

**JAPANESE-GERMAN CENTER BERLIN [JDZB]  
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**TENTATIVE PROGRAMME**

for the symposium  
**“How to Advance Digitization to Achieve Society 5.0”**

Tuesday, April 24, 2018  
at Keidanren Kaikan, 4F, Diamond Room, Tokyo

*Last updated: April 16, 2018*  
Languages: English and Japanese  
Simultaneous interpreting

- 14:00 h      **Opening**  
KUBOTA Masakazu (KKC)  
Dr. Friederike BOSSE (JDZB)
- 14:10 h      **Key-Note: Data, Algorithms and People. The core challenges of technological change**  
Dr. Stefan HEUMANN (Managing Director, Stiftung Neue Verantwortung)
- 14:30 h      **Session 1: Challenges for Industry and Business: Innovation and R&D**  
Chair: KUSAKA Kazumasa (Chairman, Japan Economic Foundation)
- EMURA Katsumi (Kaidanren Chairman of Committee “Society 5.0” and EVP, CTO, Member of the Board, NEC Corporation)
- Thomas KOENEN (Director of Division ‘Digitalization and Innovation’, BDI)
- MORIKAWA Hiroyuki (Professor, Research Center for Advanced Technology, University of Tokyo)
- Discussion**
- 15:45 h      **Session 2: Challenges for Government: Regulation, Standardization, Education**  
Chair: Dr Stefan HEUMANN (Managing Director, Stiftung Neue Verantwortung)
- SHINDO Hideo (Vice Minister, Policy Coordination: Science, Technology and Innovation, The Cabinet Office)
- Prof. Dr. Jeanette HOFMANN (FU Berlin and Social Science Center Berlin, WZB)
- Martin POHL (Counsellor, German Embassy, Tokyo)
- Discussion**
- 17:00 h      Adjourn

This Symposium is open to the Media