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Tokyo, Japan
16-18 January 2024

Programme

Location:
Elizabeth Rose Conference Hall
United Nations University
5-53-70 Jingumae, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo 150-8925



DAY 1

16 JANUARY 2024

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09:30-09:45	REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPANTS
09:45-09:50	INTRODUCTION AND HOUSEKEEPING BY ROSANNA HOFFMANN, UNOOSA
09:50-10:20	WELCOME REMARKS BY TSHILIDZI MARWALA, RECTOR, UNITED NATIONS UNIVERSITY (UNU) BY AARTI HOLLA-MAINI, DIRECTOR, UNITED NATIONS OFFICE FOR OUTER SPACE AFFAIRS (UNOOSA) BY ATSUSHI TSUKADA, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, JAPAN
10:20-10:50	GLOBAL GOVERNANCE OF OUTER SPACE ACTIVITIES, UNITED NATIONS INSTRUMENTS AND THE ROLE OF COPOUS BY AYGUL DUYSENHANOVA, UNOOSA
10:50-11:20	COFFEE BREAK
11:20-11:50	FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL SPACE LAW WITH A FOCUS ON ARTICLE VI AND VII OF THE OUTER SPACE TREATY BY SETSUKO AOKI, KEIO UNIVERSITY



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| 11:50 - 12:10 | UNOOSA TOOLS ON SPACE LAW AND
POLICY BENEFITTING MEMBER
STATES
BY YUKIKO OKUMURA, UNOOSA |
| 12:10 - 12:30 | NATIONAL SPACE LEGISLATION –
PURPOSE, SCOPE AND KEY
ELEMENTS
BY ROSANNA HOFFMANN, UNOOSA |
| 12:30 - 14:00 | LUNCH BREAK |
| 14:00 - 14:25 | REGIONAL SPACE ACTIVITIES OF
THE ASIA AND THE PACIFIC REGION
AND THE IMPORTANCE OF
INTERNATIONAL AND REGIONAL
COLLABORATION
BY YUMIKO TATESHITA, JAXA, JAPAN |
| 14:25 - 14:45 | INTRODUCTION OF SCENARIO-
BASED EXERCISE TO BE DISCUSSED
THROUGHOUT THE TECHNICAL
ADVISORY MISSION AND ICE-
BREAKING EXERCISE
BY ROSANNA HOFFMANN, UNOOSA AND
ALL PARTICIPANTS |
| 14:45 - 15:15 | SETTING UP NATIONAL REGISTRY
OF OBJECTS LAUNCHED INTO
OUTER SPACE & THE
REGISTRATION CONVENTION
BY YUKIKO OKUMURA, UNOOSA |
| 15:15 - 15:30 | COFFEE BREAK |



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15:30-16:00

THE RULE OF LAW: ASPECTS OF
PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW AND
DIPLOMACY IN CONNECTION WITH
SPACE ACTIVITIES

BY KIMITAKE NAKAMURA, MINISTRY OF
FOREIGN AFFAIRS, JAPAN

16:00-16:30

AUTHORIZATION, LICENSING AND
CONTINUING SUPERVISION OF
SPACE ACTIVITIES – NATIONAL
EXAMPLE

BY YOSUKE MAEDA, CABINET OFFICE,
JAPAN

16:30-17:00

AUTHORIZATION, LICENSING AND
CONTINUING SUPERVISION OF
SPACE ACTIVITIES – NATIONAL
EXAMPLE

BY CLÉMENCE LAMBRECHT, CNES,
FRANCE

17:00-17:30

AUTHORIZATION AND LICENSING
OF COMMERCIAL
TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND EO
SERVICES

BY RANJANA KAUL, DUA ASSOCIATES,
INDIA

18:00-19:30

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GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN



DAY 2

17 JANUARY 2024

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| 09:00-09:30 | ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS |
| 09:30-10:00 | LEGAL ASPECTS OF SETTING UP A SPACEPORT
BY SARA LANGSTON, EMBRY-RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL UNIVERSITY |
| 10:00-10:30 | AUTHORISATION AND LICENSING OF LAUNCH ACTIVITIES
BY SEUNG-WOO YOO, KOREA AEROSPACE RESEARCH INSTITUTE |
| 10:30-11:00 | SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS OF SPACE ACTIVITIES - SPACE DEBRIS, LONG-TERM SUSTAINABILITY OF OUTER SPACE ACTIVITIES AND NUCLEAR POWER SOURCES APPLICATIONS
BY YUKIKO OKUMURA, UNOOSA |
| 11:00-11:30 | COFFEE BREAK |
| 11:30-12:30 | DISCUSSION OF SCENARIO-BASED EXERCISE (DISCUSSION POINT 1)
BY ALL PARTICIPANTS |
| 12:30-14:00 | LUNCH BREAK |



