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Opening Session

Opening Remarks

Nobushige Takamizawa, President, NIDS

Keynote Address

Chair: Yuzuru Kaneko, Executive Director, NIDS

“The Role of Self-Defense Forces (SDF) in Responding to the Great East Japan Earthquake”

Ryoichi Oriki, Chief of Staff, Joint Staff Office, JSDF

Session 1 “The Role of the Military in Disaster Relief Operations”

Chair: Yoshiaki Sakaguchi, Director of Policy Studies Department, NIDS

“The Role of European Military’s in International Disaster Relief: NATO and EU Capabilities and Capacities”

Julian Lindley-French, Eisenhower Professor of Defence Strategy,
Netherlands Defence Academy

“The Role of the Military in International Disaster Relief Activities”

Mark Phillips, Research Fellow for Military and Intelligence, RUSI
“Civil-Military Coordination in International Disaster Relief Assistance:
Trends and Challenges from a Humanitarian Perspective”

Kaoruko Seki, Humanitarian Policy Officer, UN Office for
Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA)

Comment: Tomonori Yoshizaki, Director, Security Studies Department,
NIDS

Session 2 “The Role of the Military in the Great East Japan Earthquake”

Chair: Tomonori Yoshizaki, Director of Security Studies Department, NIDS

“The Role of Military in Responding to the Great East Japan Earthquake”

Sadamasa Oue, Director, Defense Plans and Policy Department, Joint
Staff Office, JSDF

“A Viewpoint of the U.S.”

William B. Crowe, Deputy Commander, United States Forces Japan

“An Australian Defence Force Perspective of the Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Relief Response to the 11 March 2011 Great East Japan Earthquake, Tsunami, and Nuclear Crisis”

Timothy Gellel, Former Australian Defence Attaché in Tokyo

Comment: Masahide Oka, Director, Maintenance & Service Operation
Department, Network Business Headquarters, NTT East
Robert D. Eldridge, Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff,
Government & External Affairs (G-7), Marine Corps
Installations Pacific/Marine Forces Japan

Session 3 “International Cooperation in Disaster Relief Operations in the Asia-Pacific Region”

Chair: Eiichi Katahara, Director of Regional Studies Department, NIDS

“Cooperation in IDRA in the Asia-Pacific Region”

Jinkwan Jung, Professor, PKO Center, Korea National Defense
University

“Toward a Multi-Level Approach to Managing Climate Induced Security
Threats”

Mely Caballero-Anthony, Director, External Relations, ASEAN
Secretariat

“The Military’s Role in Disaster Relief Operations: A Japanese Perspective”

Tomonori Yoshizaki, Director of Security Studies Department, NIDS

Comment: Rumiko Seya, Director, Japan Center for Conflict Prevention
Eisuke Kigami, Senior Fellow, Policy Studies Department,
NIDS

Panel Discussion

Chair: Tomonori Yoshizaki, Director of Security Studies Department, NIDS

Initial Comment: Takamizawa Nobushige, President, NIDS

All panelists

Closing Remarks

Masatomo Sakurai, Vice President, NIDS

