

Special Workshop

Regional Security in Southeast Asia: Prospects and Challenges

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Place

Koshinkan Building, Room 721
Kinugasa Campus, Ritsumeikan University

Time

18:00 ~

Language

English

※Refreshments will be served.

Southeast Asia is a region of growing importance in global affairs. Albeit differences among members sometimes flare up, ASEAN as a whole has been able to maintain a strong partnership among members and is now in the process of strengthening its integration in the form of ASEAN Community. Not only being the core of a number of regional economic architecture initiatives, ASEAN's influence is also growing politically in Asia-Pacific. Geostrategic importance of this region is also increasing. What are the prospects for deepening security cooperation in Southeast Asia in facing the rise of China and America's 'Asia pivot'? Three distinguished scholars, Amitav Acharya, Jun Honna, and Benjamin Jensen, will discuss the question from different perspectives.

Panelists

■ **Amitav Acharya (American University)**

“ASEAN and Security in Southeast Asia”

■ **Jun Honna (Ritsumeikan University)**

“Bringing Human Back In: Towards a New Paradigm of Maritime Non Traditional Security Cooperation in Southeast Asia”

■ **Benjamin Jensen (Marine Corps Command and Staff College/American University)**

“Evolution of security Architecture in Southeast Asia”

■ **Moderator: Kenki Adachi (Ritsumeikan University)**

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※Reservation is not required.