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IN TIMES OF UNCERTAINTY

FROM CONCEPTUAL FOUNDATIONS TO SOCIETAL IMPLEMENTATION



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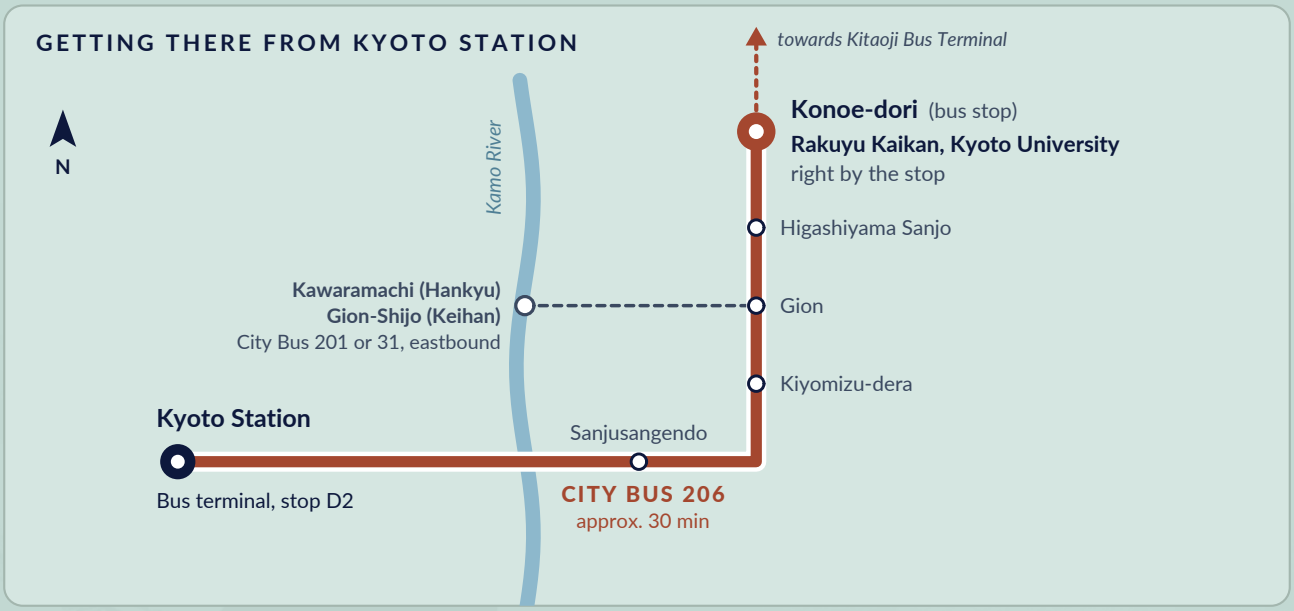
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WEDNESDAY 17 MARCH 2027

12:00–12:30 **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
Satoshi Kodama (Kyoto) and Dennis Krämer (Münster)

12:30–13:00 Break

13:00–14:00 KEYNOTE
Recovery or Transformation? Rethinking Resilience in Super-Aged Societies
Satoshi Kodama (Kyoto)
Introduction: Dennis Krämer

14:00–14:30 Break

14:30–16:30 PANEL 1
Health System Resilience: Data Governance and Social Preparedness
Panel Host: Dennis Krämer

- *How Should Genome Data Be Used in Our Society?*
  Shigeto Yonemura (Tokyo)
- *Resilient Infrastructures for Pandemic Preparedness in Germany: Lessons Learned from an Epidemiological Perspective*
  André Karch (Münster)
- *Cross-Border Patient Flows as a Mechanism for Healthcare Resilience: Insights from the CareFlow Project*
  Bernd Hellingrath and Adam Widera (Münster)
- *Workstyle Reform and Healthcare Productivity Changes in Japan*
  Yoshinori Nakata (Tokyo)

17:00–18:30 Welcome Reception

THURSDAY 18 MARCH 2027

DAY 2

09:30–10:30

KEYNOTE

Democratic Societies in Times of Uncertainty and Crisis: How to Build Resilience Against Internal and External Information Threats

Thorsten Quandt (Münster)

Introduction: Satoshi Kodama

10:30–11:00 Break

11:00–13:00

PANEL 2

Governing Crises and Resilience: Institutions, Autonomy, and Social Imaginaries

Panel Host: Joschka Haltaufderheide

- *Criminal Punishment as Crisis Governance: Learning from Penal Enforcement During COVID-19*
  Sou Hee Yang (Takasaki)
- *Street-Level Bureaucracy and Discretion in Social Policies During Crises: Examples from Long-Term Care Policies*
  Davide Viero (Duisburg-Essen)
- *The Autonomy Paradox and the Reconfiguration of the Public Interest: Voluntary Assisted Dying (VAD) in the Age of Hyper-Liberalism*
  Yukio Sakurai (Yokohama)
- *'The World Ends Tomorrow!' – Yet Again…: Patterns in the Discursive Construction of Apocalyptic Narratives*
  Dennis Krämer (Münster)

13:00–14:30 Lunch

14:30–16:30

PANEL 3

Truth, Trust, and Health: Fostering Societal Resilience in the Digital Age

Panel Host: Thorsten Quandt

- *From National Security to Civil Society: Reframing Information Resilience and Disaster Mis- and Disinformation in Japan*
  Kyoko Kuwahara (Tokyo)
- *Head in the Sand: Digital Discourse and the Ostrich Avian Flu Controversy in Canada*
  Jean-Christophe Boucher and Guillaume L'Hermie (Calgary)
- *Contesting Credibility: Influencers, Trust Attacks, and the Long-Term Erosion of Public Health Authority*
  Chris Tenove (Vancouver)
- *Researching Information Resilience: Trends in Interdisciplinary Academic Work on Disinformation*
  Saïd Unger, Johanna Klapproth, Thorsten Quandt and Dennis Krämer (Münster)

18:00 Dinner

FRIDAY 19 MARCH 2027

DAY 3

10:00–11:30 PANEL 4

Theoretical and Normative Foundations of Resilience

Panel Host: Seisuke Hayakawa

- *Resilience Between Cybernetic Fantasies of Control and Deliberative Crisis Governance*
  Gabriel Bartl (Berlin)
- *Humanity, Solidarity, Impartiality: Ethical Principles for Designing Predictive Crisis Technologies*
  Joschka Haltaufderheide (Greifswald)
- *Equity-Sensitive Resilience Research: A Phenomenological and Mechanism-Based Framework Grounded in Lived Experiences and Social Practices*
  Azher Hameed Qamar (Münster)

11:30–13:00 Lunch

13:00–15:00 PANEL 5

Technological Resilience: AI, Cybersecurity, and Digital Infrastructures

Panel Host: Michael Campbell

- *Artificial Intelligence and Welfare Services in Japanese Municipalities*
  Susanne Brucksch (Tokyo)
- *Disconnected Resilience: Absence-Relations and Digital Detox in Times of Technological Uncertainty*
  Annie Kurz (Stuttgart)
- *Responding to Cyberattacks on Healthcare Information Systems and Government Involvement*
  Ken Ogata (Tokyo)
- *From Pilot Projects to Resilient Healthcare Infrastructure: Legal and Ethical Conditions for the Social Implementation of Medical AI in Japan*
  Takanori Fujita (Tokyo)

15:00–15:30 **Concluding Discussion**

15:30 End of the Kyoto Conference