To all members,

The Agricultural Economics Society of Japan (AESJ) President, Hitoshi KUSAKARI

Information Regarding the 2019 Annual Conference of AESJ

The 2019 Annual Conference of Agricultural Economics Society of Japan (AESJ), hosted by the University of Tokyo, will be held on 30th and 31st of March. The outline of the conference is as follows.

[1] Schedule and Venue

Schedule: 30th (Sat.) and 31st (Sun.) of March, 2019 Venue: Faculty of Agriculture, the University of Tokyo Address: 1-1-1, Yayoi, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo, 113-8657

<Registration>

30th(Sat.): Yayoi Auditorium, Ichijo Hall, Faculty of Agriculture, the University of Tokyo 31st(Sun.): 2nd Floor, Building1, Faculty of Agriculture, the University of Tokyo

<Conference Schedule>

30th (Sat.) of March: Yayoi Auditorium, Ichijo Hall, Faculty of Agriculture, the University of Tokyo		
Opening address from the University of Tokyo	9:00~ 9:05	
Presidential address	9:05~ 9:20	
Main symposium	9:20~16:00	
General meeting and award ceremony for AESJ Prizes	16:10~17:00	
Reception party: Chūō Refectory (Underground), Hongō Campus	18:00~20:00	

31 st (Sun.) of March: Faculty of Agriculture, the University of Tokyo	
International symposium: Building1, Faculty of Agriculture	9:00-12:00
Special session: Building2, Faculty of Agriculture	(pending)
Oral presentation: Building1, 7A, 7B, Faculty of Agriculture	9:00~16:00 (pending)
Poster presentation: Yayoi Auditorium Annex, Faculty of Agriculture	
Presentation for judges	(in the morning)
Presentation for participants	12:00~13:00
Ceremony for best poster award: Building1, Faculty of Agriculture	16:00~16:10

[2] Fees

1. Participation: 4,000yen (Student members: 3,000yen)

2. Reception party: 5,000yen (Student members: 3,000yen)

[3] Contact Information for Inquires

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[4] Main Symposium (30^{th} of March)

"Lessons for the Upcoming Two Decades from the 20 Years "New Basic Law" Experience" Co-chairpersons: Shinnosuke TAMA (Tokushima University),

Takayuki KIMURA (Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fishery) (Language: Japanese)

Presentations:

1. Ideas of the New Basic Law and its policies: achievements in the past two decades and lessons for the future (Tentative)

Shiroyoshi SHIOKAWA (Policy Research Institute, MAFF)

- 2. Development and reality of rural policy: changes and future of rural community Mitsuyohshi ANDO (The University of Tokyo)
- 3. Policy response for the change from food self-sufficiency to food safety: a scenario analysis Miyuki SHIMIZU (Nihon University)
- 4. Changes in external environment and corresponding agricultural policy in Japan: comparison with the EU agricultural policy

Hideki HAGIWARA (Cabinet Office)

5. Technological innovation in agriculture : transition and prospect Masashi UMEMOTO (National Agriculture and Food Research Organization)

Commentators: Satoru SHIMOKAWA (Waseda University), Kae SEKINE (Aichi Gakuin University)

[5] International Symposium (31st of March)

"Japan and Korea in the Field of International Cooperation for Agricultural Development: Approaches, Outcomes, and Impact Assessment" Chairpersons: TBA Speakers: TBA (Language: English)