



## Innovation and Connectivity: Key Drivers in EU-Japan Cooperation

20<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Asociación de la Prensa de Madrid  
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### *Provisional Programme*

#### 9:30-10:15 Welcoming words and keynote speech

- **Emilio Lamo de Espinosa**, Chairman, Elcano Royal Institute
- **Kenji Hiramatsu**, Ambassador of Japan in Spain

Keynote speech by **Ken Endo**, Hokkaido University

#### 10:15-11:45 Session 1: Society 5.0: Opportunities and Challenges of Data Economy (Data Free Flow with Trust)

Chair: **Ana Gascón**, Assistant Professor, University of Zaragoza

Speakers:

- **Andrés Ortega**, Senior Research Fellow, Elcano Royal Institute
- **Maaïke Okano-Heijmans**, Senior Research Fellow, Clingendael Institute
- **Makoto Yokozawa**, Professor, Kyoto University
- **Christoph Steck**, Director Public Policy & Internet, Telefonica

11:45-12:15 Coffee break

#### 12:15-13:45 Session 2: Promoting Quality Infrastructure to Achieve Sustainable Growth and Resilient Connectivity

Chair: **Ana María Goy Yamamoto**, Assistant Professor, Autonomous University of Madrid.

Speakers:

- **Mario Esteban**, Senior Analyst, Elcano Royal Institute.
- **Marie Söderberg**, Director, European Institute of Japanese Studies.
- **Reiko Abe**, President, Oriental Consultants.
- **Agustín Sáenz**, VP Markets, Tecnalía.

The event will be held in English without simultaneous translation