

The European Union and Asia. Perspectives, Challenges and Opportunities

Date: September 16th, 2014 Venue: Kozminski University, Warsaw, Poland

CONFERENCE PLAN

8:00 - 9:00	Registration	Conference Room Bldg. C	
9:00 - 9:30	Opening address 1. Prof. Jerzy Zdanowski (IKŚiO PAN) 2. Prof. Robert Rządca (KUARC)	Conference Room Bldg. C	
9:30-11:00	Key note speeches prof. Teruji Suzuki (Tokai University) "The importance of modern Asian studies" Uta Shimada Ph.D. (University of Cambridge) "The value of a non-positivist, non-Western perspective in contemporary sociocultural research: eliciting unconventional findings'	Conference Room Bldg. C	
Coffee Break (11:00-11:30)			
	 [Panel 1] ECONOMIC STUDIES Mariusz Krawczyk (Ryukoku University) Long-term employment system in Japan Marek Krasiński (Wrocław University of Economics) The evolution of Kaizen tool in Polish and Japanese Toyota's Manufacturing Plants Olga Kotowska-Wójcik (Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University) The social economy as a contribution for societal development in Asia and European Union Elena Pawęta (University of Lodz) Born Global companies and Asian markets: opportunities and threats within the regional cooperation and integration 	Room D112	
11:30 – 14:00	 [Panel 2] POLITICAL STUDIES Ewa Trojnar (Jagiellonian University) Does the European Union have a strategy towards Taiwan? Claude Hamon (Université Paris Diderot) European Networking in Perspective: World's Fairs and International Expositions as a Contribution to the Knowledge of Asia. Adam Raszewski (Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University) Towards a new formula of the French presence in Asia Marta Luty-Michalak (Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University) A comparative study on social cohesion in Japan and Poland 	Conference Room Bldg. C	



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	[Panel 3] CULTURAL STUDIES		
	1. Magdalena Tomaszewska-Bolałek (Hanami, Warsaw University, University of Social Sciences and Humanities in Warsaw) New Opportunities for Promotion Food in Europe Based on Food Tourism in Japan		
	2. Yuliya Osadcha (Taras Shevchenko Institute of Literature, the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine) Western Aesthetic and Literary Thought in "The Essence of the Novel" by Tsubouchi Shoyo	Room A24	
	3. Olga Barbasiewicz (Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University) <i>Japanese cultural policy in the European Union from 2012.</i>		
Lunch Break 14:00-15:00			
	[Panel 1] ECONOMIC STUDIES		
	1. Joanna Furmańczyk (Poznań University of Ecomonics) Woman's position in management: Comparison of Poland and Japan		
	2. Barbara Wycisk (University of Warsaw) Assimilation issues of Vietnamese students in Poland	Room D112	
	3. Radosław Bolałek (Hanami) East Asia Research and Development Activities as a Factor Stimulating Polish Economy		
15:00 - 17:30	4. Tomasz Białobrzeski (University of Warsaw) Chinese investments in soil improvement and civil engineering market in the selected European Union countries.		
13.00 - 17.50	[Panel 2] POLITICAL STUDIES		
	1. Justyna Turek (Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University) European Union and India relations- benefits and expectations after 2000's.		
	2. Kamil Sygidus (University of Warmia and Mazury in Olsztyn) Syria, from the European Union point of view.	Conference Room Bldg. C	
	3. Michał Alagierski (University of Lodz) European Union relations witch Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf		
	4. Wioletta Nowak (Wrocław University) Sino-European trade competition in Latin America and the Caribbean		

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