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Venue: 4-5 December (Keio University SFC)
6 December (Keio University Mita Campus)

Agenda

Day 1

4th of December @Keio University Shonan Fujisawa Campus [Omega / Ω 11]

[ONLINE presentations]

Time table	Activity		Venue	
9:30	Registration		Omega / Ω 11, SFC	
Timetable	Activity	Contents	Institute	Abstract No.
10:30 – 10:45	Opening Session	Welcome remarks Opening remarks	Rajib Shaw Anjula Gurtoo	
10:45 - 13:00 (Per speakers: 10 minutes presentation + 5 minutes Q/A) Reporter: Anuska Ray PPT in-charge: Tian Youyue	Session 1	Theme 1: Geopolitical relevance Chair: Richa Sharma, ICSSR		
	Alvina Antonia Almeida	Japan's Footprint in the Indo-Pacific: Enhancing Regional Connectivity and Inclusive Growth	Goa University, India	88
	Simran Walia	India-Japan Defense Collaboration: Emphasis on Defense Exercises and Defense Technology	Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India	129
	G.V.C. Naidu	Promoting Indo-Pacific Peace and Development through India- Japan Special Strategic Partnership	Former Founder-Chairman of the Centre for Indo-Pacific Studies, JNU	145
	Shikha Vasishta	The Role of India-Japan Reproductive Health Policies in Feminist Foreign Policy and Geopolitical Influence	Bennett University, Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh, India	40
	Puttu Sreenivasulu	Navigating the Global Blue Economy : Aligning India's Act East Policy with Japan's Free and Open IndoPacific Strategy	University of Hyderabad, India	29
	Tunchinmang Langel	Securing the Seas: India-Japan Strategic Technological Collaboration for Maritime Security	Indian Council of World Affairs (ICWA), India	42

	Pritha Pal	Harnessing Japan's Export-led Growth: Strategic Insights for India's Economic Policy and Bilateral Collaboration through Cultural Exchange	University of Hyderabad, India	143
	Kaveri Jain	India-Japan Partnership in the Indo-Pacific Region: The Role of Technology Transfer and Regional Economic Collaboration	Amity Institute of International Studies (AIIS), Amity University, Noida, Uttar Pradesh, India	117
13:00 – 14:00	Break			
14:00 – 15:45 (Per speakers: 10 minutes presentation + 5 minutes Q/A) Reporter: Seira Mary Cherian PPT in-charge: Zhang Yanwu (Lila)	Session 2	Theme 2: Societal challenges Chair: Minnu Malieckal, IISc		
	Lipun Kumar Sanbad	Bridging Social Challenges: Enhancing Inclusive Development in Indo-Japan Bilateral Relations	Pondicherry University, India	147
	Mangalleibi Sagolsem	Lai Haraoba and Furukawa Matsuri: Changes and Challenges towards Sustainable Development	University of Delhi, New Delhi, India	139
	Satoka Shimizu	How Japanese Zen Philosophy Can Contribute to India's Swachh Bharat Campaign	Director of Japan India Women's Forum, Japan	115
	Sujata Saunik	Heatwaves: A Growing Threat to Indian Cities	Graduate School of Media and Governance, Keio University	105
	Ashwin Krishna	Understanding the Unique Elements of Japanese Business Culture: Key Learnings to Apply in the Indian Context	Project Associate, India	37
	Varuna Shankar	Sustainable Tourism in Japan, A Role Model for India and the World	GD Goenka University, India	74

	Tsubasa Shozuguchi	Addressing Rural Challenges in India: Lessons Learned from Japan	Next Bharat Ventures IFSC Private Limited, India	137
15:45 - 16:00	Break			
16:00 – 18:00 (Per speakers: 10 minutes presentation + 5 minutes Q/A) Reporter: Lu Sze Yui Ryan PPT in-charge: Rong Huang	Session 3	Theme 3: Innovation leading to action Chair: Veena Krishnarajpet Gururaja, IISc		
	Surarapu Harishankar Naidu	Assessing India's "Atmanirbhar Bharat" Initiative and Japan's "Society 5.0" Vision - Their Role in Technological Self-Reliance and Policy Driven Mutual Growth through Effective Diplomacy.	University of Hyderabad, India	187
	Shashank Khandwe	Synergies in India-Japan Outer Space Policy: A Promise for Sustainable Space Collaboration	Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India	163
	Mohd. Azam Khan	India-Japan Energy Ties: Progress and Prospects	Aligarh Muslim University, India	158
	Lalita Patel	Green Hydrogen Corridor: India and Japan Collaborate for Clean Energy	NAM Today journal, India	63
	Abhishek Choudhury	Innovation and SDGs in India Japan Collaboration	Keio University, Japan	102
	Sushmita Bharti	Negotiating Privacy in Quest for Regulation: Legal Framework on Digital Identification System	University of Delhi, New Delhi, India	185
18:00	Adjourn of Day 1			

