

The e-ASIA Joint Research FORUM
(Toward "The East Asia Science and Innovation Area")

Date:

July 14(Th) & 15(Fri), 2011

Prospective Participants:

Around 40 persons from 20 agencies: In principle, 2 persons from each agency

Venue:

Ballroom (6F), Mandarin Orchard Hotel (Singapore)

Agenda (draft):

— Day 1 (July 14th) —

9:30-10:00 Registration

10:00-12:00

- Keynote Speech; Dr. Takashi Shiraishi, Executive Member, Council for Science and Technology Policy (CSTP), Cabinet Office, Japan
- Welcome Speech; Prof. Low Teck Seng, Managing Director, Agency for Science, Technology and Research (A*STAR), Singapore
- Address from Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT); Mr. Katsuhisa Sagisaka, Director, International Science and Technology Affairs Division, Science and Technology Policy Bureau, MEXT
- Presentation of e-Asia Joint Research Program framework; Mr. Akira Nakanishi, Department of International Affairs, Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST)

12:00-13:30 Lunch @ Triple Three (5F)

13:30-17:30

- Discussion (around 40 persons / 20 agencies)
 - [Session 1]
 - Objectives, concept for establishing a scheme for joint research in the East Asia
 - Memberships
 - Fundamental scheme
 - [Session 2]

- Collaboration with other schemes
- Form of collaboration
- Fields / Areas of collaboration

[Session 3]

- Expenditure
- Secretariat
- Interim actions
- Other important issues

18:30-20:30 Reception party @ Imperial Ballroom (35F)

— Day 2 (July 15th) —

9:30-12:00

- Discussion (continued)
- Introduction of “Asia Science and Technology Portal” and “Friends of SATREPS”
- Wrap-up
- Future plans
- Closing remarks; Prof. Teruo Kishi, Program Director, JST

12:00-13:30 Lunch @ Triple Three (5F)

13:30-17:00 Visit to Biopolis and Fusionopolis