

Middle Eastern and Islamic Studies in Japan: The State of the Art (No.12)

Date: Friday, November 30 and Saturday, December 1, 2018

Venue: Japan Center for Middle Eastern Studies, 2nd Floor, A2-1, Azariyeh Bldg, Beirut

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Program of the Meeting

Friday, November 30

15:00-15:05 Welcome Address by Aiko Nishikida (Head, JaCMES/ ILCAA)

Chair: Hidemitsu Kuroki (ILCAA)

15:05-15:50 Manami Goto (Ph.D. Candidate, The University of Exeter)

Changing attitude towards face masking: the case of Larak Island in the Persian Gulf

Commentator: **Prof. Livia Celine Wick** (American University of Beirut)

15:50-16:35 **Yusuke Motani** (Ph.D. Candidate, The University of Tokyo)

Financial Administration in Syria under the Rule of Muhammad Ali

Commentator: **Prof. Samir Seikaly** (American University of Beirut)

16:35-16:50 Coffee Break

16:50-17:35 **Hisashi Obuchi** (Ph.D. Candidate, The University of Tokyo)

Logic and the Conventionalist Ethics of Zayn al-Dīn al-Kaššī, the Disciple of Faḥr al-Dīn al-Rāzī

Commentator: **Prof. Paul Ballanfat** (Galatasaray University)

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Chair: Nobuaki Kondo (ILCAA)

10:30-11:15 **Saki Yamamoto** (Ph.D. Candidate, Ochanomizu University, Tokyo)

Impact of Women-Owned Small Business on Familial Relations in Contemporary Algeria

Commentator: **Prof. Yusuf Sidani** (American University of Beirut)

11:15-12:00 **Manami Ueno** (Research Fellow of the Urban-Culture Research Center at Osaka City University)

Reintroduction of Religious Education to Turkish Public Schools in the 1940s

Commentator: **Dr. Umut Azak** (Istanbul Okan University)

12:00-12:15 Coffee Break

12:15-13:00 **Shinwoo Kim** (Ph.D. Candidate, Sophia University, Tokyo)

The Social and Economic History of Regional Disparities in Tunisia Commentator: **Dr. Seiko Sugita** (UNESCO)

13:00-13:05 Closing Remarks by **Hidemitsu Kuroki** (JaCMES/ ILCAA)

Observers:

Pierre Azar (Saint Joseph University)

Maram Daher (Lebanese University)

Massoud Daher (Lebanese University)

Hideaki Hayakawa (Lebanese University)

Ai Odoriba (Embassy of Japan)

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