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**((Last chance to register)) 1/26 Event: Panel Discussion on Asia in the Global Economy (Japan Society)**

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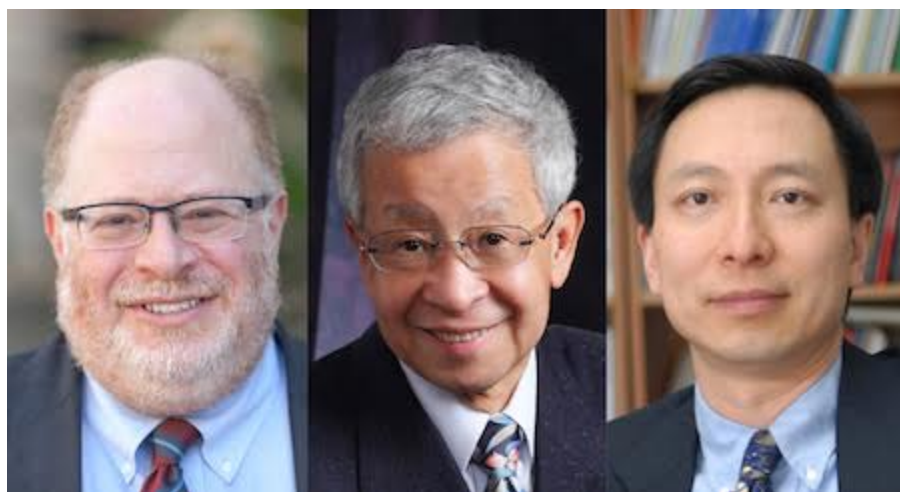
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Dear Colleagues,

Thank you for your interest in previous Business & Policy Program events at Japan Society. We would like to inform you about an upcoming program:

**[Asia in the Global Economy: Potential Growth & Looming Challenges](#)**



EVENING PANEL

**Date: Thursday, January 26, 2017****Time: 6:00 pm – 8:30 pm** (Panel discussion starts at 6:30 pm)**Panelists:****Adam Posen**, President, Peterson Institute for International Economics**Eisuke Sakakibara**, Professor, Aoyama Gakuin University; President, Institute for Indian Economic Studies; former Japanese Vice Minister of Finance**Shang-Jin Wei**, N.T. Wang Professor of Chinese Business and Economy, Professor of Finance and Economics, Columbia University's Graduate School of Business and School of International and Public Affairs

**Moderator:****Daniel Bases**, U.S. Public Finance Editor, Thomson Reuters

Asia now boasts the fastest-growing and most promising economies in the world, and is a significant contributor to global growth. With the fate of the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) remaining uncertain and China's "One Belt, One Road" initiative emerging, the economic landscape is rapidly changing in Asia. Although Asia remains the main source of global economic growth, many obstacles are impeding stronger growth, from China's economic slowdown to Japan battling economic stagnation. In this program, speakers provide their perspective on the current situation in Asia in the context of the global economy. The program addresses the Asian economies' opportunities and vulnerabilities, and cooperation possibilities for the United States and Japan to boost economic growth.

**Agenda**

6:00 - 6:30 PM	Registration
6:30 - 8:00 PM	Panel Discussion and Q&A
8:00 - 8:30 PM	Reception

**Venue:** Japan Society (333 East 47<sup>th</sup> St, NY 10017)**Admission:**

Non-members: \$20

Japan Society Corporate Members: Free, up to designated number of tickets; additional tickets \$15

Japan Society Individual Members at Patron Circle level and above: \$15

Academic and government: \$15

*[Register online](#) through our website.*

Thank you for your time and consideration.

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## Upcoming Business & Policy Events

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Thursday, February 9, 2017

6:00 PM – 8:30 PM (Panel Discussion starts at 6:30)

## Say Sayonara to Long Hours: Work-Life Balance in Japan and the U.S.



### **Panelists:**

**Stewart Friedman**, Practice Professor of Management & Director of Wharton Work/Life Integration Project, The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania

**Tatiana Goldberg**, Leadership Development Director, Unilever North America

**Yoko Ishikura**, Professor Emeritus, Hitotsubashi University

**Jean Wynn**, Managing Director, BNY Mellon

### **Moderator:**

**Keti Mehta**, Chief People Officer, Alliance Building Services

Thursday, February 23, 2017

6:00 PM – 8:30 PM (Panel Discussion starts at 6:30)

## U.S.-Japan-Korea Trade Relations: Recent Developments & Future Prospects

**Panelists:**

**Wendy Cutler**, Vice President and Managing Director, Asia Society Policy Institute; former Acting Deputy U.S. Trade Representative

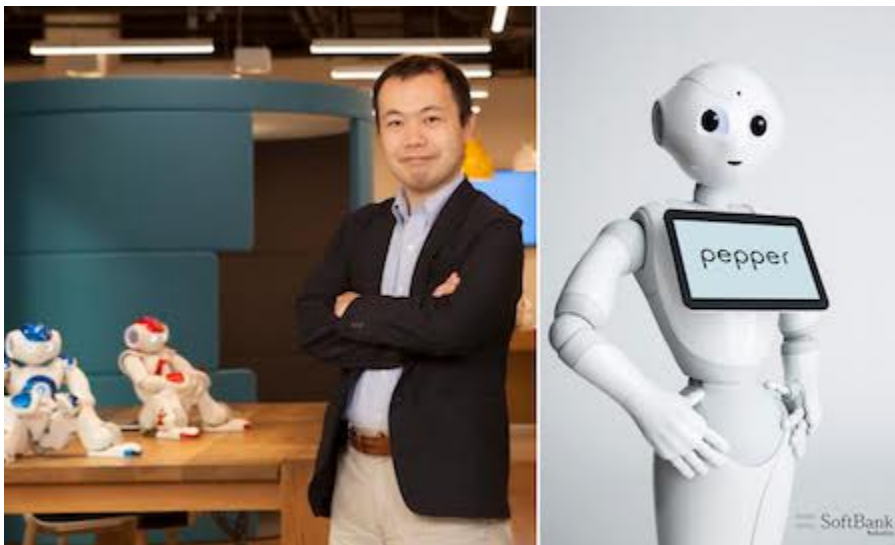
**Gheewhan Kim**, Consul General of the Republic of Korea in New York, Consulate General of the Republic of Korea in New York

**Shotaro Oshima**, Chairman, Institute for International Economic Studies; Visiting Professor, National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies; former Special Representative of the Government of Japan for TPP; former Member, Appellate Body, World Trade Organization; former Ambassador to the Republic of Korea

Tuesday, March 28, 2017

6:00 PM – 8:30 PM (Lecture starts at 6:30)

## **Meet Pepper: The World's First Humanoid Robot That Reads Human Emotions**



**Speaker:**

**Kenichi Yoshida**, Vice President, Business Development Division, Softbank Robotics Corp.

Thursday, April 20, 2017

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM (Lecture starts at 6:30)

## **Invisible Capitalism: Japanese Capitalism & the Future of Global Capitalism**

**Speaker:**

**Hiroshi Tasaka**, Professor, Graduate School of the Tama University in Tokyo; President, Think Tank SophiaBank; author of the book *Invisible Capitalism: Beyond Monetary Economy and the Birth of New Paradigm*; Ph.D. (Nuclear Engineering)