

Special Exhibition

Commemorating the registration of Sacred Island of Okinoshima and Associated Sites in the Munakata Region as World Cultural Heritage

# Origin of SHINTO

## — Ancient Japanese Rituals

2017  
10.14<sup>sat.</sup> >>>> 12.10<sup>sun.</sup>

Kokugakuin University Museum

Hours : 10:00-18:00 [Last Admission 17:30]

Closed Only : 23rd Oct. / 20th Nov.

Admission : **FREE**

**This exhibition have explanation in English.**

In July 2017, the Sacred Island of Okinoshima and Associated Sites in the Munakata Region was officially registered as a World Heritage Site. The ritual sites remaining on Okinoshima and in the Munakata region, where ancient forms of sacred worship have been passed down to the present day, are highly valued. What was the nature of this sacred worship in ancient times? Thanks to research in recent years, the actual form of this worship is becoming clear little by little.

In this exhibition, we approach the reality of the ancient rituals and the origins of Shinto based on such research, mainly through materials from the Eastern Provinces.

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