



# Nagoya University Program for Leading Graduate Schools Joint Symposium

## The Future of Graduate School Education in Nagoya University:

—Lessons Learned from the Program for Leading Graduate Schools—

Students of the six Leading Programs will discuss about the future of graduate school education across disciplines. Students, the general public and all interested persons are welcome to attend!

Date: November 23rd, 2016 (Wed)

Venue: ES Hall, and Environmental Studies Hall  
Nagoya University

### • Schedule

- 09:00-09:15 Opening Remarks (Prof. N. Sugiyama, Prof. M. Maeshima)
- 09:15-10:00 Keynote Lecture 1 (Ms. Haniwa Natori)
- 10:00-10:45 Keynote Lecture 2 (Prof. Kazuya Takeda)
- 10:45-11:00 Break
- 11:00-12:00 Group Work
- 12:00-13:00 Lunch
- 13:00-14:30 Group Work
- 14:30-15:00 Preparation for Group Presentation
- 15:00-15:30 Break
- 15:30-17:00 Group Presentation
- 17:00-17:30 Commentaries
- 17:30-17:45 Closing Remarks
- 17:45- Reception



Organizer: Nagoya University Program for Leading Graduate Schools



Integrative Graduate Education and Research Program in Green Natural Sciences



The Graduate School of Law, Nagoya University  
Cross-Border Legal Institution Design



PhD Professional Gateway to Success in Frontier Asia



Leadership Development Program for Space Exploration and Research



Graduate Program for Real World Data Circulation Leaders



Women Leaders Program to Promote Well-being in Asia

### • Contact & Information

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### Background and Objective

The specific objective of the Joint Symposium is to provide an opportunity for students to discuss their experiences and lessons learned from the Leading Program and to offer suggestions on how the Leading Program could be integrated into the education curriculum of the Graduate School, from the point of view of students.

The Program for Leading Graduate Schools (Leading Program) is a seven year pilot project meant to contribute to reforming Graduate School education in Japan. Funding for the program by the Japanese Government will end in the next 1-3 fiscal years. The symposium will provide a timely opportunity for students to discuss how to reform Graduate School education at Nagoya University based on their own experiences as Leading Program students. Student group discussion sessions will be held on key topics cutting across all the six Leading programs. Some suggested topics for discussion include:

- Leadership, internationalization and globalization
- Curriculum development for transdisciplinary studies
- Experiential opportunities
- Employment
- Financing (e.g. grant application, student oriented fundraising)
- General assessment of the Leading Program

### Keynote Lectures



Ms. Haniwa Natori, Former Director of the Gender Equality Bureau, Cabinet Office President of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs of Japan (BPW Japan), previous Director of Gender Equality Bureau Cabinet Office. She has long been engaged in policy making of gender equality in Japanese government and is currently dedicated in promoting women's empowerment and status in the society.

**Title: Gender Equal Society**



Prof. Kazuya Takeda, Coordinator, Real-World Data Circulation Leaders Program Professor, Graduate School of Information Science, Nagoya University. He previously was a researcher at Advanced Telecommunication Research laboratories (ATR) and KDD Research and Development Laboratories. He was also a Visiting Scientist at Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). His current research interest is media signal processing.

**Title: The Impact of the Self-Driving Car**

### Venue (Nagoya University Higashiyama Campus)

- E&S Hall: Get off at Nagoya Daigaku Sta., then walk about 3 minutes from Exit 2.
- Environmental Studies Hall: Get off at Nagoya Daigaku Sta., then walk about 5 minutes from Exit 2.

