

The Centre for Japanese Studies, in collaboration with the Embassy of Japan, cordially invites you to:

a Japanese Film Screening of "Comic Magazine / Komikku Zasshi Nanka Iranai!" (1986)

A moderately successful television journalist, Kinameri (Yuya Uchida) is itching for a big scoop. So he's predictably excited when he learns that a corrupt local businessman has barricaded himself in his house, holding police -- and a curious TV audience -- at bay. The lead reporter on the standoff, Kinameri is stunned when he sees gun-toting gangsters arrive on the scene and storm the house. Kinameri finally has his scoop -- but it ends in a way he never would have expected. This movie parodies real events that happened in Japan in the 80's, and makes fun of the tabloid TV shows that often blew these stories out of proportion.

Registration 12:30 / Movie 13.00 – 15.30 Sat. 16 September @ Law Building 1-54, Hatfield (Main) Campus, University of Pretoria RSVPs and Enquiries: cjs.jica1@gmail.com