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International Conference

Reconstructing State Security and National Integration in the Middle East

January 27, 2017 Conference Hall, Shikokan, Karasuma Campus Doshisha University, Kyoto

Master of the Conference: Paul Dufill

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OPENING SPEECH	9:00-9:10 Opening Speech		
	Hisae Nakanishi	Team Leader of the Project, Professor, Graduate School of Global Studies, Doshisha University	
KEYNOTE	9:10-10:10 State Security and Refugees: The Use of the "Ladder of Options" in the Case of Lebanon		
	Guita Hourani	Director of Center for Migration Studies, Notre Dame University, Lebanon	

SESSION 1	10:15-12:50 Session 1 Challenges of the Compatibility between State Security and Territorial Integrity in the Middle East		
	State Repression and Islamist Survival Strategy: Case of Muslim Brotherhood in Egypt	Takayuki Yokota Professor, Meiji University	
	Strategies, Dynamics and Outcomes of Hizballah's Military Intervention in the Syrian Conflict	Kota Suechika Professor, Ritsumeikan University	
	Discussion		
	<11:15-11:30 Coffee Break>		

SESSION 1	Nagorno-Karabakh Conflict as a Policy Determinant and State Security Challenge for Azerbaijan: In the Context of Recent Developments in the Middle East	Rahman Shahhuseinli Assistant Professor, ADA University, Baku
	Social and Political Modification in Pakistan in the War on Terror	So Yamane Professor, Osaka University
	Discussion	

<12:50-14:00 Lunch Break>

SESSION 2	14:00-16: 30 Session 2 Neighboring States, Threat Perception, and Contested Transnationality		
	Impacts of Arab Revolts on Iran: Threat Perception and Iran's Transnational Strategy	Hisae Nakanishi Professor, Doshisha University	
	Awakening of Kurds in the Changing Middle East	Ardeshir Pashang Lecturer, Center for Scientific Research and Middle East Strategic Studies	
	Lebanon's Governance Challenges in the Syrian Refugees Crisis and Lebanese Citizens' Perception of the Refugees	Marwa Ahmad Student, Graduate School of Global Studies, Doshisha University	
	Discussion Commentator : Guita Hourani & Kazuhide Kuroda	Kazuhide Kuroda Development consultant/former World Bank and United Nations senior officer on fragile and conflict- affected states	
	<15:45-16:00 Coffee Break>		
	Discussion of Session 2 continued		

16:30-17:15 General Discussion	
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CLOSING REMAKR	17:15-17:20 Closing Remark	
	So Yamane	Professor, Osaka University