

United Nations – Nippon Foundation Fellowship Programme

Global Alumni Meeting 2014

28 November – 3 December 2014, Tokyo, Japan

Draft Programme for UN and NF

Day 0 - Thursday, 27 November 2014

Arrival day – no formal activities

Day 1 - Friday, 28 November 2014

Morning (9:00 AM – 12:00 noon)

9:00 – 9:30 AM Meeting between the Chairman of The Nippon Foundation and the United Nations Legal Counsel and representatives

9:20 AM Participants pick up at hotel

10:00 – 10:30 AM [Courtesy Call to Mr. Takashi Uto, Parliamentary Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, Japan](#)

10:30 – 11:00 AM Group transportation to the Nippon Foundation

Segment 1: Meeting Opening

[2F Main Conference Room, Nippon Foundation]

11:00 – 11:15 AM [Mr. Yohei Sasakawa, Chairman of The Nippon Foundation](#)

11:15 – 11:30 AM [Mr. Miguel de Serpa Soares, Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and United Nations Legal Counsel](#)

11:30 – 11:45 AM Mr. Yuji Amamiya, Director of the Ocean Division of the International Legal Bureau, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

11:45 AM – noon [Professor Ronan Long, National University of Ireland, Galway, Ireland, Academic Partner](#)

Noon – 12:15 PM [Mr. Abbas Daher Djama, Alumni Representative](#)

12:15 – 12:45 PM Photo session

12:45 – 2:00 PM Lunch

Afternoon (2:00 - 6:00 PM)

Segment 2: Presentations

[2F Main Conference Room, Nippon Foundation HQ]

2:00 – 2:35 PM Opening Remarks on the Meeting; and [Current developments in ocean affairs and the law of the sea - UNCLOS after 20 years of its entry into force and activities of the United Nations](#)
[Ms. Gabriele Goettsche-Wanli, Director, United Nations, DOALOS](#)

2:35 – 3:10 PM [Sustainable ocean-based economies](#)
[Prof. Alain Piquemal, Université de Nice Sophia Antipolis, France](#)

3:10 – 3:45 PM	<u>Legislative and institutional aspects of the implementation of UNCLOS and related instruments at national level</u> <i>Prof. Ronan Long, National University of Ireland, Galway, Ireland</i>
3:45 – 4:00 PM	Coffee Break
4:00 – 4:35 PM	<u>Realizing the benefits of oceans and the law of the sea – focus on fisheries and biodiversity</u> <i>Prof. Stuart Kaye, University of Wollongong, Australia</i>
4:35 – 5:10 PM	<u>Small-scale fisheries and food security in a changing climate</u> <i>Dr. Yoshitaka Ota, University of British Columbia, Canada</i>
5:10 – 5:45 PM	<u>International Cooperation within the Framework of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea</u> <i>Prof. Mariko Kawano, Waseda University</i>
6:00 – 6:30 PM	Group transportation to the reception

Evening (6:30 - 8:00PM)

[Orizuru Rei, Hotel New Otani]

Welcome reception hosted by The Nippon Foundation

Day 2 - Saturday, 29 November, 2014

Segment 3: Tokyo Challenge Briefing and Team Building Lectures

[Boardroom, 4F, Izumi Conference Center]

Co-chairpersons: Prof. Steven Smolinsky and Mr. Francois Bailet

9:00 AM – noon Tokyo Challenge Briefing and Team Building Lectures

Day 3 - Sunday, 30 November 2014

Segment 4: Tokyo Challenge

[Departure and arrival: Main Entrance, Hotel Villa Fontaine Roppongi]

9:30AM – 6:00PM Tokyo Challenge – Japanese cultural experience tour and team building

Day 4 - Monday, 1 December 2014

Segment 5: Identifying and Addressing Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea Related Needs

[Room 1, 7F, Izumi Garden Conference Centre]

Morning (10:00AM - 1:00PM)

Co-chairpersons: Dr. Francois Bailet and Mr. Abbas Daher Djama

Segment Outcome Rapporteur: Ms. Valentina Germani

10:00 – 11:30AM Session 1: Presentations by Fellows followed by discussion
Commentators Prof. Ronan Long and Prof. Alain Piquemal

1. [East Africa](#)
2. [West Africa](#)

11:30 – 11:40PM Morning break

11:40 – 1:00PM	Session 2: Presentations by Fellows followed by discussion <i>Commentators Prof. Ronan Long and Prof. Alain Piquemal</i> 1. Arabian Peninsula 2. Mediterranean, Black and Caspian Seas
1:00 – 2:00PM	Lunch
<u>Afternoon (2:00 – 5:30PM)</u>	
2:00 – 3:30PM	Session 3: Presentations by Fellows followed by discussion <i>Commentators Prof. Stuart Kaye and Dr. Yoshitaka Ota</i> 1. Asia - Indian Sub-Continent and Bay of Bengal 2. South East Asia
3:30 – 3:45PM	Afternoon break
3:45 – 5:15PM	Session 4: Presentations by Fellows followed by discussion <i>Commentators Prof. Stuart Kaye and Dr. Yoshitaka Ota</i> 1. Latin America and Caribbean 2. Pacific Islands
5:15 – 5:30PM	Summary of session by rapporteurs and DOALOS

Day 5 - Tuesday, 2 December 2014

Segment 6: Individual and Network Development

[Room 1, 7F, Izumi Garden Conference Center]

Morning (9:30AM - 1:00PM)

Co-chairpersons: Prof. Smolinsky and Mr. Abbas Daher Djama

9:30 – 10:00AM	Ten years of the UN – The Nippon Foundation of Japan Fellowship Programme past and future roles in supporting effective ocean governance <i>Dr. Francois Bailet and Ms. Valentina Germani</i>
10:00 – 11:00AM	Individual and Network Development activities
11:00 – 11:15AM	Morning break
11:15 – 1:00PM	Individual and Network Development activities (continued)
1:00 – 2:00PM	Lunch

Afternoon (2:00 - 6:00PM)

2:00 – 3:30PM	Individual and Network Development activities (continued)
3:30 – 3:45PM	Afternoon break
3:45 – 5:00PM	Individual and Network Development activities (continued)

Day 6 - Wednesday, 3 December 2014

Segment 7: The Role of the Fellowship and Alumni Network in Addressing Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea Related Needs (outcome)

[Room 1, 7F, Izumi Garden Conference Center]

Morning (10:00AM - 1:00PM)

Co-chairpersons: Mr. Francois Bailet and Mr. Abbas Daher Djama

10:00 – 1:00PM	Regional discussions
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Regional Sherpa: Prof. Long

East Africa
West Africa

Regional Sherpa: Prof. Piquemal

Arabian Peninsula
Mediterranean, Black and Caspian Seas

Regional Sherpa: Dr. Ota

Asia - Indian Sub-Continent and Bay of Bengal
South East Asia

Regional Sherpa: Prof. Kaye

Latin America and Caribbean
Pacific Islands

1:00 – 2:00PM Lunch

Afternoon (2:00 - 6:00PM)

2:00 – 3:15PM Regional discussions (continued)

3:15 – 3:30PM Afternoon break

3:30 – 6:00PM Outcome discussion and document, facilitated by global Alumni Representative

Evening (6:30 - 8:00PM)

Closing reception marking ten years of the Fellowship and 100 Fellows hosted by The Nippon Foundation

Day 7 - Thursday, 4 December 2014

Departure day – no formal activities