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## International Economic Relations and Structural Change: Issues and Policy Options for Japan and the United States

Friday and Saturday, May 14-15, 2004

Center for Global Partnership Conference Facility ARK Mori Building, 20<sup>th</sup> Floor 1-12-32 Akasaka, Minato-ku, Tokyo 107-601 (Telephone: 03-5562-3542; Fax: 03-5562-3504)

#### **Conference Agenda**

Friday, May 14, 2004

**8:30-9:00 A.M.** Registration and Welcoming

**9:00-10:00 A.M.** Robert E. Baldwin, University of Wisconsin, "Failure of the WTO

Ministerial Conference at Cancun: Reasons and Remedies"

Discussant: Ippei Yamazawa, International University of Japan

**10:00-11:00 A.M.** Masayoshi Honma, University of Tokyo, "WTO Negotiations and Other

Agricultural Trade Issues in Japan"

Discussant: Yujiro Hayami, National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies/Foundation for Advanced Studies in International Development

**11:00-11:15 A.M.** Coffee Break

11:15-12:15 P.M. Ichiro Araki, Yokohama National University, and Tsuyoshi Kawase,

RIETI, "The Evolution of Japan's Aggressive Legalism"

Discussant: Deukgeun Ahn, KDI School of Public Policy and Management, Seoul

12:15-1:30 P.M. Lunch

1:30-2:30 P.M. Alan V. Deardorff, University of Michigan, "How Might Japan's

Location Affect Its Pattern of Trade?"

Discussant: Shujiro Urata, Waseda University

**2:30-3:30 P.M.** Theresa Greaney, University of Hawaii, "Measuring Network Effects on

Trade: Are Japanese Affiliates Distinctive?"

Discussant: K.C. Fung, University of California, Santa Cruz

**3:30-3:45 P.M.** Coffee Break

**3:45-5:00P.M.** Keith Head and John Ries, University of British Columbia, "Judging

Japan's FDI: The Verdict from a Dartboard Model"

Discussant: Fukunari Kimura, Keio University

7:00-9:00 P.M. Dinner (Bon Sen, Wako-Building B1, Roppongi 4-8-5, Minato-ku,

Tokyo, Tel. 5411-3445)

Saturday, May 15, 2004

**8:30-9:00 A.M.** Coffee

9:00-10:15 A.M. Keith Maskus, University of Colorado, "Intellectual Property Rights in

Agriculture and the Interests of Asian-Pacific Economies"

Sadao Nagaoka, Hitotsubashi University, "Pro-patent Policy in Japan and

International Technology Trade"

Discussant: Masahiro Odagiri, Hitotsubashi University

10:15-11:30 A.M. Thomas Prusa, Rutgers University, "The Globalization of Anti-

Dumping"

Arata Kuno, UFJ Institute Ltd., "An Evaluation of Japan's Recent

Safeguards Actions"

Discussant: Mitsuo Matsushita, Seikei University, Law School

**11:30-11:45 A.M.** Coffee Break

11:45-12:45 P.M Drusilla K. Brown, Tufts University, Kozo Kiyota, Yokohama National

University and University of Michigan, and Robert M. Stern, University of Michigan, "The Menu of U.S.-Japan Trade Policies: Spaghetti Bowl

or Free Lunch?"

Discussant: Masahiko Tsutsumi, Financial Services Agency

**12:45-2:00 P.M.** Lunch

**2:00-3:00P.M.** Eiichi Tomiura, Kobe University, "Foreign Outsourcing and Firm-level

Characteristics: Evidence from Japanese Manufacturers"

Discussant: Robert Lipsey, City University of New York and NBER

**3:00-4:00 P.M.** Kyoji Fukao, Hitotsubashi University, Keiko Ito, Senshu University, and

Hyeog Ug Kwon, Hitotsubashi University, "Characteristics and Effects

of Japan's Inward FDI"

Discussant: Motoshige Itoh, University of Tokyo

**4:00-4:15 P.M.** Coffee Break

4:15-5:00 P.M. Concluding Discussion

7:00-9:00 P.M. Dinner (Akasaka, "Umaya," Akasaka 4-2-32, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Tel.

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