# アジア中東学会連合(AFMA)第 15 回大会開催のご案内 Announcement of the 15th Conference of the Asian Federation of Middle East Studies Associations (AFMA)

AFMA の第 15 回大会は、同志社大学一神教学際研究センター(CISMOR)との共催で、2024 年 12 月 7 日(土曜日)と 8 日(日曜日)に、同志社大学今出川校地で開催されます。 7 日は午後に基調講演 "Towards an Optimal Framework for Middle East Studies: Asian and Middle Eastern Perspectives in an Era of Global Challenges"を会場とオンライン配信のハイブリッドで行い、8 日は終日会場で個人研究発表、企画パネルおよび AFMA 参加学会の来賓による発表を行います。

ありがたいことに、個人研究発表 40 件と 12 の企画パネル、および 8 件の来賓による講演が、10 会場 15 部会に分かれて進行するという、大規模な国際学会となる予定です。それに相応しく、多くの方々に聞いていただき、質疑を盛り上げていただきたいと思いますので、会員の皆様のふるってのご参加をお願い申し上げます。また、今回の AFMA は、基調講演と研究発表・パネルともに、完全に公開としますので、会員以外の方々もご来聴いただけます。

参加登録は、以下の URL もしくは QR コードから行ってください。期限は 12 月 1 日です。参加費は無料です。ただし、7 日夕刻の懇親会(Official Reception)に出席をご予定の場合には、11 月 15 日までに登録の上、フォーム内の指示に従って、懇親会費 7000 円をお支払いください。

託児所の開設も予定しております。詳細は追ってお知らせします。

The 15th Conference of the Asian Federation of Middle East Studies Associations (AFMA) will be held on December 7–8 (Sat–Sun), 2024, at Doshisha University's Imadegawa Campus, in collaboration with the university's Center for the Interdisciplinary Study of the Monotheistic Religions (CISMOR). On December 7, the keynote session "Towards an Optimal Framework for Middle East Studies: Asian and Middle Eastern Perspectives in an Era of Global Challenges" will be held in a hybrid format (in-person and online). On December 8, individual presentations, preorganized panels, and presentations by guests from AFMA's member associations will be held at the venue in an in-person format only.

This year's AFMA conference will be open to the public throughout, and all interested parties are welcome to attend. Please register via the URL or QR code provided below. The registration deadline is December 1. While there is no registration fee for the conference, a fee of 7,000 JPY is

required for attending the conference reception on the evening of December 7. Registration for the reception is open until November 15, and payment instructions are provided in the registration form.

The Organizing Committee is also planning to arrange a childcare service. Further details will be announced later.



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以下のプログラムは、2024年10月22日時点のものです。

The following program is tentative as of October 22, 2024.

# **Program**

#### **Day 1: December 7 (Sat), 2024**

15:00–17:30 Keynote Speeches

Venue: Room 206 教室, Ryoshinkan(良心館)Bldg. and Zoom Platform

Theme: Towards an Optimal Framework for Middle East Studies: Asian and Middle Eastern Perspectives in an Era of Global Challenges

Speaker: Prof. Sajjad Rizvi (University of Exeter), "Decolonising Islam: Resources and Practices"

Speaker: Prof. SUECHIKA Kota (Ritsumeikan University), "Connecting the Dots: New

Initiatives for Middle Eastern 'Area Studies 2.0'"

Moderator: Prof. MORIMOTO Kazuo (The University of Tokyo)

18:00–20:00 Conference Reception

Venue: French Restaurant Will, 7th floor, Kanbaikan (寒梅館) Bldg.

#### Day 2: December 8 (Sun)

#### **Individual Presentations and Pre-organized Panels**

Venues: Shiseikan(至誠館)Bldg. and Divinity Hall(神学館)

# Room 1: S22 Shiseikan Bldg. (至誠館)

#### Session 1: Middle East and Asia 1 – Migration, Trade, and Cultural Exchanges

9:00–10:40 Changing Muslim Communities in East Asia

NISHIKAWA Kei (Ishinomaki Senshu University), "Comparing the Roll of Nahdatul Ulama in East Asia"

NARA Masashi (National Museum of Ethnology), "Changes in Taiwan's Muslim Communities in Relation to the Middle East"

TAKAO Ken'ichiro (Middle East Institute of Japan), "Examining 'Arabness' among the Muslim Community in East Asia"

Commentator: UNNO Noriko (Osaka University)

Organizer: NISHIKAWA Kei

10:45–11:15 LEE Kyungsoo (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies/KAMES Secretary General), "Islamophobic Discourse and Fake News in Korea"

