

Toyota Boshoku develops "QUALIA POD" equipped with a nap-inducing swing chair and conducts demonstration experiment at Narita International Airport

Kariya (Japan) May 31, 2024 - Toyota Boshoku Corporation has leveraged the technology it has cultivated in the development of vehicle interior spaces to develop the QUALIA POD, which is equipped with a function that appeals to the five senses and allows relaxation, as well as a swing chair that induces a comfortable nap. From June 3rd, Monday to June 28th, Friday, we will install it at the "NARITA PREMIER LOUNGE" in Narita International Airport (Narita City, Chiba Prefecture) and conduct a demonstration experiment targeting lounge users.

The newly developed "QUALIA POD" is a seat of the highest grade MX Prime of the MX221*, which we have been developing as a MaaS share-ride space concept and has been developed for use in areas other than mobility. Similar to the MX Prime, the seat rocks like a cradle and is equipped with a system that quickly induces a nap, as well as personal acoustics and a function that emits a relaxing scent, in pursuit of a comfortable sitting experience. In addition, we designed it to be installed in a public space, and although it has a compact shape, it has the feel of a private room with privacy in mind, creating a space where you can relax.



<Outline of demonstration experiment>

Date and time: June 3, Monday to June 28, Friday, 2024 7:30-21:00

Venue: NARITA PREMIER LOUNGE

(Narita Airport Terminal 1, Satellite 1, 4th floor, area after immigration procedures)

Target audience: Customers using NARITA PREMIER LOUNGE

In order to use NARITA PREMIER LOUNGE, you must meet the terms and conditions specified by the airline with which you have concluded the usage agreement.

*(For reference) Click here for MX221 details

<https://tech.toyota-boshoku.com/global/ces2023/index.html>