

Live Webinar

Central Bank Digital Currencies

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Featuring:

Sir Jon Cunliffe, Deputy Governor, Bank of England

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Shinichi Uchida, Executive Director, Bank of Japan

Moderator: **Takatoshi Ito**, Professor, School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA), Columbia University; Director, Program on Public Pension and Sovereign Funds, Center on Japanese Economy and Business (CJEB), Columbia Business School

Discussant: **Patricia C. Mosser**, Senior Research Scholar, SIPA; Director, Central Banking and Financial Policy @ SIPA

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On November 13, 2020, CJEB was an outreach partner for a live webinar hosted by Central Banking and Financial Policy Initiative, SIPA, and Columbia University. The event featured Sir Jon Cunliffe, Eswar Prasad, and Shinichi Uchida and was moderated by Takatoshi Ito, with Patricia C. Mosser serving as discussant. This webinar was conducted in English as part of "The Japanese Economy in the COVID-19 Era" series. The major central banks of advanced countries have just issued their study on the central bank digital currency (CBDC). Some other central banks, such as the People's Bank of China, have started issuing CBDC as "experiments." This webinar explored the current state and thinking of CBDC from experts on the issue and concluded with a Q&A session. To view the video recording of the webinar, please visit <https://youtu.be/WFAaPncJ73A>.