13:00-13:15**Opening Remarks**

> Akio Morishima Chair, Board of Directors,

> > Institute for Global Environmental Strategies (IGES)

Akira Harada Director General, Environmental Bureau,

Hyogo Prefectural Government

13:15-13:45Introduction

> "Prospective Directions of Environmentally-sound Local Development & Local Technology Systems"

Masaaki Naito Project Leader, IGES Kansai Research Center

(Professor Emeritus, Kyoto University)

"Prospective Directions of Environmental Business and the Potential of PSS (Product Service Systems)"

Sub-Project Leader, IGES Kansai Research Center Takashi Gunjima

(Professor, Doshisha University)

13:45-15:05 Keynote Speeches

"The Social Economy and Community Development:

A Case Study of the Center for Alternative Technology (CAT)"

Peter Harper Head of Research and Innovation

Center for Alternative Technology (CAT), UK

"Sustainable Companies and Eco-service - Current Situation

and Future Prospects in Western Nations and Japan"

Rvoichi Yamamoto Professor, Institute of Industrial Science,

Tokyo University

15:20 - 16:55 Panel Discussion

Coordinator: Masaaki Naito, Takashi Gunjima

Panelists:

Yang Yufang General Manager, Water Treatment Research

> Laboratories, Toray Fibers & Tetiles Research Laboratories (China) Co., Ltd. Shanghai Branch

Masaki Kojima Director/Vice-President,

Zero Emission Support Club for Green Society

Mark Stoughton Senior Scientist, Tellus Institute, USA

Visiting Researcher, IGES Kansai Research Centre

Oksana Mont Research Associate, International Institute for

Industrial Environmental Economics (IIIEE).

Lund University, Sweden

Raimund Bleischwitz Co-Director, "Material Flows and Resource

Management", Wuppertal Institute, Germany

16:55-17:00Closing

> Akihiro Amano Director of IGES Kansai Research Centre