# Symposium

Co-organized by UNWTO Regional Support Office for Asia Pacific, Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University (APU), and Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA).

# "Community Development & Revitalization through Tourism"

Limited capacity: 150 pp.

# Saturday, 12 January 2019, 9:00-12:00

## Asia Pacific Ritsumeikan University (APU), Oita Bldg. H, 2F. Classroom #202

Inaugural symposium organized by UNWTO Regional Support Office for Asia and the Pacific, APU and JICA to compliment the education of the future tourism leaders.

Learn about the latest tourism trends and local and international efforts on sustainable community development and revitalization from field experts and local tourism leaders.

Language: EN/JP - simultaneous interpretation available Target: Students, local governments, tourism industry, individuals interested in community development and tourism Deadline: 4 January 2019

# Program

Opening remarks & greetings

- APU, Mr. Haruaki Deguchi, President
- UNWTO RSOAP, Mr. Yoshiaki Hompo, Chief
- Kunisaki City, Mr. Akifumi Mikawa, Mayor

Speaker 1: UNWTO RSOAP, Ariana Luquin Sanchez, Deputy Manager State of Tourism - trends, forecast and SDGS

- Speaker 2: APU, Dr. Kazem M. Vafadari, Assistant Professor Regional examples of community development & revitalization efforts through tourism
- Speaker 3: JICA, Mr. Akihiko Kodama, Deputy Director SDGs and JICA's cooperation for sustainable tourism
- Speaker 4: NPO Hattou Onpaku, Mr. Yasuo Nogami, Executive Director Community development & revitalization through ONPAKU
- Speaker 5: NPO Medicine Research Center, Dr. Tadanori Yano, CEO Community development & revitalization through the use of medical /edible plants at the Globally Important Agricultural Heritage

## Questions?

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Please send application sheet or email us with your name and affiliation.







## (Registration begins at: 8:30)





