto and Kayo Nakamura). In 2014 she won the Silver Bear at the 64th Berlin International Film Festival and the Japan Academy Prize for Best Supporting Actress for her performance in Yoji Yamada's *The Little House*. She won the Japan Academy Prize for Best Supporting Actress again in the following year for *My Mother* (2015, Yoji Yamada). Her filmography includes *The Great Passage* (2013, Yuya Ishii), *Solomon's Perjury Part 1: Suspicion* and *Part 2: Judgment* (2015, Izuru Narushima), *A Bride for Rip Van Winkle* (2016, Shunji Iwai), "Hanako to Anne" (2014, NHK), "The Emperor's Cook" (2015, TBS), "Sanada Maru" (2016, NHK), and "Juhan Shuttai" (2016, TBS). *The Long Excuses* (Miwa Nishikawa), *Chotto Ima kara Shigoto Yametekuru* (Izuru Narushima) are due to be released soon.

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