

The 2024 Annual Convention of
the Japan Association of International Relations (JAIR)
November 15 (Friday) – 17 (Sunday), 2024
Sapporo

November 15 (Friday)

Afternoon Session (13:00~15:30)

Session 1: Re-examining the Relationship between Article 9 of the Constitution and the Japan-U.S. Security Treaty

Chair: INOUE Masaya (Keio University)

Speakers:

HAMASUNA Takahiro (Waseda University)

“Japan-US Security Relationship and the Right of Collective Self-Defense: A Historical Perspective, 1945-1960”

IKEMIYAGI Yoko (Japan Society for the Promotion of Science)

“The Evolution of the Postwar Regime of Japanese Security Policy and Okinawa 1952-1972”

KATO Hiroaki (Kwansei Gakuin University)

“Article 9 = Japan-U.S. Security Regime and Oversea Deployment of Self-Defense Forces : Expansion of the Minimum Defense Capability”

Discussant:

MATSUDA Yasuhiro (The University of Tokyo)

IKEDA Shintaro (Kansai University)

Session 2: The Current State and Issues of American Studies

Chair: ITO Yuko (Asia University)

Speakers:

SHINODA Tomohito (International University of Japan)

”Studies US-Japan Relations in Japan and the United States”

SATO Machiko (University of Shizuoka)

“Religion and American Foreign Policy: in the Context of Historiographical Overview and Policy Formation”

IKEGAMI Daisuke (University of the Ryukyus)

“Current Status and Issues in the Study of Contemporary History of U.S.-Pacific Islands : Focusing on Guam”

Discussant:

ENDO Yasuo (Kansai University of International Studies)

ITO Yuko (Asia University)

Session 3: Politics of the Nobel Peace Prize: Analyses on International Politics, Nuclear Weapons and Gender

Chair: TANAKA Koichiro (Keio University)

Speakers:

YOSHITAKE Nobuhiko (Takasaki City University of Economics)

“The Nobel Peace Prize and Japan: International Politics of Successive Japanese Candidates, 1901–1974”

TAKENAKA Chiharu (Rikkyo University)

“South Asia and Politics of Nobel Prize: Rethinking from the Perspectives of Postcolonial, Global South and Gender”

ENOMOTO Tamara (Meiji Gakuin University)

“‘Humanitarian Disarmament’ Campaigns and Nobel Peace Prizes”

Discussant:

TODA Makiko (Kyoto Women’s University)

SATO Shiro (Tokyo University of Agriculture)

Session 4: Re-examining the International–Domestic Nexus

Chair: ISHIGURO Kaoru (Kobe University)

Speakers:

HAMANAKA Shintaro (IDE–JETRO)

“Legal Traditions and Domestic–International Nexus ”

SATO Yukie (Waseda University)

“Alliance and Human Rights: the Response of the U.S. Congress to Kwangju Uprising and the Korean Ministry of Foreign Affairs”

YOSHIMOTO Iku (The University of Tokyo)

“Democratization, Inequality, and Foreign Aid”

Discussant:

ICHIHARA Maiko (Hitotsubashi University)

KONOE Sara (Kansai University)

November 16 (Saturday)

Morning Sessions (09:30~12:00)

Session 5 Complex Systems of Norms and Conflicts

Chair: KARATANI Rieko (Kansai University)

Speakers:

SEKIYAMA Takashi (Kyoto University)

“Climate-Induced Conflict and Social Norms”

NAKANISHI Yoshihiro (Kyoto University)

“Tumbling Down the Hierarchy: Rethinking the International Norms and ‘Regime Transition’ in Myanmar”

OUCHI Yuya (Kobe University)

“The Syrian Civil War and the Multi-Level Shift of Anti-Impunity Norms”

Discussant:

TOSA Hiroyuki (Notre Dame Seishin University)

ABE Yuki (Kumamoto University)

Session 6: Contested History: Interdisciplinary Perspectives from International Politics, Comparative Politics, and Historiography

