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**Sciences, the Institute of Economic Research, Hitotsubashi University**  
***Technology and Long-run Economic Growth in Asia***  
**September 8-9, 2005**  
**Sano-Shoin**  
**Hitotsubashi University, Kunitachi, Tokyo**

**Agenda**

**September 8th, Thursday**

Sano-Shoin, Hitotsubashi University, Kunitachi, Tokyo

9:30-10:00 Registration

10:00-13:00

Osamu Saito (Hitotsubashi University)

Opening Remarks

**Session 1: Technology policy and rapid economic growth (Part 1)**

Chair: Hiroyoshi Kano (University of Tokyo)

1. Yutaka Kosai (Hitotsubashi University)

Keynote speech on Japan

“Economic Performance and Technology: The Case of Japan”

2. Ewout Frankema (Groningen University) and Jan Thomas Lindblad (University of Leiden)

“Technological Development and Economic Growth in Indonesia and Thailand since 1950”

Discussant Hirohisa Kohama (University of Shizuoka)

11:45 Coffee

3. Hak Kil Pyo (Seoul National University) and Bongchan Ha (Hitotsubashi University and RIETI)

“Technology and Long-run Economic Growth in Korea”

Discussant: Tsutomu Miyagawa (Gakushuin University)

13:00 Lunch (lunch box)

14:00-17:30 **Session 2: Technology policy and rapid economic growth (Part 2)**

Chair: Ryo Kanbayashi (Hitotsubashi University)

4. Prema-Chandra Athukorala (Australian National University) and Archanun Kohpaiboon  
“The International Allocation of R&D Activity by US Multinationals: The East Asian Experience in Comparative Perspective”  
Discussant: Hiroyuki Odagiri (Hitotsubashi University)

15:15 Coffee

5. Kian Wie Thee (The Economic Research Centre, Indonesian Institute of Sciences)  
“Policies Affecting Indonesia's Industrial Technology Development”  
Discussant Pierre van der Eng (Australian National University)
6. Jean-Pascal Bassino (Paul Valery University, Montpellier) and Pierre van der Eng (Australian National University)  
“The First East Asian Economic Miracle: A Comparison of Nominal Wages and Welfare of Urban Workers in Southeast Asia, Japan and Europe, 1880-1938”  
Discussant Kaoru Sugihara (Osaka University)

18:00 Dinner (buffet style at the lobby of Sano-Shoin)

**September 9th, Friday**

Sano-Shoin, Hitotsubashi University, Kunitachi, Tokyo

9:30-12:00 **Session 3: Long-run economic growth based on reconstructions of national income (Part 1)**

Chair: Shigeru Ishiwata (International Christian University)

1. Toshiyuki Mizoguchi (Hiroshima University of Economics)  
“Estimates of the Long-run Economic Growth of Taiwan Based on Revised SNA (1901-2000) Statistics”  
Discussant: Tsong-Min Wu (National Taiwan University)

10:45 Coffee

2. Pierre van der Eng (Australian National University)

Capital Formation and Economic Growth in Indonesia, 1951-2004

Discussant Daan Marks (The International Institute of Social History in Amsterdam)

12:00 Lunch (lunch box)

13:00-17:30 **Session 4: Long-run economic growth based on reconstructions of national income (Part 2)**

Chair: Tsong-Min Wu (National Taiwan University)

3. Toru Kubo (Shinshu University)

“Industrial Development in Republican China, Newly Revised Index: 1912-1948”

Discussant: Tim Wright (The University of Sheffield)

14:15 Coffee

4. Kyoji Fukao (Hitotsubashi University), Debin Ma (GRIPS) and Tangjun Yuan (Hitotsubashi University)

“Real GDP in pre-War East Asia: a 1934-36 Benchmark Purchasing Power Parity Comparison with the U.S”

Discussant: Prema-Chandra Athukorala (Australian National University)

5. Daan Marks (The International Institute of Social History in Amsterdam)

"Reconstruction of the Service Sector in the National Accounts of Indonesia 1900-2000: Concepts and Methods"

Discussant: Jean-Pascal Bassino (Paul Valery University, Montpellier)

Closing remarks, Konosuke Odaka (Hosei University)

18:00 Dinner

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