

American Association of State Colleges and Universities

National Faculty Development Institute

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

SDSU Provost Enwemeka’s *Opening Ceremony*

11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Tuesday, June 9, 2015

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. Chukuka S. Enwemeka**, Provost and Senior Vice President, SDSU
Dr. David Ely, Chair, The Senate, SDSU
Ms. Michelle Aguilar, Co-President, Japanese Student Association, SDSU
Mr. Kyle Ota, External Affairs, Nikkei Student Union, SDSU
Mr. Jeff Marston, Past President, Alumni Association, SDSU
Honorable Kate Leonard, Honorary Consul General of Japan in
San Diego
Ms. Michelle Franklin, Language Localization Specialist, Corporate
Communications, Kyocera International, Inc.
Mr. Richard Davis, Executive Director, Kyoto Symposium Organization

Self Introduction: **The 2015 AASCU Japan Studies Institute Fellows**

Closing Remarks: **Dr. Yoshiko Higurashi**





Invited Guests

San Diego State University (SDSU)

Chukuka S. Enwemeka, Provost and Senior Vice President

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

Alan Sweedler, Assistant Vice President for International Programs

Geoffrey W. Chase, Dean, Division of Undergraduate Studies

Representatives from all SDSU Colleges:

Eniko Csomay, Associate Dean, representing **Paul Wong**, Dean, Arts & Letters

J. Dennis Cradit, Dean, Business Administration

Joseph F. Johnson Jr., Dean, Education

M. Monte Mehrabadi, Dean, Engineering

Marilyn Newhoff, Dean, Health and Human Services

Kotaro Nakamura, Chair, School of Art and Design, 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:

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

Noah Hansen, Director, International Student Center

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

Dan McLeod, Professor Emeritus of English and Comparative Literature

Representative for all SDSU Faculty:

David Ely, Chair, The Senate

Representatives from all SDSU Student Organizations:

Michelle Aguilar, Co-President, Japanese Student Association:

Kenny Nguyen, Historian, 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. Kate Leonard, Honorary Consul General of Japan

Kyocera International, Inc.

Michelle Franklin, Language Localization Specialist, Corporate Communications

Kyoto Symposium Organization

Mr. Richard Davis, Executive Director

2015 AASCU-JSI Fellows

Professor Peter A. Campbell
Theater History & Criticism
Ramapo College of New Jersey
Mahwah, NJ

Professor Larry A. Gray
English Literature
Jacksonville State University
Jacksonville, AL

Professor Michael Igoe
Communication
State University of New York at Fredonia
Fredonia, NY

Professor Paula Kopacz
English Literature
Eastern Kentucky University
Richmond, KY

Professor Elizabeth Lewis
Architecture
Florida A & M University
Tallahassee, FL

Professor Jeffrey McIllwain
Public Affairs / Criminal Justice
San Diego State University
San Diego, CA

Professor Laura Ng
English
University of North Georgia
Watkinsville, GA

Professor Justin Niati
French Literature
South Carolina State University
Columbia, SC

Professor Seonagh Odhiambo
Dance
California State University, Los Angeles
Los Angeles, CA

Professor Van Pham
Economics
Salem State University
Salem, MA

Professor Jennifer Schiff
Political Science
Western Carolina University
Cullowhee, NC

Professor Sunhui Sim
Geography
University of North Alabama
Florence, AL

Professor R. Don Taylor
Communication
Blue Ridge Community College
Weyers Cave, VA

Professor John Watson
Mathematics / VP for Academic Affairs
Arkansas Tech University
Russellville, AR

Professor Teresa Winterhalter
English / Associate Dean, C of Liberal Arts
Armstrong State University
Savannah, GA

Professor Chuchu Wu
Early Childhood Education
Georgia Southwestern State University
Americus, GA

AASCU and SDSU wish to thank the following
generous donors/supporters:

Automobile Club, Southern California, AAA
Cabrillo National Monument
Cal Copy
Consulate General of Japan in Los Angeles
IACE Travel
Japan Airlines
Japan External Trading Organization (JETRO) in Los Angeles
Japan Foundation in Los Angeles
Japan National Tourism Organization (JNTO) in Los Angeles
Japanese Friendship Garden of San Diego
Steven J. Jensen
Kyocera International, Inc.
Kyoto Symposium Organization
Honorable Kate Leonard, Honorary Consul General of Japan in San Diego
Lighthouse San Diego
Dan McLeod
Minato Gakuen Japanese School
Mingei International Museum
San Diego *YuYu*
SDSU Alumni Association
SDSUcard Office
SDSU Center for Human Resources
SDSU College of Arts and Letters
SDSU Conference Services
SDSU Department of Linguistics and Asian/Middle Eastern Languages
SDSU Enrollment Services
SDSU Faculty Staff Club
SDSU Housing Administration
SDSU Instructional Technology Services
SDSU Love Library
SDSU Office of the President
SDSU Office of the Provost
SDSU Office of the Vice President for Business and Financial Affairs
SDSU University Relations and Development
Tom Ham's Lighthouse Restaurant, Harbor Island
Utage Japanese Restaurant