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NIDS International Symposium on Security Affairs

Belt and Road Initiative and the Future of the International Order

Tuesday, 10 December 2019 Hotel Chinzanso Tokyo

09:45-11:45 **Session 1: How the Belt and Road Initiative Can Be Perceived**

Chair: **Mr. Hyodo Shinji** (National Institute for Defense Studies)

Speakers:

Dr. Su Changhe (Fudan University)

“Global Connectivity, Transformation of the World, and Chinese Foreign Relations of BRI”

Dr. Victoria Panova (Far Eastern Federal University)

“Implications of the BRI for Greater Eurasia”

Ms. Kristine Lee (Center for a New American Security)

“Grading China’s Belt and Road”

Mr. Iida Masafumi (National Institute for Defense Studies)

“Xi Jinping Regime’s Aim in Belt and Road Initiative”

Discussant: **Dr. Sahashi Ryo** (University of Tokyo)

13:30-15:30 **Session 2: Changes in Economy and Security with the Advent of the Belt and Road Initiative**

Chair: **Dr. Shoji Tomotaka** (National Institute for Defense Studies)

Speakers:

Dr. Jeffrey Wilson (Perth USAsia Center)

“Diversifying Australia’s Indo-Pacific Infrastructure Diplomacy”

Dr. Alessia Amighini (Institute for International Political Studies)

“The Impact of the BRI on European Trade”

Mr. Masuda Masayuki (National Institute for Defense Studies)

“China’s Search for Convergence of Economic and Security Outcomes: Functional Security Cooperation in Eurasia”

Dr. You Ji (University of Macau)

“The Geo-strategic and Military Drivers of China’s Belt-and-Road Endeavor: Expanding the Global Reach from Land Mass to the Maritime Domains”

Discussant: **Mr. Akimoto Shigeki** (National Institute for Defense Studies)

15:50-17:30 **Session 3: Overall Discussion: How the Belt and Road Initiative Can Affect the Future of International Order**

Chair: **Dr. Yamazoe Hiroshi** (National Institute for Defense Studies)