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River Retreat Garaku.



Property Overview

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An intimate luxury retreat gracefully set along the serene Jinzu Gorge.

Main Building opened in May 2000 | ANNEX opened in November 2005

Offering a one-of-a-kind retreat where nature, contemporary art, hot springs, and gastronomy come together.

A serene retreat reached in just one hour by air or only two hours by Shinkansen from Tokyo.

Ideally situated for accessing major attractions in the region, including Kanazawa, Takayama, and Kamikochi.

Featured with 4 Red Pavilions in the *Michelin Guide Hokuriku 2021 Special Edition*.





ANNEX – Luxury Suite with sauna (150 m²)

Rooms & Suites

Standard (33 m²) | 5 rooms | 1–2 guests | 4 rooms without bath

Comfort (50–55 m²) | 4 rooms | 1–3 guests

Modern (72–80 m²) | 3 rooms | 1–4 guests

Suite (100 m²) | 2 rooms | 1–5 guests | One suite includes a sauna

ANNEX – Suite (115 m²) | 2 rooms | 1–4 guests

ANNEX – Premier Suite (150 m²) | 2 rooms | 1–7 guests | One suite includes a sauna

ANNEX – Premier Suite with Onsen (115 m²) | 2 rooms | 1–4 guests

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Grand Suite (140 m²) | 1 room | 1–4 guests



Restaurant – Trésonnier

At our in-house restaurant Trésonnier, we offer a full-course dining experience that brings together the natural abundance and traditional food culture of Toyama with the finesse of French culinary techniques. Incorporating regional elements such as fermentation and aging while keeping the use of butter and cream to a minimum, our cuisine highlights the pure, inherent flavors of each ingredient—an approach that embodies our philosophy of wholesome, ingredient-centered gastronomy. Every dish is crafted with meticulous attention to detail, from the choice of tableware to the precise cooking and elegant presentation.

We are pleased to accommodate vegetarian, vegan, and allergy-friendly requests, ensuring a comfortable dining experience for all guests. Dining in yukata is another distinctive feature that adds to the unique atmosphere of Trésonnier.

We also offer thoughtfully curated beverage pairings. Our sommelier selects local sake, wines, and other drinks that best complement the aromas and lingering flavors of each course.

Trésonnier is proudly featured in the Michelin Guide Hokuriku 2021 Special Edition, receiving both One Michelin Star and the Michelin Green Star for its commitment to sustainability.





Trésonnier – Commitment to Ingredients

At Trésonnier, we source seasonal ingredients carefully selected from various regions across Toyama Prefecture. For wild ingredients gathered from the mountains and rivers, our chef personally goes out to forage when possible, taking only what is needed to avoid disrupting the ecosystem. Working together with local communities, we are committed to environmentally conscious harvesting methods that help preserve natural resources for the future.

Our vegetables are grown at our own farm using a fully pesticide-free, circular cultivation system. Fish trimmings and other kitchen by-products are returned to the fields as fertilizer, enriching the soil and allowing large, vibrant, and flavorful vegetables to grow.

For seafood, our chef personally visits Toyama Bay—often called a “natural live fish tank” for its abundant marine life—to select the freshest catch by seeing and touching the ingredients directly.

We also visit trusted local producers and artisans in person to procure both ingredients and tableware. These relationships are essential to our philosophy, enabling guests to experience not only exceptional cuisine but also the artistic craftsmanship embodied in the vessels that accompany each dish.