DAY 2

17 JANUARY 2024

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| 14:00 - 14:30 | | SAFETY OF SPACE ACTIVITIES AND
DEBRIS MITIGATION
REQUIREMENTS - NATIONAL
EXAMPLES
BY HRISTINA TALKOVA, EUROPEAN
SPACE AGENCY (ESA) |
| 14:30 - 15:00 | | JAPANESE GUIDELINES ON A
LICENSE TO OPERATE SPACECRAFT
PERFORMING ON-ORBIT SERVICE
BY KOICHI KIKUCHI, JAXA, JAPAN |
| 15:00 - 15:30 | | CONTINUING SUPERVISION OF
SPACE ACTIVITIES – NEW LEGAL
CHALLENGES
BY STEVEN FREELAND, WESTERN SYDNEY
UNIVERSITY, AUSTRALIA |
| 15:30 - 16:00 | | COFFEE BREAK |
| 16:00 - 17:00 | | DISCUSSION OF SCENARIO-BASED
EXERCISE (DISCUSSION POINT 2)
BY ALL PARTICIPANTS |
| 17:00 - 17:30 | | REGULATORY ASPECTS OF SPACE
ACTIVITIES IN CONNECTION WITH
ITU REGULATIONS
BY VERONIQUE GLAUDE, ITU |



DAY 3

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09:00-09:30	ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS
09:30-10:00	AI TECHNOLOGY AND SPACE – IMPACT ON ECONOMY AND SUSTAINABILITY BY TSHILIDZI MARWALA, RECTOR, UNU
10:00-10:20	MEASURING RETURN ON YOUR NATIONAL INVESTMENT BY CLAIRE JOLLY, OECD
10:20-11:00	INSURANCE IN THE CONTEXT OF SPACE ACTIVITIES WITH A FOCUS ON SMALL SATELLITE ACTIVITIES BY STEVEN FREELAND, WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY, AUSTRALIA
11:00-11:30	COFFEE BREAK
11:30-12:30	DISCUSSION OF SCENARIO-BASED EXERCISE (DISCUSSION POINT 3) BY ALL PARTICIPANTS
12:30-14:00	LUNCH BREAK
14:00-15:00	FINALISATION OF PRESENTATIONS FOR SCENARIO-BASED EXERCISE BY ALL PARTICIPANTS
15:00-15:30	COFFEE BREAK & PHOTO OPPORTUNITY
15:30-17:00	PRESENTATION OF SCENARIO- BASED EXERCISE AND COMMENTS FROM EXPERTS
17:00-17:30	OBSERVATIONS ON TECHNICAL ADVISORY MISSION AND CLOSING REMARKS BY JAPAN BY UNOOSA

SPEAKERS

SETSUKO AOKI



DR. SETSUKO AOKI IS PROFESSOR OF LAW AT KEIO UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL, JAPAN SINCE APRIL 2016. SHE SPECIALIZES IN PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW ESPECIALLY SPACE LAW AND ARMS CONTROL. SHE OBTAINED DOCTOR OF CIVIL LAW (D.C.L.) FROM MCGILL UNIVERSITY, MONTREAL, CANADA IN JUNE 1993.

SHE HAS B.C.L. (1983) AND LL.M. (1985) FROM FACULTY OF LAW AND GRADUATE SCHOOL OF LAW, KEIO UNIVERSITY, JAPAN. SHE WAS THE CHAIR OF THE LEGAL SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMITTEE ON THE PEACEFUL USES OF OUTER SPACE (UNCOPUOS) FOR THE 2020-2021 SESSION. SHE WAS ALSO A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE NATIONAL SPACE POLICY, CABINET OFFICE OF JAPAN (2012-2022).

