

Tohoku Fukushi University

**Problems with the aging Society and Asian Community**

— politics, economy, disaster, culture, religion and social welfare —

Duration: From April to July 2014

- #01  
(9 April) Pan-Asianism and Asian Community  
Opening speech by Koki Hagino (president, Tohoku Fukushi University)  
Yuichi Hasegawa (professor, International Relations, Tohoku Fukushi University)
- #02  
(16 April) Current arguments about Asian Community  
Norifumi Namatame (associate professor, International Politics, Tohoku Fukushi Univ.)
- #03  
(23 April) Asian Community with aging people considered from the viewpoint of gerontology  
Masakazu Shirosawa (Professor, Gerontology, J. F. Oberlin University)
- #04  
(30 April) The aging society and Asian Community considered from the viewpoint of model social welfare states in East Asia  
Kojun Furukawa (professor, Social Welfare Studies, Nishi-kyushu University)
- #05  
(7 May) The aging society and Asian Community considered from a female viewpoint  
Shika Kawajo (specially-appointed associate professor, Tohoku Fukushi University, former lower house member)
- #06  
(14 May) A microcosm of Asian Community: aging society with fewer children of both China and Japan  
Katsuhito Asano (specially-appointed professor, Tohoku Fukushi University, former vice minister of foreign affairs)
- #07  
(21 May) Problems with the aging society and Asian Community  
Tsuyoshi Koyama (head director, Thunderbird=Network to Support Wide Area Disaster Victims)
- #08  
(28 May) Welfare society and Asian Community considered from a viewpoint of female migrant workers  
Yasuhiro Kuroki (professor, Social Work Studies, Doshisha University)
- #09  
(4 June) Aging society and Asian Community considered from a viewpoint of community social works  
Kensaku Ohashi (specially-appointed professor, Tohoku Fukushi University)
- #10  
(11 June) Economic problems related to Asian Community with aging population  
Osamu Kamoike (professor, dean, Faculty of Total Management, Tohoku Fukushi University)
- #11  
(18 June) Aging society and Asian Community considered from a religious viewpoint  
Kenryo Minowa (professor, Religious Studies, University of Tokyo)
- #12  
(25 June) Care of elderly and the role of social workers in Vietnam  
Huynh Minh Hien (lecturer, Open University of Ho-Chi-Minh City)

- #13 Asian Community seen from viewpoints of major countries in Asia — South Korea  
(2 July) 尹永朱 (associate professor, Welfare Policy, Tohoku Fukushi University)  
Hiroo Hagino (professor, Politics, Tohoku Fukushi University)
- #14 Asian Community seen from viewpoints of major countries in Asia — China  
(9 July) 崔保国 (professor, School of Journalism and Communication, Tsinghua University)
- #15 The future of Asian Community  
(16 July) Yoji Sato (director, One Asia Foundation)

\*Note\* Lectures are subject to change according to lecturers' convenience.