

## Activities of JSCES in 2018–2019

Date	Presentations
<b>2018</b>	<p><i>Sergey BELOZEROV</i> (Saint Petersburg State University, Russia)          “Russian Pension System: Recent Developments”</p> <p><i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)          “Overview of Public Finance and its Problem in Russia”</p> <p><i>Zoia PODOBA</i> (Saint Petersburg State University, Russia)          “Green Energy in BRIC”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)  <i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)  <i>Satoshi MIZOBATA</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)</p>
June 11	<p><b>Kyoto Special Conference on Economic Institutions</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)</p> <p>1st part</p> <p><i>Geoffrey WOOD</i> (Essex Business School, University of Essex, UK)          “Institutions, Varieties of Alternative Investor and the Firm”</p> <p><i>Shabneez BHANKARAULLY</i> (Alliance Manchester Business School, UK)          “Institutions and Corporate Restructuring Practices in Germany in Crisis Times”</p> <p><i>Gerhard SCHNYDER</i> (Loughborough University, UK), <i>Douglas B. FULLER</i> (Zhejiang University, China) and <i>Yuanyuan GONG</i> (Okayama University, Japan)          “Institutional Mediation of Value Distribution Among Stakeholders: The Microfoundations of Income Inequality”</p> <p>2nd part</p> <p><i>Jennifer JOHNS</i> (University of Liverpool, UK)          “Governing Global Production: The UK’s Modern Slavery Act and Child Labour in the Global South”</p> <p><i>Matthew ALLEN</i> (Alliance Manchester Business School, UK)          “Comparative Capitalisms and Energy Transitions”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)  <i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)  <i>Satoshi MIZOBATA</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)  <i>Mihoko SATOGAMI</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)  <i>Hironori FUSHITA</i> (The Japan Institute of International Affairs, Japan)</p>
August 25-26 August 25	<p><b>The 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Symposium</b></p> <p><b>Session 1: Populism from the perspective of comparative Economics</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)  <i>Yusuke MURAKAMI</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)          “Political Dynamics of “Populism”: Based on the case study of Latin America”</p>

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August 26	<p><i>Yutaka KONISHI</i> (Gifu University, Japan)          “Russia: The country which has been torn between Authoritarianism and Populism”</p> <p><i>Hiroshi TANAKA</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)          “European Populism vs Hungarian Populism”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)  <i>Tsuyoshi YANAGIHARA</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)</p> <p><b>Session 2: Interim Report of the Project Research I</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)  <i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)          “Evolution of Fiscal Federalism and State Integration in Russia”</p> <p><i>Mihoko SATOGAMI</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)          “Policy Framework Relevant to Female workers in Germany: from the comparative study of Eastern Germany and Unified Germany”</p> <p><i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)          “Political Economic Systems and Social Composition in Russia”</p> <p><b>Session 3: Personal Presentation</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Victor GORSHKOV</i> (Kaichi International University, Japan)  <i>Hiroshi TANAKA</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)          “Evolving Polanyi theory into the development of the EU regional integration studies”</p> <p><i>Enkhchimeg ENKMANDAKH</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)          “How Transition Shaped Mongolian Society: Then and Now”</p> <p><b>Session 4: Interim Report of the Project Research II</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)  <i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)          “China’s Outward Direct Investment and Foreign Trade: Focusing on One Belt, One Road Area”</p> <p><i>Victor GORSHKOV</i> (Kaichi International University, Japan)          “Comparative Study of Foreign Expansion of Asian Banks: Global Trends and the Case of Russia”</p> <p><i>Hironori FUSHITA</i> (The Japan Institute of International Affairs)          “Initiatives of Russia and China in Northeast Asia Development”</p>
September 6-8 September 7	<p><b>15th European Association for Comparative Economic Studies Conference (in Warsaw, Poland)</b></p> <p><b>Parallel Session 12</b></p> <p><b>“Comparative Economic Studies on Emerging Multinationals”</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)  <i>Magdolna SASS</i> (CERS HAS, Hungary)          “Hungary Emerging Multinationals from the CEE Countries: Are They Different from Other Emerging</p>

