International Symposium of Shinshu University COI Center

Towards the Environmental Era

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Date & Time | 2021.11.30(Tue) | 13:00-17:25 (Open 12:00) (Japan Time)

Venue Online Live Streaming (Zoom Webinar)

Language English and Japanese (Simultaneous Interpretation)

Program

13:00 **Opening Remarks**

- •Soichiro Nakamura (President of Shinshu Univ.)
- •Shuich Abe (Governor of Nagano Prefecture)

13:05 **Guest Remarks**

- Mutsuko Inoue (Director of Research and Development Infrastructure Division, Science and Technology Policy Bureau, Ministry of Education)
- •Ali Alanazi (Cultural Attaché of Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia-Cultural Office)
- •**Hiroshi Komiyama** (Chairperson of the COI STREAM Governing Committee / Chairman of the Institute Mitsubishi Research Institute, Inc.)

Remarks by Participating Institutions

- **Hideshi Nakatsu** (Vice President and Executive Officer of Hitachi, Ltd. / CEO of Water & Environment Business Unit)
- •Koichi Abe (Executive Vice President and Representative Member of the Board of Toray Industries, Inc.)
- Hiroyuki Onishi (Executive Officer, Executive Vice President of LIXIL Corporation)

13:30 **Project Outline**

•Makoto Onishi (Project Leader / CTO of Water & Environment Business Unit, Hitachi, Ltd.)

13:45 | Report (Development of Advanced RO membranes and modules)

- Morinobu Endo (Research Leader / Shinshu Univ.), Shogo Tejima (RIST)
- / **Wongwiriyapan Winadda** (King Mongkut's Institute of Technology Ladkrabang)
- "Advanced RO membranes and modules made with crosslinked aromatic polyamidecarbon nanotube or -cellulose nanofiber nanocomposites for green desalination and new POU uses"
- •Kotaro Kitamura (Hitachi, Ltd.), Norihiro Takeuchi (Toray Industries, Inc.), Jun Kikuchi (RIKEN), Kenji Takeuchi (Shinshu Univ.)
- "Verification of CNT/PA composite RO membrane for seawater desalination"
- 14:30 < Short Breake / Video Screening >

14:40 Report (Improving the Water Environment in East Africa)

• Junichi Yoshitani (Shinshu Univ.)

"Towards securing safe and clean drinking water in East Africa"

•Katsuya Teshima (Sub Research Leader, Shinshu Univ.)

"Shindai Crystal with SWEE"

• Mutsumi Kimura (Sub Research Leader, Shinshu Univ.)

"Development of Separation/Sensing Devices using Nanomaterials"

Demonstration cases in Tanzania

15:25 | Report (COI-Satellite)

•Keiko Takahashi (Research Leader of COI-S / JAMSTEC)

"Future Projection of Water General Circulation with Atmosphere-Ocean-Geosphere-coupled Simulator"

15:45 **Report (Platform)**

•Shinjiro Ueda (Chairman of AxC Platform, Shinshu Univ.)

"Outlook of Aqua nexus Carbon Platform"

15:55 | < Short Break / Video Screening >

16:10 | Cooperation with Overseas Organizations

"Seawater Desalination and Green Saudi Initiative"

- •Ali Alanazi (Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia-Cultural Office)
- •Walaa Alsanie (Taif Univ.)
- **Abdulrahman I. AlKassem** (Islamic Univ. of Madinah.)
- Mohammed Al-Namazi (SWCC/DTRI)

16:40 **Special Lecture**

• Masaru Kurihara (Fellow of Toray Industries, Inc.)

"Rapidly-growing Seawater Desalination and the Challenges to New Technical Issues"

17:10 | General Comment

•Masaaki Mizuno (Vice Principal Visionary Leader of COI STREAM / Visionary Leader of COI STREAM V3 / Clinical Professor of Nagoya Univ.)

17:15 **Greetings**

•Kozo Takahashi (Sub Project Leader / Toray Industries, Inc.)

17:20 **Closing Remarks**

•Yoshihiko Amano (Vice-president of Shinshu Univ. / Dean of Faculty of Engineering)

Online Exchanging Meeting / Online Poster Session

17:30 **Exchanging Meeting / Poster Session** (Zoom Breakout room)