GraSPP Homecoming day (GraSPP Alumni & Student Day 2018) Report

On 20 October 2018, "GraSPP Alumni & Student Day 2018" was held at the International Academic Research Building with participation of approximately 150 alumni, current students and faculty members, including 14 alumni who came to Japan as members of the ASEAN & South Asia Youth Mission organized by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

16:30-18:00 Talk Session



SMBC Academia Hall in the International Academic Research Building

"GraSPP Alumni & Student Day 2018" started at 16:30 with Ms. Yuri Tsuyusaki Mari as the MC and Dean Akio Takahara gave opening remarks.

In the talk session, Prof. Naoyuki Yoshino (Dean, The Asian Development Bank Institute), Prof. Fumiaki Kubo (Faculty of Law, The University of Tokyo), and Dean Akio Takahara participated in a panel discussion on the theme "USA-China Relations and Northeast Asia Situation —Trade, North Korea, One Belt One Road" under the moderation of Prof. Jun Arima (Graduate School of Public Policy). Due to timeliness of these topics, there were active questions and comments from the floor.



(From Left: above) Prof. Jun Arima, Dean Akio Takahara, Dean Naoyuki Yoshino, Prof. Fumiaki Kubo (From Left: below) Ms. Yuri Tsuyusaki

18:00-18:30 "Portal Description" How to use Portal

Mr. Kunro Hino (President of GraSPP Alumni Association, Economic Policy Program 2013 class) and Arthur EL Medioni (Vice President of GraSPP Alumni Association, MPP/IP, 2017 class) made a presentation about the "Alumni Portal" opened last year as a space where alumni, current students, faculty members could freely communicate and encouraged participants to register.

[GraSPP Alumni Association Portal] https://www.grasppalumni.com/



Lecture Hall B in the International Academic Research Building (From Left) Mr. Kunro Hino, Mr. Arthur EL Medioni

18:30-20:30 Reception

The reception was great success with participation of many alumni, current students and faculty members. Former Deans Prof. Akira Morita (1st), Prof. Takatoshi Ito (4st), and Prof. Hideaki Shiroyama (5st) also joined.

Next GASD (GraSPP Alumni & Student Day) will be held on Saturday, 19 October, 2019

Looking forward to your participation!



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