

Samurai fighting arts (bujutsu)

Hyo?ho? Niten Ichi ryu?

Hyo?ho? Niten Ichi ryu? ?????? was founded by Musashi Miyamoto in mid 17th century, and specializes in kenjutsu (swordmanship).

The founder (Musashi Miyamoto) is one of the most famous swordsmen in Japan. After settling down around the age of 50, he wrote "Go Rin no Sho" (the book of five rings).

Currently Hyo?ho? Niten Ichi ryu? is located in Oita, Japan and is led by Kajiya Takanori (12th generation headmaster and successor to the school)

Although the school is most famous for it's two-sword kata, only 5 of the 24 sword-kata are preformed with two swords. Besides the kenjutsu, the school also teaches bojutsu, aikuchi roppo and jutte to jutsu.

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This article is part of a growing index of classical martial art schools. The purpose of these articles is to provide background information for the budo?-students of Koch?kai. Because of the introducing character of these articles, they will only touch the surface of each school.

When available a video by Steven Fletcher Radzikowski of Gudkarma Arts is used. We wholeheartedly support his projects regarding the documentation of classical budo?.

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