

## Japanese Garden in Tbilisi

On 22 October, a Japanese Garden was opened at the Georgian Botanical Garden. Japanese Garden in Tbilisi became possible by the cooperation of the Embassy of Japan with the Tbilisi Municipality and Georgian Botanical Garden. We would like to thank “JAPAN EXPO’70 FUND” and JTI Caucasus for supporting this project. Design of the Japanese Garden belongs to “Kosugi Zohen,” whose representative worked together with the Georgian side from the first day of the building of the Garden to the end.



Greeting speech by H.E. Mayor of Tbilisi,  
Mr. David Narmania



Greeting speech by H.E. Ambassador of Japan, Mr. Toshio Kaitani



Official opening of the Japanese Garden



Guiding guests to the Japanese Garden



Japanese Tea Ceremony held by Mrs. Harue Kaitani, spouse of Ambassador of Japan



View of the Japanese Garden Kougetsudai (Mt. Fuji-image)



View of the Japanese Garden Torii Gate and Wash Basin



After opening ceremony of the Japanese Garden, representatives planted trees on the nearby territory