AYGUL DUYSENHANOVA



AYGUL DUYSENHANOVA IS CHIEF OF THE COMMITTEE, POLICY AND LEGAL AFFAIRS SECTION OF THE UNITED NATIONS OFFICE FOR OUTER SPACE AFFAIRS (UNOOSA), AND SUPPORTS ALL WORK OF THE SECTION.

SHE SERVES AS SECRETARY OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE PEACEFUL USES OF OUTER SPACE (COPUOS), ITS SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL SUBCOMMITTEE (STSC) AND LEGAL SUBCOMMITTEE, AS WELL AS THE STSC WORKING GROUP OF THE WHOLE, AND THE FORMER STSC WORKING GROUP ON SPACE AND GLOBAL HEALTH. SHE ALSO SERVES AS SECRETARY OF THE WORKING GROUP OF THE WHOLE OF THE SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE OF THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND A SECRETARY OF UN-SPACE. SHE HOLDS MASTER'S DEGREE IN PUBLIC POLICY FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, UNITED STATES, MASTER'S DEGREE IN ECONOMICS FROM THE KAZAKH INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT, EDUCATION AND STRATEGIC RESEARCH UNDER THE PRESIDENT OF KAZAKHSTAN, AND BACHELOR'S DEGREE (WITH DISTINCTION) IN INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC RELATIONS FROM THE KAZAKH STATE ACADEMY OF MANAGEMENT.



SPEAKERS



STEVEN FREELAND

STEVEN FREELAND (PHD, LL.M., LL.B., B.COM) IS EMERITUS PROFESSOR OF INTERNATIONAL LAW AT WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY, WHERE HE WAS PREVIOUSLY THE DEAN OF THE SCHOOL OF LAW, AND PROFESSORIAL FELLOW AT BOND UNIVERSITY.

HE ALSO HOLDS VISITING OR ADJUNCT POSITIONS AT VARIOUS OTHER UNIVERSITIES/INSTITUTES. PRIOR TO BECOMING AN ACADEMIC, HE HAD A 20-YEAR CAREER AS AN INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL LAWYER AND AN INVESTMENT BANKER. HE IS A GOVERNMENT-APPOINTED MEMBER OF THE AUSTRALIAN SPACE AGENCY ADVISORY BOARD AND HAS BEEN AN ADVISOR TO THE AUSTRALIAN, NEW ZEALAND, NORWEGIAN AND SEVERAL OTHER GOVERNMENTS ON ISSUES RELATING TO NATIONAL SPACE LEGISLATIVE FRAMEWORKS AND POLICY. HE REPRESENTS THE AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT AT UNCOPUOS MEETINGS AND, IN 2021, WAS APPOINTED BY UNCOPUOS AS VICE-CHAIR OF A 5-YEAR 'WORKING GROUP ON LEGAL ASPECTS OF SPACE RESOURCE ACTIVITIES'. HE IS A CO-PRINCIPAL OF SPECIALISED SPACE LAW FIRM AZIMUTH ADVISORY. IN 2022, HE WAS PRESENTED WITH A 'LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD' BY THE INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF SPACE LAW, THE HIGHEST ACCOLADE AWARDED BY THAT INSTITUTION.



VÉRONIQUE GLAUDE

VÉRONIQUE GLAUDE IS THE ITU REPRESENTATIVE TO COPUOS SINCE 2018. SHE IS AN EXPERT ENGINEER ON RADIO REGULATIONS FOR SPACE SERVICES AT THE INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATION UNION (ITU). VÉRONIQUE GLAUDE IS THE ITU REPRESENTATIVE TO COPUOS SINCE 2018.

SHE IS AN EXPERT ENGINEER ON RADIO REGULATIONS FOR SPACE SERVICES AT THE INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATION UNION (ITU).



SPEAKERS



ROSANNA HOFFMANN

ROSANNA HOFFMANN IS CURRENTLY SERVING AS PROGRAMME OFFICER FOR THE "SPACE LAW FOR NEW SPACE ACTORS" PROJECT WITHIN THE COMMITTEE, POLICY AND LEGAL AFFAIRS SECTION OF THE UNITED NATIONS OFFICE FOR OUTER SPACE AFFAIRS.

