

Gender Summit 10 – Satellite Conference in Okinawa

~Frontiers of Science in Asia-Pacific~

May 29 - 30, 2017

Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology Graduate University

Seminar Room B250 and Restaurant, Center Building

PROGRAM

May 29, 2017

8:30 – 9:00 Registration and Refreshments (Seminar Room B250)

9:00 – 9:30 Opening Ceremony (Seminar Room B250)

Welcome address:

Dr. Peter Gruss, President and CEO, Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology Graduate University

Dr. Miyoko Watanabe, Deputy Executive Director, Japan Science and Technology Agency

Session I. Keynote Speech (Seminar Room B250)

9:30 – 10:10 Dr. Dwikorita Karnawati, Rector & Professor of Engineering, Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia

"Socio-entrepreneurial Strategy to Support Society Innovation Driven by Higher Education"

10:10 – 10:50 Dr. Rubiyah Yusof, Dean, Malaysia Japan International Institute of Technology, Professor, Center for Artificial Intelligence and Robotics, Universiti Teknologi, Malaysia

"Advances in Automatic Tronical Wood Recognition Svstem"

10:50 – 11:00 Break

Session II: Scientific Talks (Seminar Room B250)

11:00 – 11:30 Dr. Yoosoon Chang, Professor, Department of Economics, Indiana University, USA

"Do Shocks to Income Distribution Permanently Change Consumption Distribution?: Time Series of Cross-Sectional Distributions with Common Stochastic Trends"

11:30 - 12:00 Dr. Yuko Kakazu, Specialist, Subaru Telescope in Hawaii, National Astronomical Observatory of Japan

"Mapping Young, Extremely Low Metallicity Galaxies"

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch Break (Restaurant)

Brief remarks: **Dr. Sanae-I. Itoh**, Executive Vice President, Kyushu University

13:00 – 13:30 Dr. Huey-Jen Jenny Su, President, National Cheng Kung University, Taiwan

"Confronting Challenges of Future Environment: a Public Health Perspective"

13:30 – 14:00 Dr. Elizabeth (Liz) Dennis, Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization, Australia

"Hybrids, Hybrid Mimics and Food Security"

14:00 – 14:30 Dr. Ye Zhang, Bioinspired Soft Matter Unit, Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology, Japan

"Design and Synthesis Active Soft Materials Inspired by the Living Systems"

Session III: Poster Session (Restaurant)

14:40 – 16:00 Poster Session and Refreshments

Poster presentations by graduate students and early career scientists

Session IV: Panel Discussion (Seminar Room B250)

16:00 – 17:30 Panel Discussion "Current Status and Future Opportunities for Women Scientists in Asia-Pacific"

Panelists: Keynote speakers and invited speakers

Moderator: **Dr. Elizabeth Pollitzer**, Director, Portia Ltd, UK; co-founder, Gender Summit

Dinner (Restaurant)

18:00 – 20:00 Brief remarks:

Dr. Rieko Hanashiro, Executive Vice President, University of the Ryukyus

Dinner speaker:

Dr. Lily Yu, Sasakawa Peace Foundation

"Advancing Gender Equality in STEM through Design and Assessment"

Performance: Ryukyu Music and Dance

Ryukyu Traditional Fork Music Association, Kadena Branch

Concluding Remarks:

Dr. Machi Dilworth, Vice President, OIST

May 30, 2017

9:00 – 9:30 Registration and Refreshments (Conference Center)

9:30 – 15:00 Optional Tour

OIST campus and laboratories

House of Bashofu Textile (a traditional Okinawa textile)

Churaumi Aquarium