

Pre-event of TICAD8 “Considering the Future of the Planet with Ambassadors” (Plan)

D a t e: Monday, 22 August 2022 9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. (Opening 8:30 a.m.)

V e n u e: Hotel Le Port Kojimachi 2nd Floor Royal Crystal Room (Tel: 03 3265 5365)

Organizer: RESULTS Japan

Supporter: Japan-AU Parliamentary Friendship Association

Co-located: The World Bank Photo Exhibition

Overview: It will be 30 years anniversary next year since the 1st TICAD (Tokyo International Conference on African Development) was held. African countries have developed with the African and international efforts including Japan, but there are still issues risking people's lives such as the Covid 19 global pandemic, conflicts, and climate change crisis. Under this circumstance, TICAD8 will be an important opportunity for Japan and African countries to discuss the issues and our future. Prior to TICAD8, we are going to hold this **Pre-event of TICAD8** and discuss among various stakeholders what Japan can do to deal with the ongoing issues in the field of **Health, Food Security, Nutrition, and Poverty**.

Japanese-English simultaneous translation available.

※ Contents and Speakers might change.

Opening Session (9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.)

- Fumio Kishida, Prime Minister of Japan
- Yasuo Fukuda, Taro Aso, Shinzo Abe, and Yoshihide Suga, Former Prime Ministers *Thank You Very much.*
- Natsuo Yamaguchi, President of Komeito
- Ichiro Aisawa, Chairperson of Japan-AU Parliamentary Friendship Association
- Estifanos Afeworki Haile, State of Eritrea Ambassador to Japan
- Mohamed ELLOUMI, Republic of Tunisia Ambassador to Japan
- Akihiko Tanaka, JICA President

Session 1 (9:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.)

Free Remarks are welcome during all sessions.

Africa and UHC - How to Strengthen the Resilience in Africa

- ◎Keizo Takemi, Goodwill Ambassador for WHO and UHC ●Yasuhiro Suzuki, President of International University of Health and Welfare • Mitsuya Araki, Chief Editor of International Development Journal • Kiyoko Ikegami, Representative Director of Plan International Japan • Shuhei Nomura, Project Associate Professor at Keio University • George Hara, Representative Director of Alliance Forum Foundation
- ★Yasuhisa Shiozaki, Former Minister of MHHW .. and more.

Session 2 (11:15 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.)

Food, Health, and Environment through the Diversity of Africa

- ◎Akiko Santo, President, House of Councilors ●Hiroaki Miyata, Professor of Keio University • Masahito Enomoto, Global Environment Studies, Sophia University • Ryuichi Kato, Senior Special Advisor of JICA • Yasuyuki Sawada, Professor of Graduate School of Economics, Faculty of Economics, University of Tokyo • Yoshitake Yokokura, Honorary Chairman of Japan Medical Association • Naoko Ishii, Director of University of Tokyo ★Kiyoshi Kurokawa, Professor Emeritus, GRIPS ..and more.

Session 3 (1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.)

Discussion on the Partnership between Japan and Africa with Ambassadors

~ Companies, Organizations, Ministries, JICA, and Others

- ◎Yoshimasa Hayashi, Minister of MOFA ●Kenji Shibuya, Research Director of The Tokyo Foundation for Policy Research • Sasakawa Africa Association • Ajinomoto Foundation • GPE • UNICEF • Tsugunori Noutomi, President of EIKEN CHEMICAL • Fuji Film • Meiji • Nippon Ham • TOYOTA TSUSHO • NEC • KOMATSU • LIXIL • KUBOTA • Yazaki Corporation • YKK • SARAYA • Akita University ★Masato Kanda, Financial Commissioner of MoF ★Asahiko Mihara, Former Acting Chair of Japan-AU Parliamentary Friendship Association

Session 4 (5:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.)

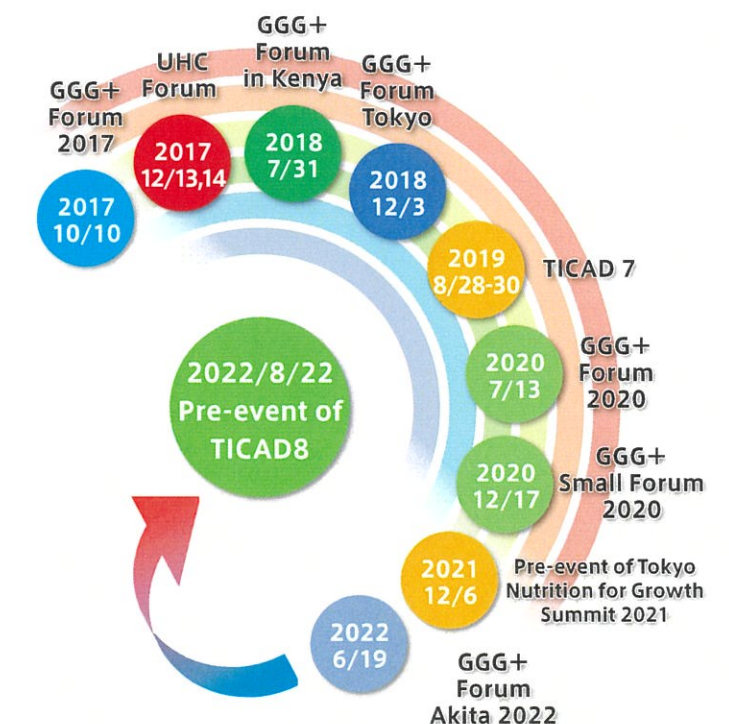
Africa • Dialogue for The Future

- ◎Daishiro Yamagiwa, Minister of State for Economic Recovery and Bureau Chief of Japan-AU Parliamentary Friendship Association ●Kunihiko Hirabayashi, the Secretary-General of ASEAN-Japan Centre • African Ambassadors • Diet Members • Akio Okawara, Director of FGFJ (Friends of the Global Fund, Japan) • Osamu Kunii, GHIT Fund CEO • Mihoko Kashiwakura (B&MGF), Gavi • Shinichi Takenaka, STBP • The World Bank • Yuko Maekawa, Head of Japan, UNOPS • Kazunori Maruyama, President of DSM • Companies • NGOs • Students • Tetsuji Tanaka, Director of RESULTS Japan ★Ken Ishii, Professor of The Institute of Medical Science, The University of Tokyo ★Tetsushi Sonobe, Dean of ADBI ★Sumio Kusaka, Board Chairman of The Africa Society of Japan

Conclusion (7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.)

- ◎Seiji Kihara, Deputy Chief Cabinet Secretary
- ★Takaaki Nishii, Senior Corporate Advisor of Ajinomoto
- ★Yasuaki Yoneyama, Special Representative in Japan, The World Bank
- ★Jun Shinmi, Ambassador for TICAD, MOFA

- ◎: Greeting
- : Chairperson
- ★: Summarization



Chairman: RESULTS Japan, Hayato Masuda