

**The 11th Meeting of**  
**German-Japanese Society for Social Sciences**  
**日独社会科学学会**

**"Life Course and Life Style in Comparison"**

**October 7 – 9, 2010**  
**Hosei University, Tokyo, JAPAN**

**October 7, 2010 (Thursday)**

Skyhall, 26th floor, Boissonade Tower, Ichigaya-Campus, Hosei University

**14:00 Registration & Snacks**

**15:00 Opening Ceremony**

*Co-Chairs* Akira Tokuyasu/ Bernhard Nauck

*Opening Address*

Prof. Dr. Gisela Trommsdorff

(President of German-Japanese Society for Social Sciences)

Prof. Dr. Akira Tokuyasu

(Chief Organizer/Vice-president of German Japanese Society for Social Sciences)

*Welcome Address*

Prof. Dr. Toshio Masuda (President of Hosei University)

*Congratulatory Speeches*

Dr. Volker Stanzel (German Ambassador to Japan)

Dr. Florian Coulmas (Director of DIJ (German Institute for Japanese Studies))

Dr. Holger Finken (Director of DAAD Japan)

Dr. Iris Wiczorek (Director of DFG Office Japan)

Prof. Dr. Heinrich Menkhaus (Meiji University: President of the JSPS Club)

*Commemorative Lecture*

Prof. Dr. Josef Kreiner (Hosei University/University of Bonn)

*Traditional Japanese Performing Arts – A Workshop on Noh Theatre*

Yoshimasa Kanze et al.

**18:00-20:00 Welcome Party**

**October 8, 2010 (Friday)**

Skyhall, 26th floor, Boissonade Tower, Ichigaya-Campus, Hosei University

**9:00 Registration**

**9:30-11:00 Session 1: Inequality in Comparison**

Chairperson: Gisela Trommsdorff (University of Konstanz)

Heinz Bude (University of Kassel), Ernst-Dieter Lantermann (University of Kassel),

Carola Hommerich (German Institute for Japanese Studies)

*Objective Precarity and Subjective Perception of Social Exclusion: Results of an Empirical Survey in Germany and Japan*

Masato Kimura (Waseda University)

*Roofs or Jobs First? On the Poor and Homeless People in Tokyo*

Florian Coulmas (German Institute for Japanese Studies), Wolfgang Jagodzinski (University of Cologne)

*Happiness in Japan and Germany – An assessment by students*

**11:00-11:15 Coffee Break**

**11:15-12:45 Session 2: Young People on Their Life Stage**

Chairperson: Makoto Kobayashi (Tamagawa University)

Vinai Norasakkunkit (Minnesota State University), Yukiko Uchida (Kyoto University)

*Psychological Consequences of Post-Industrial Anomie on Self and Motivation Among Japanese Youth*

Ritsuko Kuze (Hosei University)

*The Regional Differences of Youth Employment in Japan*

Márta Fülöp (Institute for Psychology Hungarian Academy of Sciences)

*Competition in International Perspective: How German, Japanese, Hungarian and Canadian Young Adults Conceptualize Competition?*

**12:45-13:45 Lunch**

**13:45-15:15 Session 3: Policy and Society**

Chairperson: Mototaka Mori (Waseda University)

Sven Rudolph (University of Kassel)

*Climate Policy Instrument Choice in Japan and Germany - An Exercise in*

*Advanced Cross-Country Political Economy*

Chikako Mori (Saga University)

*Social Market Economy and German Social Policy – Focusing on a Desirable Social Policy*

Naoko Eizawa (Kansai University)

*Reconstruction of Public Sphere by Mediation and Cooperation of Neighborhood Association and Nonprofit Organization as Intermediate Group*

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

**15:30-17:00 Session 4: Community**

Chairperson: Bernhard Nauck (Chemnitz University of Technology)

Toshiaki Yamai (Ritsumeikan University)

*Regional Planning and Local Autonomy in Germany after 1945: The Case of Baden-Württemberg 1950s to 1960s*

Takashi Namba (Osaka University of Economics)

*Validity of Applying German Model to Re-organization of Japanese Local Autonomy System: A Case Study of Kiso-machi (Nagano)*

Yuichiro Minami (Ohkagakuen University)

*Conditions of the Formation and the Decline of Urban Community as a “Historical Intermezzo”: A Critical Supplement to Max Weber’s Theory of Cities*

**17:00-17:15 Coffee Break**

**17:15-18:15 Session 5: Japanese Politics**

Chairperson: Toshiaki Yamai (Ritsumeikan University)

