Special Feature 2017 Northeast Asia International Conference for Economic Development (NICE) in Niigata

Program

14–15 February 2017 Snow Hall, 2F, Toki Messe Niigata International Convention Center

<u>Organizers</u> Northeast Asia International Conference for Economic Development Executive Committee (Niigata Prefecture; City of Niigata; ERINA)

> Participants A total of 300 persons

Opening Session

14 February (Tuesday), 13:00 to 15:15

Welcome Addresses	
KAWAI, Masahiro	Chairperson, NICE and Representative Director, ERINA
YONEYAMA, Ryuichi	Governor of Niigata Prefecture
SHINODA, Akira	Mayor, City of Niigata
Guests' Opening Addresses	
AIKI, Toshihiro	Deputy Director-General, European Affairs Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
TAMURA, Akihiko	Deputy Director-General for Trade Policy, Trade Policy Bureau, Ministry of Economy, Trade
	and Industry
Keynote Addresses	
What Lies Ahead for US Econom	ic Policy in the Trump Administration
BOSWORTH, Barry	Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution
A Next Growth Model for Asian E	Economy: Beyond "the Workshop of the World"

KURODA, Haruhiko Governor of the Bank of Japan

Session A: The Development Strategies and Structural Reforms of the Nations of Northeast Asia and International Cooperation

14 February (Tuesday), 15:30 to 18:00

Reports	
ZHANG, Yuyan	Director, Institute of World Economics and Politics, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences
LEE, Jong-Wha	Director, Asia Research Institute, Korea University
NAMSRAI, Batnasan	Professor, Business School, National University of Mongolia
MINAKIR, Pavel	President, Economic Research Institute, Far Eastern Branch of the Russian Academy of
	Sciences

Coordinator KAWAI, Masahiro

Chairperson, NICE and Representative Director, ERINA

Session B: The Connectedness of Transportation Infrastructure: The Significance and Challenges Thereof

-	15 February (Wednesday), 10:00 to 12:00
□ Reports	
LI, Yuwei	Director, Transport Division, Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP)
KHIDIROV, Sergey	Programme Officer, Tumen Secretariat, Greater Tumen Initiative (GTI), UNDP
SONG, Zhiyong	Director, Institute of Asian Studies, Chinese Academy of International Trade and Economic
	Cooperation, Ministry of Commerce
DARAMRAGCHAA, Gerelnyam	Senior Officer, Policy Planning Department, Ministry of Road and Transport Development of
	Mongolia
Coordinator	
ARAI, Hirofumi	Director, Research Division, ERINA

Session C: The Economy of China's Northeast and the Future Prospects for Trades and Investment

□ Reports SHEN, Minghui Deputy Director and Secretary General, Center for East Asian Cooperation and APEC, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences LIANG, Qidong Vice-President, Liaoning Academy of Social Sciences ZHAO, Zhexue Executive Vice President, Yanbian Korean Autonomous Prefecture Enterprises Association DA, Zhigang Director, Northeast Asia Research Institute, Heilongjiang Provincial Academy of Social Sciences MATSUNO, Shuji Senior Visiting Researcher, The Institute of Social Systems, Ritsumeikan University \square Coordinator Associate Senior Research Fellow, ERINA MU, YAOQIAN

Closing Remarks

15 February (Wednesday), 15:30 to 15:50

15 February (Wednesday), 13:30 to 15:30

KAWAI, Masahiro	Chairperson, NICE and Representative Director, E	ERINA

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