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	<p>MNCs?”</p> <p><i>Satoshi MIZOBATA</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“Offshore Emerging Multinationals in Russia”</p> <p><i>Yumiko NAKAHARA</i> (Kyushu Sangyo University, Japan)</p> <p>“Multinationals from Taiwan”</p> <p><i>Victor GORSHKOV</i> (Kaichi International University, Japan)</p> <p>“Foreign Direct Investments and Emerging Multinationals from Northeast Asia”</p> <p><b>Parallel Session 22</b></p> <p><b>“International Comparison on the Relationship between State and Civil Society in Post-Transition Economies”</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Victor GORSHKOV</i> (Kaichi International University, Japan)</p> <p><i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)</p> <p>“Social Composition in Russia under Politicized Economic System”</p> <p><i>Katsumi FUJIWARA</i> (Osaka University, Japan)</p> <p>“Russian Consumers and the State in the Globalized World”</p> <p><i>Mihoko SATOGAMI</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“Gender Mainstreaming Policy and the Labour Market Situations in Unified Germany”</p> <p><i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)</p> <p>“Evolution of Fiscal Federalism and State Integration in Russia”</p>
September 26	<p><b>International Conference “45 years of Vietnam-Japan Relation: Achievements and Prospects” ( at VASS Building, Hanoi, Vietnam)</b></p> <p><i>Satoshi MIZOBATA</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“Converging Society and Common Challenging Tasks: Reviewing the Cooperation of Japan and Vietnam”</p> <p><i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)</p> <p>“Changes of Social Structure in Japan and Suggestion to Emerging Economies”</p> <p><i>Victor GORSHKOV</i> (Kaichi International University, Japan)</p> <p>“Situation of Japanese Banks in New Emerging Countries: From 'Magnificence' to Regression?”</p>
September 27	<p><b>The International Conference “Business Sustainability in the Context of Industry 4.0” (at The National Economics University (NEU), Hanoi, Vietnam)</b></p> <p><i>Satoshi MIZOBATA</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“Society 5.0” and Economic System Transformation in Japan”</p> <p><i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)</p> <p>“Present Conditions and Problems of Work Style Reform in Japan”</p> <p><i>Mihoko SATOGAMI</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“Similarities in Policy Framework Related to Female Worker in Two Germanys”</p>

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	<p><i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)          “China’s Outward Direct Investment: Focusing on One Belt, One Road Area”</p> <p><i>Victor GORSHKOV</i> (Kaichi International University, Japan)          “Japanese Fintech: Problem and Development Prospects”</p> <p><i>Tomoyo TOYOTA</i> (The University of Shiname, Japan)          “Greenhouse Gases Reduction Effect through Infrastructure Export: Verification on Modal Shift”</p>
November 1-2 November 2	<p><b>Asian Economic Community Forum 2018 (at Grand Hyatt Hotel, Incheon, South Korea)</b></p> <p><b>“Creating One Asia Together”</b></p> <p><b>Session 6</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)  <i>Victor GORSHKOV</i> (Kaichi International University, Japan)          “Foreign Expansion of Asian Banks: Global Trends and the Case of Russia”</p> <p><i>Yumiko NAKAHARA</i> (Kyushu Sangyo University, Japan)          “Highly Skilled Migration in Asia: Focusing on Taiwan”</p> <p><i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)          “China’s Outward Direct Investment: Focusing on One Belt, One Road Area”</p>
November 7	<p><b>Kyoto International Workshop</b></p> <p><b>“Advanced Study on Transition Economics and Comparative Economics”</b></p> <p><b>Special lecture on Comparative Economics</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Ichiro IWASAKI</i> (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)  <i>Ezen KOCENDA</i> (Charles University, Czech Republic)          “Nowcasting Real GDP Growth with Business Tendency Surveys Data: A Cross Country Analysis”</p> <p><b>Session 1: Advanced Study on Economic Transition</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Satoshi MIZOBATA</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)  <i>Byung-Yeon KIM</i> (Seoul National University, South Korea and Kyoto University, Japan)          “Market Activities and Trust of North Korean Refugees”</p> <p><i>Vasiliy ANIKIN</i> (Higher School of Economics, Russia and Kyoto University, Japan)          “Human Capital in Russia: Investments and Returns”</p> <p><b>Session 2: Mata-Analysis of Comparative Economics</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)  <i>Ichiro IWASAKI</i> (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)          “Ownership Structure and Managerial Turnover in China and Eastern Europe: A Comparative Meta-Analysis”</p> <p><i>Xinxin MA</i> (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)          “Party Membership and Its Impact on Wage in China: A Meta-Analysis”</p> <p><b>Session 3: KIER Research Projects</b></p>

