

# 14<sup>th</sup> Kobe University Europe Forum “Kobe U Day - One Kobe Family”

Symposium

## “Japan in the EU Today”

2025/03/07 (Fri.) 9:30 - 12:00

@ Université libre de Bruxelles (ULB) Solbosch Campus, UA6 124/128  
Av. Franklin Roosevelt 50, 1050 Brussels, Belgium & Online (Zoom)

Map: <https://www.ulb.be/fr/solbosch/plan-du-campus> (Please enter the U building from Porte A and use the elevator.)

### -Opening Remarks- (in Japanese)

9:30-9:50

**Prof. Kazuko Iwamoto** (Graduate School of Intercultural Studies, Kobe University)

For online participation, please send an email to the address below by Thursday March 6<sup>th</sup>.

9:50-10:10

### -Guest Speakers- (in Japanese)

**Prof. Naruo Kawai** (Director, Global Education Center, Kobe University)

“International Student Mobility and Japanese Language Education in Japan”

10:10-10:50

**Dr. Kanako Goto** (President, Belgian Association of Japanese Language Teachers / Université de Liège)

”Learning & Teaching Japanese in French-speaking Belgium”

10:50-11:30

**Dr. Ken Matsumoto** (Science and Technology Fellow, Mission of Japan to the European Union / Vrije Universiteit Brussel (VUB))

“Activity of Science & Technology Fellow, Careers and Daily-Life in Europe ”

11:30-11:40 Presentations by ULB Students (in Japanese)

### -Discussion- (in Japanese / English)

11:40-11:55 -Discussant- **Ms. Eri Anno**

(Deputy Director, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS) Bonn Office)

### -Closing Remarks- (in Japanese)

11:55- 12:00 **Prof. Minoru Mizuhata**

(Director, Europe and Africa Division, Institute for Promoting International Partnerships, Kobe University)

**-Moderator-** **Prof. Ryoko Hayashi** (Graduate School of Intercultural Studies / Global Education Center, Kobe University)

**-Facilitator-** **Dr. Taro Nishikawa** (Global Education Center, Kobe University)



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