# Japan Social Sciences Association of Canada (JSSAC)

# Second Annual Meeting October 12–14, 1989 York University, Toronto\*

## Programme

\*The symposium on the first day, Thursday, October 12 will be held at Gibson Hall, Novotel North York. All sessions on the second and third day (Friday, October 13 and Saturday, October 14) will take place at The Senate Chamber, Ross Building, York University, Main Campus.

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# CANADA-JAPAN RELATIONS a Symposium

in commemoration of the sixtieth anniversary of the establishment of Canada-Japan diplomatic relations

## Thursday, October 12, 1989 Gibson Hall, Novotel, North York

Robert Johnstone,
Ontario Centre For International Business
Edward J. Lincoln,
The Brookings Institution
Klaus Pringsheim,
Canada-Japan Trade Council

D. J. Daly,
York University
John Saywell,
York University
David Dewitt
York University

Kazutomo Irie 'Ministry of International Trade and Industry, Japan

## Programme

13:30 Opening Address, Mr. Tadashi Masui, Consul General of Japan in Toronto

14:00–16:00 Section I
Chaired by Mr. R. Johnstone
"Controversy over Japan's Low Manufactured Imports"
by Dr. E. J. Lincoln
"Aspects of Japanese-North American
Payments Imbalance"
by Mr. Kazutomo Irie
"The Changing Environment for
Exports of Manufactured Products"
by Prof. D. J. Daly

16:00–16:20 Coffee Break

16:20–17:50 Section II
Chaired by Prof. K. Pringsheim
"Canada-Japan Relations: Lessons from the Past"
by Prof. John Saywell
"Japan's Role in International and Regional Security"
by Prof. David Dewitt

18:00–20:00 Reception

## Friday, October 13 The Senate Chamber, Ross Building York University

9:00

Opening Address:

Professor Thomas D. Traves

Dean of Arts York University

9:20-10:40

**SESSION I: SOCIOLOGY** 

Chaired by:

Professor Mitsuru Shimpo

Department of Sociology The University of Waterloo

Presented by: Mrs. Momo Kano

Mrs. Momo Kano-Podolsky Department of Sociology

The University of Toronto

"JAPANESE CHILDREN RETURNED FROM OVERSEAS"

Comments by:

Professor Harry Nishio

Department of Sociology The University of Toronto

Professor Dennis Dicks Department of Education Concordia University

10:40-11:00

Coffee Break

11:00-12:20

**SESSION II: ANTHROPOLOGY** 

Chaired by:

Professor Shuichi Nagata

Department of Anthropology

The University of Toronto

Presented by:

Professor Pamela Asquith

Department of Anthropology

University of Calgary

"THE JAPANESE IDEA OF SOUL IN ANIMALS AND OBJECTS"

Comments by:

**Professor Margaret Lock** 

Faculty of Medicine McGill University

Professor Theodore Goossen

Division of Humanities

York University

12:30-14:00

Lunch

14:00-15:20

#### SESSION III: POLITICAL SCIENCE

Chaired by:

Professor Klaus Pringsheim

The Canada Japan Trade Council

Presented by:

Professor Akira Kubota

Department of Political Science

The University of Windsor

#### "JAPANESE FAMILISM: STRUCTURAL MODEL OF JAPANESE SOCIETY"

Comments by:

Professor Mitsuru Shimpo

Department of Sociology University of Waterloo

Professor Toyomasa Fuse Division of Social Science

York University

15:20-15:40

Coffee Break

15:40-17:00

#### SESSION IV: MODERN HISTORY

Chaired by:

Professor Jacob Kovalio

Department of History Carleton University

Presented by:

**Professor John Howes** 

Department of Asian Studies
The University of British Columbia

#### "REIGN NAMES, CONSTITUTIONS AND LATE TWENTIETH CENTURY JAPAN"

Comments by:

**Professor Barbara Brooks** 

Centre for East Asian Studies

McGill University

Professor Thomas T. Sekine Department of Economics

York University

18:00-19:00

Cash Bar

Stong College, Masters Dining Room

19:00-

**BANQUET** 

Stong-Bethune, Masters Dining Room

MC:

Professor Toyomasa Fuse

Division of Social Science

York University

Keynote Speaker:

Professor Kazuko Tsurumi, Emeritus Professor

Sophia University, Tokyo

#### "JAPAN AND THE THEORY OF ENDOGENEOUS DEVELOPMENT"

#### Saturday, October 14 The Senate Chamber, Ross Building York University

9:00-10:20

#### **SESSION V: ECONOMICS**

Chaired by:

**Professor Carl Mosk** 

Department of Economics

University of Victoria

Presented by:

Mr. Brian MacLean

Department of Economics

Dalhousie University

Mr. Sun Bae Kim

Department of Economics

University of Toronto

#### "CAN THE YEN REPLACE THE DOLLAR?"

Comments by:

Professor Keizo Nagatani

Department of Economics University of British Columbia

Professor Bernard Wolf

Faculty of Administrative Studies

York University

10:20-10:40

Coffee Break

10:40-12:00

#### **SESSION VI: GEOGRAPHY**

Chaired by:

Professor Terry McGee

Institute of Asian Research

University of British Columbia

Presented by:

Professor Hiroshi Tanaka

Faculty of Management

University of Lethbridge

#### "PILGRIMAGE PLACES, TRADITION, AND MODERNITY IN CONTEMPORARY JAPAN"

Comments by:

Professor David Edginton

Department of Geography University of British Columbia

Mrs. Beverly Lee

Institute of Asian Research Univeristy of British Columbia

12:00-14:00

Lunch

14:00-15:20

#### **ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION**

#### "PRESENT STATE OF JAPANESE STUDIES IN CANADA"

Chaired by:

Professor John Saywell

Department of History

York University

Panelists:

Professors A. Kubota (Windsor);

T. Goossen (York); M. Nakamura (Alberta); Th. T. Sekine (York); H. Nishio (Toronto)

15:20-15:40

Coffee Break

15:40-17:00

BUSINESS MEETING: FUTURE OF THE ASSOCIATION

Chaired by:

Professor Thomas T. Sekine

Department of Economics

York University