Regional Innovation Capability and Technology Transfer in Biotechnology Clusters
New Recipes in Japan and Europe

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At the Centre Européen d’Etudes Japonaises d’Alsace (CEEJA) 8 route d’Ammerschwihir, 68240 Kientzheim (GPS: N48.13014°, E7.28947°).

12:45-13:30 Registration

Business session – New technology transfer recipes in Europe and Japan

13:30 Opening remarks
Mr. Naoki WAKABAYASHI, Kyoto University, Japan

Welcome speeches
Mr. Charles BUTTNER, President, Haut-Rhin Conseil-Général
Mr. André KLEIN, President of the CEEJA
Mr. Christophe SAGNIER, Directorate for Competitivity and Knowledge, Alsace Region

Session 1 – Technology transfer and development of regional competitiveness of bioclusters: The French recipe

14:00 New challenges of technology transfer in Alsace bioclusters
Mr. Nicolas CARBONI, SATT Conectus Alsace, France

Development and future of Alsace Biovalley
Mr. Pascal NEUVILLE, Domain Therapeutics SA

15:20-15:35 Coffee break

Session 2 – Technology transfer and development of regional competitiveness of bioclusters: The Japanese recipe

15:35 Current situation of university-industry collaboration and technology transfer in Japan: the role of intermediaries
Ms Yuliko NISHIMURA, University of Tokyo, Japan

New policy design of bioclusters development in Japan
Mr. Shintaro SENGOKU, Kyoto University, Japan

Session 3 – Technology Alliance and Bio Venture: Chef’s Ideas

17:05 Domain Therapeutics’ R&D and strategic alliance strategy: the role of technologies and bioclusters
Mr. Pascal NEUVILLE, CEO, Domain Therapeutics

EU-Japan science and research cooperation and regulatory issues affecting the biotech sector
Mr. Simon CRAIG GRAY, Deputy Director, EU-Japan Centre for Industrial Cooperation

Concluding remarks
Mr. Naoki WAKABAYASHI, Kyoto University, Japan

18:30 Wine and Dinner at the CEEJA

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‘Nouvelle cuisine’ in technology transfer: regional innovation capabilities

09:00 Opening remarks
Mr. Naoki WAKABAYASHI, Kyoto University, Japan

Session 1 – Sustainable developments in bioclusters

09:05 New challenges in the formation of a Global Cluster and Networking
Ms Hawa Issa MUNISI, Kyoto University, Japan

Agglomeration mechanism in biotech clusters: Some perspectives from the French experience
Mr. Eric JOLIVET, Toulouse Graduate School of Management, France

The production of young scientists in France and in Japan with particular reference to life sciences
Mr. Hiroatsu NOHARA, LEST, Aix Marseille University, France

Session 2 – Regional capability in licensing

11:30 Gaps between patent applications and grants in joint licensing networks in a Japanese biocluster
Mr. Naoki WAKABAYASHI, Kyoto University, Japan

Comparative analysis of R&D alliance networks between Japan, the US and the EU
Mr. Ryuichi NAKAMOTO, Sugiyama Jogakuen University, Japan
Mr. Keigo TAKAI, Kyoto University, Japan

Dynamics of change in the technoscientific knowledge structures underpinning emerging technologies? The case of iPSC technologies
Mr. Alfonso AVILA-ROBINSON, Kyoto University, Japan

13:25 Concluding remarks
Mr. Shintaro SENGOKU, Kyoto University, Japan
Mr. Naoki WAKABAYASHI, Kyoto University, Japan

13:30 Lunch at the CEEJA

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