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Press Release

Mitsubishi Jisho Design Inc.

**“SAKA Museum” Exhibiting Traditional Bali Arts is Now Opening in Bali.
Designing new tourist attractions that can fully enjoy the beauty of nature.**

Mitsubishi Jisho Design Inc. (the location: Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, President & CEO: Junichi Tanisawa) is pleased to announce that the “SAKA Museum”, designed by Mitsubishi Jisho Design Inc. opened on September 29, 2023.

Located in AYANA Resort, a luxury resort where Bali's famous for the tourist attraction "Rock Bar, BALI", SAKA Museum showcases rich art, religion, and culture of Bali.

This museum is designed to become a new destination, allowing visitors to appreciate the region's distinctive traditional art in a relaxing environment that is in harmony with the rich natural surroundings. We aimed to create a meditative space that stimulates the visitor's five senses by the wonder of experiencing art, the unique tropical landscape, and the surprises offered by the architecture.



SAKA Museum surrounded by beautiful landscape.

(Courtesy of AYANA Resort)

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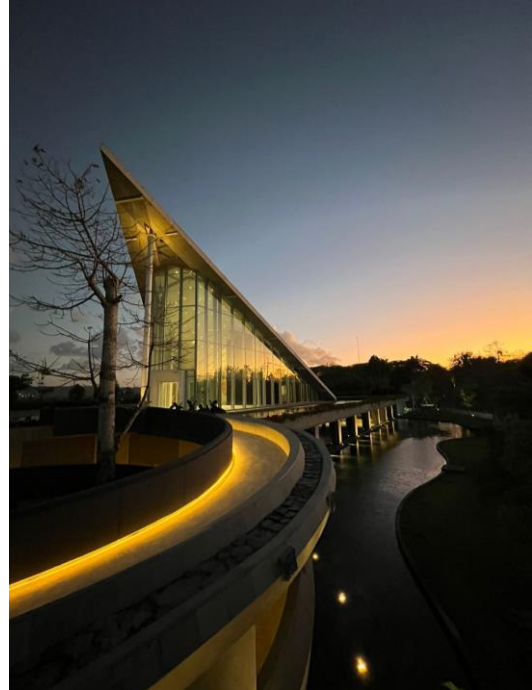
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Above : Gallery view, art works can be appreciated against the backdrop of the surrounding nature.
(Courtesy of AYANA Resort)

Right : Approach overlooking the entrance from the ramp
(Photographed by Mitsubishi Jisho Design Inc.)



“A MOON on Water”

Walking through the forest in the resort with its unique Balinese vegetation, you will see a large crescent moon-shaped architecture floating on a water basin. As you step into the museum, following the gentle slope, you will find beautiful traditional Balinese art works in a tranquil setting. We aimed to create a one-of-a-kind spatial experience where visitors can appreciate art works in this splendid location.

At night, the building itself glows, gently illuminating its surroundings as a symbol of this resort such as the moon floating on the water.



Conceptual image of A MOON on Water

Project Outline

Project Name	SAKA Museum
Location	Ayana Resort, Bali, Indonesia
Owner	Yayasan Karang Saka Sejahtera
Design Architect	Mitsubishi Jisho Design Inc.
Architect of Record	PTI Architects, Midplaza Holding
Building Type	Museum
Site Area	1.4 ha
Structure	Reinforced Concrete, Partially Steel Construction
Building Area	Approx.6,063 m ² (exclude pond, landscape GF and 2nd floor)
Gross Floor Area	Approx.10,762 m ² (exclude pond, landscape area)
Floors/ Building Height	3 floors above ground / Approx. 22m
Completion	August 2023

■ AYANA Resort



<https://www.ayana.com/bali/ayana-resort-and-spa/>

It is a world-class destination resort with 90 hectares of land on the sea cliffs facing Jimbaran Bay, approx. 7.4 miles from Denpasar International airport. Overlooking breathtaking sunsets, this integrated resort has 4 accommodations, 19 restaurants and bars, and 14 swimming pools.

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