



Consulate-General of Japan in Chicago



Japanese Innovation:

Developments in Manufacturing Technology and the Japanese Manufacturing Innovation Experience in the U.S.

The Center for Professional Exchange (CEPEX), supported by the Consulate-General of Japan and World Business Chicago, will host a seminar on Japanese innovation in manufacturing and experiences implementing new technology in the U.S. The event will be held at the Japan Information Center (JIC).

Manufacturing systems have been transitioning from labor-intensive to advanced technology systems with the inclusion of automation, robotics and artificial intelligence (AI). Presentations will cover this change, as well as real-time examples at a Japanese-owned reverse service operation in the U.S.

Agenda

Registration 3:45 pm

4:00 pm Welcome Remarks

- Nicole Uehara, President, CEPEX
- Naoki Ito, Consul-General of Japan

4:10 pm **Presentations**

- "From Product Out to Market In, Change Your '80s Mindset"
- "New Reverse Logistics"

Audience Q&A 5:00 pm

Reception to follow 5:30 pm

Speakers

Yukio Tada, Chairman, Sunrock Institute; Fellow, Hokkaido University, Nitobe College **Yoshihiro Sasaki**, President and CEO, Funai Service Corporation

Event Details

Details

Date: October 10, 2018

Time: 4:00-6:30 pm

Location:

Consulate-General of Japan Japan Information Center (JIC) 737 North Michigan Avenue, **Suite 1000** Chicago, Illinois 60611

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Admission is free. Please register at (202) 429-0282 or craven.jacquelyn@cepex.org

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