



# GERMAN INSTITUTE FOR JAPANESE STUDIES (DIJ) THE GERMAN CENTER FOR RESEARCH AND INNOVATION (DWIH)

## **TENTATIVE PROGRAM**

for the Workshop

## "Building a Sustainable Future: Integrating Consumption, Finance, and Education"

Monday, June 10, 2024

at DIJ, Jochi Kioizaka Bldg. 2F 7-1 Kioicho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 102-0094

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This workshop delves into the interconnected issues of sustainability, sustainable consumption, sustainable finance and education which collectively form a holistic approach to creating a more balanced and resilient world. Sustainable consumption encourages mindful choices to minimize waste and environmental impact, while sustainable finance directs capital toward environmentally friendly and socially responsible investments. Together, they create a powerful framework that fosters innovation, promotes responsible resource management, and drives positive social and environmental outcomes, paving the way for a sustainable and prosperous future.

14:00 Welcome Remarks

Markus HECKEL (German Institute for Japanese Studies, DIJ)
Laura BLECKEN (The German Centre for Research and Innovation Tokyo, DWIH)

14:15 Sustainable Consumption and Environmental Awareness

Chair: Shinji HASEGAWA (Waseda University)

Sustainable Consumption of Young People in Japan and Germany: Behaviour and Influencing Factors

Carsten HERBES (University Nurtingen-Geislingen)

Low-Carbon Lifestyles beyond Decarbonisation: Toward a More Creative Use of the Carbon Footprinting Method

Atsushi WATABE (Institute for Global Environmental Strategies, IGES)

**Environmental Awareness in Germany and Japan** 

Nobuyuki KINOSHITA (Advisor, Keiaistar Real Estate)

## 16:00 **Sustainable Finance**

Chair: Markus HECKEL

#### **Education for Sustainable Finance**

Jutaro KANEKO (Hakuoh University)

#### **Green Bonds**

Maiko MORISHITA (Institute for Global Environmental Strategies, IGES and Climate Bonds Initiative)

### Sustainable Finance: Efforts by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government

Hiromi YAMAOKA (Chief Adviser for International Finance, Tokyo Metropolitan Government)

## Connecting Corporate Sustainability and Sustainable Finance

Emi ONOZUKA (Director of Future Design Initiative by Science and Finance, FDSF)

18:00 Closing Remarks

Markus HECKEL (German Institute for Japanese Studies)

18:05 Buffet Reception

20:00 End

Participation is free, but space is limited. Please register with <a href="heckel@diitokyo.org">heckel@diitokyo.org</a>.