Day 1 (Oct 17th, 2020)

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11:00-12:00  Reception/ Opening Ceremonies

Professor Carin Holroyd (President of JSAC, University of Saskatchewan)

Professor Lily Cho (Associate Dean, Global and Community Engagement, Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies, York University)

Ms. Yuko Shimizu (Executive Director, the Japan Foundation of Toronto)

12:00-13:30  Panel 1: Government of Japan

Japanese Courts and Corporate Executive Compensation
S. McGinty, Associate Professor
Nagoya University Graduate School of Law, Japan

Post COVID-19 Public Policy Communication in Japan
L. Tkach-Kawasaki, Ph.D., Associate Professor
University of Tsukuba, Japan

Japanese Public Health Concerns in Treaty-Port Manchuria
B. Sewell, Professor, Department of History
Saint Mary’s University, Canada

Japan 2020: Covid Closures, Losses, and Displacements
M. Creighton
University of British Columbia, Canada

13:30-13:45  Coffee Break

13:45-14:30  Panel 2: Geography of Japan

Earthquakes and Tsunamis:
Lessons from Japan for British Columbia
D. W. Edgington, Professor Emeritus, Department of Geography
University of British Columbia, Canada

Virtual Interdisciplinary Japan Field Trips
T. Waldichuk, Department of Geography & Environmental Studies
Thompson Rivers University, Canada

14:30-15:30  Lunch Break
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11:00–11:30
Reception

11:30–12:30
Keynote Speakers

Building Beyond the Pandemic: Japan and the COVID Recovery
C. Holroyd & K. Coates

12:30–14:00
Panel 1: History and Culture

Why Canada Must Embrace a Free and Open Indo-Pacific
S. R. Nagy, Professor, fellowship the Canadian Global Affairs Institute
ICU, Japan
J. B. Miller, fellowship with the Japan Institute of International Affairs and the Macdonald Laurier Institute

Impact of ‘Anti-Japan Tribalism’
N. Ota, Professor
York University, Canada

Designing Japanese Identity and Culture in Canadian Architecture
H. H. Tsang, Assistant Professor, RAIC Centre for Architecture
Athabasca University, Canada

A Manga-translation of Visual Commentary on Trurezuregusa
X. J. Yang
University of Calgary, Canada

14:00–15:00
Lunch Break/AGM

15:00–17:00
Panel 1: History & Culture Continued

Heritage Tourism and Pilgrimage at UNESCO’s Hidden Christian Sites in Nagasaki
D. J. Telfer & A. Hashimoto, Department of Geography and Tourism Studies
Brock University, Canada
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Panel 1: History & Culture Continued

15:00-17:00

Tokyo’s ramen restaurant industry adjusts to Covid-19
T. Reiffenstein
Mount Allison University, Canada

Japanese Art: Yuji Hiratsuka
Y. Hiratsuka
Indiana University, United States

Racism during the 1940s and COVID-19
J. Stranger-Ross, Project Director, Landscapes of Injustice Associate Professor, History
University of Victoria, Canada
V. Ryngestad, Community Council Chair, Landscapes of Injustice
L. Oikawa, President, National Association of Japanese Canadians

17:00-17:15

Coffee Break

17:15-18:00

Panel 1: History & Culture Continued

ABE Shinzō – Japan’s longest serving Prime Minister and his legacy
Jacob Kovalio
Carleton University, Canada

Subjectivity and objectivity in construal expressed by learners of the Japanese language
N. Yabuki-Soh, Associate Professor
York University, Canada

18:00-18:30

Conference Wrap-Up Session