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Symposium
Civil society in Germany and Japan:
Concepts and practices (experiences)

October, 9th—10th 2008

Thursday, October 9th 2008

13.00—13.30 Registration

13.30—14.00

Opening

Prof. Dr. Wulf Diepenbrock, Rector of Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg

Prof. Dr. Andreas Ranft, Dean of Faculty of Philosophy I

Hiromi Sato, Deputy Secretary General, Japanese-German Center Berlin

Prof. Dr. Gesine Foljanty-Jost, Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg

Break

14.00—15.00

Prof. Dr. Naohiko Yamawaki, *Tōkyō University*

„Zivilgesellschaft“ and „bürgerliche Gesellschaft“

Present and historical development in Germany and Japan

Comment: Prof. Shunsuke Murakami, *Senshū University, Tōkyō*

15.00—16.00

Prof. Dr. John Keane, Westminster

Civil Society and Democracy: global perspectives

Comment: Prof. Dr. Harald Bluhm, Martin-Luther-Universität Halle

16.00—16.45

Break

16.45—17.45

Prof. Seigo Hirowatari, University of Tōkyō

Civil society and the Japanese legal system

Comment: PD Dr. Thomas von Hippel, Bucerius Law School Hamburg

18.00

Reception

Entwurf



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- 9.30—10.00 Registration
- 10.00—11.00 Prof. Dr. Helmut Anheier, Universität Heidelberg
Civil Society as a global phenomenon: Empirical evidence and conceptual considerations
Comment: Prof. Dr. Dieter Rucht, Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin
- 11.00—12.00 Prof. Dr. Yutaka Tsujinaka, Tsukuba University
Civil society in Japan: Empirical results
Comment: PD Dr. Brigitte Geißel, Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin
- 12.00—13.30 *Break*
- 13.30—14.30 Prof. Dr. Thomas Olk, Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg
Reconstruction of civil society after 1945: Germany
Comment: Prof. Dr. Michiko Mae, H.-Heine-Universität Düsseldorf
- 14.30—15.15 Dr. Yukie Osa, University of Tōkyō
Reconstruction of civil society after 1945: Japan
Comment: Prof. Dr. Roland Roth, Fachhochschule Magdeburg-Stendal
- 15.15—15.45 *Break*



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15.45—17.00 Panel discussion
**Civil society in a comparative perspective –
Setting a frame for German-Japanese dialog**
Prof. Dr. Seigo Hirowatari, Prof. Dr. Yutaka Tsujinaka,
Prof. Dr. Annette Zimmer, Prof. Dr. John Keane

Moderation: NN

17.00—18.00 Conclusion