



2022 Japan Society's Corporate Members Events

Date	Event Title	Speakers
02/01/2022	Climate Change & the Blue Economy: Diving into Okinawa's Waters	Timothy Ravasi , Professor of Marine Science & Principal Investigator, Marine Climate Change Unit, Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology Graduate University Charlotte de Fontaubert , Global Lead for the Blue Economy, World Bank
02/08/2022	Ambassador Kanji Yamanouchi, Consul General of Japan in NY Farewell†	Ambassador Kanji Yamanouchi , Consul General of Japan in New York
02/17/2022	Seismic Shifts: U.S.-Japan Leaders on Trade in the Asia-Pacific Region <i>(Private event following public webinar)†</i>	Akira Amari , Advisor, Research Commission on the Tax System; Head, Headquarters for Economic Security Measure, Policy Research Council; former Minister of State for Economic and Fiscal Policy; Member of the House of Representatives Michael Froman , Vice Chairman & President, Strategic Growth, Mastercard; Member of the Board of Directors, Japan Society; former U.S. Trade Representative (2013-2017) Merit E. Janow , Former Dean, School of International and Public Affairs; Professor of Practice in International Economic Law and International Affairs, Columbia University; Chair of the Board of Directors, Mastercard; Member of the Board of Directors, Japan Society, moderating
04/27/2022	The Road Ahead for Women's Empowerment: How to Equip Women for Success in the U.S. and Japan Post-COVID-19‡	Mitsuru Claire Chino , President & CEO, ITOCHU International Inc. Lisette Lieberman , Managing Director, General Manager, and Chief Compliance Officer, Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation Sophia Sung , Team Leader, Governance Scoring, PAY, and Gender-Equality Index, Bloomberg Joshua W. Walker , Ph.D., President & CEO, Japan Society, moderating
05/05/2022	Discussion with the Honorable Koichi Hagiuda, Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry†	Honorable Koichi Hagiuda , Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry
05/09/2022	Asia's Geopolitical Landscape: China's Rise & U.S.-Japan Relations <i>(Private event following public webinar)†</i>	Nobukatsu Kanehara , Professor, Doshisha University; Senior Advisor, The Asia Group; former Assistant Chief Cabinet Secretary to Prime Minister Shinzo Abe Joseph Nye , University Distinguished Service Professor, Emeritus & former Dean, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University; former U.S. Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs

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		Takako Hikotani , Professor, Gakushuin University International Centre; Visiting Professor, School of Global Policy and Strategy, University of California at San Diego, moderating
05/16/2022	The Ties that Bind, Enhancing U.S.-Japan Collaboration for the 21st Century †	Amb. Miriam Sapiro (Managing Director & Vice Chair, SVC Public Affairs, Sard Verbinen & Co.; former Deputy and Acting U.S. Trade Representative; former Special Assistant to the President at the National Security Council, and at the State Department) Senator Cory Gardner (Former United States Senator from Colorado and Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Subcommittee on East Asia, The Pacific, and International Cybersecurity Policy (2015-2021)) Joshua W. Walker , Ph.D., President and CEO, Japan Society, moderating
06/08/2022	The Okinawa & U.S.-Japan Security Alliance in Critical Times	Masaaki Gabe , Emeritus Professor, The University of the Ryukyus Sheila A. Smith , John E. Merow Senior Fellow for Asia-Pacific Studies, Council on Foreign Relations Moderator Joshua W. Walker , Ph.D., President & CEO, Japan Society
07/14/2022	The Legacy of Shinzo Abe & the Aftermath of His Assassination	Gerald L. Curtis , Burgess Professor Emeritus of Political Science, Columbia University; Chairman, Maureen and Mike Mansfield Foundation; Core Faculty, Center on Japanese Economy and Business, Columbia Business School; Distinguished Research Fellow, Tokyo Foundation for Policy Research; Member of the Board of Directors, Japan Society Ryo Sahashi , Associate Professor of International Relations, Institute for Advanced Studies on Asia, The University of Tokyo; Research Fellow, Japan Center for International Exchange Merit E. Janow , Dean Emerita, School of International and Public Affairs; Professor of Practice in International Economic Law and International Affairs, Columbia University; Chair of the Board of Directors, Mastercard; Chair of the Board of Directors, Japan Society, moderating
07/19/2022	2022 Japan's Upper House Election: Top Priorities for Prime Minister Kishida †	Takatoshi Ito , School of International and Public Affairs, Columbia University; Director, Program on Public Pension and Sovereign Funds & Associate Director, Research, Center on Japanese Economy and Business, Columbia Business School
09/16/2022	Leading Tokyo: A Conversation with Governor Yuriko Koike †	The Honorable Yuriko Koike , Governor of Tokyo, Japan
09/19/2022	Welcoming Foreign Minister Hayashi to Japan Society †	Yoshimasa Hayashi , Minister for Foreign Affairs, Government of Japan
10/03/2022	Suntory: Leadership & Vision	Takeshi Niinami , Chief Executive Officer, Suntory Holdings Limited. Joshua W. Walker , Ph.D., President & CEO, Japan Society, presiding
10/20/2023	2022 Tech Trends in Japan: Web 3.0 & Digital Transformation †	Yasumasa Yamamoto , Adjunct Professor, Graduate School of Management, Kyoto University

