

International Open Seminar on Hokusetsu SATOYAMA

Who are to save SATOYAMA? What for?

The co-existence of people and SATOYAMA has been mirrored in the harmonious life style with nature throughout Japan. Hokusetsu region (north of Hanshin region in Hyogo Prefecture) is one of the few remaining homes of well-managed SATOYAMA. In fall this year, an international seminar will be held to gather various stakeholders who have different interests on SATOYAMA and discuss on how to sustainably maintain this unique life style.

Open Seminar

Sat, November 28, 13:00 – 17:30

Venue: Itami Industry and Information
Center

2-2, Miyanomae 2-chome, Itami City

Fee: Free

*Advanced reservation required (Limit: 100 people)

Study Tour (Optional)

Sat, November 28, 9:00 – 11:00

Venue: Koyaike Park in Itami City

Fee: Free

Guided by a Local Community Group

*Advanced reservation required (Limit: 50 people)

*Participation in the open seminar is mandatory

Organizers:



Co-organizer:



Partners:



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Open Seminar

- ✓ English-Japanese translation
- ✓ Admission free (Reservation required)

Date and Time: Saturday, November 28, 2015, 13:00 – 17:30

Venue: Itami Industry and Information Center
(2-2, Miyanomae 2-chome, Itami City)

*Approximately 8 minutes walk from both JR Itami station and Hankyu Itami station

Fee: Free *Advanced reservation required (Maximum Limit: 100 people)

Contents:

1. Keynote Lecture1 by Mr. Kosuke Motani, Chief Researcher, The Japan Research Institute
“**SATOYAMA conservation under multiple stakeholders’ participation**” (tentative)
2. Keynote Lecture2 by Dr. Mitsuyo Toyoda, Associate Professor,
Center for Toki and Ecological Restoration(CTER), Niigata University
“**Developing collaboration to nurture the SATO-environment**”
3. Case Studies (1) Prof. Nimal Gunatilleke, Emeritus Professor, University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka
(2) Dr. Kuang-Chung Lee, Associate Professor, National Dong-Hwa University, Taiwan
(3) Ms. Kien Dang, Program Coordinator for Research and Publications,
Social Policy Ecology Research Institute, Viet Nam
(4) Ms. Kanako Kitada, Facilitator, “Midori no Kankyo Club” in Sanda City
(5) Mr. Yasuo Ozasa, Secretary General, “Hyogo Mori-zukuri Center”
4. Workshop Report
5. Interactive Session



Directions

Optional Study Tour

- ✓ Guided tour (Japanese only)
- ✓ Admission free (Reservation required)

Date and Time: Saturday, November 28, 2015, 9:00 – 11:00

Venue: Koyaike Park (Koyaike 3-chome, Itami City)

Guide: Local Community Group “Itami no Shizen wo Mamori Sodateru Kai”

Fee: Free

*Advanced reservation required (Maximum Limit: 50 people)

*Participation in the open seminar above is mandatory

*Free bus is available between Itami City Hotel and the venue



Application Form (Due date: Friday, November 6)

Send by FAX: 0797-86-4309 or

Post: Satoyama Division, Hyogo Hanshin-kita Office; 2-4-15, Asahi-machi, Takarazuka 665-8567

Participant Information	Name:	Male / Female	Age:
	Address:		
	Phone#:	Email:	
Study Tour	Attend / Not attend		<input type="checkbox"/> Bus from Itami City Hotel
Notes	✓ In case the number of applicants exceeds the limit of each event, participants will be selected in a draw. ✓ The result of the draw will be announced to the applicants a week before the event.		