Dean Yoshino

1. Attended the Sixth IMF–Japan High-Level Tax Conference for Asian Countries on April 7-9 in Tokyo, Japan. Read more.

2. Attended a workshop on the People’s Republic of China’s Inward and Outward Foreign Direct Investments at Southwestern University on 13 April in Chengdu, PRC. Read more.


Deputy Dean Yu

1. Attended the International Seminar on Trade in Goods and Services Statistics on 14-16 April in Manila, Philippines. Read more.

Research

1. Seminar by Kei Owada: Improving Business-Friendly Infrastructure Investment in the Transportation Sector: Case Studies was held on 6 April at ADBI. Read more.

2. Seminar by Naoyuki Yoshino: Japan’s Lost Decade: Lessons for Other Economies was held on 8 April at ADBI. Read more.

3. Distinguished Speaker Seminar by Robert Aliber: Currency Turbulence and Banking Crises was held on 13 April at ADBI. Read more.

4. OECD–ADBI Economic Seminar: The OECD Economic Survey of Japan 2015 was held on 16 April at ADBI. Read more.

5. Seminar by Manabu Fujimura: Comparative Advantage in Rice Production: Viet Nam and Myanmar was held on 20 April at ADBI. Read more.

6. Seminar by H. E. Masud Bin Momen: Recent Economic and Political Development in Bangladesh was held on 23 April at ADBI. Read more.

7. Policy dialogue on Inclusive Growth in Asia: Housing Policy, Financial Inclusion, and Infrastructure Investments was held on 27 April at ADBI. Read more.

Capacity Building and Training

1. International Seminar on Trade in Goods and Services Statistics was held on 14–16 April in Manila, Philippines. Read more.

2. Asia-Pacific High-Level Conference on Financing for Development was held on 29–30 April in Jakarta, Indonesia. Read more.

Outreach

1. Media coverage

b. Peter Morgan interviewed by NHK World about the People’s Republic of China’s GDP on April 16. Read more.

c. Dean Yoshino interviewed by Bloomberg Business for the segment “Japan Needs to Change Its Retirement Age” on 16 April. See video.

d. ADBI cited in an article published by the Dhaka Courier on 18 April. Read more.

e. ADBI working paper “The Middle-Income Transition around the Globe: Characteristics of Graduation and Slowdown” was the focus of an article published in Seeking Alpha on 19 April. Read more.

f. ADBI working paper “The Renminbi and Exchange Rate Regimes in East Asia” cited in an article published in the Straits Times on 21 April. Read more.

g. Video interview with Dean Yoshino on the “Economic Impact of Remittance Flows on Asian Economies” was published on the ADB video channel on 23 April. See video.

2. Working papers

a. Thailand's Economic Integration with Neighboring Countries and Possible Connectivity with South Asia. Read more.

b. Japan's Lost Decade: Lessons for Other Economies. Read more.

c. Infrastructure Finance and Financial Sector Development. Read more.

d. Regional Economic Integration and Multilateralism: The Case of the ASEAN–Australia–New Zealand FTA and the Malaysia–New Zealand FTA. Read more.


g. Housing Policies for Asia: A Theoretical Analysis by Use of a Demand and Supply Model. Read more.

3. Asia Pathways posts

a. Exploring the Implications of TPP Negotiations for Latin America. Read more.

b. Middle-income Economies: Slowdowns, Taps and Transitions. Read more.

c. How to Channel Migrant Remittances to Deliver Growth. Read more.
Forthcoming Events

1. 10th Microfinance Training of Trainers: A Blended Distance Learning Course to be held in Tokyo from 1 January–31 May. Read more.

2. Seminar by Donghyun Park and Kwanho Shin: Economic and Financial Development, and Income Inequality to be held on 13 May at ADBI. Read more.

3. Inception workshop and policy dialogue: Housing Policies for Emerging Asia to be held on 14-15 May at ADBI. Read more.

4. Seminar by Saj Mendis, Embassy of Sri Lanka: Dynamics of Recent Economic and Political Developments in Sri Lanka to be held on 18 May at ADBI. Read more.

5. Seminar by Bjorn Urbansky: Global Liquidity Glut, Capital Controls, and the Pretence of Knowledge in the PRC and the US to be held on 25 May at ADBI. Read more.

6. Seminar by Axel Mangelsdorf and Naohiko Ijiri: The Role of Standards for International Trade in Asian Economies to be held on 29 May at ADBI. Read more.

7. Asia Regional Workshop on Public-Private Partnerships: Engaging the Private Sector to be held on 2–5 June at ADBI. Read more.