PRIOR TO JOINING UNOOSA, SHE WAS THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE EUROPEAN CENTRE FOR SPACE LAW AND WORKED AS A JUNIOR LEGAL OFFICER IN THE PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW DIVISION OF THE EUROPEAN SPACE AGENCY, FOCUSING ON SPACE LAW AND POLICY. BEFORE JOINING ESA, ROSANNA WORKED AT THE SECTION FOR INTERNATIONAL LAW AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EUROPEAN, INTERNATIONAL AND COMPARATIVE LAW AT THE UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA AS AN ASSISTANT LECTURER AND PROJECT ASSISTANT. SHE HAS SEVERAL YEARS OF WORK EXPERIENCE IN THE AUSTRIAN FEDERAL MINISTRY OF JUSTICE, WITH PRIME FOCUS OF LABOUR LAW WITHIN THE PENAL SYSTEM. WITHIN THE MINISTRY, SHE ALSO SERVED AS DEPUTY HEAD OF THE DIVISION FOR INTERPRETERS AND EXPERTS.



CLAIRE JOLLY

CLAIRE JOLLY, HEAD OCEAN ECONOMY & SPACE ECONOMY, DIRECTORATE FOR SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION, ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT (OECD). CLAIRE IS HEAD OF UNIT IN THE DIRECTORATE FOR SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION (STI) IN OECD.

SHE IS IN CHARGE OF OECD RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS ON THE ECONOMICS AND INNOVATION DIMENSIONS OF TWO IMPORTANT FRONTIER DOMAINS: THE OCEAN AND THE SPACE ENVIRONMENT. THE CURRENT OECD ANALYSIS SUPPORTS COUNTRIES' SPACE AND OCEAN NATIONAL PRIORITIES, INCLUDING G7 AND G20'S AGENDAS FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY. CLAIRE JOLLY HAS OVER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF EXPERIENCE IN BUSINESS AND POLICY ANALYSIS, SUPPORTING DECISION-MAKING AND STRATEGIC PLANNING IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ORGANISATIONS IN EUROPE AND NORTH AMERICA. SHE JOINED THE OECD IN 2003.



SPEAKERS



RANJANA KAUL

RANJANA KAUL, PARTNER AT DUA ASSOCIATES, LAW OFFICES, NEW DELHI, INDIA ADVISES ON INTERNATIONAL SPACE LAW AND POLICY IN CONTEXT TO INDIA'S NATIONAL SPACE ACTIVITIES INCLUDING COMMERCIAL SPACE BUSINESSES. SHE IS MEMBER, NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE, INDIAN SPACE ASSOCIATION, NEW DELHI;

BOARD MEMBER, INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF SPACE LAW, PARIS (IISL); IISL DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD 2017 FOR HER CHAMPIONING ROLE IN BUILDING AWARENESS ON DEVELOPMENT OF NATIONAL SPACE LEGISLATION; FOUNDING MEMBER, SPACEPORT SARABHAI (S2), INDIA'S FIRST INDEPENDENT SPACE FOCUSED THINK TANK. DR KAUL HAS A BA (BOMBAY UNIVERSITY, INDIA); MA PHD (UNIVERSITY OF PUNE, INDIA) AND LLM (INSTITUTE OF AIR AND SPACE LAW , MCGILL UNIVERSITY, CANADA).



KOICHI KIKUCHI

KOICHI KIKUCHI IS MANAGER OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DIVISION OF JAPAN AEROSPACE EXPLORATION AGENCY (JAXA). HIS EXPERTISE IS IN SPACE POLICY AND LAW. HE HAS EXPERIENCED VARIOUS SECTIONS RESPONSIBLE FOR STRATEGY AND PLANNING, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, SPACE LAW, AND SO ON, SINCE HE JOINED

NASDA, ONE OF THE FORMER BODIES OF JAXA, IN 1997. HE HAS BEEN SECONDED TO SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AGENCY AT THE TIME, AND MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS. PRESENTLY, HE IS ALSO A PART-TIME LECTURER OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TOKYO GRADUATE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC POLICY (GRASPP). HE IS A VISITING RESEARCHER OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TOKYO INSTITUTE FOR FUTURE INITIATIVES (IFI). HE IS A RESEARCHER OF KEIO UNIVERSITY CENTER FOR SPACE LAW.



