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Narutowicza 59a, Lodz
Plenary Hall (Sala Rady Wydziału)

JUNE 4, 2012 (MONDAY)

10:00-10:30	Registration	
	PLENARY HALL	
10:30-11:00	Welcoming remarks Prof. Antoni Różalski Pro-Rector in Charge of Research, University of Lodz Prof. Tomasz Domański Dean of the Faculty of International and Political Studies	
	PLENARY HALL	
11:00-11:30	Opening speech Amb. Ksawery Burski	
11:30-12:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
	PLENARY HALL	ROOM 112
12:00-13:30	PANEL 1 - JAPANESE POLITICS, ECONOMY AND DIPLOMACY (1) MODERATOR: Karol Żakowski	PANEL 2 - THE CENTURY OF CHINA? MODERATOR: Dominik Mierzejewski
	Tetsukazu Okamoto (Kansai University) <i>Twitter and Local Election Candidates in Japan: An Analysis of Osaka Prefectural Assembly Election 2011</i>	Vladimir Portyakov (IFES RAS) <i>Some Features of the PRC Foreign Policy, 2009-2011</i>
	Masahiro Yamada (Kwansei Gakuin University) <i>Swing Voting and Voter Competence in Japan</i>	Jan Rowiński, Paweł Sokala (Warsaw University) <i>China in the era of globalization and regionalization: attitudes, participation and role in strategic designs for the future</i>
	Shoichiro Ishibashi (Kansai University) <i>Political Attitudes of Japanese High School Students</i>	Eva Sternfeld (Technical University of Berlin) <i>“Green” Motor? Challenges for China’s Energy Safety and Environmental Protection</i>
13:30-14:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
	PLENARY HALL	
14:30-15:15	“Asia in Lodz, Lodz in Asia” Poster Session Asian Studies at the Faculty of International and Political Studies, University of Lodz	

15:15-17:15	PLENARY HALL PANEL 3 - JAPANESE POLITICS, ECONOMY AND DIPLOMACY (2) MODERATOR: Masahiro Yamada	ROOM 112 PANEL 4 - CHINA AND GLOBAL ECONOMY MODERATOR: Grzegorz Bywalec
	Atsushi Tanaka (Kwansei Gakuin University) <i>Unconventional Monetary Policy in Japan</i>	Ivan Peshkov (Adam Mickiewicz University) <i>From "Border Socialism" to "Border Capitalism": Life "after modernity" in the Inner-Asia Border Triangle</i>
	Karol Żakowski (University of Lodz) <i>New Parties in Japan – In the Search of a Third Pole on the Political Scene</i>	Martin Grančay (University of Economics in Bratislava) <i>China's Civil Aviation at the Beginning of the 21st Century. Can Europe Remain Competitive?</i>
	Małgorzata Stańczyk (University of Lodz) <i>Russo-Japanese Relations in Post-Cold War Period</i>	Nóra Szikorová (University of Economics in Bratislava) <i>Expected future trends in Chinese Outward Direct Investments in Africa</i>
	Marcin Socha (University of Lodz) <i>Japanese Climate and Energy Policy after March 2011</i>	
19:00	BANQUET AT THE CENTRAL MUSEUM OF TEXTILES, PIOTRKOWSKA STREET 282 (MILIONOWA STREET ENTRANCE)	

JUNE 5, 2012 (TUESDAY)

12:00-16:00	ROOM 12 (SKŁADOWA 41/43) <i>Seminar for Japanese and Polish Students</i> Chaired by Kazuo Fujii and Keiji Utebi (Kwansei Gakuin University)
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10:00-11:30	PLENARY HALL PANEL 5 - REGIONAL COOPERATION IN EAST ASIA (1) MODERATOR: Karol Żakowski	ROOM 112 PANEL 6 - DIPLOMATIC INSTRUMENTS OF CHINA (1) MODERATOR: Grzegorz Bywalec
	Piotr Kozłowski (Warsaw University) <i>A Scientific Realist Approach to Regional Integration in East Asia</i>	Pei-Shang Kao (National Chiao Tung University) <i>US-China Relations After Global Financial Crisis</i>
	Marta Olszewska (Warsaw University) <i>In the crooked mirror of nationalism Can the Japanese and the Chinese see eye to eye?</i>	Dominik Mierzejewski (University of Lodz) <i>Dodging the Problem of Confrontation. Beijing's Policy and U.S. Dependency on China?</i>
	Joanna Dabkowska (Warsaw University) <i>Finding the balance. The role of Australia-Japan cooperation in shaping the Asia-Pacific security structure</i>	Włodzimierz Cieciora (University of Warsaw) <i>Chinese policy towards Africa. A special relationship?</i>
11:30-11:50	Coffee Break	
11:50-13:20	PLENARY HALL PANEL 7 - REGIONAL COOPERATION IN EAST ASIA (2) MODERATOR: Włodzimierz Cieciora	ROOM 112 PANEL 8 - DIPLOMATIC INSTRUMENTS OF CHINA (2) MODERATOR: Dominik Mierzejewski
	Marta Kosmala-Kozłowska (Warsaw University) <i>ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Rights (AICHR): a toothless tiger or a prospect for a human rights regime in East Asia</i>	Tomasz Kamiński (University of Lodz) <i>Tools of Chinese Foreign Policy Towards the EU – Political and Cultural Dimension</i>

	Martina Rysová (Palacký University) <i>Perceived Role of the Chinese Minority in Indonesia during the Financial Crisis</i>	Karol Żakowski (University of Lodz) <i>Anti-Japanese Protests as China's Diplomatic Tool</i>
	Roger Y. Chao Jr. (City University of Hong Kong) <i>East Asian Regionalisms: Perspectives, Realities and the Future</i>	Tomasz Jurczyk (University of Lodz) <i>International Aspects of PRC's Taiwan Policy</i>
13:20-14:20	Lunch	
14:20-15:30	PLENARY HALL "The Pearl of North China (Polish Episode)" , Documentary, Poland 1989, 60 min.	
15:30-17:15	PLENARY HALL PANEL 9 - CHINA'S DOMESTIC CHALLENGES MODERATOR: Grzegorz Bywalec	ROOM 112 PANEL 10 - CHINA AND REGIONAL SECURITY COMPLEX MODERATOR: Tomasz Kamiński
	Magdalena Senderowska (Warsaw School of Economics) <i>China's food security</i>	Yang Long, Hu Huixuan (Nankai University) <i>The Adjustment of China's Regional Development Strategy and Its Impact on Intergovernmental Relations</i>
	Michał Jarocki (University of Lodz) <i>China's energy security and Arctic issue</i>	Brandon T. Cohen (University of Nevada, Reno) <i>Nationalism, Soft Power, and the China Threat in the East and South China Sea Disputes</i>
	Anna Kryzstofiak (University of Lodz), Art <i>Market in China and the Global Financial Crisis</i>	Anna Walkowiak (Warsaw University) <i>At the source of the lack of the security and cooperation system in Northeast Asia</i>
17:15-17:30	Coffee Break	
17:30-17:45	PLENARY HALL Closing Session	