

2025. **9.16**_{Tue} - **19**_{Fri}

Venues: Various locations in Osaka City
(Grand Front Osaka, Grand Green Osaka, etc.)

***Detailed times and programs are subject to change.**

Global startup leaders gather in Osaka!

Innovation Week - Where diverse collaboration and co-creation come to life

On September 17-18, 2025, the international conference "Global Startup Expo (GSE)" will be held at the Osaka-Kansai Expo venue. Leveraging this opportunity, we're designating this week as "Global Startup Crossroads-Osaka," featuring special programs that bring together startups, companies, and investors from Japan and around the world. Through diverse events and business matching opportunities, we're creating the perfect stage for global collaboration and co-creation to flourish. Four days where global partnerships and innovation intersect in Osaka—a city renowned for its world-class research, culture, and technology. Don't miss this valuable opportunity to participate!

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EVENT MAP UMEDA INNOVATION WEEK

Startups, investors, major corporations, and next-generation innovators gather in Umeda for a week of co-creating new value through pitches, sessions, exhibitions, and networking! Take your next step in Umeda, the crossroads of innovation.

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SxPARK Fes



Festival for Tech Creators Shaping the Next Era
 September 17 (Wed) - 18 (Thu) 11:00 - 21:00
 Venue: Rohto Heart Square Umekita
 Grand Green Osaka

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5th JAMEXPO Special Program
 ~Growth Strategies through IPO and M&A~


September 16 (Tue) 14:00 - 17:45
 Venue: Syn-SALON
 Grand Green Osaka, North Building, JAM BASE 4F

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Cybernetic Avatar Startups


September 16 (Tue) 10:00 - 16:00
 Venue: Blooming Camp (Sakura Internet)
 Grand Green Osaka, North Building, JAM BASE 3F

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【OIH × NVIDIA】Global AI Startup Night


September 17 (Wed) 18:00 - 20:30
 Venue: Blooming Camp (Sakura Internet)
 Grand Green Osaka, North Building, JAM BASE 3F

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KIDOU Global Conference



Young innovators mastering cutting-edge digital technologies including AI, IoT, and Web3 gather together!
 September 18 (Thu) 10:00 - 18:00
 Venue: Congres Square Park Hall 1&2
 Grand Green Osaka, South Building 4F