SPEAKERS



CLÉMENCE LAMBRECHT

CLÉMENCE IS A GRADUATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PARIS-SACLAY AND HOLDS A MASTER'S DEGREE IN SPACE AND TELECOMMUNICATION LAW. SHE STARTED HER CAREER AS BEING IN CHARGE WITH REGULATORY AFFAIRS AT EUTELSAT.

IN 2016, SHE JOINED CNES LEGAL DEPARTMENT. AS REFERENT EXPERT IN THE FIELD OF SPACE LAW, SHE WORKS IN PARTICULAR ON THE PROCESS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FRENCH SPACE OPERATION ACT AND ON ITS UPDATE. SHE ALSO PARTICIPATE TO THE LEGAL SUB-COMMITTEE OF THE UNCOPUOS, IN ORDER TO ASSIST THE FRENCH MINISTRY FOR EUROPE AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS ON SPACE LAW MATTERS



SARA LANGSTON

DR. SARA LANGSTON IS AN ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF SPACEFLIGHT OPERATIONS AT EMBRY-RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL UNIVERSITY, BASED IN DAYTONA BEACH, FLORIDA. SHE IS AN INTERNATIONAL AEROSPACE LAWYER, PRACTICAL ETHICIST, AND U.S. ARMY VETERAN WITH A TECHNICAL AVIATION BACKGROUND.

AS A CONSULTANT, DR LANGSTON PROVIDES STRATEGIC ADVICE TO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND PRIVATE INDUSTRY ON DEVELOPING NATIONAL SPACE LAW AND POLICY, SPACE APPLICATIONS, AND COMMERCIAL HUMAN SPACEFLIGHT. DR. LANGSTON HOLDS A PH.D. IN THE HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY OF SCIENCE; A J.D. WITH SPECIALIZATION IN PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW; AN LL.M. IN AIR AND SPACE LAW; AND A SPACE STUDIES CERTIFICATE IN PHYSICAL SCIENCES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL SPACE UNIVERSITY. SHE IS ALSO PURSUING A PRIVATE PILOT'S LICENSE. IN ADDITION, DR. LANGSTON SERVED AS AN UNOOSA SPACE4WOMEN MENTOR; IS AN ACTIVE MEMBER OF THE INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF SPACE LAW, THE ROYAL AERONAUTICAL SOCIETY, AND THE NEW YORK AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BARS.

SPEAKERS



YOSUKE MAEDA

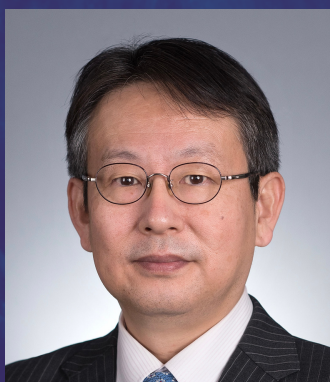
MR. MAEDA IS THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR SPACE ACTIVITY ACT, NATIONAL SPACE POLICY SECRETARIAT, CABINET OFFICE OF JAPAN SINCE MAY 2022. PREVIOUSLY, MR. MAEDA WORKED FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AGENCY AND WAS ENGAGED IN WORK SUCH AS NUCLEAR REGULATION AND RADIOACTIVE REGULATION.



TSHILIDZI MARWALA

PROF. TSHILIDZI MARWALA IS THE RECTOR OF THE UNITED NATIONS UNIVERSITY AND AN UNDER-SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS. HE IS A SOUTH AFRICAN SCHOLAR AND LEADER FOCUSED ON ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE. PRIOR TO TAKING UP THE ROLE OF UNITED NATIONS UNIVERSITY RECTOR, PROF. MARWALA

SERVED AS VICE-CHANCELLOR AND PRINCIPAL OF THE UNIVERSITY OF JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA. HE HOLDS A PHD FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE, A MASTER OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA, AND A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE FROM CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY.



KIMITAKE NAKAMURA

KIMITAKE NAKAMURA (MR.) IS DEPUTY ASSISTANT MINISTER, JAPAN MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS. HE IS ALSO A NON-RESIDENT SCHOLAR AT THE SPACE POLICY INSTITUTE OF GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY (USA) AND A LECTURER AT WASEDA GRADUATE SCHOOL OF LAW (JAPAN).