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November 26	<p><i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)</p> <p>“Characteristics of Lifestyles under State Capitalism”</p> <p><i>Vasiliy ANIKIN</i> (Higher School of Economics, Russia and Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“Skills Formation in Russia: Evidence from Recent Micro-Data”</p>
December 17	<p><i>Vasiliy ANIKIN</i> (Higher School of Economics, Russia and Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“The Russian Population Today: Economic and Sociology-cultural Perspective”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Satoshi MIZOBATA</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)  <i>Mihoko SATOGAMI</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p><i>Byung-Yeon KIM</i> (Seoul National University, South Korea and Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“The North Korean Economy: Evaluation and Prospects”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Kwang Woong BAE</i> (Osaka Kyoiku University, Japan)  <i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)</p> <p>Closing Remarks: <i>Hiroshi TANAKA</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)</p>
2019 January 25-27 January 25	<p><b>Kyoto International Conference</b></p> <p><b>“Civil Society, Firms, and Government in Post-Transition and Emerging Economies”</b></p> <p><b>Special Seminar</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)  <i>Erdenebat BATAA</i> (National University of Mongolia, Mongolia)</p> <p>“Research (in)Capacity and Brain Drain of Post-communist Economists: A Field Experience from Mongolia”</p>
	<p><b>KIER Young Scholars Seminar on Comparative Economics</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)  <i>Chalwe MWAMBA</i> (Graduate School of Economics, Ritsumeikan University, Japan)</p> <p>“Transport Investment and Economic Development in Zambia”</p> <p><i>Enkhchimeg ENKMANDAKH</i> (Graduate School of Economics, Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“Increase in Inequality in Mongolia during Transition”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Erdenebat BATAA</i> (National University of Mongolia, Mongolia)  <i>Vasiliy ANIKIN</i> (Higher School of Economics, Russia and Kyoto University, Japan)</p>
January 26	<p>Opening Remarks: <i>Satoshi MIZOBATA</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>Raising Questions: <i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)</p>

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	<p><i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)</p> <p><b>Keynote Speeches</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)</p> <p><i>Yang YAO</i> (Peking University, China)</p> <p>“Does the Chinese Selectocracy Select Competent Leaders?”</p> <p><i>Geoffrey WOOD</i> (University of Essex, UK)</p> <p>“Comparative Capitalism, Long Energy Transitions and the Crisis of Liberal Markets: Understanding the Right Wing Moment and What it Means”</p> <p><b>Keynote Speeches</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)</p> <p><i>Julia LEZHNINA</i> (Higher School of Economics, Russia)</p> <p>“Russians’ Attitude to the Role of State in Socio-Economic Policy”</p> <p><i>Vasiliy ANIKIN</i> (Higher School of Economics, Russia and Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“Social Classes in Post-transition Russia”</p> <p><b>Session 1: Civil Society and State in the Post-Transition Economy</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Xinxin MA</i> (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)</p> <p><i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)</p> <p>“Characteristics of Civil Society under State Capitalism in Russia”</p> <p><i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)</p> <p>“Regional Public Service Provision and Civil Society in Russia”</p> <p><i>Katsumi FUJIWARA</i> (Osaka University, Japan)</p> <p>“Russian Consumer Power under Sanctions”</p> <p><i>Mihoko SATOGAMI</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“Policy Framework Relevant to Female Worker in Germany”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Julia LEZHNINA</i> (Higher School of Economics, Russia)</p> <p><i>Xinxin MA</i> (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)</p>
January 27	<p><b>Session 2: Multinational Corporations and Integration Processes in North-East Asia</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Keiji NATSUME</i> (Aichi Toho University, Japan)</p> <p><i>Victor GORSHKOV</i> (Kaichi International University, Japan)</p> <p>“Financial Multinationals from North Asia: Global Trends and the Case of Russia”</p> <p><i>Tomoyo TOYOTA</i> (The University of Shiname, Japan)</p> <p>“Sustainable Action in Consumption and Production”</p> <p><i>Hironori FUSHITA</i> (The Japan Institute of International Affairs, Japan)</p> <p>“Russian and Chinese Initiatives for the Development of Northeast Asia”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Yutaka KONISHI</i> (Gifu University, Japan)</p> <p><i>Xuanli XIE</i> (Peking University, China)</p>

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March 13	<p><b>Kyoto International Conference “Europe, Asia and Russia in Crisis”</b></p> <p>Opening Remarks: <i>Satoshi MIZOBATA</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>Raising Question: <i>Steven ROSEFIELD</i> (The University of North Carolina, USA)</p> <p><b>Session 1: Russia in Crisis</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)</p> <p><i>Vladimir KOZLOV</i> (Higher School of Economics, Russia)</p> <p>“The Effect of Crises on Russian Demographic Development: From 1980s till Current Situation”</p>

