



**Global Hiroshima: The History, Politics and Legacies of Nuclear Weapons
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Thursday, August 3

Grand Prince Hotel Hiroshima

7:50 **Meet in hotel lobby for travel to Hiroshima Peace Memorial Park and Museum**

8:15-9:40 **Tour of Park and Museum**

9:40 **Bus departs for return to hotel**

Conference Location: Prince Wedding Suite (ground floor)

10:30-10:40 Welcome and Introduction

- Michael Gordin, Princeton University
- John Ikenberry, Princeton University

10:40-11:00 Welcome and Opening Address

- The Honorable Hidehiko Yuzaki, Governor of Hiroshima Prefecture

11:00-12:20 Session One (11:00-12:20)

- Yukiko Koshiro, Nihon University (11:00-11:40)
"Ending the War without the Atomic Bombs: Japan's Strategic Plan to surrender before the US Mainland Invasion"
- Alex Wellerstein, Stevens Institute of Technology (11:40-12:20)
"From 'the greatest thing in history' to 'the wholesale slaughter of human beings': What Truman knew and didn't know about Hiroshima and Nagasaki"

12:20-14:00 Lunch, Boston Room (22nd floor)

14:00-16:00 Session Two

- Campbell Craig, Cardiff University (14:00-14:40)
"The Atom Bomb as Policy Maker: Deducing the Bomb's Effect on FDR's Diplomacy"
- Mark Walker, Union College (14:40-15:20)
"Living with the Bomb"
- Shinsuke Tomotsugu, Hiroshima University (15:20-16:00)
"The Bandung Conference and the Origins of Japan's Atoms for Peace Aid Program for Asian Countries"

16:00-16:30 Break

16:30-18:30 Session Three

- Wakana Mukai, Asia University (16:30-17:10)
"The Unnecessary Option to Go Nuclear: Japan's Non-nuclear Policy in an Era of Uncertainty, 1950s-1960s"
- Avery Goldstein, University of Pennsylvania (17:10-17:50)
"The End of the Beginning: China and the Consolidation of the Nuclear Revolution"
- Sean Malloy, University of California, Merced (17:50-18:30)
"'When You Have to Deal with a Beast' Race, Ideology, and the Atomic Bomb"

18:30 Dinner, Riho Room (21st floor)

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8:30-10:30 Session Four

- Frank Gavin, Johns Hopkins University (8:30-9:10)
"History and the Unanswered Questions of the Nuclear Age: Reflections on Assumptions, Uncertainty, and Method in Nuclear Studies"
- David Holloway, Stanford University (9:10-9:50)
"Racing toward Armageddon? Soviet views of strategic nuclear war, 1955-1972"
- Takuya Sasaki, Rikkyo University (9:50-10:30)
"The Evolution of Japanese Politics and Diplomacy under the Long Shadows of Hiroshima and Nagasaki, 1974-1991"

10:30-11:00 Break

11:00-13:00 Session Five

- Matias Spektor, FGV Brazil (11:00-11:40)
"The Nuclear Revolution in South America"

- Holger Nehring, University of Stirling (11:40-12:20)
"Forgetting and Remembering Hiroshima: The Cold War as Post-War in Western Germany"
- Sonja Schmid, Virginia Tech (12:20-13:00)
"Data, Discourse, and Disruption: The Role of Data Collection on Radiation Effects after Hiroshima and Chernobyl for the Global Nuclear Order"

13:00-14:30 Lunch, Boston Room (22nd floor)

14:30-16:30 Session Six

- Nina Tannenwald, Brown University (14:30-15:10)
"The Legacy of the Nuclear Taboo in the 21st Century"
- Shampa Biswas, Whitman College (15:10-15:50)
"Nuclear Harms and Global Disarmament"
- Kiichi Fujiwara, University of Tokyo (15:50-16:30)
Title to be announced

16:30 Final Discussion