

The 4th Keio/Kyoto International Conference on Market Quality Economics

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December 5 (Saturday)

Venue: Heian

Chairperson: Kenzo Abe (Osaka University)

Session 1

13:00~13:55

Speaker: Sugata Marjit (Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, CALCUTTA)
“International Trade and Local Outsourcing”

Discussant: Yoshinori Kurokawa (University of Tsukuba)

Session 2

14:00~14:55

Speaker: Rui Ota (Chiba Keizai University)
“An Economic Analysis of a Declining Industry”

Discussant: Masayuki Hayashibara (Otemon Gakuin University)

Session 3

15:00~15:55

Speaker: Shuichiro Nishioka (West Virginia University)
“International Differences in Emissions Intensity and Emissions Content of Global Trade”

Discussant: Yunfang Hu (Tohoku University)

15:55~16:20

~Break~

Chairperson: Michihiro Ohyama (Keio University)

Session 4

16:20~17:15

Speaker: Ryuhei Wakasugi (Kyoto University)
“Firm Heterogeneity and Different Modes of Internationalization: Evidence from Japanese Firms”

Discussant: Noritsugu Nakanishi (Kobe University)

Session 5

17:20~18:15

Speaker: Ronald W. Jones (University of Rochester)
“Bubble Diagrams in Trade Theory”

Discussant: Masayuki Okawa (Ritsumeikan University)

18:30~20:30

Reception (Venue: Ran)

December 6 (Sunday)

Venue: Kiku

Chairperson: Masao Oda (Ritsumeikan University)

Session 6

9:00~9:55

Speaker: Takashi Komatsubara (Kyoto University)
“Market Organization Under Price Competition”
Discussant: Yoichiro Higashi (Okayama University)

Session 7

10:00~10:55

Speaker: Yan Ma (Kobe University)
“Consumer Preferences, Product Quality and Product Cycle”
Discussant: Horoshi Fujiu (Chiba Keizai University)

Session 8

11:00~11:55

Speaker: Wanida Ngienthi (Assumption University)
“Offshoring Costs, Global Production, and Welfare: An O-ring Function Approach”
Discussant: Kenji Kondoh (Chukyo University)

11:55~13:10 Lunch (Venue : Aqua Blue)

Chairperson: Shigemi Yabuuchi (Aichi University)

Session 9

13:10~14:05

Speaker: E. Kwan Choi (Iowa State University)
“Europe’s Choice: To Integrate with America or Asia?”
Discussant: Hajime Kubota (Hokkaido University)

Session 10

14:10~15:05

Speaker: Raymond G. Riezman (University of Iowa)
“Globalization, Gender and Growth”
Discussant: Atsumasa Kondo (Shiga University)

15:05~15:20 ~Break~

Chairperson: Fumio Dei (Kobe University)

Session 11

15:20~16:15

Speaker: Eden S.H. Yu (City University of Hong Kong)
“Product Market Imperfection and the Two-Sector Harris-Todaro Economy”
Discussant: Morihiro Yomogida (Sophia University)

Session 12

16:20~17:15

Speaker: Eric W. Bond (Vanderbilt University)
“On the Stability of Multimarket Collusion in Price-Setting Supergames”
Discussant: Toru Kikuchi (Kobe University)