Mototaka Mori (Waseda University)

*The Post-Populism in Tokyo*

Carmen Schmidt (University of Osnabruck)

*After the Japanese 2009 General Election: Realignment or Ongoing Transition?*

**18:20-19:20 Business Meeting**

*(separate invitation to members only)*

**October 9, 2010 (Saturday)**

Skyhall, 26th floor, Boissonade Tower, Ichigaya-Campus, Hosei University

**9:00 Registration**

**9:30-10:30 Session 6: Ethnicity**

Chairperson: Hans-Joachim Kornadt (University of the Saarland)

David Chiavacci (Free University Berlin)

*From Separation and Marginalization to Assimilation into Mainstream Middle Class? A Comparison of the Dominant Life Courses of Ethnic Minorities in Germany and Japan*

Shigeki Sato (Hosei University)

*From "Ethnic" to "Civic"? The Transformation of National Identity and the Immigrant Integration Policy in Germany Since the 1970s*

**10:30-10:45 Coffee Break**

**10:45-12:15 Session 7: Family in Comparison**

Chairperson: Akira Tokuyasu (Hosei University)

David Georgi (Duisburg-Essen University)

*Der Kinderwunsch junger Männer im Kontext von Wohlfahrtsstaat und Lebenslauf (Fulfilled and Un-Fulfilled Male Desire to Have Children in Germany and Japan in the Context of the Welfare State and Life-Course)*

Bernhard Nauck (Chemnitz University of Technology)

*One or Two Pathways to Modernity? Family Formation in Japan and Germany*

Makoto Kobayashi (Tamagawa University), Naosuke Itoigawa (Mukogawa Women's University), Yoshiharu Tachibana (Gifu University), Tomoko Fujitani (Mukogawa Women's University), Yuko Yato (Mukogawa Women's University),

Gisela Trommsdorff (University of Konstanz)

*Value of Children and Intergenerational Relations in Japan*

**12:15-13:15 Lunch**

**13:15-14:15 Session 8: Culture and Value**

Chairperson: Kunihiro Kamiya (Kansai University)

Yoshinori Nishijima (Kanazawa University)

*"Urusai!" and "Ruhe!": A Contrastive Analysis of Routine Formulas in Japanese and German*

Kazuko Pfeiffer-Egawa (University of Zurich)

*Die Gestaltung meines Zimmers: Raumästhetik im interkulturellen Vergleich Schweiz/Japan*

**14:15-14:30 Coffee Break**

**14:30-16:00 Session 9: Culture and Lifestyle**

Chairperson: Heinrich Menkhaus (Meiji University)

Karl-Heinz Reuband (Heinrich-Heine University of Dusseldorf)

*Cultural Participation and its Social Determinants. A Comparative Study in German Cities*

Kunihiro Kamiya (Kansai University)

*Eine Betrachtung über den Vergleich aus dem Lebensstil im Alltag zum Volkstum in Deutschland und Japan - Ein Ansatz zur Entstehung und Dauerhaftigkeit traditioneller Verhaltensweisen*

Ulrich Lohmann (Alice-Salomon University)

*Das neue Gesetz über Patientenverfügungen in Deutschland - Ein Überblick (The New Legislation About Advance Directives /Living Will in Germany - An Overview)*

**16:00-16:15 Coffee Break**

**16:15-18:00 Special Session: Missions and Roles of GJSSS in Past and Future**

Co-Chairs Akira Tokuyasu/ Florian Coulmas

Ken'ichi Tominaga (University of Tokyo), Hiroshi Namiki (Keio University), Taketoshi Takuma (Tokyo Metropolitan University), Hans-Joachim Kornadt (University of the Saarland), Gisela Trommsdorff (University of Konstanz)

**18:0-20:00 Farewell Party**

**October 10, 2010 (Sunday)**

**10:00 Excursion to Japanese Traditional Spots**

Imperial Palace, Yasukuni Shrine, Kagurazaka etc.

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***Registration***

- Registration fee: ¥15,000
- Registration fee includes the cost for all the meals and drinks (except the dinner on Oct. 8) and a copy of the proceedings of the meeting.
- Please pay at the registration desk (in the beginning or during the meetings).
- Registration form can be downloaded from the following official website of the meeting. Please fill the form and send it to the following e-mail address.
- More information will be given on the official website soon.

***Official Website of the 11th Meeting***

<http://www.t.hosei.ac.jp/~atokuyas/GJSSS.htm>

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