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Reconstructing State Security and National Integration in the Middle East

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 Conference Hall, Shikokan, Karasuma Campus
 Doshisha University, Kyoto

Master of the Conference: Paul Duffill
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OPENING SPEECH	9:00-9:10 Opening Speech	
	Hisae Nakanishi	Team Leader of the Project, Professor, Graduate School of Global Studies, Doshisha University
KEYNOTE LECTURE	9:10-10:10 State Security and Refugees: The Use of the “Ladder of Options” in the Case of Lebanon	
	Guita Hourani	Director of Center for Migration Studies, Notre Dame University, Lebanon

SESSION 1	10:15-12:50 Session 1 Challenges of the Compatibility between State Security and Territorial Integrity in the Middle East	
	State Repression and Islamist Survival Strategy: Case of Muslim Brotherhood in Egypt	Takayuki Yokota Professor of Meiji University
	Strategies, Dynamics and Outcomes of Hizballah’s Military Intervention in the Syrian Conflict	Kota Suechika Professor, Ritsumeikan University
	Discussion (Moderator Kazuhide Kuroda)	Discussant: Hisae Nakanishi
<11:15-11:30 Coffee Break>		

SESSION 1	Nagorno-Karabakh Conflict as a Policy Determinant and State Security Challenge for Azerbaijan: In the Context of Recent Developments in the Middle East	Rahman Shahhuseinli Assistant Professor, ADA University, Baku
	Social and Political Modification in Pakistan in the War on Terror	So Yamane Professor, Osaka University
	Discussion	

<12:50-14:00 Lunch Break>

SESSION 2	14:00-16 : 30 Session 2 Neighboring States, Threat Perception, and Contested Transnationality	
	Impacts of Arab Revolts on Iran: Threat Perception and Iran's Transnational Strategy	Hisae Nakanishi Professor of Doshisha University
	Awakening of Kurds in the Changing Middle East	Ardeshir Pashang Lecturer, Center for Scientific Research and Middle East Strategic Studies
	Lebanon's Governance Challenges in the Syrian Refugees Crisis and Lebanese Citizens' Perception of the Refugees	Marwa Ahmad Student, Graduate School of Global Studies, Doshisha University
	Discussion Commentator : Guita Hourani & Kazuhide Kuroda	Kazuhide Kuroda Development consultant/former World Bank and United Nations senior officer on fragile and conflict-affected states
<15:45-16:00 Coffee Break>		
Discussion of Session 2 continued		

DISCUSSION	16:30-17:15 General Discussion
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CLOSING REMARK	17:15-17:20 Closing Remark	
	So Yamane	Professor, Osaka University