

# International Symposium Envisioning Blended Next-Generation Higher Education



**Asian Top Universities' Cutting-Edge  
ICT-Enhanced Teaching and Learning**

## Outline

The Center for the Promotion of Excellence in Higher Education at Kyoto University hosts the International Symposium "Envisioning Blended Next-Generation Higher Education: Asian Top Universities' Cutting-Edge ICT-Enhanced Teaching and Learning" on March 2, 2018.

Five years have passed since the global proliferation of MOOCs started, and there are already over 10,000 MOOCs around the world now. At the same time, Flipped Learning and Blended Learning, utilizing MOOCs, SPOCs, OpenCourseWare and other online educational resources and environments, has become increasingly popular, and this promotes the development of new systems for obtaining credit hours, academic degrees, and professional certificates.

In Japan, as in many other countries, the promotion of lifelong learning and recurrent education, driven by the rapid changes in both global and local industries and labor markets, is becoming an urgent and critical issue. However, the challenge remains for the people in their jobs to go back to a college or graduate school as full-time on-campus students. Furthermore, as the youth population continues to decline, the strategic use of ICT to support more personalized learning for all becomes increasingly vital for a sustainable society.

In this symposium, the blended next-generation higher education will be explored by learning from the exemplary pioneer efforts in innovate ICT-enhanced learning and teaching at some of the top Asian universities as well as the visions and thoughts from their senior administrators and leaders.



### Prof. Xiaoming Li

Head of MOOC initiatives, Peking University  
Director, Institute of Network Computing and Information Systems



### Prof. Ricky Yu-Kwong Kwok

Associate Vice-President (Teaching and Learning),  
University of Hong Kong



### Prof. Cheolil Lim

Professor, Department of Education, Seoul National University  
President, Korean Society for Educational Technology



### Prof. Ting Chuen Pong

Senior Advisor to the EVPP (Teaching Innovation & E-learning)  
Director, Center for Engineering Education,  
Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

# 2018.3.2 Fri.

## 1:30 pm - 5:45 pm

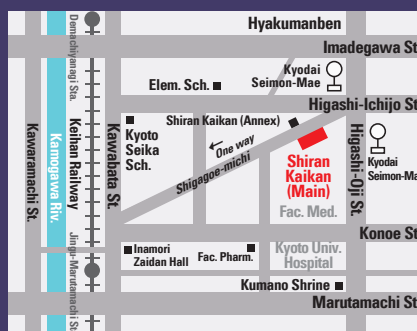
Registration Starts at 1pm

Inamori Hall, Shirankaikan, Kyoto University

■ No Charge ■ Simultaneous interpretation available

Registration

Please fill in the form to pre-register by  
**Tue, Feb. 27, 2018. First 150 arrivals.**  
<https://goo.gl/fr66jv>



## Access

**Kyoto City Bus**  
About 1-minute walk from  
Kyodai Seimon-Mae Bus Stop

**Keihan Railway**  
About 15-minute walk from  
Demachiyana St.

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## Asian Top Universities' Cutting-Edge ICT-Enhanced Teaching and Learning

Program



MC: **Yugo Saito**  
Program-Specific Assistant Professor

1:00 pm –

**Reception**

1:30 pm – 1:35 pm



**Opening Remarks**

**Hajime Kita**

Director, Institute for Information Management and Communication, Kyoto University  
Professor, Institute for Liberal Arts and Sciences, Kyoto University

1:35 pm – 1:50 pm



**Lecture**

**“MOOC and SPOC at Kyoto University: The Current Status and Prospect”**

**Hiroyuki Sakai**

Associate Professor, Center for the Promotion of Excellence in Higher Education, Kyoto University

1:50 pm – 2:05 pm



**Lecture**

**“Promoting ICT-Enhanced Education at Kyoto University:  
Through Making Educational Practice Visible and Sharable”**

**Mana Taguchi**

Associate Professor, Center for the Promotion of Excellence in Higher Education, Kyoto University

2:05 pm – 2:25 pm



**Special Lecture**

**“Envisioning ICT-Enhanced Higher Education 2025”**

**Toru Iiyoshi**

Director and Professor, Center for the Promotion of Excellence in Higher Education, Kyoto University

2:25 pm – 2:40 pm



**Special Lecture (Video Lecture)**

**“Promoting MOOC and Blended Teaching:  
Institutional and Personal Experiences”**

**Prof. Xiaoming Li**

Head of MOOC initiatives, Peking University  
Director, Institute of Network Computing and Information Systems

2:40 pm – 2:55 pm

**Break**

2:55 pm – 4:10 pm



**Keynote Lecture**

**“Technology-Enriched Learning at HKU”**

**Prof. Ricky Yu-Kwong Kwok**

Associate Vice-President (Teaching and Learning), University of Hong Kong



**Keynote Lecture**

**“Blended Learning at Seoul National University”**

**Prof. Cheolil Lim**

Professor, Department of Education, Seoul National University  
President, Korean Society for Educational Technology

4:10 pm – 4:25 pm

**Break**

4:25 pm – 5:45 pm



**Panel Discussion**

Moderator: **Kayo Matsushita**

Professor, Center for the Promotion of Excellence in Higher Education, Kyoto University

Debater: **Hajime Kita**

Panelists: **Xiaoming Li, Ricky Yu-Kwong Kwok, Cheolil Lim, Ting Chuen Pong, Toru Iiyoshi**

5:45 pm

**Closing**