

**2010 Empowerment Seminar for Women Leaders in the Asia Pacific Region**  
**"Development of Women's Leaders: Implications from Japanese Experience"**

From September 30th (Thu) to October 9th (Sat) (Arrival and Departure: September 29th and October 10th)

Date	Day	Time	Program	Content	Lecturer	Venue	Accommodation
Sept. 29	Wed		Arrival				Tokyo
30	Thu		Transfer to NWEC				NWEC
		9:30-9:50	<b>Opening Remark</b>		Dr. Michiko Kanda, President, NWEC	Conference Room (2nd Floor, Main Building)	
		10:00-10:30	<b>Program Orientation</b>	Seminar Objectives and Seminar Schedule	Dr. Masami Helen Ochi, International Program Officer, Office of Research and International Affairs, NWEC		
		10:30-11:00	<b>Icebreaking</b>	Self-introduction	Seminar Participants/ NWEC Staff		
		11:00-12:00	<b>Introduction of NWEC</b>	Vision, Mission and History of NWEC	Ms. Maki Kubo, Vice President, NWEC		
		12:00-13:20	<b>Check-in, Lunch</b>				
		13:20-13:50	<b>DVD "The History of Japan's Educational Development"</b>	History of Educational System in Japan	-	Conference Room (2nd Floor, Main Building)	
		14:00-15:30	<b>Lecture: "Promotion of Girls' and Women's Education in Japan"</b>	Analysis of Historical Evolution of Japanese Education System	Dr. Kazuo Kuroda, Professor, Graduate School of Asia-Pacific Studies Waseda University		
		15:45-17:00	<b>Visit: "Center for Women's Education and Women's Archives Center"</b>	Role of Center for Women's Education and Women's Archives Center	Ms. Ryoko Akamine, Information Division, NWEC	Center for Women's Education and Women's Archives Center	
		17:00-18:30	<b>Free Time</b>				
18:30-20:00	<b>Welcome Reception</b>		Seminar Participants, Kanda, Kubo, Nakano, Ochi, Watanabe, Noyori, Kuwabara	Restaurant "Poivre"			
Oct. 1	Fri	9:00-12:00	<b>Country Report Presentation</b>	Country Report Presentation and Discussion	Seminar Participants, NWEC Staff	Conference Room (2nd Floor, Main Building)	NWEC
		12:00-13:00	<b>Lunch</b>				
		13:00-17:30	<b>Country Report Presentation</b>	Country Report Presentation and Discussion	Seminar Participants, NWEC Staff		
2	Sat		Free Time				NWEC
3	Sun		Transfer to Shizuoka Prefecture				
		11:30-12:30	<b>Visit: "Yayoi Yoshioka Memorial Hall"</b>	Case Study of Pioneer Japanese Woman: Yayoi Yoshioka is a Founder of the First Medical Institution for Women in Japan	-	Yayoi Yoshioka Memorial Hall Kakegawa City, Shizuoka Pref.	
		13:00-15:00	<b>Visit: "Shiseido Corporate Museum"</b>	History of Cosmetics in Japan	-	Shiseido Corporate Museum Kakegawa City, Shizuoka Pref.	Shizuoka Prefecture
4	Mon		Transfer to Shizuoka City				
		10:00-13:00	<b>Visit/Lecture: "Shizuoka City Women's Center, AICEL 21"</b>	Role of Women's Center for the Promotion of Women's Lifelong Learning	Ms.Mitsue Matsushita, Designated Manager, Shizuoka City Women's Center	Shizuoka City Women's Center, AICEL 21	
		14:00-16:00	<b>Lecture/ Discussion:"Development of Women Leaders in Local Community"</b>	Case Study of Women's Social Enterprise	Ms.Masayo Sonoda, President, Hokkyoku Shirokumado Inc. Ms.Makoto Sato, President Hair Supply Peer Inc.	Shizuoka City Women's Center, AICEL 21	
			Transfer to Tokyo				Tokyo
5	Tue	9:30-11:00	<b>Visit/Lecture:"Gender Equality Policy in Japan"</b>	Gender Equality Policy in Japan	Ms. Kyoko Ichikawa, Counselor for Gender Equality Bureau, Cabinet Office	Gender Equality Bureau, Cabinet Office	
		11:45-12:00	<b>Courtesy Call: Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology</b>	Courtesy Call	Ms. Kumiko Bando Director-General Lifelong Learning Policy Bureau Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology	Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT)	↓
		12:00-14:00	<b>Lunch</b>				
		14:00-16:00	<b>Visit/Lecture: "Empowerment Program for Women Researchers at University"</b>	Gender Equality Policy and Empowerment Program for Women Researchers at University	Mr.Masaki Miyao, Professor, The Cultural Sciences Division Ms.Mari Murayama, Associate Professor, Center for Leadership Education and Research, Ochanomizu University	Ochanomizu University	
			Transfer to NWEC				NWEC
6	Wed	10:00-11:30	<b>Lecture:"Science Experience Program 2010 - Summer School for Female Students of Junior High and High Schools"</b>	Introduction of NWEC Training Program for Young Generation	Mr.Masaru Sakuni, Program Division, NWEC	Meeting Room (2nd Floor, Accommodation Building A)	NWEC
		12:30-16:30	<b>Preparation for Expert Meeting presentation on October 8th</b>		Seminar Participants		
7	Thu	9:00-10:30	<b>Introduction to Japanese Culture</b>		NWEC Volunteers	Meeting Room (2nd Floor, Accommodation Building A)	NWEC
		11:00-12:00	<b>Evaluation Session</b>	Review of Evaluation Sheet	Seminar Participants, NWEC Staff		
		13:30-14:00	<b>Closing Ceremony</b>	Presentation of Certificate	Dr. Michiko Kanda, President, NWEC		
		14:00-17:00	<b>Preparation for Expert Meeting presentation on October 8th</b>				
		17:00-18:00	<b>Meeting on Expert Meeting and International Forum</b>				
		18:00-19:30	<b>Solidarity Night</b>				
8	Fri	10:00-15:00	<b>Expert Meeting for International Forum for Women's Empowerment</b>			Meeting Room & Conference Room (2nd Floor, Accommodation Building A)	Tokyo
		16:30	Transfer to Tokyo				
9	Sat	9:00-9:30	Transfer to JICA				Tokyo
		10:00-12:00	<b>Rehearsal of International Forum</b>	Rehearsal of International Forum			
		13:00-17:30	<b>International Forum for Women's Empowerment</b>	International Forum		JICA Research Institute	
10	Sun		<b>Departure</b>				