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The U.S.-China-Russia Relationship and the Indo-Pacific Region”**

Wednesday, December 7, 2022, Online

9:00-11:00 Session 1: U.S.-China Rivalry and the Russian Factor

Chair: **Mr. HYODO Shinji** (Director, Policy Studies Department, NIDS)

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Speakers:

Dr. Nick Bisley (Dean of Humanities and Social Sciences and Professor of International Relations, La Trobe University)

Dr. You Ji (Professor of International Relations, Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University)

Dr. YAMAZOE Hiroshi (Senior Fellow in the America, Europe, and Russia Division; NIDS)

Discussant: **Mr. MASUDA Masayuki** (Head of the Government and Law Division, NIDS)

11:10-12:00 Keynote Speech

Dr. Edward Luttwak (Head of Washington Strategic Advisors)

14:00-16:00 Session 2: Impacts on the Regions

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Speakers:

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Dr. Jagannath Panda (Head of the Stockholm Center for South Asian and Indo-Pacific Affairs, the Institute for Security and Development Policy)

Dr. SATAKE Tomohiko (Senior Fellow in the Defense Policy Division, NIDS)

Discussant: **Dr. SHOJI Tomotaka** (Head of the Asia and Africa Division, NIDS)