

# Japan Wood Products Symposium

Japan has historically been one of the largest importers of wood and wood products in the world. Domestic planted forests, notably of Sugi, are maturing and ready for harvest but housing construction within Japan is forecasted to decline. Thus various efforts have been made to bolster demand for wood. One avenue is increasing exports and the other is using wood for non-traditional applications.

Come learn the latest trends.

Date and Time: Wednesday, January 16

1:30 ~ 5:00 PM

Venue: World Trade Center Seattle

2200 Alaskan Way #410, Seattle, WA 98121

Program:

1 Greetings (13:30 – 13:40)

Mr. Mikihiro Inoue

Secretary General, Japan Wood Products Export Association

2 Lectures

(1) Japan's wooden structure technology (13:40 – 14:20)

Dr. Fumio Kamiya

Chief Technical Officer, Seihoku Corporation

(1) Sugi for 2x4 (platform & frame) home building (14:20 – 15:00)

Dr. Kusao Endo

Former professor of Kagoshima University

(Break: 15:00 – 15:20)

(2) Outdoor applications of high durability engineered wood products (15:20 – 16:00)

Ms. HongYan Li

Sales Manager, Koshii Co., Ltd.

(3) Structural LVL for non-residential buildings and case studies in Japan (16:00 – 16:40)

Ms. JiSoo Park

Department of Business Development and R&D, KeyTec Co., Ltd.

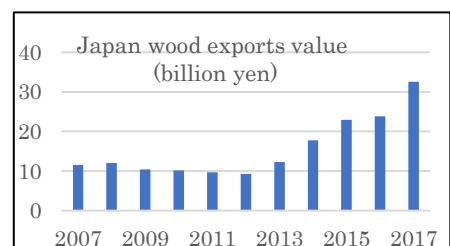
3 Q&As (16:40 – 17:00)

4 Reception (17:00 – 18:00)

◆A reception will follow with savory appetizers and beverages.

◆Parking is free with validation.

◆The number of participants is limited to 35. Please register early.



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