HIS EXPERTISE IN NATIONAL SECURITY AND INTERNATIONAL LAW, GAINED THROUGH HIS OFFICIAL/ACADEMIC POSITIONS, INCLUDING SENIOR COORDINATOR FOR JPN-U.S. SECURITY COOPERATION AND DIRECTOR FOR TREATIES, HAS MADE HIM ONE OF THE MOST INFLUENTIAL SPACE LAW EXPERTS IN JAPAN. HIS RECENT BOOK, NORM FORMATION IN SPACE LAW, IS CONSIDERED ONE OF THE MOST REPRESENTATIVE BOOKS ON SPACE LAW PUBLISHED IN JAPAN.



SPEAKERS



YUKIKO OKUMURA

MS. YUKIKO OKUMURA WORKS AT THE UNITED NATIONS OFFICE FOR OUTER SPACE AFFAIRS (UNOOSA), COMMITTEE, POLICY AND LEGAL AFFAIRS SECTION, AS THE LEGAL OFFICER. SHE SERVES AS THE SECRETARY OF THE WORKING GROUP ON THE STATUS AND APPLICATION OF THE FIVE UN TREATIES ON OUTER SPACE.

SHE GAINED HER EXPERTISE IN SPACE LAW AND POLICY THROUGH HER EDUCATION IN LL.M. FROM UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA, AUSTRIA AND LL.B., MASTER AND PH.D. FOCUSING ON SPACE LAW FROM KEIO UNIVERSITY, JAPAN. BEFORE JOINING THE UN, MS. OKUMURA SERVED AS A POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCHER IN KEIO UNIVERSITY SPECIALIZING IN THE FIELD OF SPACE LAW AND SERVED AT THE LEGAL AND COMPLIANCE OFFICE OF JAPAN AEROSPACE EXPLORATION AGENCY (JAXA) WHERE SHE DEALT WITH INTERNATIONAL SPACE LAW AS WELL AS OTHER LEGAL MATTERS. SHE HAS ALSO SERVED AT THE INTEGRATED SUPPORT CENTER FOR NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION AND NUCLEAR SECURITY OF JAPAN ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY (JAEA) WHERE SHE GAINED HER EXPERTISE IN DESIGNING AND DELIVERING CAPACITY-BUILDING PROGRAMMES AND TRAINING COURSES. MS. OKUMURA ALSO SERVED AS A LECTURER ON SPACE LAW/INTERNATIONAL LAW IN NATIONAL DEFENSE ACADEMY OF JAPAN AND OTHER UNIVERSITIES.



HIRSTINA TALKOVA

HIRSTINA IS CURRENTLY WORKING AT THE EUROPEAN SPACE AGENCY SERVING AS THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER FOR THE EUROPEAN CENTRE FOR SPACE LAW AND SUPPORTING THE LEGAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT IN SPACE LAW AND INSTITUTIONAL LAW MATTERS.

PRIOR TO JOINING ESA, SHE WORKED AT THE DEPARTMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL, EUROPEAN AND COMPARATIVE LAW AT THE UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA IN THE AREAS OF PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW AND SPACE LAW, AS WELL AS THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SCIENCE OF THE REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA, SUPPORTING IN NATIONAL CULTURAL AND EDUCATIONAL INITIATIVES. SHE STUDIED LAW AND POLITICAL SCIENCE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA.



SPEAKERS



YUMIKO TATESHITA

MS. YUMIKO TATESHITA IS THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY ASIA-PACIFIC REGIONAL SPACE AGENCY FORUM (APRSAF) AND THE ADVISOR TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND RESEARCH DEPARTMENT AT THE JAPAN AEROSPACE EXPLORATION AGENCY.

SHE MANAGES THE SECRETARIAT OFFICE OF THE APRSAF, THE LARGEST SPACE-RELATED CONFERENCE IN THE ASIA-PACIFIC REGION PARTICIPATED BY GOVERNMENTS, SPACE AGENCIES, AND INDUSTRIES. WITHIN THE APRSAF, SHE ALSO MANAGES THE NATIONAL SPACE LEGISLATIVE INITIATIVES, WHICH AIMS TO ENHANCE COUNTRIES' CAPACITY TO IMPLEMENT THEIR NATIONAL SPACE LEGISLATION/POLICIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH INTERNATIONAL NORMS. SHE HOLDS L.L.B FROM AOYAMA GAKUIN UNIVERSITY IN TOKYO AND IS A GRADUATE OF THE INTERNATIONAL SPACE UNIVERSITY (FRANCE) 'S SPACE STUDIES PROGRAM.



