UNU Interactive Seminar on Global Issues

–Protracted Refugee Situations–

Date: Tuesday, 30 June 2009, 15:00-17:30
Venue: 5th Floor, Elizabeth Rose Hall, United Nations University
Speakers: Edward Newman, Senior Lecturer, University of Birmingham
Saburo Takizawa, Professor, Toyo Eiwa Jogakuin University, Visiting Professor, United Nations University and former Japan Representative, UNHCR
Discussant: Kazuko Ito, Attorney at Law and Secretary-General, Human Rights Now
Language: English and Japanese, simultaneous interpretation

Program

15:00 - 15:05 Introduction
Kazuo Takahashi, Visiting Professor, UNU

15:05 - 15:45 Lecture: Protracted Refugee Situations
Edward Newman, Senior Lecturer, University of Birmingham

15:45 – 16:15 Lecture: "Japan's refugee regime under (re)construction" and The Indochinese Refugees Study
Saburo Takizawa, Professor, Toyo Eiwa Jogakuin University

16:15 - 16:30 Commentary
Kazuko Ito, Attorney at Law and Secretary-General, Human Rights Now

16:30 - 17:00 Discussion

17:00 - 17:30 Reception (coffee and tea)