WORKSHOP

Prospects for living in Global World: 'Human-Oriented Development' and Political Stabilization in the Philippines and Beyond

This workshop aims at discussing development issues from multi-disciplinary perspectives. Developing economy and democracy are critical for all countries in global world. The ways of economic and political developments are affected by historical, social and cultural factors. The Philippines, once seen as "Sick Man of Asia", has started to show strong signs to improve the economy and political conditions. The high economic growth rate has been maintained by solid consumptions powered by remittances from overseas workers and strong service industries such as BPO (Business Process Outsourcing). These strengths of the economy are different from "manufacturing miracles" . The Philippines is also seen as a recent successful case for peace negotiation with the Muslim militant groups. However, the country is still facing serious problems: widespread poverty, unemployment and elite dominance in democracy. It is worth to seek implications for global development issues by examining economic and political matters in the Philippines and beyond." Global, national and regional constraints and inference in the process of economic, political and social development are particular interest of the workshop.

The workshop is scheduled on the 1st and 2nd of November, 2014 in the 508 A & 508 B (connected) room at Campus Innovation Center Tokyo. The 1st day session is open to those who registered in advance (maximum 20). The second day session is closed to the core research members.

| November | 1, 2014 |
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| 9:00-10:00 | Meeting 1 (Guest Speakers and coordinator) at Hotel Gracery Tamachi |
| | *Moving to Campus Innovation Center Tokyo |
| 11:00-12:00 | Meeting 2 (Guest speakers and core research members) |
| 12:00-13:00 | <lunch break=""></lunch> |
| 13:00-13:10 | Opening Remark (Nishimura) |
| 13:10-14:10 | Invited Talk 1 |
| The Mind | anao Peace Process and Security Sector Reform: Prospects and Challenges |
| Dr | . Mario Aguja, Department of Sociology, Mindanao State University |
| 14:10-15:10 | Invited Talk 2 |
| The Philip | opine Emerging Economy from a Comparative Perspective |
| Dr | . Antoinette Raquiza, Asian Center, University of the Philippines |
| 15:10-15:30 | Coffee Break |
| 15:30-17:00 | Discussion (Chaired by Dr. Nobuhiko Fuwa) |
| 17:00-17:30 | Closing Remark (<i>Dr. Satoru Nishimura</i>) |
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| November | 2, 2014 |
| 09:30-10:30 | Meeting (Guest Speakers and coordinators) at Hotel Gracery Tamachi |
| | *Moving to Campus Innovation Center Tokyo |
| 11:20-11:30 | Opening Remarks (Dr. Satoru Nishimura) |
| 11:30-12:30 | Presentation regarding the main topic |
| | (Dr. Satoru Nishimura and other research members) |
| | *questions to the guest speakers |
| 12:30-14:00 | <lunch break=""></lunch> |
| 14:00-16:00 | Comments on the presentation by guest speakers |
| 16:00-16:20 | <coffee break=""></coffee> |
| 16:20-17:20 | Discussion (Chaired by Dr. Nobuhiko Fuwa) |
| 17:20-17:30 | Closing Remarks (Dr. Satoru Nishimura) |
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The workshop is organized by a Philippine study group from different Universities in Japan as follows.

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