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

#### Date:

October 5 (Wed) - 7(Fri), 2011

## **Prospective Participants:**

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

## Forum Venue:

2<sup>nd</sup> Hall, Building of the Former Ministry of Education, Science, Sports and Culture (6<sup>th</sup> FI) (Tokyo)

## Agenda (draft):

— Day 1 (Oct. 5th) —

9:30-10:00 Registration

#### 10:00-12:00

- Address from Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT)
- O Keynote Speech; <u>Prof. Masuo Aizawa</u>, Executive Member of Council for Science and Technology Policy, Cabinet Office, Government of Japan
- O Objectives of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Forum; Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST)
- O Follow-up of the 1<sup>st</sup> forum
  - Japanese Contribution to the e-ASIA JRP
  - Application of research outputs to the society

12:00-14:00 Lunch @ Hotel New Otani Tokyo

#### 14:00-17:30

- O Discussion (around 40 persons / 20 agencies)
  - Membership issues
  - MoUs (for framework and FA, respectively)

18:00-20:00 Reception party @ Hotel New Otani Tokyo

# — Day 2 (Oct. 6th) —

# 10:00-12:00

- O Introduction; Prof. Teruo Kishi, Program Director, JST
- O Discussion (including presentation from Dr. Alex Lim, ASEAN Secretariat)
  - How to facilitate collaboration between Flagship Programs and e-ASIA JRP
  - Cooperation fields / areas of mutual interest
  - Other issues

## 12:00-14:00 Lunch @ Hotel New Otani Tokyo

#### 14:00-17:30

- O Wrap-up
- O Future plans
- O Introduction of "e-ASIA Joint Research Program" website
- O Introduction of Asia Science and Technology Portal
- O Closing remarks; Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT)

# — Day 3 (Oct. 7th) —

9:00-16:00

Discussion on multilateral cooperation with National Institute of Material Science (NIMS), RIKEN, or JST Advanced Low Carbon Technology Research and Development Program (ALCA) / Center for Low Carbon Society Strategy (LCS) (up to each interest)(Approx. 2 hours for each group) @ JST Tokyo HQ