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IGE/KITA Global Trade Forum

“Abenomics, Future of the Japanese Economy and the TPP”

Speakers: Professor Yukiko Fukagawa, Waseda University, Japan

Mr. Jeffrey J. Schott, Senior Fellow, PIIE, USA

Time and Date: 07:00-09:00, May 21, 2013

Venue: Maple Room, Plaza Hotel, Seoul

Professor Yukiko Fukagawa, Waseda University, will present an analytical view on the short and mid to long term impact of Abenomics on the Japanese economy and its impact on the Korean economy, along with the significance of Japan’s entry to the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) and its expected outcome.

Mr. Jeffrey J. Schott, senior fellow, Peterson Institute for International Economics (PIIE), will focus his presentation on the impact of Japan’s entry to the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) on the Japanese economy and present his argument as to why Korea should join the TPP.

The IGE/KITA Global Trade Forum is attended by policymakers, business people, researchers and scholars, diplomats, and journalists.