



# THE JAPAN-AMERICA SOCIETY OF WASHINGTON DC

## Edo Tsumami Kanzashi Monthly Workshop Beginner 1~10



Thursday, August 29, 2013  
6:00 P.M. to 9:15 P.M.  
@JASW's Office

\$85 for JASW Members  
\$95 for Non-JASW Members

**Prerequisite to take Beg. 10: Beg. 1~9**  
**New students can always start as Beginner 1**

Please RSVP by August 28th at 3:00 P.M.  
Space is limited. Please register online at  
[www.jaswdc.org](http://www.jaswdc.org)



**Learn how to make Edo Tsumami Kanzashi from the only authentic Edo Tsumami Kanzashi artisan in the U.S.!**

Kanzashi is an ornamental hairpin and its history goes back as far as 3000 years. Among many types of Kanzashi, Edo Tsumami Kanzashi was developed during the Edo period when the technique of Hana-kanzashi, worn by apprentice Geisha in Kyoto, was brought over to Edo (modern day Tokyo). It is a designated traditional handicraft in Tokyo and Chiba prefecture today. The art is disappearing due to fewer people wearing Kimono. However, it is becoming very popular among non-Japanese incorporating it into Western attire, such as Katy Perry wearing it at the MTV Music Awards ceremony.

New students will start from Beginner 1: Three single layered Plum Blossom Bobby Pin set (Picture left). You will challenge the very fundamental Maru-tsumami (round pinching). New Students will learn about history/types/materials/motifs/artisanship of the Edo Tsumami Kanzashi through lecture.

Beginner 10 students will make [Middle of Summer Set: Large Water lily Clip made of Tie dye Yukata fabric, Gold fish pattern Large Plum Blossom Brooch] (picture-right), challenge triple layer petal formation by sword pinching and handling large petals. The class fee includes all materials. You can separately purchase the "home practice kit of four Plum Blossom Bobby pin set" for \$20. Your practice pieces will be reviewed by the instructor the following month for constructive criticism.

Students who complete Beginner 10 can proceed to the next level at the following workshop to learn new techniques & designs. You will be able to make many types of Edo Tsumami Kanzashi throughout the year, as the workshop offers the higher level every month.



\*The workshop is for hobby purpose only. By signing up to this workshop, you agree not to sell the completed items or reveal class materials, especially for business purposes.

**Instructor: Kuniko Kanawa** (Edo Tsumami Kanzashi artisan/Certified Kimono Consultant/Kimono model). For her full profile, please visit <http://www.atelierkanawa.com>

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JASW Member	\$85: _____
Non-JASW Member	\$95: _____
Home Practice Kit	\$20: _____
<b>Total amount enclosed:</b>	<b>\$ _____</b>

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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Additional Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any questions, please call us at (202) 833-2210 or by e-mail at [jaswdc@us-japan.org](mailto:jaswdc@us-japan.org).  
Mail registration with payment to: JASW, 1819 L Street, NW, 1B Level, Washington, DC 20036 or  
fax to (202) 833-2456 or register on-line at [www.jaswdc.org](http://www.jaswdc.org)

**\*\*Cancellations must be made by August 28 at 5:00PM. Refunds will not be given to cancellations after deadline date and no shows.**