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EDCON 2025

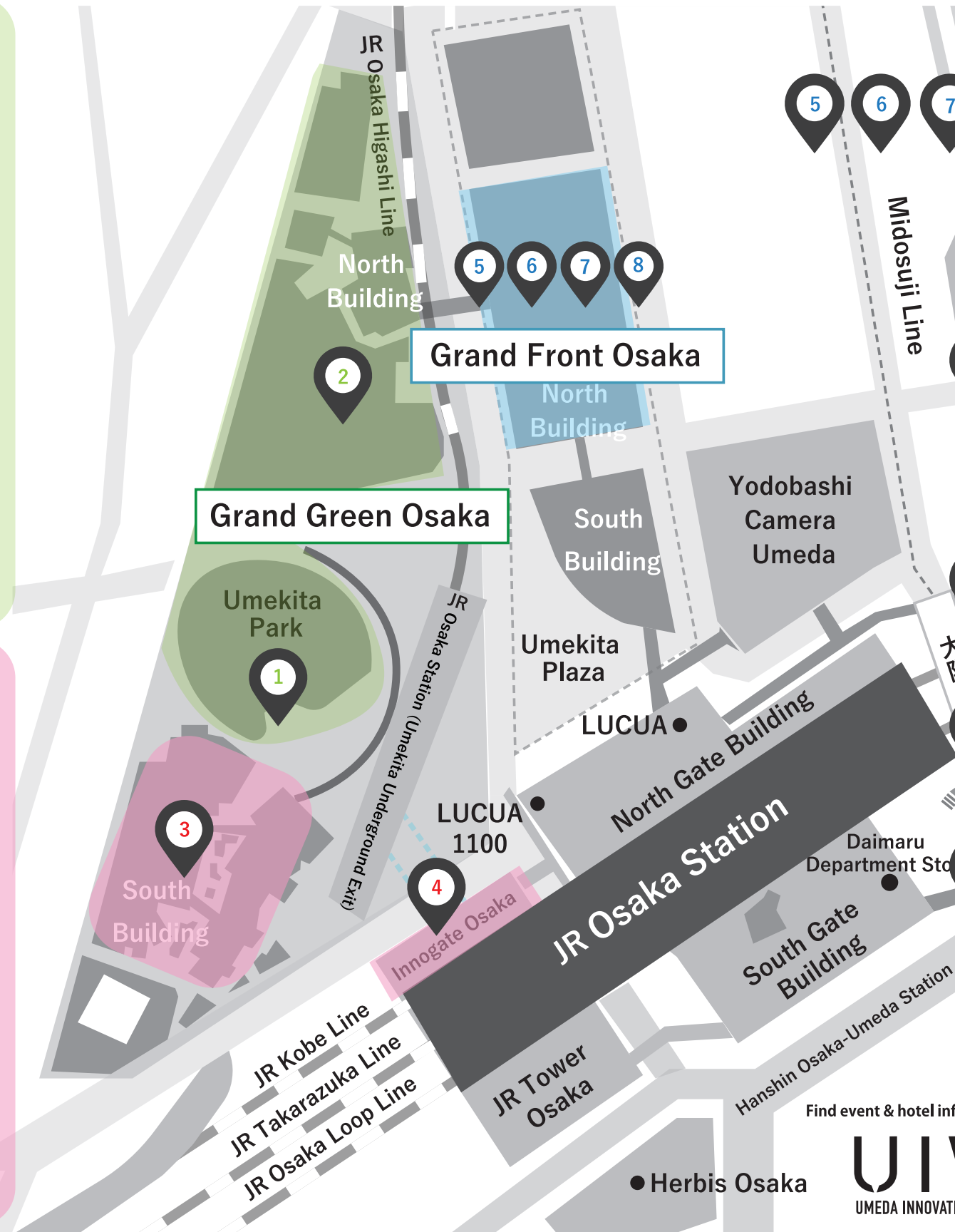


Pioneering the future of blockchain—
 One of the world's largest Ethereum conferences comes to Osaka!
 September 16 (Tue) - 19 (Fri) 10:00 - 18:00
 Venue: Congres Square
 Grand Green Osaka, South Building 4F

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U-START UP KANSAI 2025


September 19 (Fri) 13:00 - 17:00
 Venue: Innogate Osaka 10 & 18F



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Tech Osaka Summit 2025



Global startups and cutting-edge technology come to Osaka!
 September 16 (Tue) - 17 (Wed) 10:00 - 18:00
 Venues: • Congres Convention Center (Exhibition B2F)
 • Event Lab (Exhibition & Pitch B1F)
 • Knowledge Theater (4F)

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KSAC DEMO DAY 2025



Pitch event where university research seeds from Kansai take their first step toward commercialization
 September 18 (Thu) 13:00 - 18:00
 Venue: Congres Convention Center (B2F)

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Osaka Climate Innovation Forum


September 18 (Thu) 14:00 - 18:00
 Venue: Congres Convention Center (B2F)

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OSAKA SPRINGBOARD


September 16 (Tue) 13:00 - 15:45
 Venue: Knowledge Theater (4F)

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KANSAI VC & CVC Meetup


September 16 (Tue) 16:00 - 18:30
 Venue: Enellege (3F)

Access

■ Grand Front Osaka North Building Venue

5-minute walk from JR Osaka Station (Central North Exit)
 8-minute walk from Osaka Metro Umeda Station
 10-minute walk from Hankyu Osaka-Umeda Station

■ Grand Green Osaka Venue

3-minute walk from JR Osaka Station (Umekita Underground Exit)
 7-minute walk from Osaka Metro Umeda Station (South Gate)
 10-minute walk from Hankyu Osaka-Umeda Station

Global Startup Crossroads-Osaka



Global startup leaders gather in Osaka Innovation Week: Where diverse collaboration and co-creation come to life
 Event information for this period is available here.

Global Startup EXPO 2025



Global startup ecosystem stakeholders gather to address global challenges.
 Venue: EXPO Messe "WASSE" (Expo 2025 Osaka, Kansai, Japan).

Find event & hotel info for the Umeda area here:

