



African Studies Center
Tokyo University of Foreign Studies



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10:00 – 18:00

African Studies Center – TUFS “Kick-off” Symposium

Frontiers of African Studies

- ◆ Venue: Large Conference Room (Administration Build. 2F), Tokyo University of Foreign Studies
- ◆ Language: English
- ◆ Admission: Free
- ◆ No pre-registration is needed.
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African Studies Center (ASC) – Tokyo University of Foreign Studies (TUFS) was established in April 2017 as a Japanese research center on contemporary Africa. After seven months since the establishment, we are going to hold a “kick-off” symposium on November 3rd, 2017.

In this symposium, three eminent guest speakers as well as Japanese Africanists will present their views and ideas on the achievement and future challenges with regard to their research fields, concerning mainly 1) politics and international relations, 2) economy and development, 3) environment and climate change. In addition, prominent Japanese Africanists will be invited to serve as discussants.

Program

9:30 - 10:00 Registration

10:00 - 10:30 Welcome speech & Introduction

Hiroataka TATEISHI (President, Tokyo University of Foreign Studies)

Shinichi TAKEUCHI (Director, ASC – TUFS)

[Session 1] Politics and International Relations

Chair: Makiko SAKAI (Associate Professor, ASC – TUFS)

10:30 - 11:00 Speaker 1

Adebayo OLUKOSHI (Director for Africa and West Asia, International IDEA)

Africa: Changing Politics in a Changing World

11:00 - 11:30 Speaker 2

Yumi NAKAYAMA (Lecturer, ASC – TUFS)

Migration Governance: Migration within and from Africa

11:30 - 11:45 Comment

Mitsugi ENDO (Professor, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, the University of Tokyo)

11:45 - 12:30 Discussion

12:30 - 13:15 Lunch

[Session 2] Economy and Development

Chair: Yasuo MATSUNAMI (Specially Appointed Researcher, ASC – TUFS)

13:15 - 13:45 Speaker 3

Kojo AMANOR (Professor, Institute of African Studies, University of Ghana)

Markets, Politics and Land Administrative Reform in Africa: What can African Studies Contribute?

13:45 - 14:15 Speaker 4

Kazue DEMACHI (Lecturer, ASC – TUFS)

Periphery or Battlefield: Africa in the International Economy

14:15 - 14:30 Comment

Yoichi MINE (Professor, Graduate School of Global Studies, Doshisha University)

14:30 - 15:15 Discussion

15:15 - 15:30 Coffee Break

[Session 3] Environment and Climate Change

Chair: Hitomi KIRIKOSHI (Specially Appointed Researcher, ASC – TUFS)

15:30 - 16:00 Speaker 5

Denis SONWA (Senior Scientist, Center for International Forestry Research)

Forest and Climate Change Response in Africa

16:00 - 16:30 Speaker 6

Takanori OISHI (Lecturer, ASC – TUFS)

Sustaining Forest Livelihoods in an Era of Climate Change: Dialogue beyond “Participation” and “Community” Arguments

16:30 - 16:45 Comment

Ueru TANAKA (Professor, Research Institute for Humanity and Nature)

16:45 - 17:30 Discussion

17:30 - 18:00 General Discussion

Chair: Shinichi TAKEUCHI (Director, ASC – TUFS)

18:10 - 19:10 Reception

◆ Venue: Café Castalia (AGORA Global 1F)

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[Venue]

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