Day 2
5th of December @Keio University Shonan Fujisawa Campus[Omega / Ω 11]
[In-person presentation mainly]

Time table	Activity		Venue	
9:30	Registration starts		Omega / Ω 11, SFC	
Timetable	Activity	Contents	Country	Institute
10:00 – 10:15	Summary of Day 1			
10:15 - 12:00 (Per speakers: 10 minutes presentation + 5 minutes Q/A) Reporter: Anuska Ray PPT in-charge: Tian Youyue	Session 1: Theme 1: Geopolitical relevance			
	Chair: Yuka Ando, Keio University			
	Kohei Goto	India's Perspective on Relations with Japan and Global Affairs: With Special Reference to Dr. S. Jaishankar's Writings	The University of Mumbai, Mumbai, India	148
	Aradhana Talwar	Acting East in India's Foreign Policy: India-Japan Relations	Ramaiah University of Applied Sciences, Bengaluru, India	207
	Bagmita Borthakur	Converging Visions: Socio-Economic and Security Engineering in Indo-Japan Relations in Northeast India (Co-Authored Paper)	Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani, India	132
	Rupakjyoti Borah	India and Japan in a Free and Open Indo-Pacific: Convergences and Divergences	MIT-World Peace University, Pune, India	95
Subirthana M S	Understanding and Walking in the Path of Blue Economy for a Sustainable INDIA-JAPAN Future	M.O.P. Vaishnav College for Women, Chennai, India	159	
12:00 – 13:00	Break			
13:00 – 16:00 Per speakers:	Session 2: Theme 2: Societal challenges			
	Chair: Mausumi Bhattacharyya, Viswabharati University			
	Shamshad Ahmad Khan	Strong Strategic Partnership and a weak Social Capital: How to	BITS Pilani Dubai, India	138

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	Santosh Yumkham	Japan's Labour Shortage and India's Unemployment: Developing a Complementary Relationship	Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India	169
	Pratibha Poonia	Sustainable Futures: The Evolution of Climate Resilience in India and Japan	Jawaharlal Nehru University, India	170
	Professor Marie Lall	FOIP as a gateway to India-Japan collaboration in Disaster Management and Risk Reduction	University College London, London (UCL)	208
	Anupam Das	Waste to Wealth - Japanese Mantra for Tackling India's Menace	Indian Institute of Management Kozhikode, Kerala, India	76
	Purvasri Das	Bridging Gap between Artisans and Businesses through Supply Chain Innovation	Bare Craft Consulting, India	113
	Minnu Maleeckal	Expatriate Experiences in Japan: Highlighting Nuances of Japanese Culture	Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bengaluru, India	25
	Muralee Krishnan C	Learning from Circular City Experiences of Japan - The Economic and Behavioural Challenges for Adoption in India	Amrita School of Business, Coimbatore, India	133
	Kurchika Nath	Cultural Innovation through Storytelling: Narratives and Insights from Studio Ghibli Films	Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur, India	130
	Bushra Ali Khan	Addressing India's Healthcare Infrastructure through India-Japan	King's College London, UK.	175

		Collaboration: Addressing Climate Change and Dengue Outbreaks		
	Shubham Dey	Can branding of cultural commodities stop extinction of rural communities (genkai shuraku/ 限界集落)? Case studies from Japan and India	Osaka University, Osaka, Japan	103
	Aashlesha Marathe	A Review of the Journey of Indian Migrants in Japan: The Need for Studies on Interactions between Indian Migrants and Japanese People	Toyo University, Tokyo, Japan	142
16:00 – 16:30	Break			
16:30 – 17:30	Session 3: Theme 3: Innovation leading to action			
Per speakers: 10 minutes presentation + 5 minutes Q/A	Chair: Siddharth Deshmukh			
Reporter: Lu Sze Yui Ryan	Sakshi Narang	Tech Trails: Factors Influencing Indian Engineers' Mobility to Japan	Tokyo University of Foreign Studies, Tokyo, Japan	156
PPT in-charge: Rong Huang	Shashank Patel	Natural Cooperation in Artificial Intelligence: India-Japan Policy Headway	Department of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi, India	6
	Gaurav Dilip Tikas	Science & Technology Commercialization: How can Indian and Japanese academia co- create a sustainable global impact?	Indian Institute of Management Visakhapatnam, India	56
17:30	Adjourn			

Nature of the event: The first two days (4 and 5 of December 2024) will be in the form of an academic seminar both online and offline.

Expected number of participants: Around 120 (online and offline)