Chair: OYANE Satoshi (Doshisha University)

Speakers:

ASANO Toyomi (Waseda University)

“The Challenge of International Reconciliation Studies: Toward a Study of International Relations that Incorporates the Transformability of Nation-States”

TAKEI Ayaka (Gakushuin Women’s University)

“Creating the Norms of Reconciliation: Law, Politics and Culture”

KUMAGAI Naoko (Aoyama Gakuin University)

“Women’s Dignity in Reconciliation: Constructivist Analysis of the Comfort Women Issue between Japan and the Republic of Korea and the Peacebuilding Process in Bosnia-Herzegovina”

Discussant:

TOYODA Tetsuya (Akita International University)

OYANE Satoshi (Doshisha University)

Session 7 Return to an Era of War between Nations?

Chair: MIYAOKA Isao (Keio University)

Speakers:

CHIJIWA Yasuaki (National Institute for Defense Studies)

”Implications from Research on Termination of Interstate Wars: Focusing on Russia–Ukraine War and ‘Taiwan Emergency’ ”

SAKUWA Kentaro (Aoyama Gakuin University)

“Barriers to the Peaceful Resolution of Territorial Disputes”

ISHIDA Atsushi (The University of Tokyo)

“Who Reassures Whom about What?: Negotiated–Order Reexamined”

Discussant:

ITAYAMA Mayumi (Kokushikan University)

KATAGIRI Azusa (Osaka University)

Session 8 New Perspectives on the Cold War History

Chair: TORIKATA Yuko (Doshisha Women’s College)

Speakers:

FUKUDA Madoka (Hosei University)

“ ‘Cold War’ from the Perspective of China and Taiwan”

YAMAMOTO Takeshi (Seinan Gakuin University)

“Cold War Europe in the Historiography of Cold War History”

KANDA Yutaka (Niigata University)

“The Cold War and Social Democracy: Focusing on the Foreign Policy Debate of the Japan Socialist Party”

Discussant:

SHIRATORI Junichiro (The Open University of Japan)

TORIKATA Yuko (Doshisha Women’s College)

Session 9 JAIR/KAIS Co-Hosted Panel: Examining the Transformation of the International Order and Political Landscape through Diverse Approaches and Perspectives

【Session in English】

Chair: ENDO Mitsugi (The University of Tokyo)

Speakers:

KAGOTANI Koji (Chuo University), KO Jiyoung (Korea University), WU Wen-Chin (Academia Sinica)

“When Do Diplomatic Protests Succeed? Political Information and No Rally Effect”

LEE Geunwook (Sogang University)

“ROK’s Military Posture: Seoul’s Strategy, Buildup, and Implications for Security in East Asia”

JEONG Sangmi (Korea National Diplomatic Academy)

“Security Threats and South Koreans’ Perception of Japan: Assessing Public Opinion on ROK–Japan Relations and the ROK–U.S.–Japan Security Cooperation”

Discussant:

LIM, Jaehwan (Aoyama Gakuin University)

KIM Sunil (Kyung Hee University)

CHO Youngho (Sogang University)

Plenary Session: International Relations and Policy Making: Possibilities and Limitations of Evidence-Based Policy Making (EBPM)

(16:00~18:50)

Chair: KOJO Yoshiko (Aoyama Gakuin University)

Speakers:

TAGO Atsushi (Waseda University)

“EBPM and International Relations: Conflict Studies”

UJI Azusa (Kyoto University)

“Environmental Policies and EBPM”

IIDA Keisuke (The University of Tokyo)

“EBPM as Seen from the Perspective of IR Theory”

Discussant:

YAMADA Atsushi (Hitotsubashi University)

ENDO Ken (The University of Tokyo)

November 17 (Sunday)

Afternoon Sessions (14:00~16:30)

Session 10 The Challenges of Global Food Security

Chair: MORI Katsuhiko (International Christian University)

Speakers:

TAKAHASHI Toshiya (Shoin University)

“Economic Security and Food Security: Their Concepts and Approaches”

