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# L-INSIGHT India- Australia- Japan Week

Trilateral  
Academic Dialogue:  
Exploring New Frontiers  
for Collaboration

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L-INSIGHT, in collaboration with the India Desk at Kyoto University, invites our academic partners from India and Australia—those with whom we are currently collaborating or plan to collaborate in the future. The purpose of this gathering is to discuss shared issues, including our common values of democracy, academic freedom, societal challenges, and strategies for future collaboration. Building on the increasingly strong bilateral relationships between Japan and Australia, Australia and India, and India and Japan, this event aims to explore new opportunities for academic partnerships across these three countries. Following a series of meetings and a roundtable discussion, we hope to strengthen trust and cooperation among partners and move this dialogue forward.

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DATE	TIME	PART	ITINERARY	MEETING POINT
10 Mon. February	09:00		<b>Individual Meetings</b> [to be informed separately]	TBA
11 Tue. February			<b>Engagement with L-INSIGHT Career Program</b>	
	10:30-12:30		Introduction and Luncheon Networking with the Speakers of the L-INSIGHT Career Program Cyber-Physical Systems and Law: Through the Lens of “Pluriverse”	Meeting Room 4 in Clock Tower 2F
			Participating in the L-INSIGHT Career Program and Networking with Refreshments	International Hall III, Kyoto University Centennial
	13:00-13:05		Opening Remarks	Clock Tower Memorial Hall 2F
		Part 1	Symposium Cyber-Physical Systems and Law: Through the Lens of “Pluriverse”	
	13:05-13:10		Introduction	
	13:10-13:50		Governance of Cyber- Physical Systems	INATANI Tatsuhiko [Graduate School of Law, Kyoto University]
			Governance of CPS Through the Co-evolution of Science and Technology and Law Aiming for coexistence between human and non-human beings	
			Russell Loveridge [The Swiss National Centre of Competence in Research (NCCR) in Digital Fabrication in ETH Zurich]	
			Challenges for the Development and Implementation of CPS as a National Strategy With a perspective on research and development and distribution that integrates architecture, AI, and robotics	
	13:50-14:30		Governance in Pluriverse	MEGURO Maiko [Digital Agency, Government of Japan / University of Amsterdam]
			Challenges for Agile Governance as It Transcends National Borders With a perspective on the “Pluriverse” through DFFT negotiations	
			Federico Luisetti [University of St. Gallen]	
			Issues in the Development of Science and Technology in the Pluriverse With a perspective on Cyber-Physical systems viewed through the lens of decolonial ecologies	
	14:30-14:45		Break	
	14:45-15:40		Group Discussion with Speakers	
	15:40-16:50		Plenary Discussion	Moderated by INATANI Tatsuhiko
	16:50-17:30	Part 2	Networking & Refreshments	Enjoy free refreshments from Maeda Coffee!
12 Wed. February			<b>Individual Meetings</b> [to be informed separately]	Meeting Room 1F at Research Administration Building
	12:00-13:30		Networking Lunch	
13 Thu. February			<b>L-INSIGHT Roundtable</b> Trilateral Academic Dialogue: Exploring New Frontiers for Collaboration	The Quadrilateral Security Dialogue, or QUAD, is undoubtedly gaining traction as a dynamic diplomatic framework. While its original aim was to strengthen economic, diplomatic and military ties, academic collaboration plays a unique role in demonstrating how effective and limited such cooperation is and provides valuable insights for policymakers and citizens as to how a meaningful partnership can be built. This roundtable aims to explore opportunities for the Japan-Australia- India partnership and discuss ways to make it relevant and impactful to our lives.
	10:00-10:20	Morning	Introduction	by ISHIKAWA Fuyuki — Purpose by SAWARAGI Tetsuo — Expectations
	10:20-11:40		Plenary 1 Presentations	Perspectives on Societal Challenges in Your Area The Potential Contributions of Research to Solving These Challenges The Role of Tri-Nation Collaboration in Addressing These Issues
				by Suboor Bakht / Pradeep Taneja / Rohan D'Souza / SAKADE Takeshi
	11:40-13:00	Networking Lunch	Lunch	Ice breaking / Self-introduction
	13:00-13:05	Afternoon	Kick-off for Afternoon	by KITAGAWA Susumu
	13:05-14:15		Plenary 2 Presentations	Perspectives on Societal Challenges in Your Area The Potential Contributions of Research to Solving These Challenges The Role of Tri-Nation Collaboration in Addressing These Issues
				by OGAWA Akihiro / KATAOKA Kotaro / Moumita Koley / SUZUKI Jun
	14:15-14:30		Coffee Break	
	14:30-15:50		Group Discussion: Parallel Dialogues	Moving to the meeting rooms: Group A — 1F Meeting Room 1 Group B — B1F Meeting Room1 & 2
	15:50-16:00		Moving Back to the Main Venue	
	16:00-17:00		Coffee Service / Wrap-up Roundtable	Chaired by OGAWA Akihiro OGAWA Akihiro / KATAOKA Kotaro / Moumita Koley / SUZUKI Jun
	17:00-		End	by KITAGAWA Susumu
14 Fri. February			<b>Individual Meetings</b> [to be informed separately]	TBA

