

Akira Kashima

From: Osaka, Japan
Birthday: August 10
Education: Kansai Gaidai University
Interests: Exploring food
Special skill: Singing with piano

Bilingual MC (Japanese / English)
YouTuber / Interviewer / Narrator

【Profile】
A Kansai Gaidai University graduate, Akira spent a year at Pennsylvania State University as an exchange student. After joining Japan Air System, he worked as an international flight attendant with United Airlines for 23 years. He brings cultural awareness and a warm delivery to international events, ceremonies, corporate parties and weddings. He served as Main MC at the German Pavilion at Expo 2025 and also works in radio and on YouTube.

【Experience】

【TV & Radio】
Nankai Broadcasting Radio: Host, “Akira no Minna Daisuki”
Nakano City Community TV: Presenter, “Go Go 5 Channel”
Kiss FM KOBE: Monthly DJ, “Challenge Kiss”
【Voice-over】 Lions Club TV commercials

【MC】
Deeptech Frontier Challenge 2026: MC in English
Global Startup Expo 2026: MC in English
Expo 2025, German Pavilion: Main MC / Bilingual MC team leader
FOODEX, U.S. Embassy event: Bilingual MC
André Rieu Japan concert tour: MC and interpreter (Tokyo Forum A, etc.)
Citibank awards ceremony and party: MC in English
Hawaiian dance shows and ballroom dance parties: MC
Wedding ceremonies and receptions: Japanese–English MC

【Interpreting】
Mike Bernardo / K-1, Fuji TV: Interpreting for video production
BALL Watch: Meetings and interviews; DisneySea: Pre-opening preparations