Capacity Building in Africa and the Role of Japan

Event Programme                2007.03.16 U Thant Hall, UN House, Tokyo

09:30 Opening Remarks
Moderator: Sadaharu Kataoka, President, Waseda Institute of International Strategy
• Hans van Ginkel, Rector, United Nations University
• Salah Hannachi, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Tunisia, Dean of the African Diplomatic Corps
• Shuichiro Megata, Director-General, Sub-Saharan African Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan

10:00 Keynote Speech with Q&A Session
“Capacity Building in Africa and African Ownership”
Nagia Mohammed Essayed, Commissioner for Human Resources, Science and Technology, African Union

10:45 – 11:00 Break

11:00 Session I with Q&A Session: General Analysis on Capacity Building in Africa
Moderator: Sadaharu Kataoka
“Governance in Africa and Capacity Building”
Shinsuke Horiuchi, Professor, Former Ambassador of Japan to Kenya

“Looting Africa”
Patrick Bond, Professor, University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa and Director, Centre for Civil Society

“Future of the Development Education and Capacity Building in Africa”
Yasushi Katsuma, Professor, Waseda University

12:30 – 13:45 Lunch Break

13:45 Session II with Q&A Session: Migration and Brain Drain
Moderator: Shinsuke Horiuchi
“How to Stop the Brain Drain”
Sadaharu Kataoka

“Brain Drain and International Organization”
Noureini Tidjani-Serpos, Assistant Director-General, Africa Department, UNESCO

“The Case of Southern Africa Region”
Mitsugi Endo, Associate Professor, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Tokyo

15:00 – 15:15 Break

15:15 Session III with Q&A Session: Capacity Building in Africa and the Role of the International Society
Moderator: Sadaharu Kataoka
“Capacity Building in Africa and Development”
Anyang' Nyong'o, Professor, Former Minister of Planning and National Development, Kenya

“The Role of Donor Community”
Kazuyoshi Aoki, Professor, Nihon University

“The Role of ACBF”
Soumana Sako, Executive Director, African Capacity Building Foundation (ACBF)

“The Role of Japanese International Cooperation”
Makoto Katsumata, Professor, Faculty of International Studies, Meiji Gakuin University and Director, International Peace Research Institute, Meiji Gakuin University

17:00 Closing Remarks
• Masayoshi Hamada, Vice Minister for Foreign Affairs, Japan
• Sadaharu Kataoka

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