

We are holding the international conference “The Future of World Order and Nuclear Weapons: Thinking from Hiroshima,” on July 1, 2023.

There is concern that the war in Ukraine may lead to an intensification of great power competition and accelerate attempts to change the regional status quo. In the face of this reality, this international conference will discuss how nuclear deterrence, nuclear strategy, nuclear disarmament, and arms control, hitherto discussed and sought for, are beginning to take on a change of their international political implications. The conference will also discuss how to perceive nuclear issues as part of the global agenda amidst the multiploidization of the international order.

○**Date & Time**

Friday, July 1, 2023 9:30-16:30 (JST) (Opening at 9:00)

○**Venue**

Hiroshima University, Higashi-Senda Campus, Innovatiove Research Center M401,402 (4th floor) (1-1-89 Higashi Senda-machi, Naka-ku, Hiroshima City, Hiroshima Prefecture, Japan) (Capacity of 150 people) *Admission Free

*YouTube live streaming viewing is also available.

○**Access** : <https://www.hiroshima-u.ac.jp/en/access/senda>

*Please note that parking at Hiroshima University Higashi Senda Campus is charged and the number of slots is limited. Coming to the venue by public transportation is appreciated.

○**Language**

Japanese & English (Simultaneous interpretation available)

○**Registration**

This conference is open to public, but registration in advance is required for both on-site and online participation. (Application deadline : Friday, June 30, 2023)

<https://forms.office.com/r/r3WhBCf76y>

○Program

Keynote Speech: The Future of World Order and nuclear weapons, Thinking from Hiroshima

Moderator: Noriyuki Kawano ((the Center for Peace, Hiroshima University)

Keynote Discussion I

Sugio Takahashi (National Institute for Defense Studies)

Nobumasa Akiyama (Hitotsubashi University)

Keynote Trilogy II

Noriyuki Kawano (Hiroshima University)

Sugio Takahashi (National Institute for Defense Studies)

Nobumasa Akiyama (Hitotsubashi University)

Session I : Nuclear Weapons in International Security

Moderator: Shinsuke Tomotsugu (the Center for Peace, Hiroshima University)

Sugio Takahashi (National Institute for Defense Studies)

Elaine Bunn (Consultant, Former Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense)

Rebecca David Gibbons (University of Southern Maine)

Discussion (Three speakers plus moderator)

Session II. Nuclear Question as Global Agenda Moderator: Nobumasa Akiyama (Hitotsubashi University)

Kazuto Suzuki (The University of Tokyo)

Jane Nakano (The Center for Strategic and International Studies)

Fiona Cunningham (The University of Pennsylvania.)

Discussion (Three speakers plus moderator)

Session III. General Discussion Moderator, Nobumasa Akiyama (Hitotsubashi University)

All speakers

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