11:20–11:50 WANG Lincong (Institute of West-Asian and African Studies, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences/CAMES President), "Middle East Studies in China: Development and Characteristics"

11:50-13:30 Lunch Break

13:30–14:00 Munkh-Ulzii Batmunkh, (National University of Mongolia/MAMES board member), "Geopolitical Risk of Russia-Ukraine Conflict on Investor Behavior in MENA Region: The Case of Saudi Exchange""

14:05–14:35 KIM Eunji Maryam (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies), "The Right to Education and Social Adaptation for Arab Immigrant Youth in Korea"

14:40–15:10 AMANO Yu (Japan Society for the Promotion of Science/The University of Tokyo), "Baghdadi Jews and the East: The Case of "Israel's Messenger" (1904–1941) in Shanghai"

15:15–15:45 TSUNG Peichen (National Chengchi University), "Challenges and Strategies in Teaching Arabic Grammar in Taiwan: A Case Study at National Chengchi University"

15:45-16:00 Tea Break

16:00–17:40 Iran-Japan Economic Relations before the Islamic Revolution; Interplay of Business and Society

- YOSHIDA Yusuke (Setouchi Vocational College of Tourism), "The Emergence of a Consumer Society in Iran: A View from the Trends in the Export of Miscellaneous Goods from Japan to Iran in the 1960s"
- TSUBAKIHARA Atsuko (Ryukoku University), "The Making of Modern Life in Iran: Tracing Route and Meaning of Japanese Products"
- YAMAGISHI Tomoko (Meiji University), "Presence of the made-in-Japan in the Iranian magazines"

Organizer: YAMAGHISHI Tomoko

# Room 2: S32 Shiseikan Bldg. (至誠館)

#### Session 2: Middle East and Asia 2 – Interregional Economics and Politics

- 9:00–11:00 East Asia-GCC Relations: Emerging New Relations of Cooperation and Competition under Geopolitical Change
  - Steven M. Wright (Hamad bin Khalifa University), "Navigating Geopolitical Risks: The Impact of Regional Disorder on GCC-East Asia Relations"
  - WANG Tingyi (Anwar Gargash Diplomatic Academy), "East Asian Economic Diplomacy towards the Gulf States"
  - HORINUKI Koji (The Institute of Energy Economics), "East Asian Soft Power Competition in the GCC States"
  - Discussant: SAITO Jun (Institute of Developing Economies-Japan External Trade Organization) Organizer: HORINUKI Koji
- 11:05–11:35 LEE Kwonhyung (Korea Institute for International Economic Policy), "How Can Korea and the GCC Upgrade Their Economic Cooperation in the Era of Energy Transition?"
- 11:40–12:10 Oyunsuren Samdandash (National University of Mongolia/MAMES Secretary General), "Implementation of Mongolia's Foreign Policy in the Middle East (since 1990)"
- 12:10–13:30 Lunch Break
- 13:30–14:00 ZHU Quangang (Institute of West-Asian and African Studies, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences/CAMES Deputy Secretary General), "East Asia-GCC Relations in a New Era: Opportunities and Challenges"
- 14:05–14:35 SUN Degang (Fudan University/CAMES Vice President), "Peace Through Development: China's Peace Initiative for the Middle Eastern Conflict Resolution"
- 14:40–15:10 NOH Dasol, SONG Sanghyun, PAIK Seunghoon (Dankook University), "A Study of

- the Implications of the Middle East's Net Zero Strategies for Korea"
- 15:10–15:25 Tea Break
- 15:25–15:55 Elie Podeh (The Hebrew University of Jerusalem), "Israel and Indonesia: From Clandestine to Public Relations (1950–2024)?"
- 16:00–16:30 KIM Kangsuk, LEE Jisu (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies), "A Study on the Formation of Cordial Relations between Korea and Jordan during the Cold War"

# Room 3: S33 Shiseikan Bldg. (至誠館)

#### Session 3: Social and Cultural Issues in the Middle East

- 9:30–10:00 SUMI Akiko (Kyoto Notre Dame University), "Muslim Women and Sports: Their Participation in International Sports Competitions and the Olympic Games"
- 10:05–10:35 SATO Marie (University of Tsukuba), Bayar Mustafa Sevdeen (University of Kurdistan Hewler), "Livelihood Diversity to Achieve a Sustainable Plural Society in the Ba'shiqa Sub-district of Northern Iraq"
- 10:40–11:10 KOO Giyeon (Seoul National University), ""Women, Life, Freedom": The Role of Civil Disobedience and Global Solidarity in the Iranian Hijab Protests"
- 11:15–11:45 Murat TINAS (Turkish National Police Academy), "Enhancing Middle Eastern Studies through Interdisciplinary Undergraduate Programs"
- 11:50-13:30 Lunch Break

