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***RAMEN TEH* stars serve up sizzling moments on the red carpet at Marina Bay Sands**

Gala Premiere at Sands Theatre was icing on the cake for cast who were in town to promote the movie



Cast of RAMEN TEH and director, Eric Khoo

Singapore (22 March 2018) – Marina Bay Sands rolled out the red carpet for the stars of acclaimed Singaporean film director Eric Khoo's latest film, *RAMEN TEH*, at the film's Gala Premiere held at Sands Theatre on Thursday evening.

Japan's international superstar Seiko Matsuda 松田聖子, Japanese actor-director Takumi Saitoh 斎藤工, Singaporean actors Jeanette Aw 欧萱 and Mark Lee 李国煌, along with director Eric Khoo attended the Singapore premiere for the highly anticipated film drama, a Singapore-Japan-France co-production that will officially open in cinemas here on 29 March.

Thursday's event marked a return to Marina Bay Sands for Japanese star and Singapore Tourism Board ambassador Takumi Saitoh, who visited the integrated resort last November to attend the Singapore International Film Festival.

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Mr. George Tanasijevich, President and Chief Executive Officer of Marina Bay Sands, said: “Marina Bay Sands is privileged to support the premiere of *RAMEN TEH* in Singapore and welcomes its Japanese and local cast to our integrated resort. This is part of our long-term goal of celebrating the cinematic world by supporting local and regional talent. We will continue to harness our integrated resort offerings and collaborative relationships to showcase Singapore as a world-class entertainment hub.”

“It is an honour to have the Singapore Gala Premiere of *RAMEN TEH* held at Sands Theatre. Marina Bay Sands is the perfect venue for us to showcase this cross cultural collaboration. Putting this film together is trying to orchestrate many various parts to move in a common vision. Marina Bay Sands hosting us is one of the key parts for us to bring this movie to our audience. I hope the audience will enjoy *RAMEN TEH* as much as we did making it,” added Eric Khoo.



Cast of RAMEN TEH with director, Eric Khoo

The director and cast of *RAMEN TEH* walked the red carpet and gamely fielded questions about the film on stage before heading into the theatre for the movie’s inaugural screening in Singapore.

RAMEN TEH, which received warm reviews when it premiered at the Berlin Film Festival last month, tells the story of Masato, a young Ramen chef from Takasaki in Japan, who embarks on a journey to Singapore to piece together his past by tracing memories of his late Singaporean mother. This poignant food drama also highlights many popular dishes including Ramen and Bak Kut Teh.

RAMEN TEH is produced by Wild Orange Artists and Zhao Wei Films in association with Bert Pictures, Clover Films and mk2 Films; Clover Films and Golden Village Pictures will co-

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distribute the movie in Singapore. Marina Bay Sands is the Main Sponsor for *RAMEN TEH Singapore Promotional Tour*.

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