

The Environment Research and Technology Development Fund S-11 /
Beyond MDGs Japan Symposium

Sustainable Development Goals and the Post-2015 Development Agenda

— Current International Discussions and Challenges for Implementation —

- **Keynote Speech: Post MDGs and Global Governance**
Keizo Takemi, Member of the House of Councillors / Professor, Tokai University
- **Current Discussion on Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and Proposals from Project On Sustainability Transformation beyond 2015 (POST2015: S-11)**
Norichika Kanie, Associate Professor, Tokyo Institute of Technology
- **Panel Discussion 1.**
Implications for a Post-2015 Development Agenda – Perspectives from Science and Policy
- **Panel Discussion 2.**
What Needs to Be Done for Implementation?

Friday, 16 January 2015 13:00-18:00
**U Thant International Conference Hall (3F),
United Nations University**

5-53-70 Jingumae, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo 150-8925

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Capacity: 300 persons

Language: Japanese/English (with simultaneous interpretation)

Registration: Please register via the S-11 (POST2015) website.

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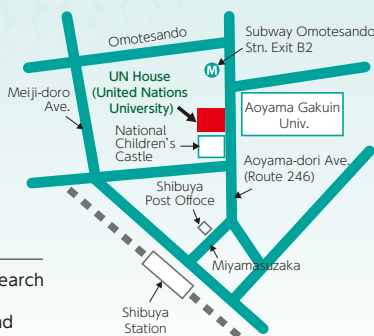
Co-organisers:

Ministry of the Environment of Japan / Beyond MDGs Japan / Graduate School of Education, The University of Tokyo / Graduate School of Environmental Studies, Tohoku University / Institute for Global Environmental Strategies

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Sustainable Development Goals and the Post-2015 Development Agenda

- Current International Discussions and Challenges for Implementation -

As we near the deadline of the UN Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) in 2015, the post-2015 development agenda to address the remaining challenges of the MDGs including the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) to further responding to various emerging issues is currently under discussion. The new international goals are expected to be adopted at the UN General Assembly in September 2015.

The aim of this symposium is to report on on-going discussions on the post-2015 development agenda, to consider the possible goals and targets towards 2030, and to look into indicators to assess the progress of implementation. This symposium will also address the challenges of both international and national implementation, which will lead to the discussion of ways of sustainable collaboration among the science community, local governments and the private sector in its realization.

Programme

MC: Yumiko Nozaki

Freelance announcer, Lecturer at the TV Asahi Announcer School

12:30-13:00

Registration

13:00-13:10

Opening Remarks:

Yoshinao Mishima, President, Tokyo Institute of Technology

Kazuhiko Takemoto, Director, The United Nations University Institute for the Advanced Study of Sustainability (UNU-IAS)

13:10-13:20

Remarks:

Atsuyuki Oike, Director-General (Ambassador), Director-General for Global Issues, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan

13:20-13:50

Keynote Speech: Post MDGs and Global Governance

Keizo Takemi, Member of the House of Councillors / Professor, Tokai University

13:50-14:20

Current Discussion on Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and Proposals from Project On Sustainability Transformation beyond 2015 (POST2015: S-11)

Norichika Kanie, Associate Professor, Tokyo Institute of Technology / Senior Research Fellow, UNU-IAS / Project Leader of S-11

14:20-14:30

Break

14:30-16:00

Panel Discussion 1.

Implications for a Post-2015 Development Agenda - Perspectives from Science and Policy

Chair: **Naoya Abe**, Associate Professor, Tokyo Institute of Technology

Panellists:

• **Hiroto Arakawa**, Adviser, Sumitomo Corporation

• **Yuto Kitamura**, Associate Professor, The University of Tokyo

• **Yoshiaki Kinoshita**, Director for Environmental Science and Technology, Environment and Energy Division, Research and Development Bureau, Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology

• **Shunsuke Managi**, Associate Professor, Tohoku University

• **Hideyuki Mori**, President, Institute for Global Environmental Strategies

Q&A

16:00-16:15

Break

16:15-17:45

Panel Discussion 2.

What Needs to Be Done for Implementation?

Chair: **Norichika Kanie**

Panellists:

• **Kaori Kuroda**, Executive Director, CSO Network Japan

• **Toshio Koike**, Professor, Department of Civil Engineering, School of Engineering, The University of Tokyo / Director, International Centre for Water Hazard and Risk Management (ICHARM)

• **Surendra Shrestha**, Director, International Environmental Technology Centre (IETC), United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)

• **Keiko Segawa**, Director, International Strategy Division, Global Environment Bureau, Ministry of the Environment of Japan (TBC)

• **Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan (TBD)**

Q&A

17:45-17:50

Closing Remarks:

Tamotsu Nakasa, Secretary General, Steering Committee of Beyond MDGs Japan / National Center for Global Health and Medicine

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