

Program (as of May 22, 2019)

Joint ROK-Japan Workshop

“From Peace on Korean Peninsula to North East Asia Nuclear Weapon Free Zone”

Co-organized by

The Sejong Institute and Research Center for Nuclear Weapons Abolition,
Nagasaki University (RECNA)

In cooperation with Panel on Peace and Security of Northeast Asia (PSNA)

Tentative Agenda
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May 31 (Friday) Arrival

- Individual dinner at Courtyard Seoul Pangyo

June 1 (Saturday) 1st Day

Venue: Conference Room at The Sejong Institute

11:30 Transportation from Courtyard Seoul Pangyo to The Sejong
Institute

12:00-12:50 **Lunch** (Lunch Box will be provided.)
Venue: Small Conference Room at The Sejong Institute (2nd Floor)

13:00-13:15 **Opening Session**
[Short Remarks]

- Dr. Haksoon Paik (President, The Sejong Institute (ROK))
- Dr. Fumihiko Yoshida (Director, RECNA (Japan))
- Dr. Michael Eric Hamel-Green (Emeritus Professor, Victoria
University Melbourne (Australia))

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13:15-14:45 Session 1

“General assessment —Current situation about peace and security in North East Asia and denuclearization process of the Korean Peninsula.”

[Chair] Dr. Haksoon Paik (President, The Sejong Institute (ROK))

[Speakers]

- Dr. Mark Byung-Moon Suh (Council Member, Pugwash Conferences on Science and World Affairs (Germany))
- Dr. Masakatsu Ota (Senior Feature Writer Section, Kyodo News / Visiting Professor, RECNA (Japan))
- Dr. Joon Hyung Kim (Professor, Handong Global University (ROK))

14:45-15:15 Coffee Break

15:15-16:45 Session 2

“ Inter-Korean Relations—Significance of Korean origin initiatives such as 2018 Pyongyang Declaration.”

[Chair] Dr. Myon Woo Lee (Vice President, The Sejong Institute (ROK))

[Speakers]

- Dr. Toby Field Dalton (Co-Director, Nuclear Policy Program, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace (USA))
- Dr. Ildo Hwang (Assistant Professor, Korea National Diplomatic Academy (ROK))

16:45-17:00 Short Break

17:00-18:30 Session 3

“Future of the Korean Peninsula—What are possible scenarios and conditions to transform the Korean Peninsula to peaceful and nuclear threat free place? How do we overcome standing blocks?”

[Chair] Dr. Seiji Endo (Professor, Seikei University (Japan))

[Speakers]

- Dr. Anton Khlopkov (Director, Center for Energy and Security Studies (CENESS) (Russian Federation))

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- Dr. Jongchul Park (Distinguished Research Fellow of Korea Institute for National Unification (ROK))
- Dr. Byungdug Jun (Professor, Nagasaki University (Japan))

18:45 Transportation from The Sejong Institute to Courtyard Seoul Pangyo

19:00-21:00 **Reception hosted by The Sejong Institute**
Venue: Pagoda & Juniper Room (8th Floor) at Courtyard Seoul Pangyo

June 2 (Sunday) 2nd Day

Venue: Conference Room at The Sejong Institute

9:00 Transportation from Courtyard Seoul Pangyo to The Sejong Institute

9:30 **Coffee Time**
Venue: Outside of Conference Room at The Sejong Institute

10:00-12:00 **Session 4**
 “ Regional security framework in North East Asia—As a paralleled endeavor, what regional security framework should be envisaged and constructed?”
[Chair] Dr. Angela Uther Kane (Senior Fellow, Vienna Center for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation (VCDNP) (Austria))
[Speakers]
 • Dr. Peter Hayes (Director, Nautilus Institute (USA))
 • Dr. Kyung Hwan Cho (Visiting Research Fellow, Department of Security Strategy Studies, The Sejong Institute (ROK))
 • Dr. Frank Niels Von Hippel (Professor of Public and International Affairs emeritus, Program on Science and Global Security, Princeton University (USA))

12:00-13:20 **Lunch**
Venue: Outside of Conference Room at The Sejong Institute

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13:20-13:30 **Group Photo**

13:30-15:00 **Session 5**

“Towards North East Asia Nuclear Weapon Free Zone—How do we move forward from Peace in Korean Peninsula to North East Asia Nuclear Weapon Free Zone for regional peace and security?”

[Chair] Dr. Tatsujiro Suzuki (Vice Director, RECNA (Japan))

[Speakers]

• Dr. Michael Eric Hamel-Green (Emeritus Professor, Victoria University Melbourne (Australia))

• Dr. Hiromichi Umebayashi (Visiting Professor / Former Director of RECNA (Japan))

• Dr. Tong Zhao (Fellow, Carnegie-Tsinghua Center for Global Policy (China))

15:00-15:30 **Coffee Break**

15:30-17:30 **Session 6**

“Policy Recommendations to stakeholders”

[Chair] Dr. Fumihiko Yoshida and Dr. Haksoon Paik

[Commentator] Dr. Masao Tomonaga (Visiting Professor, RECNA (Japan))

Inter- Korean relations/ US-China relation/ ROK- Japan relation/
Other relating issues for Policy Recommendation

17:30 **Adjourn**