# Economic Impacts of Demographic Transition: Cases of Asia and Europe

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**13-15 October 2020**
Virtual Workshop

## Agenda
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Session 2: Economic Impacts and Fiscal Policies

Moderator:
Naohiro Ogawa, Visiting Fellow, ADBI

Upalat Korwatanasakul (Waseda University, Japan)
- Demographic Transition and its Impacts on Fiscal Sustainability in East and Southeast Asia

Discussant: Huynh The Du, Senior Lecturer, FSPPM

Maria Rebecca Valenzuela (University of Melbourne, Australia)
Mikio Suga (Hosei University, Japan)
- Consumption Profiles, Equivalence Scales and Household Welfare in Ageing Populations: Insights from Virtual Households in Japan, Thai and the Philippines

Discussants: Sasiwimon Warunsiri Paweenawat, University of the Thai Chamber of Commerce, Thailand (TBC)

Q&As

DAY 2
Wednesday, 14 October 2020

15:00–15:05
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Session 3: Aged/ Aging Populations

Moderator:
Dr. Le Thai Ha, Director of Research and Senior Faculty Member, FSPPM

Zhihai Xie (Kyoai Gakuen University, Japan)
- Taking Advantage of Aging Population: Measuring the Impact of Silver Economy in Japan

Discussant: Kazi Arif Uz Zaman, Joint Director, Financial Stability Department, Bangladesh Bank

Sang Chul Park (Korea Polytechnic University)
- Demographic Change and Its Economic Impacts in Sweden

Discussant: Chin Peng Chu, National Dong Hwa University, Taipei, China
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Kuo-Chun Yeh (National Taiwan University, Taipei, China)
- Demographic Transition and the Policy Implications for Economic and Financial Development in Taipei, China

Discussant: Tran Thi Que Giang, Senior Lecturer, FSPPM

Sasiwimon Warunsiri Paweenawat (University of the Thai Chamber of Commerce, Thailand)
- Labor supply of older workers in Thailand: the role of co-residence, health and pension

Discussant: Kuo-Chun Yeh, National Taiwan University

Q&As

16:40 – 17:35

Session 4: Young Societies

Moderator:
Sang Chul Park, Professor, Korea Polytechnic University

Kazi Arif Uz Zaman (Joint Director, Financial Stability Department, Bangladesh Bank)
- Demographic dividend, digital innovation, and economic growth: Bangladesh experience

Discussant: Sima Rani Dey, Assistant Professor, Bangladesh Institute of Governance and Management, Bangladesh

Shristi Tandukar (Research Scholar and Finance Operations Manager, World Renew, Nepal)
- Demographic Dividend, Digital Economy and Environmental Sustainability: A Case Study of Nepal

Discussant: Zhihai Xie, Kyoai Gakuen University, Japan

Q&As

DAY 3 Thursday, 15 October 2020

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15:05–16:20 Session 5: Labor market and Migration
**Moderator:**
Bae Yooil, Lecturer, FSPPM

**Damien Ruizhou Huang** (Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, National University of Singapore)
- Re-allocating Workfare Income Supplement to Improve Retirement Adequacy Outcomes of Low-Wage Workers

**Discussant:** Charles Yuji Horioka, Kobe University, Japan

**Huong Vo** (National Chengchi University, Taipei, China)
- Understanding urban migration in Viet Nam: Evidence from a micro-macro link

**Discussant:** Le Viet Phu, Lecturer, FSPPM

**Dieter Eißel** (University of Gießen, Germany)
- Economic Impacts of Demographic Transition: The Case of Germany

**Discussant:** Yoko Niimi, Doshisha University, Japan

**Q&As**

16:20–17:15
**Session 6: Sectoral Focus**

**Moderator:**
Pitchaya Sirivunnabood, Capacity Building and Training Economist, ADBI

**Charles Yuji Horioka** (Kobe University, Osaka University, and Asian Growth Research Institute, Japan and National Bureau of Economic Research, USA)
- The Nexus between Long-term Care Insurance, Formal Care, Informal Care, and Bequests: The Case of Japan

**Discussant:** Dieter Eißel, University of Gießen, Germany

**Yoko Niimi** (Doshisha University and Asian Growth Research Institute, Japan)
- Juggling Paid Work and Elderly Care Provision in Japan: Does a Flexible Work Environment Help Family Caregivers Cope?
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