

How Japan and Germany Cooperate in Major World Issues?

JEF-DGAP International Symposium

Thursday, 16 February 2012, Rauchstraße 17/18, 10787 Berlin, Germany

9:30-10:00 am

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

10:00-10:30 am

OFFICIAL WELCOME

Amb. Paul Freiherr von Maltzahn, Executive Vice President, DGAP

Noboru Hatakeyama, Chairman and CEO, JEF; Former Chairman and CEO, JETRO; Former Vice-Minister for International Affairs, MITI (METI as of now)

10:30-12:00 **SESSION 1: THE FTA BETWEEN THE EU AND JAPAN: BENEFITS AND RISKS**

Speakers:

Yorizumi Watanabe, Professor, Faculty of Policy Management, Keio University

Hubert Knirsch, Head of Division, International Economic and Financial Policy, Federal Foreign Office (AA)

Friedolin Strack, Head of Asia and Africa Department, Federation of German Industries (BDI)

Moderator:

Naoyuki Haraoka, Executive Managing Director of JEF

12:00-1:00

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Key-note Speaker:

Amb. Andreas von Stechow

1:00-2:30 pm **SESSION 2: THE NUCLEAR INCIDENT IN FUKUSHIMA: CONSEQUENCES FOR THE ENERGY MIX IN GERMANY AND JAPAN**

Speakers:

Nobuo Tanaka, Global Associate for Energy Security and Sustainability, The Institute of Energy Economics, Japan; Former Executive Director of the International Energy Agency (IEA)

Prof. Dr. Diethard Mager, Director for Fundamental Energy Questions; Energy Research; Renewable Energies; Coal, Federal Ministry of Economics and Technology (BMWi)

Dr. Eberhard von Rottenburg, Senior Manager and Energy Expert in the Federation of German Industries (BDI)

Moderator:

Prof. Dr. Eberhard Sandschneider, Director of the Research Institute, DGAP

2:30-3:00 pm

COFFEE BREAK/REFRESHMENTS



3:00-4:30 pm **SESSION 3: HOW JAPAN AND GERMANY CAN COOPERATE TO BUILD UP A COMMON FRAMEWORK TO ADDRESS THE ISSUE OF GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE?**

Speakers:

Amb. Mutsuyoshi Nishimura, Visiting Fellow at Japan Institute for International Affairs (JIIA); Former Special Advisor to the Cabinet, in charge of Climate change; Former Ambassador in charge of for Global Environment and Chief Climate Negotiator in Japan; Former Ambassador to OECD and to Mexico

Dr. Karsten Sach, Director for International Climate Cooperation, Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety (BMU)

Daniel Klingefeld, MPP, M.Sc., WBGU Research Analyst, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research (PIK)

Moderator:

Prof. Dr. Eberhard Sandschneider

4:30-4:50 pm

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Amb. Paul Freiherr von Maltzahn

Noboru Hatakeyama

End of Symposium