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Winter Film Fest (Dec 2021 - Jan 2022)

Virtual Screening:
Hold Me Back

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Registration opens on Sunday, December 5 at 11 AM EST.
Screening period is from December 17 to 20 (72 HRS).



Happy Holidays from the JICC!

The Japan Information & Culture Center (JICC), Embassy of Japan and the Japan Commerce Association of Washington, D.C., Inc. have partnered up once again to co-present a special **Winter Film Fest** this December and January! *Hold Me Back* is the second film in our lineup. Stay tuned for more festival announcements.

Anytime Screening

Registration on Eventbrite is required.

Screening is for the USA region only.



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December 17 to 20, 2021

Romance about the clumsy love life of a thirty-something woman who thoroughly enjoys being single by Director *Ohku Akiko* (*Tremble All You Want*, *My Sweet Grappa Remedies*).

Thirty-one year old **Mitsuko** (Non) loves her single life, but has a hangup. It's her inner voice named "A." One day, Mitsuko falls for **Tada** (Hayashi Kento), a younger guy who works in sales. Mitsuko decides to take action, all the while baffled by her inability to be bold and reckless like she was in her twenties.

Starring Non & Hayashi Kento

In Japanese with English subtitles | Not Rated | 2021 (USA) | 133 min | Directed by Ohku Akiko

REGISTER NOW



Virtual screening hosted online by the Japan Information & Culture Center, Embassy of Japan
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This event is **free** and open to online attendees in the US only. **Registration through Eventbrite** is also required in order to receive access to the virtual screenings. Read more about our upcoming Winter Film Fest [here](#). **Online 72-hour program begins on Friday, December 17 at 7:00 PM EST and ends on Monday, December 20 at the same time.**

In the event of a cancellation or if you require further assistance,
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