

# **Pre Departure Seminar Programme      25/05/2012**

## **15:30 : Beginning of Orientation**

### **1. Opening Remarks**

Professor Kozo Hiramatsu, Director, JSPS London Office

### **2. Self-introduction by each participant**

### **3. Introduction to JSPS**

Mr Tomo Saito, Deputy Director, JSPS London

### **4. International Research Careers**

Dr Claire McNulty, Director of Science, British Council

### **5. Practical Information for JSPS Summer Programme Fellows**

Ms Naoko Yamaoka, Overseas Fellowship Division, JSPS Tokyo

### **6. Information about JSPS Postdoctoral and Invitational Fellowships**

Ms Akiko Sato, Overseas Fellowship Division, JSPS Tokyo

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### **7. Research Experience in Japan**

Mr Jamie Cameron (University of Glasgow), JSPS Summer Programme Fellow, 2011

### **8. Research Environment in Japanese and UK Institutions**

Dr Zenobia Lewis (University of Liverpool), UK-JSPS Alumni Association

### **9. The Royal Society's Exchanges and Collaborations with Japan**

Dr Kimberly Hutchings, Scheme Manager, Grants

### **10. Questions and Discussion** (visas, accommodation and insurance issues etc.)

**Around 18:00 : End of Orientation**

## **UK-JSPS Alumni Evening Programme 25/05/2012**

18:30 Start

### **UK-JSPS Alumni Association Activities and JSPS 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Events in 2012**

By Dr Martyn Kingsbury, Chair of UK-JSPS Alumni Association

Group photo, Toast, Reception and Buffet

### **Guest Speaker:**

#### **The Importance of International Collaboration and Communicating Science**

By Dr Barbara Marte, Senior Editor, *Nature*

20:30 Depart

