

The Concept of Commons Garden – A Space of Shared Empathy

CULTURAL & INNOVATIVE
EVENINGS at CGJ Boston



When: **4:15 pm-5:15 pm**
Thursday, August 27, 2026
Where: **100 High St, 6th Fl**
Boston, MA 02210

**Slides in English,
presentation in Japanese**



Seiho Umeno

- Master Gardener
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- Founder, Commons
Garden
- Born in Kyoto, Japan.



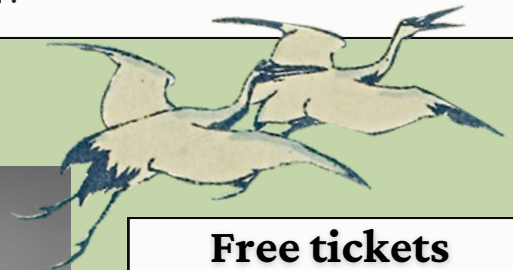
Gardens are more than landscapes.

In this lecture, Seiho Umeno will introduce the view of nature and philosophy embedded in Japanese gardens.

Based on the concept of gardens as a space for sharing empathy, this lecture will explore new possibilities for international cultural exchange.

By cultivating empathy beyond differences in culture and values we can build relationships that lead toward the future.

Why are we born, and what kind of world should we leave for the next generation?



**Free tickets
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