France-Taiwan-Japan Workshop

Globalization and Urban Dynamics in Asia Comparative Approaches of Scientific and Politic "Hot Issues"

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Conference Venue:

Maison Franco-Japonaise (3-9-25, Ebisu, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo).

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Program of the workshop

Day 1: Thursday, December 15, 2011		
9h45-10h00	On-site Registration	
10h00-10h20	Opening Remarks	
Speakers	Christophe Marquet, director of the French Research Institute on Japan MFJ Guy Faure, director of the CNRS regional office Natacha Aveline-Dubach, French organizer of the workshop Sue-Ching Jou, Taiwanese organizer of the workshop	
10:20~12h00	Session 1. Urban Restructuration and the Neoliberal City	
Chair Speakers	Natacha Aveline Sue-Ching Jou, professor at the Department of Geography, National Taiwan University <i>Going green, getting smart and seizing design: Urbanism,</i> <i>regeneration and neoliberal city</i> Véronique Dupont, Dupont Véronique, IRD professor, Paris1-Panthéon Sorbonne <i>The impact of the 'global city' model on urban policy and research</i> <i>in India</i>	
12:00~13:30	Lunch	
13:30~14:50	Session 2. Urban Space Transformation and Social Dynamics	
Chair	Véronique Dupont Hiroshi Yahagi, professor at Ryukoku University, Kyoto. <i>Shrinking cities and social inclusion in Japan, Nagasaki's</i> <i>challenges</i>	

	Sylvie Fanchette, IRD associate professor, University Paris I-Panthéon-Sorbonne <i>Reversing the perception of urbanization from the rural perspective,</i>
	the case of Hanoi
14:50~15:20	Coffee break
15:20~16:40	Session 3: Rethinking Housing Policies
Chair Speakers	 Sue-Ching Jou Yosuke Hirayama, professor at the Graduate School of Human Development and Environment, Kobe University. <i>Housing and competition-oriented urban policy in Japan</i> Yi-Ling Chen, assistant professor at the Department of Geography, University of Wyoming (USA) Demographic change of poor people and the low-cost of housing projects in Taipei
16:40~18:20	Session 4: Land in Globalization
Chair Speakers	 Hiroshi Yahagi Natacha Aveline-Dubach, CNRS professor at the French Center for Research on Contemporary China (Hong Kong). How did the financialization of property markets affect the meaning of land in Japan? Tzu-Chin Lin, associate Professor at the Department of Land Economics, National Chengchi University. The role land market plays in facilitating urban development: rethinking the meaning of land Day 2: Friday, December 16, 2011
10:30~12h:30	Session 5: Build Environment and Risk Management
Chair Speakers	Akiko OkabeMiki Muraki, associate professor at the Department of Urban and Environment Systems, Chiba University Challenge of sustainable cities in Japan: urban sustainability in the

	shrinking age
	Jen-Jia Lin, professor at the Department of Geography, National
	Taiwan University
	The effects of built environment on adolescents' physical activities
	in Taiwan
	Jun-Hua Lin, PHD, Department of Geography, University of
	Sheffield.
	Selling and managing risks in urban Taipei
12h30-14h00	Lunch
14:00~15h:20	Session 6: Urban Poverty, Migration and Democracy
Chair	Sylvie Fanchette
	Li-Ling Huang, assistant professor, director of the Graduate
	Institute of Building and Planning, National Taiwan University.
	Globalization and urban poverty, trends, implication and hypothesis
	for researching Taipei
	Hélène Lebail, PhD, research fellow at the French Research
	Institute on Contemporary Japan (Tokyo).
	Migration issues in Japanese cities: local dynamism, globalization
	and democratization
15:20~15:50	Coffee break
15:50~17h10	Session 7: Evolving Urban Forms
Chair	Jen-Jia Lin
	Akiko Okabe, associate professor at the Department of Mechanical
	Engineering, Chiba University
	Asian megacities and urban form
	Hidenori Tamagawa, professor at the Graduate School of Urban
	Science, Tokyo Metropolitan University.
	What is compactness for the city?
17:10-17h:30	Conclusion