

Webinar Series

2022 CJEB Annual Tokyo Conference

**Japan in the Uncertain World: Security, Economic Security, Diversity, and Governance**

Presented by the Center on Japanese Economy and Business, Columbia Business School

(Simultaneous interpretation was provided)

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[Summary](#)

Day 1

Wednesday, May 25, 2022 | 8:00–9:35 AM (Japan Time)

Tuesday, May 24, 2022 | 7:00–8:35 PM (EDT)

(Simultaneous interpretation was provided)

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**Keynote Speech: Challenges Facing Japanese Diplomacy**

**Yoshimasa Hayashi**, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Government of Japan

Moderator: **Merit Janow**, Dean Emerita, School of International and Public Affairs (SIPA); Professor of Practice in International Economic Law and International Affairs, Columbia University



**Panel: East Asia’s Shifting Geopolitical and Security Landscape: What It Means for the U.S.-Japan Alliance**

Panelists:

**Thomas J. Christensen**, Interim Dean; James T. Shotwell Professor of International Relations, SIPA

**Michael J. Green**, Senior Vice President for Asia and Japan Chair, Center for Strategic and International Studies

**Kenichiro Sasae**, President, Japan Institute of International Affairs

**Susan Thornton**, Senior Fellow and Visiting Lecturer, Yale Law School

Moderator: **Merit Janow**

Opening Remarks: **David E. Weinstein**, Director, CJEB; Carl S. Shoup Professor of the Japanese Economy, Columbia University

Day 2

Thursday, May 26, 2022 | 8:00–9:30 AM (Japan Time)

Wednesday, May 25, 2022 | 7:00–8:30 PM (EDT)

(Simultaneous interpretation was provided)

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**Keynote Speech: Crisis Management and Women, New Capitalism and Women**

**Masako Mori**, Special Advisor to the Prime Minister for Women's Empowerment,  
Government of Japan

Moderator: **David E. Weinstein**, Director, CJEB; Carl S. Shoup Professor of the  
Japanese Economy, Columbia University



**Panel: Diversity and Inclusion**

Panelists:

**Tomoko Hayashi**, Director-General, Gender Equality Bureau, Cabinet Office, Japan

**Jun Suzuki**, Chairperson; Member of the Board, Teijin Limited

**Keiko Tashiro**, Member of the Board, Deputy President, Daiwa Securities Group Inc.

**Kathy Matsui**, General Partner, MPower Partners

Moderator: **David E. Weinstein**

Day 3

Friday, May 27, 2022 | 8:00–9:30 AM (Japan Time)

Thursday, May 26, 2022 | 7:00–8:30 PM (EDT)

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**Keynote Speech: Japan's Economic Security Policy**

**Takayuki Kobayashi**, Economic Security Minister; Science and Technology Policy Minister; and Space Policy Minister, Government of Japan

Moderator: **Takatoshi Ito**, Professor, School of International and Public Affairs, Columbia University



### **Panel: Economic Security**

Panelists:

**Naoshi Hirose**, Vice-Minister for International Affairs, Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry

**Daniel M. Price**, Managing Director, Rock Creek Global Advisors

**Candida Wolff**, Executive Vice President and Head, Global Government Affairs, Citigroup

Moderator: **Takatoshi Ito**

Day 4

Thursday, June 9, 2022 | 8:00–9:20 AM (Japan Time)

Wednesday, June 8, 2022 | 7:00–8:20 PM (EDT)

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**Panel: Board 3.0: A Vision for a New Board of Directors in America and Japan**

Panelists:

**Christina Ahmadjian**, Specially Appointed Professor, Rikkyo University; Outside Director, Asahi Group Holdings, Ltd.; Japan Exchange Group, Inc.; NEC Corporation; Sumitomo Electric Industries, Ltd.

**Jeffrey N. Gordon**, Richard Paul Richman Professor of Law; Co-Director, Millstein Center for Global Markets and Corporate Ownership, Columbia Law School

**Daisuke Hamaguchi**, Outside Director, Chairperson of Compensation Committee, Member of Nomination Committee, and Member of Governance Committee, LIXIL Corporation

**Sachiko Ichikawa**, Partner, Tanabe & Partners; Statutory Auditor, The Board Director Training Institute of Japan

Moderator: **Alicia Ogawa**, Project Director for Japanese Corporate Governance and Stewardship, Project on Japanese Corporate Governance and Stewardship, CJEB

Closing Remarks: **David E. Weinstein**, Director, CJEB; Carl S. Shoup Professor of the Japanese Economy, Columbia University