SEUNG-WOO YOO

DR. SEUNG-WOO YOO IS CURRENTLY SERVING AS THE HEAD OF PRODUCT ASSURANCE OFFICE AT LAUNCH VEHICLE RESEARCH DIRECTORATE IN KOREA AEROSPACE RESEARCH INSTITUTE (KARI). HE OVERSEES RESPONSIBILITIES RELATED TO LAUNCH VEHICLE PRODUCT ASSURANCE,

LAUNCH SAFETY MANAGEMENT, AND RELIABILITY ASSURANCE OF LAUNCH VEHICLES DEVELOPED AT KARI. RECENTLY, HE COLLABORATES WITH THE ROK GOVERNMENT ON PROJECTS AIMED AT RESEARCHING AND ENHANCING THE LEGAL AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORK FOR AUTHORIZATION AND LICENSING OF SPACE LAUNCH ACTIVITIES. HE RECEIVED THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN AEROSPACE ENGINEERING AND HAS BEEN CONDUCTING RESEARCH AND ACTIVITIES IN THE FIELD OF SAFETY AND RELIABILITY IN AEROSPACE INDUSTRY.



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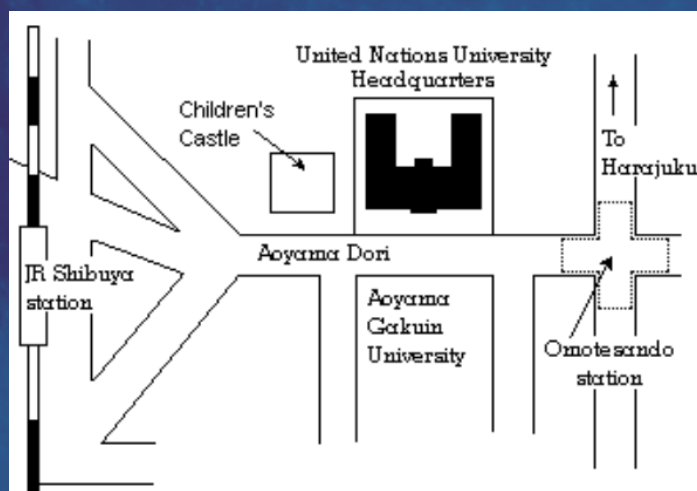
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(GINZA, HANZOMON, AND CHIYODA LINES)



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AOYAMA STREET.



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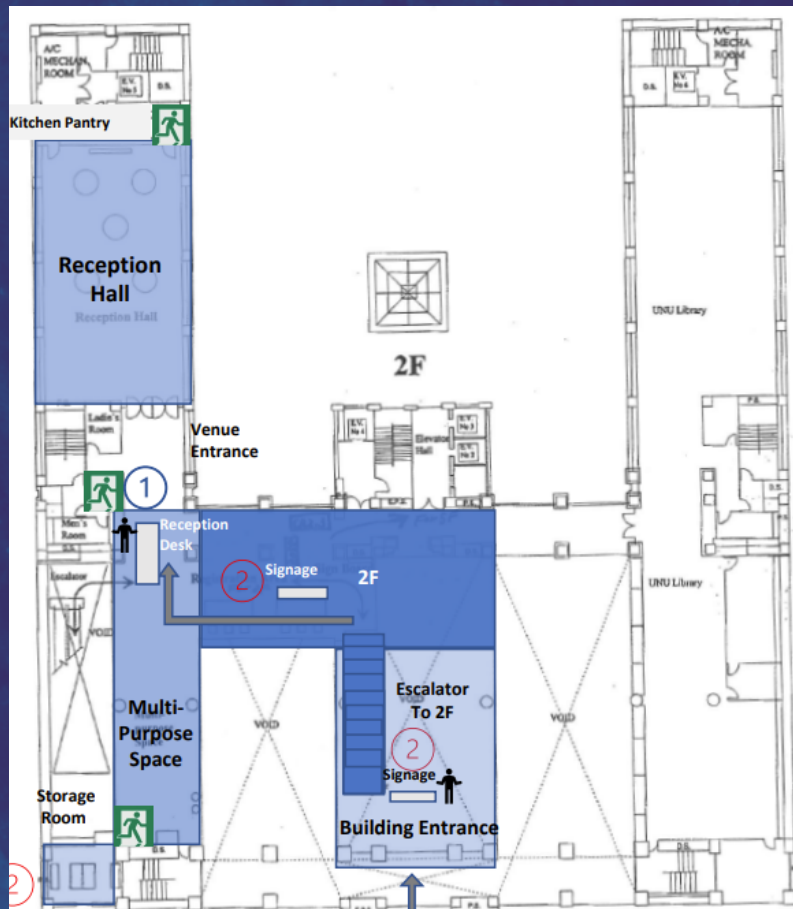
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RECEPTION ON 16 JANUARY

