

# Results for the 7th NBSK Craftsmen's Competition 2016

## Sword Making

The Keizai Sangyo Daijin Award (Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry)					
	Katana	Myochin Munehiro saku Heisei 28 nen haru	Curvature 2.6 cm Length 77.0 cm	Hyogo	Yusuke Myochin
NBSK Chairman's Award					
	Katana	Teruhira Heisei 28 nen san gatsuhi	Curvature 2.4cm Length 73.4 cm	Nagano	Yoza Kamiyama
The Nagano Prefectural Governor's Award					
	Tachi	Yoshihiro	Curvature 2.4 cm Length 77.5cm	Hiroshima	Yoshihiro Kubo
Gold Prize 1					
	Katana	Shinano no kuni Hidehira Heisei 28 nen haru	Curvature 2.4 cm Length 75.5cm	Nagano	Kei Nezu
Gold Prize 2					
	Katana	Shinano no kuni Kawachi Ippei Heisei 28 nen haru	Curvature 2.4 cm Length 75.2 cm	Nagano	Ippei Kawachi
Silver Prize 1					
	Katana	Yamatonokuni ni oite Nose Sadaaki hori dousaku Heisei 28nen sangatsu kichijitsu	Curvature 2.2 cm Length 71.0 cm	Nara	Katsuyoshi Nose
Bronze Prize1					
	Katana	Hirotsugu saku Heisei hinoe saru toshi	Curvature 2.8 cm Length 74.7 cm	Okayama	Koji Manzoku
Nyusen					
	Tanto	Motte minami Africa satetsu Kainokuni Shigemitsu saku Heisei 27 kinoto hitsuji nen aki	Curvature -0.1 cm Length 25.1 cm	Yamanashi	Shigemitsu Ito
Nyusen					
	Katana	Nijurokudai Fujiwara Kanefusa saku Heisei 28 nen haru	Curvature 2.2 cm Length 75.3 cm	Gifu	Masafumi Kato
Nyusen					
	Tachi	Muroran ju Taneshige saku Hesei 28 nen ichigatu kichijitu	Curvature 2.5 cm Length 75.2 cm	Hokkaido	Naohiko Sasaki
Nyusen					
	Tanto	Shinano no kuni Kiyonao saku kore Heisei 27 nen kinoto hitsuji aki	Curvature 0.0cm Length 26.4 cm	Nagano	Takashi Matsukawa
Nyusen					
	Tanto	Soshuju Mitsuhiro Heisei 28 nen 2 gatsuhi	Curvature 0.0 cm Length 25.9 cm	kanagawa	Jugo Mori
Nyusen					
	Tachi	Masanari saku Heisei 28 nen haru	Curvature 3.2 cm Length 81.3 cm	Gifu	Masaya Yoshida
Invitation					
	Katana	Oite Echigo no kini Yoshimitsu saku no Heisei 28 nen haru kichijitsu	Curvature 2.0 cm Length 70.4 cm	Tokyo	Mitsuo Yoshikawa
Invitation					
	Katana	Yamato no kuniju Gassan Sadatoshi hori dousaku (Kao) Heisei 28 nen 8 shogatsu kisshoujitsu	Curvature 2.0 cm Length 71.3 cm	Nara	Kiyoshi Gassan
Invitation					
	Wakizashi	Akinokuni Mikami Sadanao kore wo tsukuru (Bonji)Heisei 26 nen 10gatsu kichijitsu	Curvature 1.4 cm Length 56.3 cm	Hiroshima	Takanori Mikami
Judge					
	Tachi	Musashi no kuni Akihira Seikoku bungo nagatani Ooitasha guji Nagayama yoshinori no motomeni ouzuru Heisei 28 nen 3gatsu kisshoubi	Curvature 2.4 cm Length 72.6 cm	Saitama	Masahito Kawasaki
Judge					
	Tanto	Kozaemon Yukihiro	Curvature 0.0 cm Length 29.7 cm	Nagano	Kei Miyairi
Judge					
	Tachi	Musashi ju Kuniie saku	Curvature 2.7 cm Length 77.0 cm	Tokyo	Shoji Yoshihara

(Nyusen Invitation Judge syllabary order)

