

The 9th Asian City Journalist Conference (The 2nd Kyushu-Asia Media Conference) “Journalistic View of Designing Cities”

The Asian City Journalist Conference(ACJC) had been held every year since 2006 with the aim to bring journalists in Asia together to exchange opinions, share knowledge and to establish media networks. From last year, the ACJC had been merged into the Kyushu Asia Media Conference(KAMC) jointly organized by Kyushu Economic Federation, and other business groups in Kyushu to broaden the media network among Asian cities.

This year, journalists from both Asian cities and Kyushu will exchange views and discuss the following themes; “Tourism for Cities” and “Arts for Cities”.

Date : 4 December, 2014 (Thu) 12:30-18:00

Venue : Kyo-so-kan Mirai Hall

(4th Floor, 1-4-1, Watanabedori, Chuo-ku, Fukuoka)

PROGRAMME	
12:30 - 12:35	◎ Opening Remarks (Mr. Yoshi Fukasawa, Director, UN-Habitat Fukuoka)
12:35 - 12:45	◎ Welcome Remarks (Mr. Yutaka Aso, Chairman, Kyushu Economic Federation)
12:45 - 15:15	◎ Part I “Tourism for Cities” Keynote Speech Ryoichi Matsuyama [Chairman, Japan National Tourism Organization] Journalists from Asia Shanghai Daily (Shanghai), Busan Daily (Busan), Vietnam News Agency (Ha Noi), Philippine Daily Inquirer (Manila), Kompas Daily (Jakarta), Khao Sod (Bangkok) Journalists from Kyushu RKB (RKB Mainichi Broadcasting Corporation), FBS (Fukuoka Broadcasting System Corporation), TNC (Television Nishinippon Corporation), TVQ (Kyushu Broadcasting Corporation), Nishinippon Newspaper, Yomiuri Newspaper, Kumamoto Daily Newspaper, Asahi Newspaper
15:15 - 15:30	Break
15:30 - 18:00	◎ Part II “Arts for Cities” Presenter ONG Keng Sen [Laureate, Arts and Cultural Prize 2010 at Fukuoka Prize] Advisor Akiko Kato [Director/Secretary General, Japan Future Leaders School] Journalists All journalists above
18:00	◎ Closing

Organizers : UN-Habitat Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific, Kyushu Economic Federation, Fukuoka Committee for Economic Development, Kyushu Economic Research Center, Kyushu Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Fukuoka City, Kyushu Information Liaison
Supporters : Kyushu District Transport Bureau, Kyushu Bureau of Economic Trade & Industry of Japan, Fukuoka Prefecture