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Human Rights Symposium



Foreigners and Human Rights

- Achieving a Pleasant Society with Mutual Recognition -

Approximately 23,000,000 people entered Japan from overseas during 2016, and the number of foreign residents was approximately 2,380,000 at the end of the year. Both numbers marked record highs. In 2020, when Tokyo 2020 Olympic and Paralympic Games will take place, Japanese nationals will interact with foreign visitors more frequently. However, Japan is currently facing various human-rights issues involving foreigners, such as discrimination and bullying due to differences in languages, cultures, religions and customs. We have to reach a deeper understanding of different cultures and shape society in a way that respects all human rights, including foreign visitors. It is important to realize a society where "no one will be left behind"—the ideal of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) adopted by the United Nations in September 2015. In this context, the symposium invites experts working to support people from other countries and multicultural co-existence to promote discussion about what is required for a mutual understanding of the differences between Japanese and non-Japanese.

🎇 Symposium



(Coordinator) Taro Tamura Representative Director, Institute for Human



(Panelist) Katherine Ueda Director, Katerina English School



(Panelist) Katsuyuki Kuribayashi Director, Asian



Takaharu Hayashi President,

🎇 Talk show



TV/radio personality **Sunny Francis**

Immigrated to Japan from India after graduation from university. Appeared in various media sources, including TV and radio. At the symposium, Francis will talk about the differences between India and Japan and his experiences in

Capacity: 200 people Advance application required.
Applications accepted on a first-come basis.

January 27, 2018 (Sat.)

1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. (open: 12:30 p.m.)

International Conference Hall "Himawari," International Conference Center Hiroshima

Hiroshima Peace Memorial Park, 1-5 Nakajima-cho, Naka-ku, Hiroshima

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About 25 min by tram

(1), get off at Fukuro-machi and walk for about 10 min.

Take the tram for Nishi-Hiroshima (1), Enami (6) or Miyajima, get off at Genbaku Dome Mae and walk for about 10 min.

About 15 min by taxi

Application and inquiries

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3:00 p.m., Friday, January 26, 2018 the symposium, you can participate without an application.

About admission ticket

We will send an admission ticket by fax or e-mail within two weeks after accepting your application. Bring the admission ticket to reception at the symposium before entering the venue.

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