Nihon University International Symposium Family and the Contemporary Japanese Culture: An International Perspective

Tentative Agenda

Saturday, October 20

Registration

Opening Ceremony
Opening Remarks
Shigenori Kinoshita (President, Nihon University)
Welcome Addresses
Hiroshi Hirono (Editor in Chief & Managing Director, The Mainichi Newspapers)
Lee-Jay Cho (Director, East-West Population Institute)
Keynote Address
Motoo Yada (Project Head, "Characteristics of Modern Japanese Culture: Cross-National Analysis of the Family")

Open Forum
(1) Lecture 1
"A Cultural Approach to the Family in Japan and the U.S."
by Patricia G. Steinhoff
(2) Lecture 2
"The Future of the Family"
by Philip M. Hauser
(3) Panel Discussion
"Recent Changes in European Family Life: The Case of Austria"
"The Family in America"
"Thai Family: A Review of Past Evidences"
"Family in Korea"
"Chinese Family in Social Change: An Experience in Taiwan"
"Family in Japan"
Chairperson: Hiroshi Kawabe

Monday, October 22, 1990

Session 1: Social Change and the Family
"Family Structure and Social Change: Implications from Fertility Changes in Japan and China"
"Changes in Intergenerational Relations in Chinese Family: Taiwan Experience"
"Families in Developing Countries: Idealised Morality and Theories of Family Change"
Chairperson: Linda G. Martin
Discussant: Ronald R. Rindfuss
by Toshio Kuroda
by Te-Hsiung Sun
by Peter McDonald

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Andrew Cherlin
Akira Takatori
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Closing Ceremony
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「高齢者の保健・医療・福祉—明るい高齢化社会をめざして—」
出席報告
表記の会議が1999年10月26・27日横浜市主催、横浜市立大学、本会記念横浜生命科学振興財団共催によって行われ、人口問題研究所から河野寛義所長が出席した。河野所長は10月26日14:10～17:00 開催のシンポジウム I 「高齢化社会への人類生態的展望」（司会：土井隆雄横浜市立大学医学部教授・鈴木雅美東京大学医学部教授）において第1演題の「人口変動とそのメカニズム」と題する報告を行い、のち総合討論に参加した。
（河野寛義記）