#### Session 4: "Heritage" in the Contemporary Middle East

Moroccan Mom's Boy"

- 13:30–14:00 YASUDA Shin (Takasaki City University of Economics), "Remaking the Islamic Middle East in the Globalized Era: Development of Global Islamic Heritage in Islamic Tourism Projects"
- 14:05–16:05 Heritage-making: A New Perspective for the Contemporary Middle Eastern Studies TORIYAMA Junko (Ritsumeikan University), "From a Gender Norm to the Heritage: A Case of
  - YASUI Hiroshi (Doshisha University), "Rebranding Tradition?: Environmental Sustainability as a Global Norm and the Adaptation of Israel's Kibbutz Agriculture"
  - OTSUBO Reiko (Tokyo University of Foreign Studies), "Creating Yemeni Authenticity in the Global Coffee Boom"
  - SAITO Tsuyoshi (Kobe University), "Reflections on Heritage-Making in a Contemporary Moroccan Context: The Case of Urban Redevelopment and a Traditional City Quarter in Rabat"

Organizer: TORIYAMA Junko

# Room 4: S34 Shiseikan Bldg. (至誠館)

#### **Session 5: Food Security in the Middle East**

- 9:30–11:30 Revisited Food Insecurities and Vulnerable in the Middle East and North Africa: Three Cases from Egypt, Lebanon, and Tunisia
  - IDO Yuko (Niigata University of International and Information Studies), "Multiple Crises and Resilience for Food Security in Lebanon"
  - TSUCHIYA Ichiki (Institute of Developing Economies–External Trade Organization), "Coping with Food Insecurities in Egypt"
  - IWASAKI Erina (Sophia University), "Structural Challenges to Food Security and Food Sovereignty in Tunisia"
  - YAMANAKA Tatsuya (Komazawa University), "Re-examining One Year of the Black Sea Grain Initiative and Its Impacts on the Middle East and North Africa"

Organizer: IDO Yuko

- 11:35–12:05 KIM Hyungyung (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies), "Upgraded Logistical Capability and Enhanced Food Security in the UAE"
- 12:05-13:30 Lunch Break

#### **Session 6: Security and Conflicts in the Middle East**

- 13:30–14:00 LIU Zhongmin (Shanghai International Studies University/CAMES Vice President), "The Transformation of the Regional System in the Middle East"
- 14:05–14:35 GEON Hassan (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies), "Realist Perspectives on the 2023 Israel-Hamas Conflict"
- 14:40–15:10 HWANG Yuihyun (Seoul National University), "Competing Victimhoods: Palestinian and Jewish Refugees in Israel's Right-wing Media's Narratives"
- 15:10–15:25 Tea Break
- 15:25–15:55 CHOI Dooyoung Wicks (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies), "Examining the Interconnection Between Somali Piracy and Terrorism: Implications for Regional Security"
- 16:00–16:30 KIM Seonwoo (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies), "Intensified Political Division Based on Tribalism and Prolonged Civil War in Libya"

# Room 5: S21 Shiseikan Bldg. (至誠館)

# **Session 7: Politics and Regimes in the Middle East**

- 9:30–11:30 Reconsidering Regime Security in the Middle Eastern Monarchies and Republics
  - KIKKAWA Takuro (Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University) and WATANABE Shun (Kyoto University), "Rebuilding the Kingdom: Jordan in the 1990–1991 Gulf Crisis and Its Consequences"
  - TSUI Chinkuei (National Chung Hsing University), "China's Belt and Road Initiative and Gulf Countries' Foreign Policies"
  - YAMAO Dai (Kyushu University), "Electoral Violence and Struggle for Power: A List Experiment in Iraq"
  - SUECHIKA Kota (Ritsumeikan University), "Electoral Fraud and Sectarian Oligarchy in Lebanon: Evidence from a Survey Experiment"

