



JAPAN AMERICA SOCIETY OF GREATER PHILADELPHIA 2019 ANNUAL REPORT



MISSION

JASGP inspires mutual curiosity, understanding, and collaboration between Japan and the Philadelphia region.

VISION

Vibrant connections
Philadelphia Japan
Transforming our worlds

PROGRAM AREAS

1. Shofuso
2. Subaru Cherry Blossom Festival
3. US-Japan Business & Public Policy Series
4. Japanese arts, business, and cultural programs

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EXECUTIVE REPORT

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In 2019, JASGP leadership and staff worked to launch the next 60 years of the Japan America Society of Greater Philadelphia and Shofuso. Through our programs, we deepened ties to our current partners, and established new relationships across the region and the world. In the coming year, we will further these relationships through expanded programming.

- The US-Japan Business & Public Policy Program will include a state-wide program in partnership with the Japan America Society of Pennsylvania and the PA state government focused on the craft beer industry.
- A two-day Subaru Cherry Blossom Festival weekend showcasing more Japanese art and cultural partners than ever before.
- The year long activities and programs for JapanPhilly2020 throughout the Philadelphia region.

We will build and strengthen connections in our region and the world. Please join us and celebrate the importance of this intercultural exchange during JapanPhilly2020.



Kim Andrews
Executive Director

JapanPhilly2020 celebrates the long friendship between Philadelphia and Japan with programs that highlight collaborations between our cultures at partner organizations, Shofuso, and throughout the region.

Shofuso and Modernism: Mid Century Collaboration Between Japan and Philadelphia, is a groundbreaking exhibition at Shofuso this summer. Presented in partnership with the Raymond Farm Center and George Nakashima Woodworker. This exhibition will tell the story of friendship and collaboration among Shofuso's Japanese architect, Junzo Yoshimura; mid-century modern architects and designers Antonin and Noemi Raymond; and Japanese-American carpenter George Nakashima.

The 30th Japan-America Grassroots Summit 2020, held in Philadelphia in October, will host 150 Japanese citizens for homestays with regional families, creating friendships and connections that will last a lifetime.

Additional programs and activities by our partners will further deep rooted connections.

JapanPhilly2020
One year, countless connections.

LOOKING
AHEAD





JASGP's programs served over 76,000 stakeholders in 2019.

PROGRAMS

Shofuso Japanese Cultural Center **45,000+ visitors**

A historic Japanese house and garden representing friendship between Japan and Philadelphia, open for daily admission and guided tours. Our visitors come from:

<i>Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware</i>	<i>80%</i>
<i>Rest of United States</i>	<i>15%</i>
<i>International</i>	<i>5%</i>

Subaru Cherry Blossom Festival **15,000+ attendees**

A nine day festival centered at Shofuso culminating in a celebration of traditional and contemporary Japan.

US-Japan Business & Public Policy Series **100+ participants**

Supporting economic connections between Philadelphia and Japan.

Arts, business, and cultural programs **14,500+ participants**

Seasonal festivals and markets, language classes, networking events, garden workshops, school tours, tea ceremony demonstrations and lessons, traditional dance and music performances and classes, and history publications.



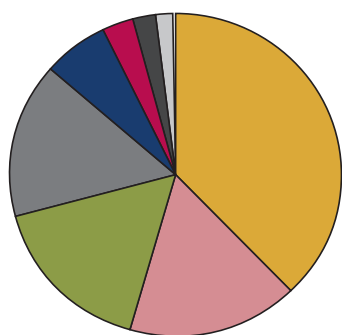
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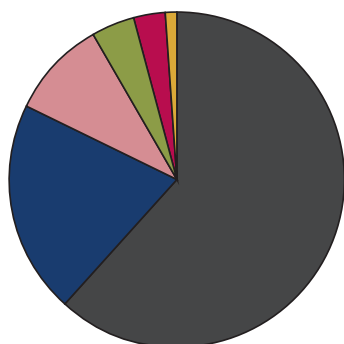
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Jefferson Japan Center, Phila.
John Manjiro Commemorative
Center for Int'l Exchange (CIE),
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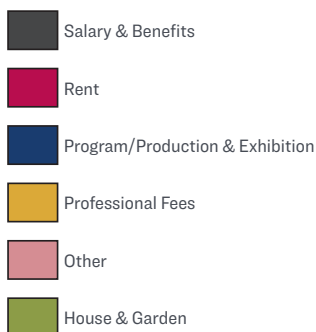
2019 TOTAL REVENUE
\$1,246,429



FINANCIALS (UNAUDITED)



2019 TOTAL EXPENSES
\$1,143,237



In 2019, JASGP completed a major accounting project to change from cash accounting to accrual accounting, to improve our financial practice commensurate with our growing budget.

Annual Budget (2019)	\$ 1.2 million
Members (2019)	441
Employees	25+
Volunteers	250+

Japan America Society of Greater Philadelphia
Preliminary Financial Statements - Balance Sheet
As of December 31, 2019

	(Unaudited) 2019	(Audited) 2018
Current Assets		
Checking/Savings	75,244	42,093
Accounts Receivable	204,400	27,245
Other Current Assets	330,043	45,8736
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Total Current Assets	609,687	528,074
Total Fixed Assets	4,065	4,065
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TOTAL ASSETS	613,751	532,139
Current Liabilities		
Accounts Payable	20,099	10,073
Credit Cards	22,269	25,021
Other Current Liabilities	11,726	37,605
Total Current Liabilities	54,094	72,700
Equity	559,657	459,439
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TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	613,751	532,139

JASGP continues to seek multi-year grants and sponsorships to ensure long-term success and sustainability.



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