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The Second Symposium

Policies for Promoting “Happiness”

Date: November 28, 2015, 12:30 - 17:40

Venue: Room 731, Building 7, Kanda Campus, Senshu University

Moderator

Katsumi Shimane (Professor, School of Human Sciences, Senshu University)

12:30 - 12:45

Opening Remark

Hiroo Harada (Professor, School of Economics, Senshu University)

Session 1: Keynote Addresses

12:45 - 13:30

Social Capital and Happiness

Takashi Oshio (Professor, Institute of Economic Research, Hitotsubashi University)

13:30 - 14:15

Measuring Happiness

Sayuri Shiraishi (Professor, International College of Arts and Sciences, Yokohama City University)

14:15 - 14:25 Break

Session 2: “International Comparative Survey on Lifestyle and Values” in Japan

14:25 - 14:55

Outline and Major Findings of Japan Survey

Keitaro Yazaki (PD Researcher, Center for Social Well-Being Studies, Senshu University)

14:55 - 15:25

Social Capital and Social Well-Being

Masayuki Kanai (Professor, School of Human Sciences, Senshu University)

15:25 - 15:55

Happiness and Regional Contexts

Eiji Sumi (Associate Professor, Faculty of Economics, Niigata University)

15:55 - 16:10 Break

Part 3: Discussion: Policies for Promoting “Happiness”

16:10 - 17:40

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Discussants

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