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Japan's responses to rapid global sustainable finance evolution



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Responsible Investor Japan is back on the 24-25 May. Join over 500+ attendees in Toranomon Hills, Tokyo for two days of networking and connect with the community to discuss the latest industry developments and best practices in sustainable finance.

Connect with like-minded individuals at the largest ESG conference to address the latest ESG topics and issues and learn about Japan in the global context.

## Programme at a glance

### Connect with the Japanese ESG and sustainable finance industry

Past attendees included Dai-ichi Life Insurance, GPIF, Japan Post Insurance, Pension Fund Association, JFSA, METI, and many more.

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### Answer your biggest ESG questions from industry experts

Carefully curated panel sessions will showcase the depth and the dynamics of sustainable finance discussion from global standardisations of ESG to organisational challenges to take up portfolio decarbonisation.

### Gain a global perspective with Japan-focused content

Discuss how to progress Japanese business in a sustainability-conscious world with our well-established network of sustainable finance practitioners in Japan and from across the globe. Gain unrivalled opportunities only available at Responsible Investor's event series.



## Featured sessions from the agenada

### The evolution of data and Japan's role in data disclosure

- Understanding the FSA code of conduct for ESG evaluation and data providers - how will it impact on ESG markets?
- Can it tangibly influence investor confidence in ESG ratings and enhance ESG standards?
- » Alternative data sets, what is the next generation of ESG data?

#### Debating the future trajectory of ESG and its implications for investors

- ESG has faced considerable headwinds, given the recent backlash in the US, Ukraine war, energy crisis and increasing concerns of greenwashing – what are these impacts in the longer term?
- What actions are needed to be implemented to boost ESG's credibility and what can Japan's investor community do to enhance this?
- What lessons can Japan's ESG community learn from the backlash in the US?

### Bringing the biodiversity challenge into the mainstream

- How can you best manage biodiversity risk in the portfolio?
- How do investors view the Cop 15 adoption of the Post 2020 framework? How do you go about getting data and is biodiversity data reliable?

### View the agenda 😔

## Our keynote

Hear from Hiroshi Ono as he shares his insights on green finance for a sustainable future.

### Hiroshi Ono

Vice-Minister for Global Environmental Affairs Ministry of the Environment Japan

Mr. Ono has been serving as Vice-Minister for Global Environmental Affairs since July 2022. He is in charge of MOEJ's international affairs includes the global environmental conservation. He also held prominent positions during his 35 years in MOE Japan as Director - General of Global Environment Bureau and Director-General of Environmental Management Bureau and others. Director-General of Environmental

Management Bureau and others.

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## Our keynote

Hear from Shinichi Kihara on his insights on the role of transition finance in Japan this May.

### Shinichi Kihara

Deputy Director-General for Environmental Affairs Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry Japan

Mr. Kihara has served as Deputy Director-General for Environmental Affairs, Industrial Science, Technology and Environment Policy Bureau since his appointment in 2021. He has contributed to the International Energy Agency's flagship publication, the World Energy Outlook, through serving as Senior Energy Analyst from 2009.

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## Speaker highlights



#### **Anthony Eames**

Managing Director of Responsible Investment Strategy Calvert Research and Management Managing Director Morgan Stanley Investment Management



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### Hirotaka Hideshima

Counsellor on Global Strategy to President and Board of Directors Norinchukin Bank



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Koh Matsuki CEO **Proxy Watcher** 



## Speaker highlights



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Hideki Takada Director for Strategy Development Financial Services Agency





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Mari Yoshitaka Fellow (Sustainability) and Consulting

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Hiroyuki Tezuka Fellow **IFE Steel Corporation** 

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- » Anthropocene Fixed Income Insitute
- » Aflac Asset Management Japan
- » AIG Asset Management
- » AIGCC
- » AIHARA DENTAL CLINIC
- » AIP
- » Allesgood
- » Allianz Global Investors
- » Alsok Pension Fund
- » Alterna Co
- » Alternative Investment Capital
- » Amundi
- » Arabesque Group

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- Asahi Mutual Life Insurance
- » Ashton Consulting
- » Asia Investor Group on Climate Change
- » Asset Management One
- » Association for Real Estate Securitization
- » Astellas Pharma
- » AXA Investment Manager
- » Baillie Gifford & Co
- » Bain & Company
- » Ballet Arts
- Bank of America Merrill Lynch
- » Bank of Japan
- » Blackfish
- » BofA Securities
- Boston Consulting Group
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- » CDP Worldwide
- » Central Saint Martins
- » Chiyoda Corporation
- » Chubu Electric Power Company
- » Cierpa & Co
- » Cinnamon
- » Clean Green
- » Cogo Japan
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