

16:30 : Beginning of Orientation

1. Opening Remarks

Professor Kozo Hiramatsu, Director, JSPS London Office

2. Self-introduction by each participant

3. Overview of JSPS and Preparing for Your Research Trip

Mr. Hideyuki Matsumoto, Deputy Director, JSPS London

<<BREAK>>

4. Research Experience in Japan

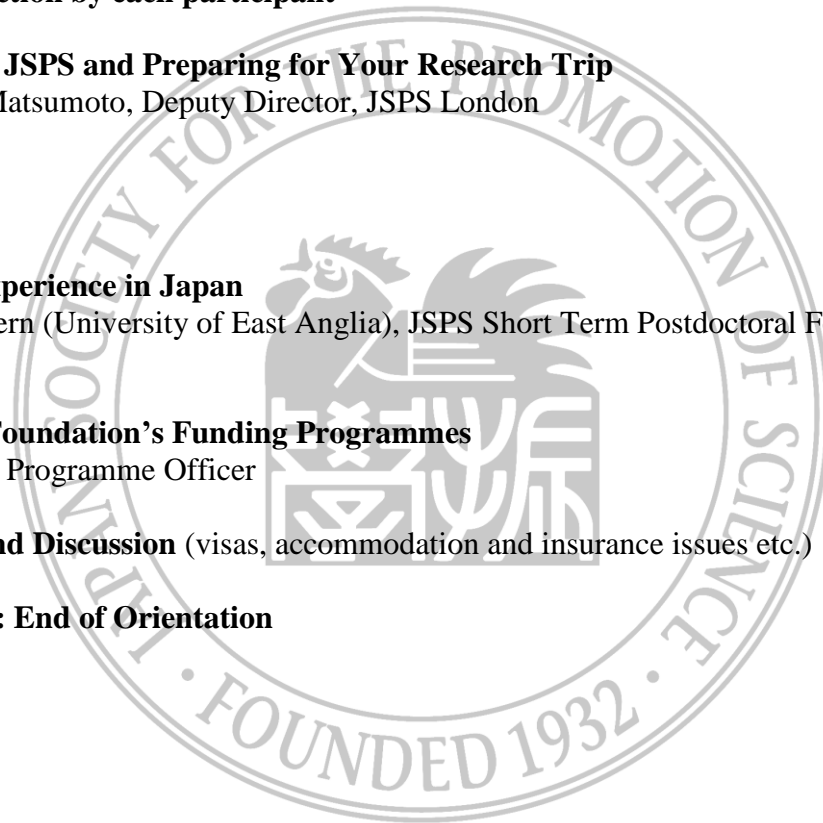
Ms. Mary Redfern (University of East Anglia), JSPS Short Term Postdoctoral Fellow 2013

5. The Japan Foundation's Funding Programmes

Mr. Hal Parker, Programme Officer

6. Questions and Discussion (visas, accommodation and insurance issues etc.)

Around 18:00 : End of Orientation



UK-JSPS Alumni Evening Programme

25 October 2013

18:30 Start

UK-JSPS Alumni Association Activities

By Dr. Che Connon, Executive Committee Member, UK-JSPS Alumni Association

18:40 Alumni and JBUK Research Promotion Session

1. “New treatments for corneal endothelial disease”
Professor Andrew Quantock, School of Optometry and Vision Sciences, Cardiff University.
2. “What we can learn from Japan: Exploring the determinants of healthy ageing”
Dr. Noriko Cable, Department of Epidemiology and Public Health, University College London.
3. “Bugs, Colours and Potions: having fun with chemistry and biology”
Dr. Rudi Marquez, School of Chemistry, University of Glasgow.

19:10 **Guest Speaker:** Professor Kuniaki Yamashita, Director of JSPS Bangkok Office

19:30 **Group photo, Toast, Reception and Buffet**

19:50 **Ceremony for 2013 FURUSATO, BRIDGE and Symposium Scheme Awardees**

20:30 Close

