

The Eighteenth Edition of Roundtable Japan

“Japan as a Global Financial Platform”

Tokyo, 17-18, November 2022

As of September 14, 2022

Thursday 17 November, 2022	
13:30	Registration
14:00 – 14:10	Welcoming Remarks
14:10 – 14:50	<u>Opening session:</u> Why Japan now? Tokyo as Asia’s financial hub: Seizing the moment
15:00 – 16:00	Japan as an Investment Hub: who is looking at what kind of opportunities
16:00 – 16:30	Networking break
16:30 – 17:30 Breakout session	<u>Agenda for action:</u> Creating a competitive tax system
16:30 – 17:30 Breakout session	<u>Agenda for action:</u> Translating the government policy on skills development into tangible actions
17:40 – 18:40 Breakout session	<u>Agenda for action:</u> Expanding investment opportunities through “real economy” liberalization
17:40– 18:40 Breakout session	<u>Agenda for action:</u> An across-the-board approach to digitalization
18:50 – 19:30	Tokyo as Asia’s financial hub: A road map <i>In this consolidation session, the reports from the four breakout working sessions will help identify a list of priority actions to establish Tokyo as place as Asia’s and a global financial hub.</i>

19:30 – 20:00	Cocktail reception
20:00 – 21:30	Dinner <u>With a keynote speaker</u>
Friday 18 November, 2022	
08:15 – 09:00	<u>Briefing over breakfast</u> Japan’s growth outlook in a global environment beset by enduring shocks
09 :05 – 10 :15	The mass of capital in Japan waiting to be managed optimally– new priorities, new investment strategies
10 :30 – 11 :45	What an efficient pro-startup policy could bring to Japan’s economic and social revitalization
12 :00 – 13 :15	Working lunch With a keynote speaker
13 :30 – 14 :30	Japan pivot towards a new energy policy: The economic, political and security implication
14:45 - 16:00	Part I - A new National Security Strategy to face new geopolitical risks and challenges Topic: What responses to the new security and foreign policy realities Japan is facing?
16:00 – 16:15	Networking break
16:15 - 17:15	Part II - A new National Security Strategy to face new geopolitical risks and challenges Topic: Managing the risks and rewards of a higher profile for Japan as a global strategic player
17 :15 – 18 :30	How can PM Kishida leverage elements of Shinzo Abe legacy and use his three years window of opportunity?
18 :30 – 19 :00	Farewell drinks