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11/09/2022	Women in Leadership - Why It Matters ‡	<p>Merit E. Janow, Dean Emerita, School of International and Public Affairs; Professor of Practice in International Economic Law and International Affairs, Columbia University; Chair of the Board of Directors, Mastercard; Chair of the Board of Directors, Japan Society</p> <p>Mya Fisher, Founder and Chief Executive and Transformation Officer (CETO), Global Equity Forward; Director, Richard U. Light Fellowship, Yale University</p> <p>Keiko Honda, Adjunct Professor and Adjunct Senior Research Scholar, School of International and Public Affairs, Columbia University; and Keishi Hotsuki, Chief Risk Officer, Morgan Stanley</p> <p>Joshua W. Walker, Ph.D., President & CEO, Japan Society, moderating</p>
11/10/2022	Cybersecurity in Japan: Trends, Emerging Threats & Outlook †	<p>Mihoko Matsubara, Chief Cybersecurity Strategist, NTT Corporation</p>
11/16/2022	U.S. Midterm Elections: Key Takeaways & Impact on U.S.-Japan Relations	<p>Mieko Nakabayashi, Ph.D., Professor, Center for International Education, Waseda University; former Member of Japan's House of Representatives; former Republican Professional Staff, Senate Committee on the Budget</p> <p>Glenn Nye, President & CEO, Center for the Study of the Presidency & Congress; former Member of U.S. Congress</p> <p>Jacob Schlesinger, Fellow, Distinguished Careers Institute, Stanford University; Senior Correspondent, Wall Street Journal.</p> <p>Joshua W. Walker, Ph.D., President & CEO, Japan Society, moderating</p>
11/21/2022	Survey on Attitudes Toward the Top Management of Global U.S. and Japan Companies ^Δ	<p>Yoichiro Suzuki, Senior Vice President, NTT DATA Services</p> <p>Kenichiro Mizoguchi, General Manager, Hitachi Washington Corporate Office</p> <p>Toby S. Myerson, Chairman & CEO, Longsight Strategic Advisors LLC</p> <p>Dr. Kenneth R. Weinstein, Senior Advisor, Brunswick Group; Walter P. Stern Distinguished Fellow, Hudson Institute</p> <p>Kisho Tanigawa, Executive Director, Keidanren USA</p> <p>Joshua Walker, Ph.D., President and CEO, Japan Society</p> <p>Takashi Kawamoto, Director, U.S.-Japan Business Lead, Brunswick Group</p>

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