



(Press Release)

Announcement of New Presenter/Reporter with an impairment

TOKYO, January 24, 2018- NHK already announced two candidates of presenters and reporters with an impairment towards the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games and a new candidate has now been selected.



Mr. Daishin Mikami (27)

From Tokyo Dysfunctional Left Arm

Skills/Qualifications: Japan Cosmetic License First Class/
Cosmetic Concierge / 900 pts. In TOEIC Listening and
Reading Test

Hobbies & Interests: Shopping / Cinema

Sports played: Scuba diving / Tennis

Aspirations

“Rather than breaking through the obstacles right in front of me, I want to leap over them. I’m sure that is going to be the normal in 2020 and, looking towards that year, I hope to convey the palpitation of all kinds of parasport and other topics in my own color!”

<Activities of Presenters/Reporters with an impairment>

NHK sought the application for presenters/reporters with an impairment for the first time last year in preparation for the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games. 159 people applied and two, Erina Chiba (23) and Yuki Goto (21), have been performing coverage since last October.

With the addition of Daishin Mikami, all three will cover the PyeongChang Paralympic Games in March on event relays, the Universal Broadcasting (Universal Hoso) service etc.