ICHIKAWA Akira (The University of Tokyo)

“The Ukraine War and Food Security: Polish Perspective”

NABESHIMA Takako (Hokkaido University)

“Food Security in Africa: Human Rights of Rural Population Neglected by Power Politics”

Discussant:

UEMURA Takehiko (Yokohama City University)

WATANABE Tomoaki (Fukuoka Institute of Technology)

Session 11 Gaza: Problematizing the Problematized

Chair: IKEDA Akifumi (Toyo Eiwa University)

Speakers:

EZAKI Chie (National Defense Academy of Japan)

“Governing Gaza and the Middle East Peace Process: From the Perspectives on the Relationship with Hamas”

MIMAKI Seiko (Doshisha University)

“How The Gaza War Could Reshape America’s Role in the World”

MAEKAWA Ichiro (Ritsumeikan University)

“Forgotten Imperialism: The Implications of International Politics on Gaza”

Discussant:

TAKAHARA Akio (Tokyo Woman’s Christian University)

TSUJITA Toshiya (Osaka University)

Session 12 “De Facto States” Reconsidered: Palestine, Donbass and East Timor

Chair: TOGASHI Kosuke (Doshisha University)

Speakers:

NISHIKIDA Aiko (KEIO University)

“Palestine as a de Facto State?: Recognition as a Tool of Political Strategy”

MATSUZATO Kimitaka (The University of Tokyo)

”Fetishization of Sovereign States and Secessionist Conflicts: Cases in Post-Communist Territories”

TAKIZAWA, Misako (J.F. Oberlin University)

“The Interruption and Involvement of International Law and Administration to State Independence: Lessons from Timor-Leste”

Discussant:

ENDO Mitsugi (The University of Tokyo)

TACHIBANA Yu (Hokkaido University)

Session 13 Global Politics of Injustice, Compensation, and Reparations

Chair: FUJISHIGE Hiromi (Aoyama Gakuin University)

Speakers:

IIJIMA Yumi (The Japan Institute of International Affairs)

“International Politics of Climate Change Loss and Damage”

KAWAKITA Atsuko (University of Tokyo)

“German War Reparations and *Wiedergutmachung* after World War II”

TSURUTA Aya (Chukyo University)

“European Colonial Responsibility towards Africa: Belgian-Congolese Relations in the 21st Century”

Discussant:

AMIYA-NAKADA Ryosuke (Tsuda University)

MOCHIZUKI Yasue (Kwansei Gakuin University)

Session 14 Changes in Foreign Relations and Japan’s Intelligence Architecture

Chair: IWAMA Yoko (National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies)

Speakers:

MIYASUGI Hiroyasu (Meiji University)

“Interactions between Intelligence Activities and Foreign Policy in Prewar Japan”

KOJIMA Yoshiyuki (Tezukayama University)

“Intelligence and National Reason in Postwar Japan”

KOBAYASHI Yoshiki (Meiji University)

“The Transformation of Japan’s Intelligence Architecture since the 2000s: Drivers and Consequences”

Discussant:

MORIGUCHI Yuka (Kyoto University)

SEKI Makoto (Tezukayama University)

Session 15: “Munesuke Mita/Yusuke Maki and The Study of International Relations: Towards the Making of the Study of Global Relations by Re-examination of Japanese Intellectual Traditions

Chair: ATAKA Hiroaki (Ritsumeikan University)

Speakers:

SAKAI Keiko (Chiba University)

“Munesuke Mita / Yusuke Maki’s Implication on (Critical) Area Studies or Relational Studies on Global Crises (If Any)”

MAEDA Yukio (Soka University)

“International Politics Backlit from the Earth: Munesuke Mita/Yusuke Maki as a Basso Continuo

SHIBASAKI Atsushi

“<Self-Time/Space-Word> Munesuke Mita/Yusuke Maki and the Study of Global Relations”

Discussant:

MUKOYAMA Naosuke (The University of Tokyo)

ASAKA Sachie (Nanzan University)