《 Water fall 》 Hiroshi Senju



《Heel-less Shoes》 Noritaka Tatehana

Art & Architecture

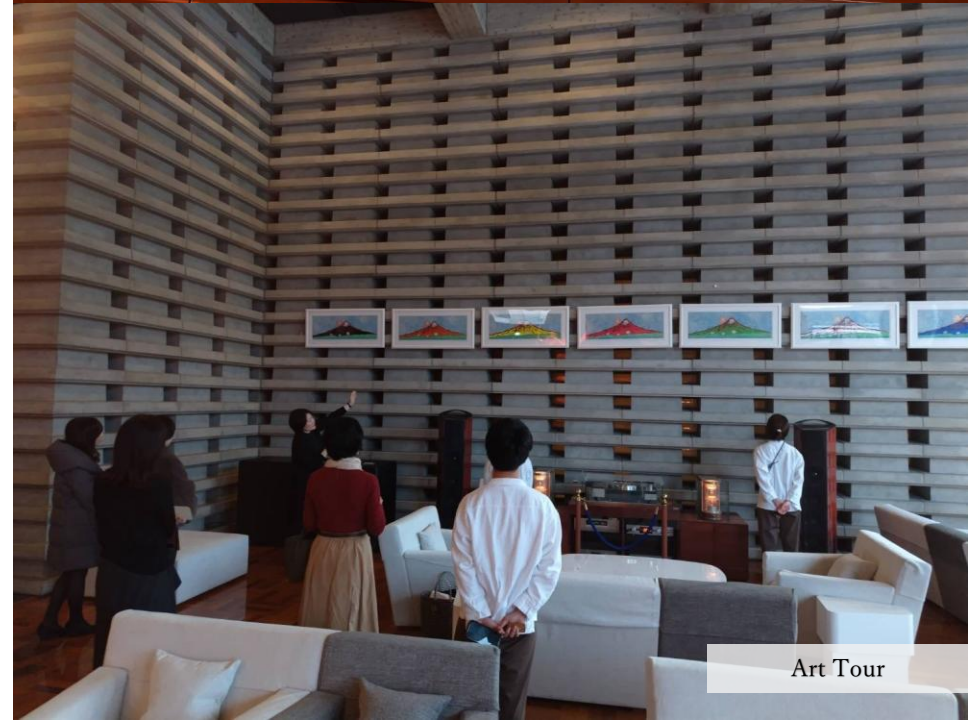
One of the defining features of our hotel is its immersive art-filled environment, offering the sense of staying inside a contemporary museum.

Diverse works of contemporary art are displayed throughout the property—both indoors and outdoors—including numerous site-specific artworks created by artists who stayed on-site to produce their pieces.

The ANNEX was designed by the renowned architect Hiroshi Naito and opened in 2005, conceived around the concept of “the delicacy of sukiya architecture fused with the earthy spirit of Asia.”

Its distinctive features include precast concrete walls arranged in an azekura-style pattern, creating a serene and warm atmosphere unique to Garaku.

Art tours are available upon request, offering guests an engaging experience that brings both art and architecture closer through background stories, creative processes, and behind-the-scenes insights.



Art Tour



Spring Day Spa



Spa Treatment



Library



Shop

Facilities

- Spa Treatment
- Onsen
- Spring Day Spa (Guests-Only Bathing Spa)
- Tea Ceremony Room (Mushian /Gihōken)
- Exhibition Rooms (Museum Hall / Multi-purpose Hall)
- Shop
- Lounge
- Library
- Art Walk
- Stone Spa

In-Hotel Experiences

A traditional tea ceremony experience is available in our tea room.



Our staff are available to assist guests with yukata dressing.



The aperitif experience is a distinguished favorite among group guests.



Local & Regional Sightseeing

An Ideal Location for Exploring Kanazawa, Takayama, and Other Popular Destinations

Toyama Sightseeing

🚗 : Driving time from the hotel

- 🏞️ Tateyama Kurobe Alpine Route 🚗 40 min
- 🌳 Gokayama Gassho-zukuri Villages (UNESCO) 🚗 1 hour
- 🎨 Toyama Glass Art Museum / Toyama Prefectural Museum of Art & Design 🚗 40 min
- 🏘️ Yatsuo Town 🚗 20 min
- 🏯 Takaoka – Zuiryuji Temple / Shokoin Temple (National Treasure) 🚗 1 hour

Toyama Activities

- 🎨 Toyama Glass Studio – Glassblowing Experience 🚗 40 min
- 🔪 TaniHata – Kumiko Woodwork Workshop 🚗 40 min
- 🧶 Johana Silk Matsui – Silk Weaving Mill Tour 🚗 1 hour

Nearby Destinations

- 🏞️ Ishikawa / Kanazawa & Kenrokuen Garden 🚗 1 hour | 🚄 20 min from Toyama Station by Shinkansen
- 🏞️ Gifu / Takayama & Shirakawa-go 🚗 1.5 hours
- 🏞️ Nagano / Kamikochi & Hakuba 🚗 2 hours












Kumiko Woodwork Workshop



Tateyama Kurobe Alpine Route

Access

 RIVER RETREAT GARAKU 56-2 Kasuga, Toyama City, Toyama Prefecture
(<https://maps.app.goo.gl/NijnFrNSn5sZfg7Z9>)

-  Tokyo ⇄ Toyama  Flight: 1 hour  Shinkansen: 2 hours
-  Toyama Station ⇄ Hotel  Car: 40min
- Toyama Airport ⇄ Hotel  Car: 20min
-  Nearest Station (JR Sasazu) ⇄ Hotel  On foot: 15 min





Summer





Winter

