

Special Workshop celebrating the 100th anniversary of Sogetsu Japan and the 20th Anniversary of Sogetsu London Branch on Saturday, 31st October

WORKSHOP LEADER

Ms Reito Oizumi is a Sogetsu School Headquarters Instructor Team Member.

Ms Reito Oizumi began her Sogetsu studies in 2000 under Reiko Takenaka, and is known for creating installations and hospitality-focused arrangements for public spaces, cultural venues, and events. Her work explores the relationship between breath, emotion, and healing, bringing Sogetsu Ikebana into contemporary environments with depth and sensitivity. She also leads workshops globally shaped by this ongoing research.

Ms Oizumi's practice centres on the relationship between breath, emotion, and healing which has been recognised with major awards, including the Grand Prize at the Flower Art Award (2016) and the Grand Prix at the New Ikebana Movement Exhibition (2025). She has contributed to numerous stage designs, exhibitions, and performances in Japan and abroad.

WORKSHOP THEME & DETAILS

1. Joining with Foliage ~ Workshop 1

Creating with large Monstera leaves (3), incorporating flowers (2-3 stems) and allowing individual character and feeling to guide the work.

2. Autumn Look using Miscellaneous Branches & Japanese paper ~ Workshop 2

Materials: Miscellaneous branches, flowers, Japanese paper

VENUE DETAILS, TIMINGS & FEE

This special event involves hosting an instructor from Japan, the associated costs are higher than usual; the Sogetsu London Branch is therefore subsidising the programme to ensure members can enjoy it at an accessible fee.

- *Theme:*

Morning Workshop1: Joining with foliage

Afternoon Workshop2: Autumn Look using Miscellaneous Branches & Japanese paper.

- ***Workshop Leader: Ms Reito Oizumi***
- ***Date: 31st October 2026***
- ***Duration: 10.00am - 4.30pm***

Doors open: 9.30am

Morning Workshop1: 10am - 12.30pm

Lunch break: 12.30pm - 1.30pm

Afternoon Workshop2: 1.30pm - 4.00pm

Close: 4.30pm

- **Venue:** *Rosslyn Hill Chapel*
- **Address:** [3 Pilgrim's Place, London NW3 1NG](#)
- **Nearest Station:** *Hampstead (Northern Line)*
- **Fee :**
 - *Members: £130 inclusive of all material ~ for **TWO** workshops*
 - *Members: £65 inclusive of all material ~ for **ONE** workshop*
 - *Non-members: £150 inclusive of all material ~ for **TWO** workshops*
 - *Non-members: £75 inclusive of all material ~ for **ONE** workshop*
- **Containers and Tools:** *to bring your own. Please bring wood glue for Afternoon workshop2.*

APPLICATION FORM & PAYMENT DETAILS

If you would like to attend any of these workshop **please complete the online form ([HERE](#)) with the payment to Sogetsu London Branch. Application deadline is 15th October.**

After the close of the workshop we are looking to have a social gathering with Ms Reito Oizumi locally near to the church. Please do also register your interest on the form if you wish to join. (Sogetsu London Branch member only)

Sogetsu School of Ikebana London Branch

Sort Code: 20-05-74

Account number: 93646653

Reference: Your name and Month of event

Refund Policy:

In case of cancellation:

Before the application deadline, the branch will refund the application fee after deducting a £5 administration charge. There is no refund after the application deadline.

ENQUIRIES

If you would like any further information please do contact us on sogetsulondonbranch@gmail.com