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“Incorporating Japanese Studies into the Undergraduate Curriculum”
 (“Japan Studies Institute”)

SDSU Provost Marlin’s Opening Ceremony

11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Tuesday, June 10, 2014
Seminar Room, Cuicacalli Suites
San Diego State University

Program

Opening Remarks: Dr. Yoshiko Higurashi, Institute Director, Japan Studies Institute, AASCU
Director, Japan International Programs, SDSU
Professor and Director, Japanese Language Program, SDSU

Welcome Speeches: Dr. Muriel A. Howard, President, AASCU (message)
Dr. Nancy A. Marlin, Provost, San Diego State University
Dr. William F. Eadie, Chair, The Senate, SDSU
Mr. Kevin Aurea, President, Japanese Student Association, SDSU
Mr. Avinash Lalchandani, Vice President, Nikkei Student Union, SDSU
Mr. Jeff Marston, Past President, Alumni Association, SDSU
Honorable Kate Leonard, Honorary Consul General of Japan in
San Diego
Ms. Cecelia Schellstede, Assistant Manager, Marketing Communications,
Kyocera International, Inc.
Mr. Richard Davis, Executive Director, Kyoto Symposium Organization

Self Introduction: The 2014 AASCU Japan Studies Institute Fellows

Closing Remarks: Dr. Yoshiko Higurashi

Invited Guests

San Diego State University (SDSU)

Nancy A. Marlin, Provost

Stephen C. Welter, Vice President for Research and
the Dean of Graduate Division

Thomas R. Scott, former Vice President for Research and
the Dean of Graduate Studies

Kathryn LaMaster, Associate Vice President, Faculty Affairs

Geoffrey W. Chase, Dean, Division of Undergraduate Studies

Representatives from all SDSU Colleges:

Linda Holler, Associate Dean, representing **Paul Wong**, Dean,
Arts and Letters

Gangaram Singh, Interim Dean, Business Administration

Joseph F. Johnson Jr., Interim Dean, Education

M. Monte Mehrabadi, Dean, Engineering

Marilyn Newhoff, Dean, Health and Human Services

Donna M. Conaty, Associate Dean, representing **Joyce Gattas**, Dean, Professional
Studies and Fine Arts

Cathie Adkins, Associate Dean, representing **Stanley R. Maloy**, Dean, Sciences

David. E. Pearson, Dean, Imperial Valley Campus

Joe R. Shapiro, Dean, Extended Studies

More from SDSU:

Noah Hansen, Director, International Student Center

Mark J. Ballam, Managing Director, Center for International Business Education
and Research (CIBER)

Ghada Osman, Chair, Department of Linguistics and Asian/ Middle Eastern
Languages

Dan McLeod, Professor Emeritus of English and Comparative Literature

Representative for all SDSU Faculty:

William F. Eadie, Chair, The Senate

Representatives from all SDSU Student Organizations:

Kevin Aurea, President, Japanese Student Association:

Avinash Lalchandani, Vice President, Nikkei Student Union

Representative from all SDSU alumni:

Jeff Marston, Past President, SDSU Alumni Association

Representatives from the Japanese Government and the San Diego Community:

Honorary Consulate General of Japan in San Diego

Ms. Katherine Leonard, Honorary Consul General of Japan

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