



## THE GREAT PASSAGE

### "THE GREAT PASSAGE" SCREENING

JFLA in collaboration with the Japan Business Association (JBA) and American Cinemateque presents the screening of "*The Great Passage*," which was selected as Japan's entry for the Best Foreign Language Film at the 86th Academy Awards.



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**Date:**

Wednesday, March 5 at 7:30PM

**Venue:**

The Egyptian Theatre  
(6712 Hollywood Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90028)

**Admission:**

General: \$11  
American Cinematheque Member: \$7  
*\*Tickets are available to purchase at the theatre.*

**THE GREAT PASSAGE (FUNÉ WO AMU)**  
(2013, 133min. / Director: Yûya Ishii)  
In Japanese with English subtitles.

Introverted Mitsuya Majime (Ryuhei Matsuda) is a wash-out as a salesman, but with his linguistics degree, he's the ideal replacement for a departing editor working on a new dictionary entitled The Great Passage. The project requires years of painstaking work, but Mitsuya is sustained by his love for an aspiring chef (Aoi Miyazaki). *"It's the power of words to enlighten and connect us that remains the constant and gives this charming film its special place on the shelf."* - Gary Goldstein, Los Angeles Times.

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