Organizer: SUECHIKA Kota

- 11:40–12:10 AHN Soyeon (Seoul National University/KAMES Manager), "The Role of Civil Society in Political Development in the Middle East"
- 12:10-13:30 Lunch Break
- 13:30–14:00 TANG Zhichao (Institute of West-Asian and African Studies, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences/CAMES Vice President and Secretary General), "Middle East Strategic Pattern under the Framework of Great Power Competition"
- 14:05–14:35 NAMIUCHI Shiun (Tokyo University of Foreign Studies), "Quasi-State and Society Relationship in North-East Syria: DAARNES-NGOs Cooperation System"
- 14:40–15:10 YAMAOKA Haruki (Keio University), "Hizb ut-Tahrir's Perceptions of Sects and Sectarianism"
- 15:10–15:25 Tea Break
- 15:25–17:05 New Frontier of Contemporary Egyptian Studies: Politics, Religion and Society
  - WELLS Sakura (Ritsumeikan University), "Exploring Civilization Discourse in Modern Egypt: Intellectuals and the Idea of a Civilized Nation"
  - Mohamed ETTAWY (Ritsumeikan University), "Egypt's Regime Survival and Arab Gulf States' Assistance: A Case Study of the Sisi-Saudi Relations During Turbulent Times 2013-2018"
  - YONEDA Yusaku (Ritsumeikan University), "Exploring Salafist Views on the Palestine Question: Egypt's al-Da'wa al-Salafiya and the 'Gaza War' after 'October 7'"

Moderator & Commentator: YOKOTA Takayuki (Meiji University)

Organizer: YONEDA Yusaku

# Room 6: S23 Shiseikan Bldg. (至誠館)

# **Session 8: Maghreb Studies**

- 9:30–11:10 Navigating Central-Local Dynamics in the Maghreb: Challenges and Prospects
  - KIM Shinwoo (Institute of Developing Economies-External Trade Organization), "Higher Education and Regional Disparities in Tunisia"
  - TAKAHASHI Masahide (Middle East Institute of Japan), "Algeria's Resource-Dependent Economy and Regional Disparities"
  - SHIRATANI Nozomi (Aichi Prefectural University), "Morocco's Centralized Legacy and Regionalization Challenges"

Organizer: SHIRATANI Nozomi

- 11:15–11:45 HAN Saerom (Sookmyung Women's University), "Why Do Tunisians Support a Strong Man?: Thinking beyond Democracy and Authoritarianism"
- 11:45–13:30 Lunch Break

#### **Session 9: Turkish Studies**

- 13:30–14:00 SUZUKI Yoshitaka (Research Fellow of Japan Society for the Promotion of Science: PD (Sophia University Faculty of Global Studies)), "A Study on the Multi-cultural Coexistence in the Republic of Turkey: From the Perspective of Minority, Immigrants and Refugees Problems"
- 14:05–14:35 YANG Minji (Busan University of Foreign Studies), "The Turkish Refugee Crisis and Its Implications for Korea: Towards an Inclusive and Sustainable Framework"
- 14:35–14:50 Tea Break
- 14:50–16:30 Frontiers in Turkish Studies: President Erdoğan's 10 Years
  - IMAI Kohei (Institute of Developing Economies-External Trade Organization), "How Turkish Citizens Evaluated the Neo-Ottomanism Diplomacy: Results of the Original Public Opinion Survey in 2022"
  - IWASAKA Masamichi (Hokkai-Gakuen University), "Do the Military's Economic Interests Influence Political Intervention?: A Study Based on the Case of Turkey"
  - SEKI Lungta (Kobe University), "The Dynamics of Criticism and Response: Turkey's Diplomatic Sentiments Towards the EU"

Organizer: IMAI Kohei

#### Room 7: S24 Shiseikan(至誠館)

# Session 10: Studies on the Contemporary Gulf and Red Sea Regions

- 9:30–10:00 MURAKAMI Takuya (Ehime University), "The End of Dynastic Monarchy?: Political Stability and Concentration of Power on Monarchs in the Gulf States"
- 10:05–10:35 KIM Joongkwan (Dongguk University), "Trade and Security Strategy amidst the Geopolitical Dynamics of the Red Sea Crisis"
- 10:40–11:10 Omar Bortolazzi (The American University in Dubai), "Catalysts of Influence: Non-Traditional Security, Economic Transition Strategies, and Public Diplomacy Initiatives in the United Arab Emirates"
- 11:15–11:45 KANG Wongu (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies), "Qatar's Attraction of Megaevents and the Formation of National Identity"
- 11:45–13:30 Lunch Break

# Room 8: GB1 Divinity Hall (神学館)

#### **Session 11: Christianity in the Middle East**

- 9:30–11:30 Christianity as the Gateway Between the Middle East and East Africa: Its Rise and Influence
  - TSUJI Asuka (Kawamura Gakuen Women's University), "The Spread of the Veneration of the Virgin Mary from the Middle East to Ethiopia and the Agency of the Ethiopian Church"
  - TOBINAI Yuko (Morioka University), "From East Africa to North? : The Expansion of the East African Revival to Khartoum, Sudan"
  - MIYOKAWA Hiroko (Kyoto University), "Coptic Orthodox Mission in Africa: African Solidarity or Reproduction of North-South Problem?"
  - KUWAHARA Naoko (Iwate Prefectural University), "Managing Religious Diversity and Taming Religious Authorities"