THE RECEPTION ON THE FIRST DAY OF THE EVENT WILL TAKE PLACE IN A RECEPTION HALL ON THE SECOND FLOOR (2F)



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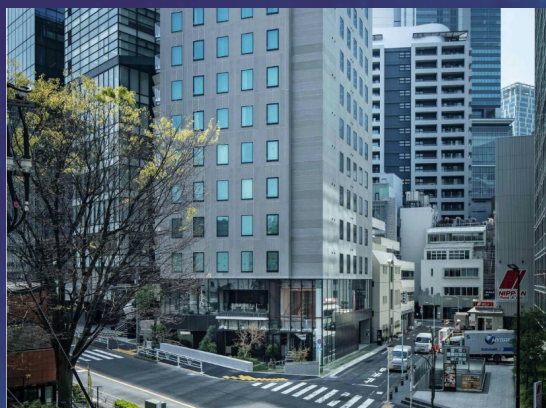


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MINUTE WALK



SAKURA FLEUR AOYAMA ***

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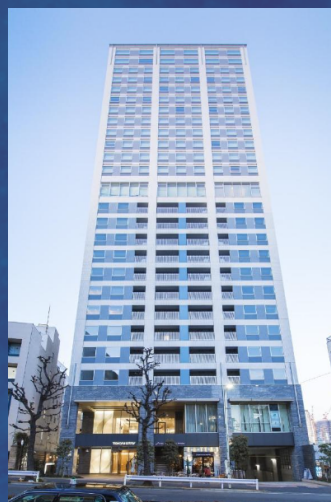
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DISTANCE TO UNU:
17-MINUTE WALK



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MINAMIAOYAMA,
MINATO CITY, TOKYO
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DISTANCE TO UNU:
15-MINUTE WALK



RESTAURANTS NEAR THE UNU

Name	Food Type	Opening Hours	Address	Walking Distance	Webpage
Marugame Seimen (丸亀製麺)	Udon Noodle	10:30-20:00	Jingumae, 5-52-2 Aoyama Oval Building, B1F	1 min.	— https://marugame.com/en/menu/ —
Yayoi-Ken (やよい軒)	Japanese Lunch Set	10:00-23:00	Jingumae, 5-52-2 Aoyama Oval Building, B1F	1 min.	— https://www.yayoi-ken.com/en/menu_list/ —
McDonald's	Hamburgers	06:30-23:00	Jingumae, 5-52-2 Aoyama Oval Building, B1F	1 min.	— https://www.mcdonalds.co.jp/en/menu/ —
Family Mart	Convenience Store (Onigiri, Bento box, sandwiches)	Open 24hours	Jingumae, 5 C-52-2 Aoyama Oval Building, 1F	1 min.	— https://www.family.co.jp/english/products_services.html —



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Fico and Pomum Juice Smoothie Cafe	Sandwiches	08:00- 21:00	Jingumae, 5 -52-2 Aoyama Oval Building, 1F	1 min.	— http://ficoandpomum.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/aoyama_menu_en3.pdf —
Cosari New Korean Table (コサリコリアン テーブル)	Korean Food	11:30- 23:00	Jingumae, 5 -51-8 La Porte Aoyama, B1F	2 min.	— http://cosari.stocklemon.co.jp/menu/ —
Chinese Cafe Eight (中国茶房 8)	Chinese Food	Open 24hours	Jingumae, 5 -51-8 La Porte Aoyama, B1F	2 min.	— http://en.cceight.com/menu/ —
Pariya	Bento box	11:30- 20:00	Kita- Aoyama, 3- 12-14	4 min.	— http://pariya.jp/shop/aoyama_top.html —

