

**Conference on**  
**“Dynamics and Diversity of ‘Local World’ in East Asia”**

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**Date:** November 21, 2009

**Place:** Graduate School of Humanities, Kobe University, Japan

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**Program**

**Chairperson**

Prof. Hiroko Hashimoto-Seki

(Faculty of Sociology, Shikoku Gakuin University, Japan)

Reception Time	9:00-	( Conference Room : 3 <sup>rd</sup> Fl. / Bldg. C )
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**Opening Speech** [ 10:00 - 10:10 ]

Prof. Mamoru Sasaki

(Dean, Graduate School of Humanities, Kobe University, Japan)

**Organizer's Speech** [ 10:10 - 10:30 ]

Prof. Masaru Fujii

(Graduate School of Humanities, Kobe University, Japan)

**1<sup>st</sup> Presentation** [ 10:30 - 11:20 ]

Prof. Pil-dong Kim

(College of Social Sciences, Chungnam National University, Korea)

“The Ups and Downs of Local World in the Process of Modernization and Globalization: A  
Viewpoint from the Modern History of Rural Villages in Chungnam Province, Korea”

**2<sup>nd</sup> Presentation** [ 11:30 - 12:20 ]

Assoc. Prof. Wei-ping Lin

(College of Liberal Arts, National Taiwan University, Taiwan)

“Migration and the Imaginations of Homeland in Taiwan”

Lunch Time	12:20 - 13:30	( Student Hall: 1st Fl. / Bldg. A )
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**3<sup>rd</sup> Presentation [ 13:30 - 14:20 ]**

Dr. Maniemai Thongyou

(Deputy Director, Center for Research on Plurality in the Mekong Region, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Khon Kaen University, Thailand)

“Transnational Community Construction: A Study of Lao Migrant Workers in Thailand”

**4<sup>th</sup> Presentation [ 14:20 - 15:10 ]**

Prof. Kan Zaw

(Rector, Yangon Institute of Economics, Myanmar)

“Socio-Economic Development of Local Areas in Myanmar”

**5<sup>th</sup> Presentation [ 15:20 - 16:10 ]**

Assoc. Prof. Sukamdi

(Faculty of Geography, Gadjah Mada University, Indonesia)

“The Importance of Local Values in Sustaining Livelihood: Lesson Learned from Yogyakarta’s Earthquake during the Recovery Period”

**Discussions [ 16:15 - 17:45 ]**

Discussants

Prof. Atsushi Kitahara

(Faculty of Economics, Ryukoku University, Japan)

Assoc. Prof. Itaru Nagasaka

(Graduate School of Integrated Arts and Sciences, Hiroshima University, Japan)

**Closing Speech [ 17:45-17:55 ]**

Party	[ 18:00 -20:00 ]	( Student Hall: 1st Fl. / Bldg. A )
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