Japan-African Engagement: The outcomes of TICAD IV and the G8 Hokkaido Toyako Summit

*Draft Conference Programme (Subject to Change)*

0920  Registration

0940 – 1000 Session 1
Outcomes of TICAD IV: the Yokohama Declaration
Mr. Itsunori Onodera, Senior Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, Japan
Chair: Dr. Robin Niblett, Director, Chatham House

1000 – 1120 Session 2
Keeping Africa on the Agenda: Themes of TICAD IV and impact on the G8 Hokkaido Toyako Summit: Economic Growth and Climate Change
Growth: Ann Grant, Vice Chairman, Standard Chartered Capital Market Ltd.
Discussant: Dr. Titilola Banjoko, AfricaRecruit
Climate Change: Professor Ogunlade Davidson, University of Sierra Leone, Working Group III Co-chair, Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
Discussant: Antony Froggatt, Senior Research Fellow, Energy Environment and Development Programme, Chatham House
Chair: Ambassador Nobutake Odano, Ambassador in charge of TICAD IV

1120 – 1150 Coffee break

1150 – 1250 Session 3
Keeping Africa on the Agenda: Themes of TICAD IV and impact on the G8 Hokkaido Toyako Summit: Human Security
Poverty alleviation and the Millennium Development Goals
Marcus Manuel, Director, Pan-Africa Strategy, Department for International Development
Consolidation of Peace
Ms Mieko Ikegame, United Nations Office of the Special Advisor on Africa
Chair: Mr. Antonio Bandini, Deputy Director General for Sub-Saharan Africa, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Italy

1250 – 1400 Lunch

1400 – 1500 Session 4
Promises and action: how Japan makes a difference on Africa
Mr. Ikufumi Tomimoto, Resident Representative Japan International Cooperation Agency, France
Dr. Kweku Ampiah, Department of East Asian Studies, University of Leeds
Chair: Dr. Titilola Banjoko, AfricaRecruit
1500 - 1600  Closing session  
TICAD IV, G8 and Africa’s progress: changing international relations  
**Ambassador Nobutake Odano**, Ambassador in charge of TICAD IV  
**Mr. Antonio Bandini**, Deputy Director General for Sub-Saharan Africa, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Italy  
Discussant: **Professor Ogunlade Davidson**, University of Sierra Leone, Working Group III Co-chair, Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change  
**Chair: Dr. Gareth Price**, Head of Asia Programme, Chatham House

1600 - 1700  Reception