

Globalization at the cross-roads
Innovation, Work and Family in France and Japan

Workshop organized by the Institute of Research (Marc Humbert) and Strasbourg University
(Françoise Olivier-Utard)

Participation from Toyo University, Kyoto University and Utsunomiya University.

February 28th, 2011

9 h : Opening address by Marc Humbert

9 h 15 : Keynote speech by Françoise Olivier-Utard

Axe I : Science, Education, Innovation

9 h 30 – 10 h : The reform of universities in Japan, by Shuichi Uehara (Utsunomiya University)

10 h – 10 h 30 : Sciences in the French Higher education system, by Françoise Stoeffler-Kern
(Strasbourg University)

10 h 30 – 11 h : The reforms of research in France, by Françoise Olivier-Utard

11 h 30 – 12 h : New forms of academic expertise : the case of Kokudoken, by Takeshi Kojima (Kyoto
University)

12 h – 12 h 30 : Discussion

12 h 30 – 14 h : Lunch

14 h – 14 h 30 : University spin-offs : Biotechnology clusters in Kansai by Naoki Wakabayashi
(Kyoto University)

14 h 30 – 15 h : Presentation of papers : Start-up creation in biotechnology: The case of four ventures
in the Upper-Rhine Biovalley", by Antoine Bureth (Strasbourg University) , The territorial impact of
Universities : the case of Alsace, by Jean-Alain Héraud, (Strasbourg University)

15 h – 15 h 30 : New technologies and the case of flat glass in Japan, by Junichi Tomita (Toyo
University)

15 h 30 – 16 h : Orientation, qualification and employment : the incentives of the Foundation de la
vocation, by Marie-Claude Rebeuh (Strasbourg University)

16 h – 16 h 15 : Coffee break

16 h 15 – 17 h : Discussion

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Axe II : Work

9 h – 9 h 30 : The Role of Social Enterprises and the Power of Social Capital in Japan to Overcome the Society of the Unknown Dead, by Hajime Imamura (Toyo University)

9 h 30 – 10 h : Globalisation related to working conditions and professional equality in France and in Japan, by Michèle Forte (Strasbourg University)

10 h – 10 h 30 : Selection criteria for migrant workers in France, by Roland Pfefferkorn (Strasbourg University)

10 h 30 – 11 h : Female migrants in France, by Juan Matas (Strasbourg University)

11 h – 11 h 15 : Coffee break

11 h 15 – 11 h 45 : Migrants in Japan, by Wako Asato (Kyoto University) (to be confirmed)

11 h 45 – 12 h 30 : Discussion : Work at stake, attitudes and practices

12 h 30 – 14 h : Lunch

Axe III : Family

14 h – 14 h 30 : Marriage in Japan at a Crossroads: A Model in Crisis? , by Sandra Schaal (Strasbourg University)

14 h 30 – 16 h : Round table : Towards a society of services : a new deal for the working relationship and work-life balance ?

16 h – 16 h 15 : Coffee break

16 h 15 – 17 h : Closing remarks and perspectives for the next symposium