The 80th Anniversary of the Establishment of Diplomatic Relations between Japan and Iraq Commemorative Event

The 11th Iraqi Japanese International Conference: An academic Bridge between Iraq and Japan through Area Studies

1. **Date**  Tuesday, 24th – Saturday 28th September 2019
2. **Venue**  The Big Salon, Embassy of Japan in Iraq
3. **Program**

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<td><strong>Opening</strong>  Welcome Speech by Mr. Naofumi Hashimoto, Ambassador of Japan to Iraq</td>
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| 25th  | 11:35-13:15  | **Session 1: Learning from Japanese Modern History**  
- Prof. Hiroshi Mitani “Japan's Meiji Revolution in Comparative Perspective: How can we limit the sacrifice in revolutions?”  
- Dr. Tarick Hussein “Engelbert Kaemfers: His Observations on Japanese Sakoku and Historiography during Edo Period”  
(Chair: Prof. Falah Al-Assadi. Commentators: Prof. Kathum Hilan, Basra University and Prof. Salah Hassan, Tikrit University) |
|       | 14:15-15:45  | **Session 2: Deepening Iraqi Understanding on Japan**  
- Prof. Mahmoud Al-Qaysi and Mr. Basheer Alwan "Abe Shintaro's Diplomacy during the Iraqi-Iranian War (1980-1988)"  
- JICA Presentation "JICA projects and JAAI Academic Activities in Iraq"  
- Dr. Shurook N.Jasim “The Development of Iraqi Railways in Light of Japanese Experience”  
(Chair: Prof. Sakai. Commentators: Prof. Mitani, Prof. Mishal Alonan, Prof. Kadhum Hilan) |
|       | 16:00-17:30  | **Session 3: Comparative Studies of History: Japan and Iraq**  
- Prof. Toru Miura “Triangular Comparative History of Japan, China and Middle East: Waqf and Kishin Donation in Premodern Times”  
- Prof. Falah Al-Assadi "Iraqi Minorities Attitudes towards British Authorities during the Mandate 1920-1932"  
(Chair: Prof. Salah Al-Jaberi. Commentators: Prof. Inaam Al-Salman, Dr.Rahba Asoudi,Dr.Yaseen Hassan) |
| 26th  | 9:30-11:15   | **Special Session : Iraq - Japan relations - 80 years**  
- Opening remarks Prof. Salah Al-Jaberi  
- Prof. Toru Miura (On Academic field) |
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<td><strong>Session 5: On Japanese contribution on Archeological Research in Iraq (2)</strong>&lt;br&gt;- Prof. Haydar Al-Mamouri “Excavation Project at Al-Daylam (Ancient Dilbat)”&lt;br&gt;- Dr. Anmar Abdulilah Fadhil “Some Results of Collaboration with Heidelberg University in field of Assyriology”&lt;br&gt;(Chair: Dr. Laith Hussein. Commentators: Prof. Basima Jalil, Dr. Matsumoto, Prof. Mundher Ali)</td>
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<td><strong>Session 6: Role of Doutoku in Japanese Education</strong>&lt;br&gt;- Prof. Kazuya Ueta “The Japanese Doutoku education on which I work by the whole educational activities at school”&lt;br&gt;- Dr. Alaa Al-Ameri “Qiyam School and obstacles of Teaching Japanese for Primary Pupils”&lt;br&gt;(Chair: Prof. Salah Al-Jaberi. Commentators: Dr. Ali Joda and Prof. Kadhum Hilan)</td>
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<td><strong>Session 7: Political and social situation in Iraq</strong>&lt;br&gt;- Prof. Dai Yamao “Measuring Wave of Sectarianism in Iraqi Media: Based on Quantitative Text Analysis”&lt;br&gt;- Prof. Khalid Hantoosh Sajid, “The Najaf Hawza: Barani and Jawani a Sociologist Study”&lt;br&gt;- Prof. Salam Al-Ebadi and Dr. Shirine Kadhum, “Iraqi Identity in postwar Iraq A Sociological Approach”&lt;br&gt;- Prof. Wasen Said “The Terrorist ISIS - A Study of its Political and Intellectual Structure”&lt;br&gt;- Mrs. Intisar Iedan “Christian IDPs: Story of Survival”&lt;br&gt;(Chair: Prof. Salah Al-Jaberi. Commentators: Prof. Sakai and Prof. Mishal)</td>
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