## Polishing Section

NBSK Chairman's Award					
	Katana	(Kinzogon mei)Rai Kunimitsu (Kinzogon mei)Hon'ami (Kao)	Curvature 2.1 cm Length 68.2 cm	Tokyo	Masao Hon'ami
The Shinano Mainichi Shinbun Award					
	Tachi	Rai Kunimitsu Jowa 2/2 nen 11gatsu 18nichi	Curvature 3.0 cm Length 81.2 cm	Kanagawa	Takahiro Ono
Gold Prize 1	Tachi	Sanemori	Curvature 1.8 cm Length 73.3 cm	Saitama	Tetsutaro Morii
Gold Prize 2	Katana	Mumei (Den Iesuke)	Curvature 0.2 cm Length 70.8 cm	Nara	Kazumichi Sekiyama
Gold Prize 3	Tachi	Kuni□(Rai Kunihide)	Curvature 1.5 cm Length 71.5 cm	Saitama	Yoshimasa Mizuta
Silver Prize 1	Tachi	Musashi no kuni Akihira Seikoku bungo nagatani Ou Ooitasha guji Nagayama yoshinori Ju Heisei 28 nen 3gatsu kishshoubi	Curvature 2.4 cm Length 72.6 cm	Tokyo	Soichiro Abe
Silver Prize 2	Katana	Bishu Osafune Norimitsu Bunmei 7 nen 8gatsuhi	Curvature 2.7 cm Length 70.8 cm	Saitama	Yuichi Sagara
Silver Prize 3	Katana	Mumei(Echizen Kanenori)	Curvature 1.4 cm Length 65.6 cm	Toyama	Takeshi Hon'ami
Silver Prize 4	Tachi	Okuizuminokami Sadashige saku Sasshu ju	Curvature 1.8 cm Length 68.9 cm	Saitama	Yuki Akita
Bronze Prize1	Katana	Inoue Shinkai Enpou 6nen 8gatsuhi	Curvature 1.2 cm Length 71.4 cm	Chiba	Kazuhiko Ogawa
Bronze Prize 2	Katana	Mumei(Awataguchi)	Curvature 1.2 cm Length 63.5 cm	Kyoto	Joji Tamaki
Nyusen	Katana	Oshu Sendai ju Fujiwara Kunikane	Curvature 1.2 cm Length 71.7 cm	U.K	Anthony Norman
Nyusen	Katana	Dewanokami Minamoto no Mitsuhiro Matsuse no Tsurugi Wakige otoshi	Curvature 1.2 cm Length 54.8 cm	Kanagawa	Tatsunari Otsuka
Nyusen	Katana	Mumei(Den Nanki Shigekuni)	Curvature 1.4 cm Length 66.5 cm	Tokyo	Shinichi Oze
Nyusen	Katana	Echizen koku ju kanenori	Curvature 2.4 cm Length 68.9 cm	Fukui	Jiro Fujikawa
Nyusen	Katana	Mumei (Den Kuniyuki)	Curvature 2.1 cm Length 69.3 cm	Kumamoto	Ikuo Masaumi
Nyusen	Katana	Dewadajjo Fujiwara Kunimichi	Curvature 2.1 cm Length 70.9 cm	Kumamoto	Hiroto Masaumi
Nyusen	Wakizashi	(Kikumon)Echizen no kami Minamoto no Rai Nobuyoshi	Curvature 1.3 cm Length 52.4 cm	fukuoka	Kiyotake Matsuo
Nyusen	Katana	Yoshihiro	Curvature 2.4 cm Length 77.5 cm	Okayama	Tomonobu Yokoyama
Nyusen	Katana	Izuminokami Rai Kinnichi	Curvature 2.0 cm Length 71.8 cm	Kanagawa	Tsunetsugu Watanabe
Invitation	Katana	Mumei(Taima)	Curvature 1.7 cm Length 68.6 cm	Tokyo	Setsuo Takaiwa
Invitation	Wakizashi	Minamoto no Kiyomaro Kouka hinoto hitsuji nen 8gatsuhi	Curvature 0.8 cm Length 47.6 cm	Tokyo	Kenji Mishina
Invitation	Katana	Hizen no kuni Kawachi Daijo Fujiwara Masahiro	Curvature 1.2 cm Length 73.0 cm	Tottori	Shikun Morii
Judge	Wakizashi	Sano Yukihide Ansei 6nen 8gatsu kichijitsu	Curvature 0.3 cm Length 36.1 cm	Tokyo	Kazunori Abe

