
Umemoto Kazuyoshi: online interview request.

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H. E. President Umemoto Kazuyoshi,

I am an Italian journalist, I collaborate with the Associated Press agency and with national and foreign media. I also have a website: www.gianangelopistoia.eu. I live in the Primiero valley in Trentino, a place declared, together with the Dolomites, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

I already had the pleasure of contacting you in 2015 when you were the Japanese Ambassador to Italy.

I am glad that as of October 2020 you are the President of the Japan Foundation.

As a journalist, I have already had the opportunity in the past to collaborate both with the Japanese Embassy in Italy and with the Japanese Cultural Institute in Rome. Together we have also organized some prestigious cultural events. Allow me to point out a link that attests to the fruitful collaboration that has arisen in recent years between the Japanese institutions in Italy and myself: www.gianangelopistoia.eu/japan-in-italy-screenshots/.

In order to foster mutual understanding between different cultures and consolidate friendship between Japan and Italy, I would like to do an online interview with you – with “Google Meet” or similar platforms – which I will publish in the national and foreign media with which I collaborate.

If you accept my request, I will agree with the Public Relations Department of the Japan Foundation the ways and times to carry out the online interview.

Awaiting your prompt and I hope favorable response, I take this opportunity to send you my most cordial greetings.

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Dear Mr. Gian Angelo Pistoia,

Thank you very much for requesting an interview with the President Umemoto.

This is Misato KUMAKURA from the Public Relations Dept. of the Japan Foundation.

The President Umemoto is available for your interview.

We would appreciate your response to the following requests and questions before we arrange a time and way for the online interview:

- We would appreciate it if you could send us a list of specific questions
- How long does the interview take? (Would it be about 1 hour?)
- If you have already decided which media you plan to publish in, please let us know.

I apologize for the inconvenience and thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Looking forward to hearing more from you.

Warm regards,

Misato



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