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Cultivating Humanity amid Social Divisions and Digital Transformation

Thu. Nov. 30 - Fri. Dec. 1

1:00PM - 6:00PM JST

10:30AM - 6:00PM JST

Yasuda Auditorium, The University of Tokyo

**In-person & Online** 

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# Keynote Speakers



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# Cultivating Humanity amid Social Divisions and Digital Transformation

Tokyo Forum is an international conference series that the University of Tokyo created together with the Chey Institute for Advanced Studies of South Korea in 2019, and has provided a meeting place of people, including, but not limited to, those in academia, government, business, NPOs, from all over the world. This year's forum will bring together the expertise of both technological sciences and social sciences, to explore how humanity can respond to the global problems we face today amid social divisions and digital transformation.





# Shaping the Future

Tokyo Forum 2023 will present several new programs such as **Youth Session**, in which students from South Korea and Japan will exchange their thoughts and ideas on current global issues, as well as **University Presidents' Session** and **Business Leaders' Session**.

## Day 1 | Thursday, Nov. 30 1:00PM - 6:00PM

#### **Opening Remarks**

1:00PM - 1:30PM

- FUJII Teruo President, The University of Tokyo
- CHEY Tae-Won Chairman, SK Group

#### **Keynote Addresses**

1:30PM -3:00PM

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Emeritus Professor, Faculty of Political Science, Chulalongkorn University

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Distinguished Professor, Department of Psychology, University of California, Berkeley

• FUJIWARA Kiichi

Visiting Professor, UTokyo Institute for Future Initiatives and Special Advisor to the President, Chiba University

#### Plenary Talk Session

3:15PM - 4:15PM

This is a panel talk with Keynote Speakers.

#### Moderator SATO Jin

Professor and Deputy-Director of the Institute of Advanced Studies on Asia, The University of Tokyo

#### **Business Leaders' Session**

4:30PM - 6:00PM

Diverse experts in business will discuss on the theme: New Horizons for the Global Economy through Collaboration between Japan and Korea — Cultivating an Entrepreneurial Mind Together —

Moderator FUJII Teruo President, The University of Tokyo



\*Online panelists
\*Schedules and programs are subject to change.

# Day 2 Friday, Dec. 1 10:30AM - 6:00PM

#### **Panel Discussion 1**

10:30AM-11:30AM

#### Why Are Robots Questioning Humanity?

• Dominique LESTEL

Associate Professor, Philosophy, École Normale Supérieure Paris

- STELARC Performance Artist
- ISHIGURO Hiroshi

Professor, Mechanical Engineering, Graduate School of Engineering, The University of Tokyo

• YOO Chang-Dong Professor, School of Electrical Engineering, KAIST

#### Moderator Gentiane VENTURE

Robotics Scientist, Professor (Distinguished Professor),

Graduate School of Engineering Science, Department of Systems Innovation, Osaka University

#### **Youth Session**

1:05PM - 2:05PM

This is a session by young visionaries of students from South Korea and Japan.

#### **University Presidents' Session**

2:15PM - 3:15PM

The session will explore on the future of education with university presidents.

- RYU Hong Lim President, Seoul National University
- KIM Eun Mee President, Ewha Womans University
- TAKAHASHI Yuko President, Tsuda University
- Tshilidzi MARWALA\* Rector, United Nations University

Moderator FUJII Teruo President, The University of Tokyo

#### **Panel Discussion 2**

3:30PM-4:30PM

## **Bridging the Social Divide:**

### How to Safeguard the Global Commons and Rebuild Humanity

- Scott CUNNINGHAM Professor, University of Strathclyde, UK
- HU Mei-Chih\*

Professor, Institute of Technology Management, National Tsing Hua University

CHA Meeyoung Associate Professor, School of Computing, KAIST

#### Moderator KAJIKAWA Yuya

Professor, Institute for Future Initiatives, Center for Global Commons, The University of Tokyo

#### **Shaping the Future**

In Facing Social Divisions and Digital Transformation

This is a session to recap a series of discussions at Tokyo Forum 2023.

#### Moderator SUZUKI Kazuto

Professor, Graduate School of Public Policy, The University of Tokyo

#### Closing Remarks

5:45PM-6:00PM

4:45PM-5:45PM

- PARK In-Kook
- President, Chey Institute for Advanced Studies, Former Ambassador to The United Nations
- FUJII Teruo President, The University of Tokyo