Foreign Policy Workshop

Since its establishment 60 years ago, Kajima Institute of International Peace has held over 600 sessions of this flagship workshop. In the current fiscal year, it has finally returned to the pre-COVID-19 pace of monthly meetings. The venue has also been fixed, for the convenience of the participants, at the same banquet hall in a hotel in the Akasaka area. In addition, five of the twelve sessions this year (as indicated in gray) consist of presentations of the Institute's own research outputs.

No.	Date	Speaker(s)	Title
629	15/4/2025	Hidenao YANAGI Former Ambassador to Germany	Germany's Change of Government Amid Difficult Challenges: Can the Incoming Merz Administration Overcome Germany's and Europe's Security & Economic Crises?
630	27/5/2025	Akio MIYAJIMA Former Ambassador to Poland	The War in Ukraine and European Security: Trump 2.0 and the Challenges Facing Japan
631	19/6/2025	Kazumasa IWATA President, Japan Center for Economic Research	Prospects for Japanese and Global Economies under the Trump Administration

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632	11/7/2025	Takeshi SEKIYAMA Professor, Graduate School of Advanced Integrated Studies in Human Survivability, Kyoto University	Lessons from Top 10 Small Countries in GDP per Capita: Clues to Making Japan More Prosperous
633	11/9/2025	Hideaki TANAKA Professor, Graduate School of Public Policy, Meiji University	The Population Halving Shock and New Regional Strategies: Smart Downsizing as a Way Forward
634	3/10/2025	Ryuji FUJIMOTO Professor, Department of Sociology, Faculty of Liberal Arts, Teikyo University	Trump 2.0 and Religious Revival around the World
635	6/11/2025	Toshiya TSUGAMI President, Tsugami Workshop	Is Pax Sinica Feasible?: An Economic Perspective on China's Prospects as a Hegemon
636	25/11/2025	Shigeki MORINOBU Trustee, KIIP Senior Policy Officer, Tokyo Foundation	Toward Introducing a Refundable Tax Credit

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637	11/12/2025	Chiharu TAKENAKA Former Professor of Rikkyo University Law Faculty Hisa OHIWA Chief Researcher, PHP Institute	Fluctuations in India's Foreign Policy and Japan–India Relations: 2025 Kashmir Crisis, U.S.–India Tensions, and Sino Indian Rapprochement The Future of Japan–India Relations from a Soft Power Perspective
638	27/1/2026	Ken UMEKAWA Professor, Graduate Schools for Law & Politics, University of Tokyo	The Second Trump Administration and the Current State of the Separation of Powers
639	12/2/2026	Masafumi ISHII Former Ambassador to Indonesia Nobukatsu KANEHARA Trustee, KIIP Executive Director, Sasakawa Peace Foundation	Workshop on the Future of the Liberal International Order: Report on the Visit to Europe

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640	23/3/2026	Takashi SEKIYAMA Professor, Graduate School of Advanced Integrated Studies in Human Survivability, Kyoto University	Economic Security and the Protection of Critical Infrastructure: A Comparative Analysis of Policies in United States, United Kingdom, & Australia, and Implications for Japan