



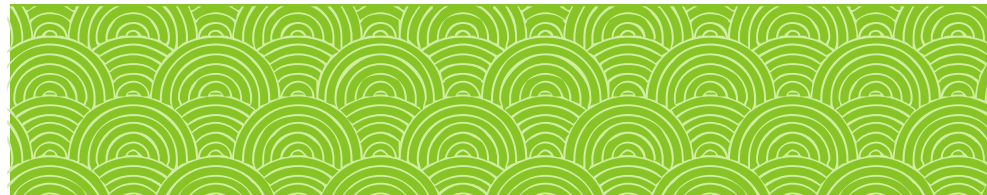
UK-Japan Collaboration

The Past and Future Earth

Climate change and co-existing sustainably with nature

Friday, 4 March 2016
14:00-17:45 followed by a reception

Venue: Embassy of Japan in the UK
101-104 Piccadilly, London W1J 7JT
Fee: Free with registration
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Creating a Sustainable Future “Beyond Borders”

Promoting research collaboration and academic interaction between Japan and the UK, Ritsumeikan University is delighted to present its Environment Forum supported by JSPS (Japan Society for the Promotion of Science), JCCI (Japanese Chamber of Commerce and Industry in the UK), and JETRO London. This is the second public lecture following forum of celebrating the 150th anniversary between UK-Japan collaboration in 2013. Special thanks go to the Embassy of Japan in the UK. The purpose of this forum is to introduce environmental

issues in two nations from researchers of both Japan and UK through the sessions and discuss for creating a society capable of co-existing sustainably with nature.

Ritsumeikan Academy, based in Kyoto, is one of the largest private educational foundations in Japan, with a total of 46,000 students. In addition to Ritsumeikan University, founded in 1900 and hosting 32,000 students on four campuses, it also operates Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University in Beppu, Kyushu, founded in 2000, together with four junior and senior high schools and one primary school located throughout Japan.

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14:00-14:30	Registration
14:30-14:40	Opening Address by Mr Motohiko Kato (Minister Plenipotentiary to the United Kingdom) and Professor Mikio Yoshida (President, Ritsumeikan University)
Session 1 Elucidating mechanism of climate change	
14:40-15:00	Dr. Takeshi Nakagawa, Ritsumeikan University (Director, Professor of Research Centre for Palaeoclimatology) "The (Mis)Behavior of Climates - How did humans survive episodes of truly drastic regime shifts?"-
15:00-15:20	Dr. Eric Wolff, University of Cambridge (Royal Society Research Professor, Climate Change and Earth-Ocean-Atmosphere Systems) "Ice as an archive of climate and greenhouse gases"
15:20-15:35	Q&A
Session 2 Creating a society capable of co-existing sustainably with nature	
15:35-15:55	Dr. Hiroyuki Mori, Ritsumeikan University (Professor, Dean, Graduate School of Policy Science) "Environmental issues of Asbestos; The biggest industrial disasters of the world"
15:55-16:15	Dr. Robert Lowe, University College London (Professor of Energy & Building Science, Director of UCL Energy Institute) "Delivering End Use Energy Demand Reductions – Challenges and Opportunities"
16:15-16:30	Q&A
16:30-16:40	Closing Address
16:45-17:45	Reception

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Please register no later than Tuesday, 1 March through Eventbrite website <https://goo.gl/B3yrYR>

NOTE: All visitors to the Embassy are required to show Photo ID (e.g. driving license, passport) and your Eventbrite ticket.

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