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	<p><i>Steven ROSEFIELD</i> (The University of North Carolina, USA)      “Can Russia Persevere?”</p> <p><i>Satoshi MIZOBATA</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)      “Russian Innovation in Crisis”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Hiroaki HAYASHI</i> (Ritsumeikan University, Japan)  <i>Victor GORSHKOV</i> (Kaichi International University, Japan)</p> <p><b>Session 2: Europe in Crisis</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)  <i>Bruno DALLAGO</i> (University of Trento, Italy)      “Institutional Idiosyncrasies and Monetary Union: The Eurozone in Search of a New Paradigm”</p> <p><i>Kumiko HABA</i> (Aoyamagakuin University, Japan)      “Ukraine, Divided Nation between the EU/NATO and Russia”</p> <p><i>Yoji KOYAMA</i> (Niigata University, Japan)      “Emigration from EU Periphery and Its Depopulation: The Case of Lithuania”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Byung-Yeon KIM</i> (Seoul National University, South Korea and Kyoto University, Japan)  <i>Victor GORSHKOV</i> (Kaichi International University, Japan)</p> <p><b>Session 3: Asia and Word in Crisis</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Enkhchimeg ENKHMANDAKH</i> (Graduate School of Economics, Kyoto University, Japan)  <i>Ivan SAMSON</i> (Russian Academy of National Economy and Public Administration, Russia)      “Theories of Regional Development and Regional Typologies”</p> <p><i>Byung-Yeon KIM</i> (Seoul National University, South Korea and Kyoto University, Japan)      “The Economic Cost of Implicit Ideological Bias”</p> <p><i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)      “China's Overcapacity in Manufacturing Industries”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Kumiko HABA</i> (Aoyamagakuin University, Japan)  <i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)</p> <p><b>Concluding Session</b></p> <p><i>Steven ROSEFIELD</i> (The University of North Carolina, USA)</p>
March 24	<p><b>Tokyo Workshop</b></p> <p><b>“Comparative political and economic analysis of emerging markets: China, Russia and Eastern Europe”</b></p> <p>Opening Remarks: <i>Kazuhiro KUMO</i> (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)</p> <p><b>Russian Research Center (Institute of Economic Research, Hitotsubashi University) Session</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Norio HORIE</i> (Toyama University, Japan)  <i>Kazuhiro KUMO</i> (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)      “Inter-regional Population Re-distribution in Soviet Russia”</p>

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	<p><i>Ichiro IWASAKI</i> (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)          “Determinants of Regional Fertility in Russia: A Dynamic Panel Data Analysis”</p> <p><i>Yukiko HAMA</i> (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)          “Geopolitical Resurgence Phenomenon and Russian Neo-Eurasianism”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Mayu MICHIGAMI</i> (Niigata University, Japan)  <i>Jiro HANE</i> (Meiji University, Japan)</p> <p><b>Session: Research Project on Institute of Economic Research, Hitotsubashi University</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Shuichi IKEMOTO</i> (Nihon University, Japan)  <i>Satoshi MIZOBATA</i> (Kyoto University, Japan)</p> <p>“Corporate Ownership and Managerial Turnover in China and Eastern Europe: A Comparative Meta-Analysis”</p> <p><i>Xinxin MA</i> (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)          “Gender Wage Gap in Modern China: Meta-Analysis Approach”</p> <p><i>Ichiro IWASAKI</i> (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)          “Party Membership and Its Impact on Wage in China: A Meta-Analysis”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Takeo HIDAI</i> (Wako University, Japan)  <i>Ayako ASAKAWA</i> (Chiba University of Commerce, Japan)</p> <p><b>Session: Research Project on Kyoto Institute of Economic Research (Kyoto University)</b></p> <p>Chair: <i>Taku SUZUKI</i> (Teikyo University, Japan)  <i>Kazuho YOKOGAWA</i> (Kanagawa University, Japan)</p> <p>“Regional Public Service Provision and Civil Society in Russia”</p> <p><i>Hironori FUSHITA</i> (The Japan Institute of International Affairs, Japan)          “Russian and Chinese Initiatives for the Development of Northeast Asia”</p> <p><i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)          “China’s Outward Direct Investment: Focusing on One Belt, One Road”</p> <p>Commentators: <i>Keiko SUGANUMA</i> (Nihon University, Japan)  <i>Norio HORIE</i> (Toyama University, Japan)  <i>Hak-Su RYU</i> (JSPS Fellow, University of Tokyo, Japan)</p>
March 26	<p><i>Nobuhiko NAKAYA</i> (Nagoya University, Japan)          “Interventions of Chinese Communist Party in Companies under Xi Jinping Regime”</p> <p><i>Takuma KOBAYASHI</i> (Matsuyama University, Japan)          “China’s Outward Direct Investment: Focusing on One Belt, One Road”</p>