Organizer: TSUJI Asuka

- 11:35–12:05 HA Hyun Jeong (Duke Kunshan University), "Living Sectarianism: The Experiences of Christian Minorities in Contemporary Egypt"
- 12:05-13:30 Lunch Break

#### Session 12: Modern History and Literature in the Middle East

- 13:30–14:00 KWANG Sungil (Korea University), "The Origin of Religious Zionism and Otzma Yehudit's Far-right Ideology"
- 14:05–14:35 Motahare Mozafari (Busan University of Foreign Studies), "A Study of Contemporary

- Resistance Literature in Iran and the Arab World"
- 14:40–15:10 HAMANAKA Marina (The University of Tokyo), "Political Cartoon and Nationalism Changes in Representation in the Work of a Palestinian Cartoonist Nājī al-ʿAlī: 1983–1987"
- 15:15–15:45 NAGASHIMA Iku (Japan Society for the Promotion of Science/The University of Tokyo), "Mapping the Ottoman Defense Strategy: Garrison Locations and Troop Numbers of Ottoman Battalions (1882–1912)"

# Room 9: G32 Divinity Hall (神学館)

#### Session 13: Pre-modern History and Literature in the Middle East

- 9:30–10:00 CHIBA Yudai (Princeton Theological Seminary), "A 'Nationalistic' Script? Reexamining the Use of Palaeo-Hebrew in the Hasmonean Dynasty"
- 10:05–10:35 PARK Jeanam (Inha University), "The Great Pyramid of Khufu and Euclid's *The Elements*"
- 10:40–11:10 LEE Heesoo (Hanyang University), "Kushnameh: The Medieval Persian Epics and Their Historical Context Relating to the Korean Peninsula"
- 11:15–11:45 JUNG Wootaek (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies), "Open-door Policy of Abbasid Dynasty and Invigorated Intellectual Movement Surrounding the House of Wisdom"
- 11:45-13:30 Lunch Break
- 13:30–14:00 KIMURA Fuga (The University of Tokyo), "How Islamic Law of War "Developed" in the Mamluk Dynasty?: The Case of Ibn Jamāʿa"
- 14:05–15:45 Navigating Ambiguities and Complexities: Hadith Scholarship Facing Confessional Boundaries
  - SU I-Wen (National Chengchi University), "Shu'ba b. al-Ḥajjāj (d. 160/776) and Shī'ism: His Sectarian Tendencies and Approach to Hadith Criticism"
  - MORIYAMA Teruaki (Doshisha University), "The Enemies of the Sunna within the Aṣḥāb al-Ḥadīth"
  - HIRANO Takahiro (University of Tsukuba), "The Concept of "Muwaththaq" in Shi'i Hadith Studies"
  - Organizer: MORIMOTO Kazuo (The University of Tokyo)

#### Room 10: GB2 Divinity Hall (神学館)

# Session 14: Frontier of Digital Humanities in Middle Eastern and Islamic Studies in Japan

10:45–11:45 Frontier of Digital Humanities in Middle Eastern and Islamic Studies in Japan

SUNAGA Emiko (Tokyo University of Foreign Studies), "Initiatives and Challenges for Public Access to Digital Archives in the Middle East and Islamic Countries"

KURODA Ayaka (Kyoto University), "Creating a Digital Space of Islamic Discourse by Egyptian Lay Preachers: The Preliminary Analysis of Their Media Strategy through the Introduction of the Arabic Text Mining Method"

TANAHASHI Yukari (Kyoto University), "Recent Situation of HTR for Arabic Manuscripts:

How Can Humanities Researchers Contribute?"

Commentator: CHIBA Yushi (Kyoto Sangyo University)

Organizer: KURODA Ayaka

11:45-13:30 Lunch Break

Session 15: Human Mobilities in/from/to the Middle East

13:30–14:00 Mostafa Khalili (Kyoto University), "Oscillating Between National and Ethnic Identities: The Revival of Azerbaijani Ethnic Activism in Iran"

14:05–14:35 Hassen BOUBAKRI (University of Sousse), "Human Mobility in the MENA Region: Policies and Societies, or How the North African Countries Are Dealing with Transit Migration and EU Externalization Processes?"

14:40–15:10 KONDA Kano (Kobe University), "International Students as Initiators of Islamic Revival: A Case of the Islamic Society in Contemporary Manchester"

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