Advance Notice: UNU Events in March

UNU has several major public events scheduled for the month of March that you may be interested in covering. You will receive a detailed media release about each of these events; this listing is being provided to help you plan ahead.

- **8 March (14:00–18:00), UN House, Tokyo**
  International Women’s Day 2007 Public Forum
  “Ending of Impunity for Violence Against Women and Girls”
  *Jointly organized by UNU and 17 other UN-related organizations in Japan.*
  URL: http://www.unu.edu/iwd/

- **8 March (14:00–18:00), Pacifico Yokohama, Yokohama**
  Users Meeting for “Sub-global Assessment of Satoyama and Satoumi in Japan”
  *Organized by UNU Institute of Advanced Studies and Ishikawa International Cooperation Research Centre.*

- **9 March (14:00–17:00), UN House, Tokyo**
  2007 Seminar of the “Africa–Asia University Dialogue for Basic Education Development Project”

- **13 March (15:00–16:30), UN House, Tokyo**
  Lecture by H.E. Ellen Johnson-Sirleaf (President of the Republic of Liberia)
  “African Development: The Role of Women”

- **14 March (14:30–16:30), UN House, Tokyo**
  Lecture by Dr. José Luis Machinea (Executive Secretary, United Nations Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC)
  “Social and Economic Challenges in Latin America and the Caribbean: Defining a Development Agenda for the Region”
  *Organized by UNU and the Inter-American Development Bank.*

- **16 March, UN House, Tokyo**
  Public Seminar on “Capacity Building in Africa”
  *Organized by UNU, Japan Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Waseda University.*

- **22 & 23 March, UN House, Tokyo**
  Public Conference on “Women, Justice and Peace-building”
  *Organized by UNU.*

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