



Justin Patterson

ジャスティン・パターソン

Nationality : United States

Language : English / Japanese

Height: 177cm Bust: 108cm Waist: 110cm Hip: 113cm

Shoes: 27.5cm

Eyes: Blue

Hair: Dark Brown

Bilingual MC / Narrator / Talent

Born in Texas, USA.

Came to Japan as an exchange student in 1995.

Studied Japanese at Nagoya Gakuin University until September 1996 and graduated from the advanced Japanese course in the same year.

From 1996 to 1997, studied Shin Shin Toitsu Aikido at Omori Dojo in Osone, Aichi Prefecture.

Returned to the United States in 1997 and graduated from Pacific University in Oregon in May 1998 with degrees in Music (Composition-focused) and Japanese.

In 1998, became a special research student at Yamanashi Gakuin University.

The same year, made a radio debut as a navigator on FM Kofu (YBS Yamanashi Broadcasting).

In 1999, made a TV debut on TBS's "Koko ga Hen da yo Nihonjin(ここが変だよ、日本人)", a project by director Takeshi Kitano.

That same year, co-hosted "Shinmei Fireworks Special" on UTY (TV Yamanashi) with announcer Ryoko Natori.

The hosting performance was well-received, leading to an invitation from the same station the following year

(2000) to appear as a reporter/commentator on the live program "Uttei na Mokuyoubi (ウッテイな木曜日)"

Currently based in Tokyo, actively working as an MC, narrator, translator/interpreter, and TV/radio personality in five-star hotels (The Peninsula Tokyo, Hotel New Otani, Conrad, Shangri-La Tokyo, The Ritz-Carlton Tokyo, Oriental Hotel Tokyo Bay, etc.), first-class restaurants, clubs, and venues.

Known for excellent ad-lib conversations, interviews, and lively hosting in fluent Japanese.

Since 2020, has been a regular MC on TV Asahi's "Catch the Wave Kodawari Navi(Catch the wave こだわりナビ)".

Major Activities & Appearances

Regular MC on TV Asahi's "Catch the Wave Kodawari Navi" (2020–Present)
 MC/Interpreter for ASICS-hosted Wallabies Fan Event & Greeting at Rugby World Cup (2019)
 MC for Maserati Ladies Night
 MC for Lamborghini Meguro Certified Pre-Owned Showroom Grand Opening
 MC for Nikkei Integrated Resort Forum Osaka
 Presenter for CASIO Booth at CES (Largest Consumer Electronics Show in Las Vegas) (2018)
 MC for Tokyo American Club Sports Lifetime Achievement Award Ceremony (Awardee: Saori Yoshida) (2017)
 MC for Gurunavi x Michelin Guide Special Collaboration Event (Molière x L'Effervescence) (2017)
 Reporter for TV Asahi's "Super J Channel: Naruhodo Zipangu" (2017–)
 General MC for Fast Retailing (UNIQLO) International Convention (2017)
 Reporter for NHK World's "A Unique Story: SHOCHU & AWAMORI" (2017)
 Support Announcer/Live Broadcaster for Yamanashi Prefecture Kushigata Town Futsal Tournament
 MC for Scandinavian Airlines' 60th Anniversary Reception
 Regular cast on TBS's "Sekai no Mina ni Kiite Mita"
 MC for Roppongi Hills Club Members Party
 3rd Place on TV Tokyo's Debate Show "Ari Nashi"
 Winner of TV Tokyo's Debate Show "Ari Nashi"
 MC for Aussie Forum 2011
 Appearance on TV Asahi's "World Monitor" hosted by Takimu Kanda
 MC/Interpreter for "Sekai Ichi Ookina E 2012" Kickoff Party
 MC for Fillico Water Christmas Party & Wine Launch Event
 MC for "The Chefs: A Taste of Japan" Publication Party
 MC for "The Chef's Appreciation Evening" at Happo-en
 MC/Live Broadcaster for Gran Fondo Yatsugatake
 MC/Live Broadcaster for the 7th Mt. Fuji Hill Climb
 MC for Roppongi Hills Club Members Party (Interpreter for Designer Hanae Mori)
 Appearance on Asahi-affiliated show "Takeshi Japan"
 MC/Live Broadcaster for Mt. Fuji Hill Climb
 Head MC for IVV Olympiad Opening Ceremony
 Support Announcer for Yamanashi Queenbees (Basketball Team)
 MC for Tokyo's Seijo Gakuen "Miss Seijo Contest"
 Guest Speaker for Kofu City Junior Chamber International's "Downtown Revitalization Discussion"
 MC for "September Concert" at Kofu City's Sakura-za
 MC for Heritage Music Live in Kawaguchi-ko Town
 MC/Live Broadcaster for Fuji Hill Climb
 Lyrics & Vocals for SEGA USA Arcade-exclusive Game Music
 MC for "New Style Japanese Wedding" Event at Kofu City's Maizuru Castle
 Lyrics featured in Sony's "Gran Turismo 5 Prologue"
 Wedding MC Experience
 Conrad Tokyo, The Peninsula Tokyo, Hotel New Otani, etc.