Judge	Tachi	Kiyotsuna(Niou)	Curvature 2.2 cm Length 81.0 cm	Kanagawa	Hakuryu Ono
Judge	Katana	Sesshu Oosaka ju Fujiwara magohyouenojo Sukehiro Susamajiki kana kono ikken kabuto hatitabi waru	Curvature 1.8 cm Length 63.6 cm	Saitama	Takushi Sasaki
Judge	Tachi	Tomonari	Curvature 3.3 cm Length 78.8 cm	Tokyo	Koshu Hon'ami

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## Toso Section

### 【Tosogu】

NBSK Chairman's Award					
		Shakudoji Kachimushi Shobuzu tsuba	Tsuba	USA	Marcus Chambers
Gold Prize 2		Akikusa Ryusui hasuzu tsuga	Tsuba	Canada	Kevin Adams
Silver Prize 1		Tetsuji Yatsuhashi kamon sukashi tsuba	Tsuba	Shizuoka	Yuki Fukuyo
Silver Prize 2		Ainu monyou sukashi tsuba	Tsuba	Hokkaido	Katsuyosi Osanai
Bronze Prize 1		Shodai hirata hikoze utsushi Suakaji amidayasuri shakudo fukurin aorigata hiashizu tsuba	Tsuba	Tokyo	Noboru Kawakami
Nyusen		Tetsuji Hien sukashi tsuba	Tsuba	Tokyo	Takako Ijuin
Nyusen		Shiuryuzu Tsuba	Tsuba	Tokyo	Haruko Uragami
Nyusen		Shibuichiji shishizu zougan tsuba	Tsuba	Gifu	Yuji Kotani
Nyusen		Suakaji namiusagizu sukashi tsuba	Tsuba	Tokyo	Nobumasa Sakai
Nyusen		Tetsuji aoi inome sukashi tsuba	Tsuba	Nara	Gensho Miyagawa
Nyusen		Kari hisho nozu tsuba	Tsuba	Brazil	Remo Soza Nogueira
Judge		Tetsuji suiryuzu tsuba	Tsuba	Tokyo	Koshiro Izumi

### 【Shirogane】

The Sakaki Town Board of Education Chairman's Award					
		Suaka ground, gold foil double habaki	Habaki	Gunma	Yutaka Matsumoto
Silver Prize 1		Suaka ground,uwagai bishamon kikko hori gold foil double habaki	Habaki	Gifu	Hideaki Sugiyama
Nyusen		Suaka ground, gold foil double habaki	Habaki	Osaka	Yasuhiro Noguchi
Judge		Suaka ground, sayagata hori gold foil double habaki	Habaki	Tokyo	Takeshi Miyashita
Judge		Suaka ground, gold foil double habaki	Habaki	Tokyo	Hiroshi Miyajima

### 【Shirasaya】

Sakaki Mayor's Award					
			Shirasaya	Gifu	Takahiro Mori
Gold Prize 2			Shirasaya	Kanagawa	Atsuhiko Morii
Silver Prize 1			Shirasaya	Gifu	Kazuyuki Furukawa
Bronze Prize 1			Shirasaya	Hyogo	Atsushi Tazawa

### 【Tsukamaki】

Silver Prize 1		Kusube kawa morotsumami-maki tsukamae	Tsukamaki	Tokyo	Yoshiyuki Sasahara
Bronze Prize 1		Kon iro tsunegumi-ito moro-tsumami-maki Wakizashi tsukamae	Tsukamaki	USA	Krupp Alex
Nyusen		Kin Chairo tsunegumi-ito moro-tsumami-maki tsukamae	Tsukamaki	Kyoto	Shgeharu Hirai
Judge		Kusube kawa morotsumami-maki higo tsukamae	Tsukamaki	Gunma	Hisao Okabe

### 【Saya-nuri】

Silver Prize 1		Kuro roiro nuri wakizashi koshirae	Saya-nuri	Niigata	Mitsuhide Koyama
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**【Koshirae】**

Nyusen	Kuro ishime kawarinuri chiisa katana koshirae	Koshirae	Niigata	Yasuo Sakuma
Judge	Kuro roiro kinpun tomenuri aikuchi tanto koshirae	Koshirae	Gunma	Naotoshi Kenmochi
Judge	Shu urushi nuri togi dashizame momiji tirashi aikuchi tanto koshire	Koshirae	Tokyo	Kazuyuki Takayama

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