## **Activities of JSCES in 2005–2006**

Date	Presentations
2005	Hiroaki HAYASHI (The University of Shimane, Japan)
April 23	"Company and society in USSR and Russia: From the viewpoint of Russian economic sociology"
	Katsumi FUJIWARA (Osaka University of Foreign Studies, Japan)
	"Research activities in Russia in 2004–2005"
	Kazuho YOKOGAWA (The Japanese Society for the Promotion of Science, Japan)
	Book Review: Tetsuro HOSAKA, Russian Local Budget, Economic Society of Kochi University,
	2004 (in Japanese)
	Tetsuro HOSAKA (Kochi University, Japan)
	"Changes in the budgetary process of Russian federal government after 2005"
May 28	Kazushi OKADA (Fukui Prefectural University, Japan)
-	"Comparison of Russian regions between 1996–2002 by the methodology of UNDP HDI"
	Kazuho YOKOGAWA (The Japanese Society for the Promotion of Science, Japan)
	"Fiscal reform in Russia and the transformation of local public finance: An analysis of the 'Program
	for the development of fiscal federalism in the Russian Federation in the period until 2005"
	Satoshi MIZOBATA (Kyoto University, Japan)
	"Debate on the transition and EU's Eastern enlargement in France"
July 2	Steven ROSEFIELDE (University of North Carolina, USA)
	"Turmoil in Russia: Sputtering towards fortress Russia"
July 8	Robert BOYER (CEPREMAP, France)
	"Divergence of capitalism and its cause: Theory of the diversification of capitalism and the
	Regulation theory"
August 22–23	The 24 <sup>th</sup> Annual Summer Symposium
	Session 1: Transition, Civil Society and Democracy in Russia and the East European Countries
	Coordinator: Satoshi MIZOBATA (Kyoto University, Japan)
	Keynote Speaker: Itsuro NAKAMURA (University of Tsukuba, Japan)
	"From decentralized to centralized society: Transformation from the viewpoint of local life"
	Panelists:
	Hiroaki HAYASHI (The University of Shimane, Japan)
	Kazuho YOKOGAWA (The Japanese Society for the Promotion of Science, Japan)
	Takumi HORIBAYASHI (Kanazawa University, Japan)
	Fumio ASHIDA (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)
	Session 2: Free Session
	Coordinator: Yutaka KONISHI (Gifu University, Japan)
	Mihoko UEDA (Graduate School of Economics, Kyoto University, Japan)
	"Changes in regional economies in the eastern five states of Germany"

Presentations
Junko SAKAI (Graduate School of Economics, Kyoto University, Japan)
"EU's cohesion policy and the role of local governments"
Hikaru OBAYASHI (Graduate School of Economics, Kyoto University, Japan)
"Challenges for the Central Asian energy market in the new economy"
Commentator: Kunihiko AOKI (Tohoku University, Japan); Hiroshi TANAKA (Ritsumeikan University,
Japan); Masahiro TOKUNAGA (Kansai University, Japan)
Session 3: Book Reviews
Coordinator: Hiroshi TANAKA (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)
Shozaburo SAKAI (Chuo University, Japan)
Book Review: Uehara, K. (ed.) China's Leap, Russia's Revival, Takasuga Shuppan, 2005 (in
Japanese)
Katsumi FUJIWARA (Osaka University of Foreign Studies, Japan)
Book Review: Kolodko, G, From Shock to Therapy: The Political Economy of Postsocialist
Transformation, Oxford University Press, 2000 (Translated into Japanese in 2005)
Commentator: Hiroichi IEMOTO (Nagoya Gakuin University, Japan)
Roundtable: A Year from the Eastern Enlargement of EU
Speakers:
Hiroichi IEMOTO (Nagoya Gakuin University, Japan)
Takumi HORIBAYASHI (Kanazawa University, Japan)
Hiroshi TANAKA (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)
Tomoo MARUKAWA (The University of Tokyo, Japan)
"Automobile industry clusters in China"
Girsh KHANIN (Siberian Academy of Public Service, Russia)
"Perspective on the Russian economy"
Bernard CHAVANCE (University of Paris 7, France)
"What economic theories have learnt from post-socialist transformation?"
Eric MAGNIN (University of Paris 7, France)
"Redistribution regimes of the new EU member countries and their theoretical meaning"
László CSABA (Central European University, Hungary)
"The bumpy road to EU membership"
Victoria GOLIKOVA (State University—Higher School of Economics, Russia)
"Factors of competitiveness of Russian SMEs: Evidence from a pilot survey"
Ksenia YUDAEVA (Center for Economic and Financial Research, Russia)
"Imitations and innovations in a transition economy"

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December 17	Masashi MORIOKA (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)
	"Divergence of capitalism and the economic theory"
	Minoru NAGASUNA (Kansai University, Japan)
	"Sketch of Ukraine in the recent past"
	Kazuho YOKOGAWA (The Japanese Society for the Promotion of Science, Japan)
	"Transition and the intergovernmental fiscal relationship in Russia: Discussion on the problems of
	decentralization"
2006	Ichiro IWASAKI (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)
January 27	"Transition strategies and economic results in the Central Asian countries"
	"Behaviour of corruption under systemic transformation: Case studies of the Former Soviet Union
	countries"
March 30	Grzegorz KOLODKO (Transformation, Integration and Globalization Economic Research, Poland)
	"The Polish transition process: The regional and global context"